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BRING YER WELLIES HOGHTON

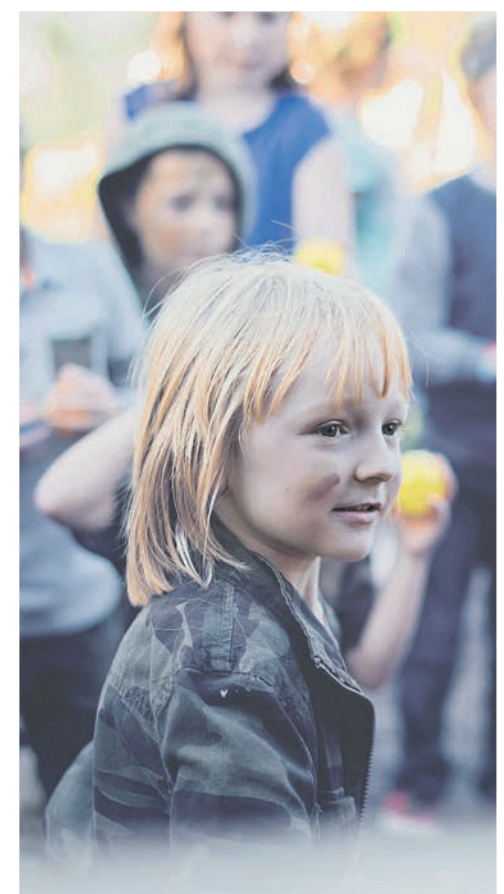


One youngster shows off a head for heights



Youngsters get to grips with the assault course

YOUNGSTERS attended a birthday party with a difference at Bring Yer Wellies in Hoghton. The rural outdoor learning centre at Riccroft Nurseries, in Quaker Brook Lane, is run by Melissa and Nigel Peter. When it was their son Fergus' sixth birthday, the couple decided to host a special Army-themed party for him, and raise money for charity at the same time. Melissa, 48, said: "We had a camouflage/Army theme, but we also raised money for Help for Heroes at the same time, by asking people not to bring a present for Fergus, but to bring a donation instead. It was all about teaching children about others less fortunate and about giving rather than receiving." Around 30 children and 70 adults attended the event, which raised £309 for Help for Heroes.



The party at Bring Yer Wellies proved a hit with all the youngsters who attended. Pictures: GIGIB PHOTOGRAPHY