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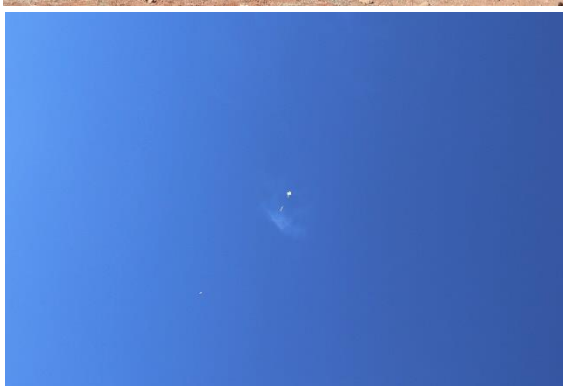
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Dear Families,

CONGRATULATIONS to the newly confirmed! Yesterday, Sunday, Bishop Charles confirmed eight of our students in church. See Page 3 for more about this.

So many good things happened at school last week. On Monday, Territory Families helped us to celebrate **World Children's Day**. On Tuesday, many of our senior students went to the **Career's Expo in Alice Springs**. And on Wednesday, **Dr Graham Rosolen from the CSIRO** came to work with Middle 3. Graham is a scientist from Sydney. He's been working with the school since last year in the area of STEM (Science - Technology - Engineering - Maths). Middle 3 have been learning about robots, coding and programing using LEGO Mindstorms. After assembly, Graham made learning fun for everyone. The whole school watched a **rocket show** outside. Three rockets were launched. The last one went 200 metres into the sky! Students and staff were amazed. What a great way to end the day! Check out these pictures:



BLAST OFF!

This week's Award Winners and Super Spellers !



IMPORTANT REMINDER:

Parents / Families: Please do not buy your children COKE or other soft drinks from the Community Store. They shouldn't even be there in school time. Coke has lots of sugar in it which rots teeth and changes our students' behaviour in a bad way.



NO students here at playtimes.

What's Happening at School?



- We congratulate the eight candidates who were confirmed by Bishop Charles on Sunday. We continue to pray for these students as they grow in strength, trust and faith with the support of their teachers, sponsors and families. Congratulations **Hayesle, Ciara, Freda, Roland, Jaquin, Joanine, Victor and Trevor.**



- The Church celebrates the Queenship of Blessed Virgin Mary on **Thursday 22nd**. This feast links to last week's feast of the Assumption. Mother Mary, taken up into glory, became queen of Heaven and Earth. Mother Mary's prayer '**Here I am Lord. I come to do your will**' (Psalm 39) reminds us of her faith and trust in her God. It's a prayer for us today as we follow Jesus in the way of Mary. *God Bless. Anne Hazel (REC)*



- On **Tuesday 20th August, Middle 1** will be going on their **bush trip to Arrutnenge Gap** at Allambie Station. They will learn about country, the story of the place, Dreaming stories and bush foods.

Have a great week, everyone and God Bless.

Justin Colle

Deputy Principal

Sacrament of Confirmation

Sunday 18th August 2019: Eight of our students undertook the Sacrament of Confirmation. This completes the Sacraments of Initiation (including Baptism and Eucharist). At Confirmation, people felt to have reached 'the age of reason' renew baptismal promises made for them by their sponsors in their infancy. Newly confirmed Catholics join the family of God and 'commit' to a lifelong mission of service to others. Our CONGRATULATIONS to: *Hayesle, Ciara, Freda, Roland, Jaquin, Joanine, Victor and Trevor.*

