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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### St. Alexander Catholic Elementary School Student Self-Publishes Debut Novel – First in a Series

Most people wait years to write that book that's bursting to come out. Some people never do.

But Stacey Julie, a Grade 6 student at St. Alexander Catholic Elementary School didn't supress the urge; she's one of a growing number of people who took advantage of the pandemic to tell her story.

On April 25, she self-published her very first children's book *Scarlett Rouge*, the Sorceress of Red, which is currently <u>available for sale on Amazon</u>.

The book is billed as part of the *Rainbow Sorceresses* series, which will chronicle the lives of students attending the Imperium Academy of Sorceresses and Sorcerers.

We would be pleased to connect you with Stacey, her family and her teacher or principal for an interview.

# St. Alexander Students Celebrate Nurses Week by Designing Coffee Cups for Nurses

Hayley and Amara Vlahos know first-hand how hard nursing can be. The students, in Grades 5 and 8 respectively, know how hard it has been for their mother, a floor nurse, and wanted to recognize her contribution, as well as others' during Nurses Week in Ontario.

The duo bought reusable coffee cups and set to work with their cutting tool to decorate the cups with motivational messages of thanks and support for all nurses do, not just during the pandemic, but every year.

The students have wrapped up their decorated mugs and plan to deliver them to nurses this week.

We would be pleased to connect you with Hayley and Amara to share their story.