

OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES CLUB (ODAC) (SH)

CCA days and timings:

Wednesday: 2.30 pm to 6.30 pm (Activities)

Saturday: 8.00 am to 5.00 pm (Courses)

Venue:

School and various outdoor locations

Introduction:

The club was set up with the objective of encouraging the spirit of adventure. We focus on students' learning through activities and expeditions. Students are given the opportunity to challenge themselves and develop valuable life-skills such as awareness of self and the social environment, management of self and relationships and responsible decision-making through expeditions. These include Values in Action community projects locally or in Chiang Mai, the Desaru Cycling Expedition, the Northern Singapore Kayaking Expedition, and in particular, the ODAC June Expedition 2018 where students travelled a total of 180 km by bicycle and 42 km by foot. Besides overseas and local expeditions, students also participate in physical recreation to learn skills such as sport climbing, abseiling, cycling and kayaking. In addition, ODAC members also work with various organisations to serve the community, such as helping to maintain the cleanliness of the Marina Reservoir, as well as working with local communities to build a better understanding of water conservation.

Achievements:

- Able to qualify for NYAA Gold award if the requirements are met.
- Completed ODAC Cycling and Kayaking Expedition – cycle 100km & kayak 40km
- Completed ODAC Endurance Challenge – cycle 180km & trek 42km in 4 days
- Completed 12 days ODAC VIA – character development of the youth by teaching outdoors skills
- Completed 14 days Chiang Mai ODAC VIA – Teaching of various subjects to the local students
- Achieved certification of Stand up paddling Level 1, Kayaking 1 & 2 star, Sport Climbing Level 1 & 2, and, Abseiling Level 1 & 2.

