

## The X Rocket

The X Rocket travels at a speed of 100,000 mph!

It travels at a speed of 1,000,000 miles per second in space!

It has a funnel.

It has two rocket boosters.





## My Story

One day my big brother, Aaron, was flying over Truskmore Mountain in Sligo. I was with him in his X rocket. He got his pilot's licence the week before and he decided to take me for a spin.

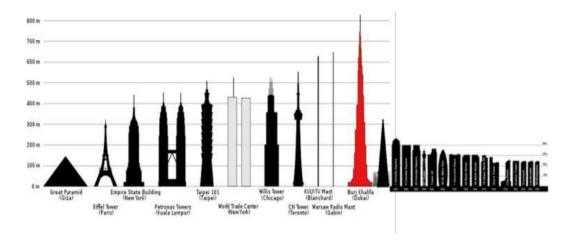


**TRUSKMORE** 

We were going to Dubai city and we were both very excited because we had never been to Dubai before. I was looking forward to seeing a tower called the Burj Khalifa. It is 160 floors high and it is 800m tall. That's almost as tall as the highest mountain in Ireland! Carrantouhill is just over 1000m high.



**BURG KHALIFA** 



Suddenly when we were half way there the X Rocket ran out of kerosene. That is the fuel you put in the rocket.

We weren't able to go higher but we were able to glide. We glided over a war zone! We finally landed in a snowy land and there were mountains, glaciers and frozen lakes. We got out of the X Rocket and looked for fuel. We dug and dug and there was no luck. Then we saw a coyote wolf. We looked at it but we didn't go too close. We found leeches on our legs! I couldn't believe it because I felt nothing but when I looked down, there were loads of them stuck to my skin. I had some salt in my pocket so I was able to get rid of them.

We went 5 kms ahead and we found a hole. It was very dark but we had a light. There was kerosene down there and we were very happy. We had a gallon can and we collected kerosene and brought it back to the rocket.



We went to Dubai city and we went to the Burj Khalifa, the water park and the zoo.



We stayed two weeks there. After that we went home. We had a good time...

## The end...