



Spotty Dotty Rangers 2019 Report

This year the Rangers have been consolidating their size as a relatively small group that is looking forward to welcoming to older Guides up to join them this autumn. We've been exploring the range of Unit Meeting Activities that make up the Ranger Program – popular choices have included the tea tasting evening (who knew we all hate green tea quite that much!) and Gutted, where Mary taught everyone how to gut, prepare and cook fish. The Rangers have been encouraged to lead their own program using these activities, with support from one of the leaders, and they've also joined in with the Guides Gold Award presentations (all the pancakes) and Christmas celebrations.

We've also worked on the Self Care, Cook and Costume interest badge, the later of which we'd hoped to get ourselves a tour around the costume department at Giffords Circus, which has sadly postponed by the outbreak of Coronavirus in the spring. The Ranger upped their number of weekly meetings throughout the lockdown period and we've tried escape rooms, printing, quizzes and putting together play lists as some of our activities.