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Let's keep it safe on Territory Day!



**Fireworks can be fun but they are dangerous.
Take care when using them by following these safety tips.**

- It is illegal to possess fireworks outside of Territory Day. Only buy what you can use on Territory Day.
- Use a sand bucket to stabilise fireworks and clear a 5 meter radius around the bucket. Have a hose or bucket of water ready for emergencies.
- Avoid wearing synthetic clothing (e.g. nylon, polyester) when around fireworks as stray sparks can cause them to catch fire.
- Dud fireworks can still go off, leave them for 15 minutes and then douse with water.
- Never point, hold or throw lit fireworks and don't hold more than one lit sparkler at a time.
- Supervise children at all times. Never give fireworks to children under 12 years of age.
- Alcohol can affect your judgement and coordination so don't drink before using fireworks.
- If you receive a burn injury cool the area immediately by placing under cool running water or submerging in cool water for at least 20 minutes.

In **emergency** situations dial **000** to contact Fire, Police or Ambulance.

