

Hockey trip to Europe an 'amazing' experience

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"It was an amazing experience not so much for the hockey, but it was fun just to visit some of these incredible places. It was just story-book everywhere we went," Austin noted.

"To see some of the buildings in Munich and Prague and that have been there for over a thousand years was just awe-inspiring. My personal favourite were the mountains at Salzburg."

Among the destinations for the Jaguars was Adolf Hitler's first concentration camp at Dachau, where thousands of people were systematically killed during World War II.

"It was absolutely one of the

most jaw-dropping, prolific experiences that anybody will ever witness," added Van de Valk. "Just the walk through the gas chambers and ovens gave you an idea of what an historically grim, disturbing place it had been."

The 2008 tour wasn't the first overseas trip for the Rebel hockey program, as soon-to-be retiring teacher Rick Redshaw has taken teams abroad on a number of occasions. The coaches for both local schools say they would like to make the trips a bi-annual undertaking that requires fund-raising into the tens of thousands of dollars.

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Members of the Christ the King senior boys hockey team pose for a photo in the Alps during their recent three-country European visit which featured games in Austria, Germany and the Czech Republic.

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