

Camp 2019 - Point Peron



Last week the Year 6's had their school camp. It all kicked off on Monday the 25th of November, when all the Year 6 students who had been invited to camp excitedly arrived at school with their luggage, enough to last 4 nights at Point Peron Camp School. The students then gathered in Room 10, buzzing with excitement for what was ahead of them. The students were all ready with their bag and lunch, all the excited campers lined up to collect their camp booklets. After the students got their booklets, they had to get a quick photo, and, before they knew it, they were saying goodbye to their loved ones. Then, they got into the bus, and they were off for one of the biggest adventures of their lives.



The bus, which was full of noise and excitement, arrived at Point Peron Camp School (PPCS). All of the campers brought their luggage to their dorms and settled in. After they spent about 20 minutes making their beds and setting out their clothes, they all gathered in the dining area, where they were greeted by the staff and were given brief information for the camp. The students then went out for their first activities of camp, where they had 3 rotation groups and rotated between Crate Climb, Team Games and Orienteering. After they had finished their first activities, which they were ALREADY tired from, they ate dinner, and then played some fun cooperation games in the indoor dining room. It started to get late so we had supper, and went to bed, feeling extremely tired after our first day.



6:00 am came around really quick, however we were up and ready to go on our morning walk. The campers gathered for breakfast, looking towards another day full of activities. After having a breakfast, they started the morning activities which were water-related. The activities were Raft Kit Building, which was absolutely hilarious, and Beach Games, where there were a few activities along the beach. After the fun water activities, everybody got changed into clothes for lunch and dry activities. After lunch had been eaten, we started the afternoon activities. The activities, were very fun, but they left everybody fatigued from the heat combined with exercise. So, the campers went back to the dorms and got changed into outdoor warm clothes, after that we had dinner. When dinner was finished, everybody participated in the twilight activities completing them in their rotation groups. There were 3 twilight activities - Volleyball, Basketball and Chill these outstanding activities were held by the one and only B.P.S staff. They did an amazing job of entertaining the year 6 group. After the twilight activities, the Year 6's played Spotlight, where the students had to sneakily get to a certain place without being spotted. The teachers had never been beaten in a game of Spot Light. Students were swapping clothes and jumpers, and using many other strategies to try to win, but, still the teachers won... again. After spotlight the students then went back to the dorms and had showers, after showers everyone settled down and went to bed very, very tired after a long day.



6.30 the next morning the students woke up to get changed and eat breakfast, still very tired from the previous day. Once they were changed, they gathered in the dining hall, only to yet again see more food than you could ever imagine... and the students were even happier today, because 2 new cereals had been added to the mountain of food. Once the campers had filled up on cereal and toast, the activities begun. There was Snorkelling, SUP's (Stand Up Paddle-boarding), Kayaking and another group of Kayaking. Everybody enjoyed the activities, but before they knew it, it was morning tea time and they kept the same clothes and went back in the assembly area for the cookies and watermelon. Next up they rotated groups. They did more water activities. After a while they went back to the dorms, got changed then hung our clothes up on the line, they then went to lunch. After lunch they did cooperation games, during the games they did icebreaker. The icebreaker game is a game where we had an ice cube that had 6 socks in it, they had to try and break it open without smashing it. But during it they had moments where they could smash it on the floor, when the first team got all the socks on their feet they were not allowed to touch the ground with the foot that they had the sock on. Towards the end of the day we had afternoon tea. When they finished afternoon tea they did more cooperation when they finished the cooperation games they got changed in to warm clothes. After they changed we played games of laser tag which everyone enjoyed but people started to get tired from the day before. After laser tag they went and had dinner, dinner was nice but after dinner they played spotlight. After a good game of spotlight, they went back to our dorms, had showers and got ready for bed.

6:30 everyone was up ready for some more water activities. Before the water activities we ate breakfast. It was good, then we got into our water activities for the day which were the same activities as the day before after a while we had morning tea, then we got back into the water activities. After the water activities we had lunch. Once lunch was finished we got into land activities from Tuesday. A while after we had arvo tea, then we got back into the same activities. After the activities we had dinner and got into quiz night and it all finished off with a song the Saints Go Marching in.

6.30 everyone was packed up ready to go home but before that we had some last activities to do they were. Rock climbing, caving ladders and abseiling. During these activities everyone tried something new, tried their best. Pushed themselves and before we knew it we were on the bus home.