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Dear Families,

Welcome back to Ltyentye Apurte Catholic School for Term Three 2019. We are excited about all the great learning experiences we are preparing for your children, but this newsletter will celebrate some wonderful events from the end of last term.

NAIDOC Week Celebrations: We celebrated NAIDOC week with lots of cultural activities prepared by our aboriginal staff. On the first day we had different cultural activities on the school grounds. The next day we went bush to Philipson's Bore Campground, for more learning experiences, as well as a lunch of kangaroo tails, potato and damper.

Learning about tools and weapons from Marcus and Frankie



Painting using aboriginal art techniques



Making banners which we showed to Santa Teresa on our parade through town



The Parade



Waiting for lunch



Learning about Bush Medicine



Preparing the kangaroo tails



The Rangers helped out



PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

Congratulations to these students who were selected to receive Principal Awards for being caring, strong and respectful as well as being at school nearly every day: Olivia Williams, Terome Palmer, Qwainisha Palmer, Ashley Smith, Preston Oliver, Nikayla Smith, Erika and Kamryn Ashby, Shaniqua Smith, Carey Hayes-Conway and Dwayne Huddleston. They received a certificate, book and ball for their award.



Our over 80%ers! This mob came to school nearly every day last semester. They received two books and a certificate for their prizes.



CONFIRMATION

Preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation begins this week for our Year 7 students. Those students at boarding school and others who missed out in previous years please contact either the parish or the school. We will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation with Bishop Charles Gauchi on Sunday 18th August at the 10am Mass.

Welcome back to our fabulous Assistant Teachers.

We are grateful for everything you do in our school. You are a great support in shaping our school programs and helping our students with their learning needs. We love learning about Arrernte language and culture.



**Our fabulous, dedicated and hardworking staff.
Ltyentye Apurte Catholic School is very lucky!**

