

I wanted to say another big thank you for our grant and to let you know what we used the money for.

We hired the outdoor pool for a session and the girls had a great time swimming and playing with the inflatables. We also did grass sledging - this was something new to all the girls (and leaders) and was great fun - lots of laughs and screams on the way down. Our theme was ducks, so the girls had a rubber duck each, which they decorated and then had to look after for the weekend. They made rafts for their ducks, which they then tested in a paddling pool. They also went on a duck treasure hunt around the site. We cooked pizzas in a cardboard oven and toasted marshmallows on a camp fire with the guides.

For quite a few of the girls it was their first time away from home, so a really big deal. They were a few wobble son the second night, but they were so proud of themselves for staying and having a great time with their friends.

Thank you for allowing us to give the girls this opportunity - it is so important for them.