

# WHOA

## WEEKEND HORSEBACK OUTDOOR ADVENTURE In Memory of John D. Wirth

Photos and quotes from 2015 and 2016 sessions



Note: quotes from participants do not necessarily correspond to the 2015 and 2016 photo images.

2015

"I climb a big mouneten. I saw a big lake and at our camp site it was cool... When I got on hores my hores was name Dusty, We got to clim Chimney Rock. I was high up there. Then we whent to Abiqui Lake to the ghost ranch and we got to see barn swalos. We went to the museum and I want to go agen."



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2016

“My favorite part was hiking up to Chimney Rock. The view was breath taking and I loved it. That is a trip I will remember. So again, thank you for letting me go to Ghost Ranch”.



2016

"My friends and I had a blast the two days, and one night, we spent together. Hiking, riding horses, cooking, stories, the view, it was all so amazing. It was so much fun to put up the tents and get our sleeping bags and mats all organized. The team of girls I worked with had so many laughs figuring everything out."

"I loved cooking dinner that night. I learned how to cook meat and chop veggies. It was so much fun cooking with some of my friends. The onions mad us cry. What we made was chicken fajitas. They were the best. I loved it."

2016

"Thank you so much for making this trip happen for me if not I would not have the experience of nature. Thank you for the stuff you gave us. I use the sleeping bag almost all the time. I even sleep with it on my bed.

My favorite part was the horse back ride. My second favorite was the camp fire because every one got hiper with s'mores."



2016

"Cooking dinner was awesome, I've never cooked over a fire before. When Talissa was chopping onions me and Danielle were crying. It was so fun. I hope we can go again next year. Camping in a tent when you can see the stars are one of the best things ever and I forgot my horse Pancho he was the best horse ever and if I could I would've ridin him all day."



2016

"I hade a lot of fun. This trip ment alote to me. An I went camping for the first time ever. I rode a horse. I learned how too cook outside. An I even hiked all the way to chimminey rock. It was a lot of fun.

I belive that this was a cool idea. And that you should conntuie doing it for next years 6<sup>th</sup> graders whos never gene camping. Thank you."

2016

"Another activity I enjoyed was cooking and help preparing breakfast. I never thought I would cook right on top of a fire. I thought making potatoes would be harder but it's pretty easy.

I hope that in the future I get to go on another camping trip."





2016

"Thank you for letting us go on that wonderful trip. I had so much fun. The funnest part was when we went horseback riding. I liked the horse that I was riding, Kitt. The second horse, Vegas, he was the smallest horse I think. The first time I got off the horse, my knees hurt along with my ankles. The second time wasn't too bad because I knew how to ride the horse."



2016

"I had the best time of my life when we rode horses we went on cliffs scary but awesome and all the delishos snacks and when we cooked breakfast it was yummy we cooked eggs bacon and potatos Yah and we had smores."



2015

"Today me and 6<sup>th</sup> graders cookte brekfest. We made egg, papas and backin. Everone eat happy. In then went horisback riding. When horsisback riding was over we went hiicking to Chimuney..."

I have experest to riding a horis and doing a trot. My hors name is inedo."



2015

"We walked to the stables where the horses [were]. We made a lot of twists and turns. We walked across mud. But some kid got his shoe stuck in the mud. On the other hand I didn't get my shoe muddy. We finally got to the stable. They told us that before you put on the saddle, you brush them. Then you clean their horse shoe. I got Dusty the horse. The people said to point your toes to your nose. If you want the horse to stop pull the rope towards your stomach".