

# **Newnes Powerline tracks**

**February 1st 2014**

**Trip leader: Kurt Bergmann (Patrol)  
with Arielle and Samuel  
Bob Henry (Patrol) with Mary  
Ratish Lala (Prado)  
Garry. P (patrol)**

**We all met up at the Zig Zag Railway to air down the tyres then we headed to the lost city. On the way there we had a few navigation mishaps finding the Lost City. Once we got to the Lost City we had a lovely morning tea at the top of it which had a lovely view.**

Samuel went down a track to confirm it was a dead end at the end of it and so we went back the way we came. Once we headed back the way we came we headed to the power lines track for more adventure.

The tracks were fun, challenging and a bit difficult but we all made it up safely. Kurt tried some impossible stunts but didn't quite make it. Kurt was proud that he got his two front wheels off the ground which was good!

Next we went to the Gardens of stone National Park and drove through the Wolgan Valley lookout for lunch. Then we headed out and Bob and Mary went off on their own to go for a drive to Newness, so Kurt, Ratish and Garry went to the other side of the power lines track to be more adventurous. Kurt decided to use his car as a plane by driving down a 4ft drop and put his mud guard out of alliance everyone made it and Ratish broke his side step as he wanted to so he could get better ones.

Everyone then started to head back when Kurt got into a bit of trouble when he was balancing on two wheels but his diff-lock saved the day and then going up Kurt decided not to go up a ledge because it was too dangerous but then everyone made it up safely.

So after that we went to the Zig Zag railway to pump up our tyres and after a hard day's work we all went to pie in the sky for a nice afternoon tea. Then we all went our own ways and headed home after a long day.

**Trip report by Arielle (10) and helped by Samuel(8)**

