

STANLEY HEAD OUTDOOR ACTIVITY WEEKEND -SEPT 2016



On Saturday 10th September I joined a group of deaf children at Stanley Head for a weekend of great fun activities. I only knew Ashanti and Oliver because I used to be at primary school with them. Very quickly I made new friends; Patrick, Josh and Dom, Tom, Georgia, Daniel and Matthew who were all great fun.



We first went abseiling, then climbing, archery and helped each other do the Challenge Wall. We did some activities at night organised by Amanda and the people who worked there, Adam and Sam, who were really, really nice.

We slept well because we were really shattered. We left the torch on so we could talk and sign.



The next morning we went canoeing. Then we saw Betty the Owl. She was a shy, loving owl who didn't like people holding her but she got stroppy when I had to give her back to Adam. My stuffed little owl is now called Betty.



We then built a raft. We were all designers of the raft and it was so strong, nobody fell in. I went on a kayak whilst my friends were on the raft.

My mum came to pick me up with my pug, Michael. Thank you to Amanda and all the staff at Stanley head. I hope we can go back to Stanley Head next year with the same friends but have a whole activities week!