





The camaraderie was there from the start. It didn't matter what differences the children had, they saw through them, they made friends and they were allowed to make mistakes without fear of being judged. That's why I love the LimbBo community so much, it makes my little man feel safe just to be himself.



The third Camp LimbBo took place at Hesley Wood Scout Camp from Friday 30th May to Sunday 1st June 2025. There were 118 attendees, of which 61 were adults (parents and volunteers) 57 Children (30 limb different children along with siblings and children of volunteers).

23 children had an upper limb difference, 7 children had a lower limb difference.

No charge was made for people to attend and the cost of all activities, food and resources were covered by LimbBo with the generous support of our sponsors.

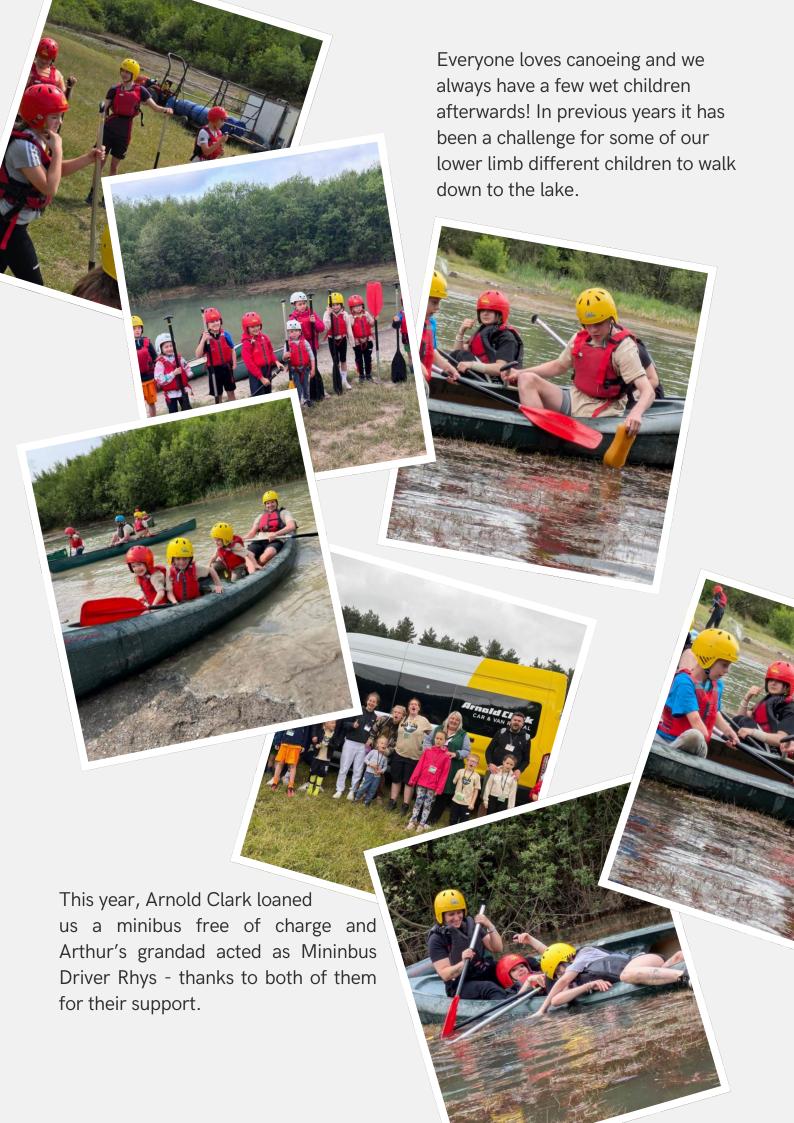
Of the 32 familes that attended, it was the first LimbBo camp for 21 of them.



Our first time at any event like this with our 12 year old son. it has been fantastic! The confidence he has come away with is incredible.

Thank you so much for a brilliant weekend and for helping my son feel like he isn't the only one!







Cresta run



The Cresta run is a favourite with all ages - lots of screams and hilarious faces as they go down the track and children are in charge of braking. They then have the responsibility to return the cart to the top of the hill. Our older children often help out here.













Balance, trust and following instructions are all skills that this activity develops. It was interesting to see that many of the children wanted to take their group's flag with them!

This has been our first time at Camp LimbBo but not our first LimbBo event. As always, it has been rewarding, inspiring and compassionate. Children and adults alike have all learnt and grown. Thank you for creating this fantastic community for our very special children.









Zip Line - we loved seeing the excitment and even more screams. We were so proud of the children who were really scared but did it anyway! 'It's just like a big swing Callum!'

Thanks to Hesley Wood having instructors who are qualified to use harnesses with disabled children it meant that some of our lower limb different children could participate in activities like this for the first time.





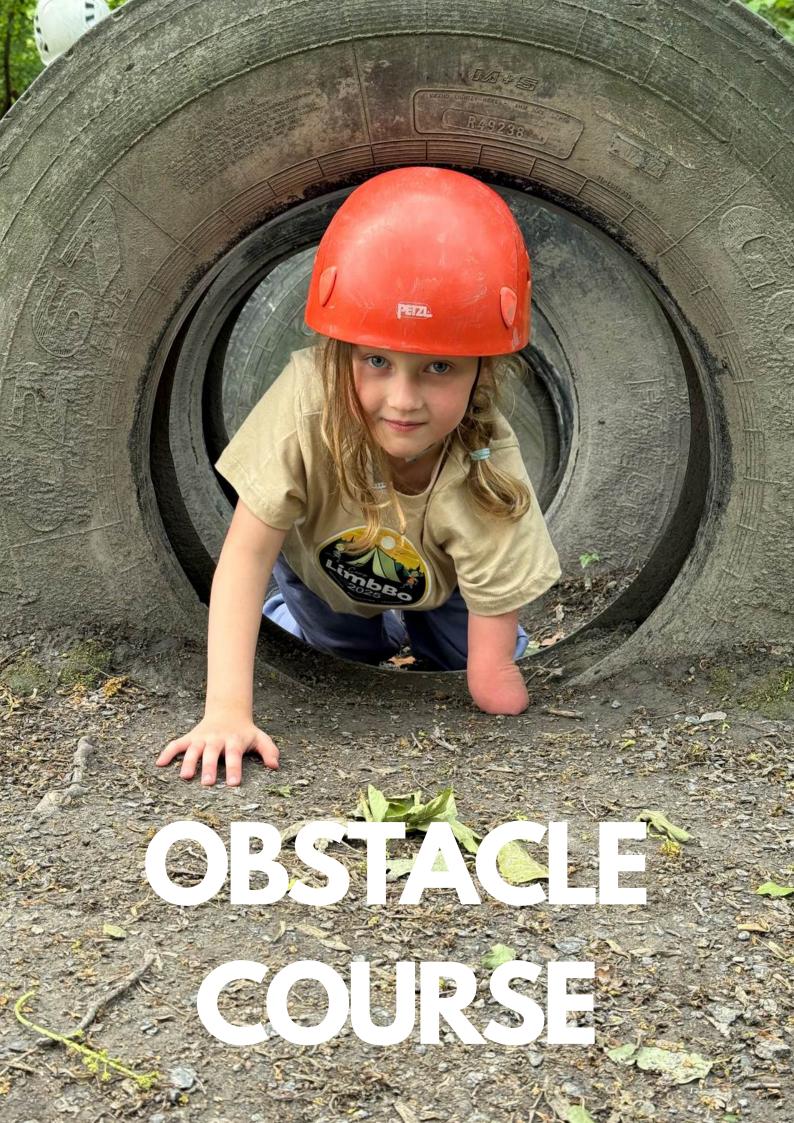
We could not believe the confidence shown at the climbing wall, the cheers of encouargement and the concentration in holding ropes steady to support others. Having sunny weather helped this year and there was such a positive attitude at the climbing wall.











Watching 'J' relax as soon as he saw all the other children were like him...















'Why blend in when you were born to stand out'
Amelia



















At our welcome meeting the children were told what groups they were in. These were organised roughly around age. All groups were named after birds in keeping with our nature setting. Their team then worked together to design their flags. These were carried to all activities with pride and screams of 'Go Robins' or imitation bird calls rang out all weekend





The groups all had their own colour lanyards with the appropriate bird on, each group had a soft toy which made the bird call for their team and they took turns in looking after their mascot.













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