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PRESS RELEASE

Air Cadets Go Wild on the Wash!

RAF Holbeach hosted local air cadets for a weekend and the cadets went wild on the marsh. Cadets from Spalding's 1406 Squadron took over the camp for a weekend and carried out a series of navigation and problem solving exercises.

Teams of cadets and staff were seen in the local countryside using map and compass to navigate from point to point on set routes. The cadets were taught to put up tents and cook using basic tools and equipment as well as solve simple problems, codes and exercises designed to develop leadership skills.

Squadron Training Officer Flying Officer Jeff Goodley, said, "We had a great weekend, the majority of the cadets on camp were our younger members and they learnt a lot and we had a lot of fun too. I had 43 cadets 13 staff and another 4 RAF helpers on site. The weather was not kind but everybody had fun.

Spalding Air Cadets are recruiting now; we will be starting a training course within the next two weeks. If you know someone between 13 and 17 who would like to join us on adventures like this and other exciting projects call Flying Officer Goodley on 07050 222600.

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