

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

June 13th - June 17th

Week 3 of Session 7 was a blast! The Eagles explored the things we eat and how we make them in Food Quest while others made tons of progress in Personal Finance Quest. Everyone also worked hard during core skills, a few learners are getting super close to earning more badges! The Eagles also decided to put some work time on the schedule for their original puppet show, which you can watch in its entirety at our End of Year party in just a few days!



Our Friday beach day was a super fun time too, as it always is. The Eagles started the day by outlining a soccer field in the low tide and playing their hearts out for hours. And after all that hard work, it was due time to cool off in the water with and without boogie boards. The waves were spectacular and we even spotted dolphins for a third week in a row! Once the sun was out, the relaxing, digging, and sand creation began. We can't wait for even more fun in the sun next week!

FOOD QUEST

This week's quest was delicious every single day as the Eagles explored new foods, new cooking techniques, and fun challenges. We kicked off the quest by watching the season premier of season eight of Master Chef Junior as inspiration and guidance for the challenge of the day: a Chopped-style cookoff! The Eagles were split into four teams that each had to cook a meal that featured their unique set of seven challenge ingredients, plus our pantry. After an hour of cooking and preparing, the meals were done! The judges were thoroughly impressed with the learner's work, and though it was close, a winner was crowned and awarded a hefty prize! Can you guess the winner from the pictures to the right?



Day two of Food Quest was spent in teams practicing cooking food without the need for an oven. Each team cooked one or two noobake recipes that the learners can cook at home as a chance to explore some new and interesting snacks. Favorites include Chex cookies, microwave cornbread, and a s'mores cheese ball with graham crackers for dipping.

For our last day of Food Quest we, learned about different cuisines from around the world and tried a bunch of iconic dishes! Some countries represented include India, Brazil, Finland, Japan, and more!