

RITE NOW @ ROP



On August 18 the California and Nevada Q-Houses enjoyed an excellent day of experiential learning at the Moaning Caverns in Calaveras County, California. Staff, teachers, and students arrived early to enjoy a picnic lunch before walking the grounds and trying their hands at panning for crystals. The tour guide led them on a steep descent through narrow walls of marble, vertical wooden stairs, and a ten-story spiral staircase to the base of the cave's chamber. There the guide taught the history of the caves and the spooky myths surrounding them. Many of the kids asked about specific cave formations, how they developed, and what minerals they were comprised of. They wrapped up their day of adventure and learning with burgers, fries, and shakes before making their way home.