



Camp Roger Dillon 2024



Host Family Experience

Cultural Immersion

- Stayed with a host family, sharing experiences with a Finnish camper. Visited Clermont-Ferrand and Vichy, enjoying hippodrome rides.

International Connections

- Spent a day with another family hosting a Mexican camper. Attended a lively dance festival in Gana.





First Impressions

Arrival

Camp Roger Dillon began on July 21st in Digoin.

Welcome

Sylvain, the camp director, introduced camp rules and outlined upcoming days.

Anticipation

Everyone was ready to begin this new chapter of adventure.

Cultural and Social Experiences



Château de Cormatin

Visited, offering a glimpse into French history and architecture.



Thiers Knife Making

Explored centuries-old knife-making tradition in Thiers.



Le Pal

Exciting day at Le Pal, a combination of amusement park and zoo.

Adventure and Sports

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Pétanque Competition

Participated in a pétanque competition at Parc des Combes.

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Archery

Challenging initiation into archery.

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Canoeing Adventure

Embarked on a thrilling canoeing trip along the Sioule River.





Puy de Dôme Hike

- Faced a demanding hike in the volcanic park.
- Reaching the summit together was a moment of shared victory.
- Developed resilience and teamwork through challenging experiences.



Lasting Friendships



Nightly Campfires

Bonded over songs and stories around the campfire each night.



Emotional Goodbyes

Shared heartfelt farewells and exchanged contacts.



Global Connections

Formed friendships that will last beyond the camp's end.



Conclusion

1 Personal Growth

The camp was a journey of self-discovery and cultural exchange.

3 Gratitude

Thanks to Lions Clubs for organizing this incredible experience.

2 Unforgettable Experiences

We explored beautiful locations and participated in exciting activities.

4 Staying Connected

Friendships were formed that will remain long after camp is over.