



The students listening to their guide before entering the caves.

Inti students try their hand at caving

THE Nature Club of Inti College Subang Jaya organised a caving trip to Batu Caves recently.

Thirty-two students and staff went to Batu Caves, where they proceeded to enter the caves with an experienced guide.

At the entrance of the caves, they were overpowered by the smell of guano but bravely soldiered on. They were amazed at the sights and sounds in the caves.

They saw bats, cockroaches, drawings on the wall, stalagmites and stalactites.

The whole outing lasted almost seven hours and the group used teamwork to help each other along in the dark caves.

For some, the caving experience was totally new while others in the group had been caving before. Nevertheless, all members found the experience exciting and exhilarating.

The highlight of the trip was when

one of the cavers found a new fossil which had not been identified before.

Elvin Wong, committee member of Nature Club said the trip was organised to promote caves to students.

"Nature is a beautiful thing and these caves have a lot to offer in terms of physics, chemistry and biology. Students enjoy these trips because they are challenging and exciting, he said.