

Tenga Rovers Summer Adventure Camp

As part of overall development of children, Ball of fire Division has organized a summer adventure camp 'Tenga Rovers' for children of Tenga garrison. The event was a balanced mixture of physical activities, arts, crafts and familiarization with local culture. The camp targeted children of age group 10-16 years studying in various schools of Tenga Garrison. Aim of camp was to inculcate spirit and inquisitiveness in the young mind as well as developing self confidence. Team spirit and love for nature besides knowing ethos of Army.

The three days camp started on 12 *Jun* 2010 with great energy and enthusiasm at Ball of Fire Battle School campus. The activities like rock climbing, rappelling, horse riding, shooting & tracking made the camp more happening & adventurous.

Camp maintained the same temperament on the second & third day also & it was amply clear from the participation of all the kids may it be in various cultural, art & craft competition or river side picnic, learning lessons of golf & yoga techniques learning. The interaction and cultural exchange between the students of Kendriya Vidhyalaya, Tenga Valley and Army School, Tenga Valley with students of Vivekanda Kendriya Vidhyalaya, Shergaon on last day was very encouraging. The students from both school got opportunity to mingle with each other, understand each other's culture and cement their pledge towards national integrity.

Camp culminated with a grand finale where camp fire for children were in full swing. Their feelings & energy was reflected through their last performance on stage as well interaction with General Officer Commanding, Ball of Fire Div and other senior officers.

Participation of children during the camp was marked with zeal and enthusiasm. Children through this camp got an opportunity to get closer to nature as well as the local culture. This camp gave them an exposure to outdoor activities & sports thus driving their attention to the importance of a healthy body & a healthy mind.