

Welcome to the Wild Frontier!



In the Wild Frontier you'll find settlers meeting the native peoples. Pioneers learned from the native people how to live off the land and respect the balance of Nature. They learned how to look out for one another. They had their values tested by living in a new land and meeting new people. They had to learn new skills and attitudes to survive in a whole new world.



Harvest Festivals were a way for giving thanks to nature for giving you food to eat.

The community gathered and stored food together. Fishing was one way they did this.

People used backwoods skills to survive in the wilderness by finding food and hunting animals.



The Elders in a native tribe were often the chiefs and medicine men. They healed people and led them on Spirit Quests through meditation.

Totem poles told stories about animals where the animals had special meanings. People used these stories and carvings to guide them.

The land was covered in forests without roads. People used canoes on rivers to get around fast.

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The Six gives suggestions of what you could do...

Totem pole - We could make a totem pole and put our names on it! I wonder what my name means?

The Elders – Maybe we could have a party for all the old people?

Medicine Man - Didn't they do special dances? We could create our own instruments and dances.

Harvest Festival – We could grow our own vegetables and harvest them?

Animals – I have a pet that I look after! Can I bring it in and show the pack?

The Sky above – The Stars were used to guide people on their travels. I wonder do we still use the stars today?





Meditation – We could have a Special Scouts Own about Nature.

Canoes - We could all build a model canoe from different things and see which ones float.

Community Spirit – We could collect food for the local animal shelter.

Backwoods skills – Brilliant!
If we go to the forest we can build bivvys and do some backwoods cooking.

Spirit Quest – My Sister has a dream catcher. She will show us how to make one if I ask her nicely.

Fishing - I heard there are very few fish left in our seas and rivers. Why is that? Can we help?

What Sean did in this land...

Activity	Turas	Taisteal	Tagann
Elders Day	Called to the local senior club with my Six	Held senior citizens party	Had a grandparents hike
Totem Poles	Painted a totem pole with my Six	Carved a wax totem and painted it	My Six made a totem pole of our totems
Medicine Man	Learnt how to do an Irish dance 	Made up a campfire medicine man dance 	Made a drum from old tins 
Harvest Festival	Picked strawberries with my Six 	Planted a seed and looked after it 	Grew a small garden 
Pet care	Brought in my pet dog to show others	Visited the local pet shop with my Six	Helped out on a farm with my Six
The Sky Above	Learned how to find north with the stars	Made a star map	Found the Latitude using the North Star
Meditation	Had a nature Scouts Own	Did martial arts mind Training	Tried yoga for a half an hour
Community Spirit	Made thank you cards for local 112 services	Did a collection for Animal shelter	Helped out at the Local Drama club
Canoe	Built a model canoe and tested it to float  	Learnt some new canoeing skills  	Went canoeing in Local river  
Backwoods Skills	Built a bivvy from all natural materials 	Started a fire without matches 	Learned how to cook without using pots 
Spirit Quest	Made a dream catcher with my sister	Made a Medicine Wheel and used it	Made a sacred space tent on a camp
Fishing	Studied the local river's wildlife	Went fishing using a DIY rod	Went out on a boat fishing trip

