

BLOG 4

DAY 6

Today at 7:30am group B did sheep and lambs. We saw twin baby lambs being born, it was a very complicated birth and sadly they didn't survive. However, because the sheep farmer was there to help, the mum stayed healthy and will adopt a lamb later on. For breakfast, we had opportunities to eat granola with fresh fruit and cinnamon. We could also do our own toast and cereal. After this, we made pizzas for dinner. We put on gloves and aprons and then in groups we measured out 600g of flour. Then we added dried yeast and mixed them together. Then we made a well and added oil and warm water gradually while stirring, until it formed into a pizza dough.

We each measured out 150g of dough for our individual pizzas. We used 'PlayStation thumbs' to smooth out the dough before rolling it out. Once happy with our base, we lined up so we could put tomato sauce on our pizza dough. We could choose toppings which were: cheese, onions, peppers, mushrooms, pepperoni, ham, sweetcorn, tomatoes AND pineapple!

We had lasagne with salad for lunch which set us up for the afternoon's work. Out on the farm, we had to pick up sticks from the floor and it took us about thirty minutes. Before we knew it, it was time to muck out the area where the donkeys roam during the daytime. Now for the fun part - we took the donkeys for a walk. The donkeys are called Lupey Lou and Maria. When walking the donkeys, you have to say 'walk on' and 'halt' to stop them.

We are all showered and in our pyjamas, ready for our delectable hot chocolate.

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DAY 7

We woke up and got ready for the final day of work. First we did sheep and lambs. We discovered that some lambs had been born in the morning. Then, Ellis gave us food to feed the sheep in the field. After that, we came back for breakfast - we had cereal, toast and croissants. After this we got back to work and we had donkeys. We had to clear the manure in the place where they walk and in the field. Then we walked the donkeys and their names were Lupie Lou, Smiley and Maria.

Group B - we did pigs and poultry. We fed the pigs and the hens, cockerels, geese, ducks and turkeys. We also picked carrots and kale using forks.

After some drinks to get ourselves going, we had wraps for lunch and could choose from tuna, cheese, coleslaw and gammon.

This afternoon, we took a trip to the beach. When we arrived, we looked for shells and crabs, and observed the majestic, blue and calm sea. Our favourite part was exploring the bustling rock pools. After making our way back to the farm, we took a shower, tidied and packed our rooms and changed into our pyjamas. We had chicken curry for dinner followed by ice cream with strawberry sauce. Now we are looking forward to finding out who the farmers of the week are.

It has an amazing week to participate in this special opportunity. We've learnt so much and have made memories we will never forget. We are looking forward to seeing our parents to tell you all about it!

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