

ST MUNCHIN'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Our Vision

St Munchin's Catholic School aspires to reflect the life and love of Christ for His people.

Our Mission

In the tradition of Eucharistic sharing, St Munchin's Catholic School community aims to reflect the life and love of Christ for His people.

The school community works together to provide pastoral care for each person and to nurture the development of the whole child.

Term 3 Week 10
Thursday, 20th September 2018

Dates to Remember

Please note amendments to Term Dates will be advised via the newsletter, special notes, class dojo and the school diary.

Week 1

Tuesday 17 July *First Day for Students*

Friday 20 July *Performing Arts Opening Mass*

Week 2

Tuesday 24 July *Parent Meeting First Eucharist*

Thursday 26 July *Inters X-Country*

School Audit

Friday 27 July *Whole School Mass 9.00am*

Week 3

Tuesday 31 July *Yr 6 Performing Arts*

School Board 6.30pm

Week 4

Monday 6 August *BRLA Yr 5*

Junior Choir Performing Arts

Tuesday 7 August *P&F Meeting 6.30pm*

Wednesday 8 August

Senior Choir Performing Arts

Thursday 9 August *First Eucharist Retreat*

Friday 10 August *Yr 5 Assembly*

Week 5

Monday 13 August *BRLA Yr 3*

Tuesday 14 August *Yr 5 Excursion*

Wednesday 15 August

Feast of the Assumption Whole School Mass 9am

Thursday 16 August *NAIDOC Incursion, PP-Yr 6*

Friday 17 August *Snr Choir Performing Arts*

Week 6 Book Week

Tuesday 21 August *School Board 6.30pm*

Friday 24 August *Yr 6 Adventure Day*

Week 7

Wednesday 29 August *P&F Fathers' Day Stall*

Faction Jumps

Friday 31 August *Fathers' Day Breakfast*

Faction Track Carnival

Week 8

Thursday 6 September *Science Fair 9-10.30am*

Friday 7 September *Yr 2 Mass 9.00am*

Performing Arts Assembly 1.45pm

Week 9

Monday 10 September *Performing Arts Concert*

Tuesday 11 September *Learning Journey*

Wednesday 12 September *Yr 2 Excursion*

Friday 14 September *Yr 3 Assembly*

Saturday/Sunday 13/14 September

Enrolment Mass First Penance

Week 10 Tuesday 18 September *School Board*

Friday 21 September *Grandparents' Mass*

Lord,
you have enriched our lives in many ways,
and we remember with thanksgiving all who have loved,
cared for, and supported us this term.
Show us how best to use the time and talents
you have given each of us,
and lead us to grow in appreciation
of the contribution that others make.
May your Spirit empower us to reach out to others
and bring out the best
in those with whom we share our lives.

Amen



*We invite you to join us tomorrow morning
at 9.00am Mass
and afterwards at Morning Tea in the School Hall*

Dear Parents/Guardians and Friends

We have come to the end of the term. Although it has been a very busy term with many co-curricular events taking place we are very pleased with the high level of student engagement and the outcomes achieved by our individual students.

Part of our vision is to assist and guide students to reach their full potential. We do this by profiling each student and being aware of their level of progress made from term to term, year by year and then scaffolding their learning so that we are targeting the learning needs of the students.

St Munchin's School is blessed to have a wonderful, committed staff who have the best interest of the children at heart. This includes **ALL** staff, class teachers, education assistants, administration staff and specialist subject teachers.

As parents and guardians, we can easily forget to acknowledge the work the staff do. As we affirm the work you carry out as parents and guardians, the care given to the students by staff is because we place ourselves in your position when we do our work in educating the students. It is nice to know that the staff are respected and valued, for caring for your precious children.

Grandparents Mass and Morning Tea

This Friday morning at the 9am mass and following the mass, we acknowledge the wonderful work our grandparents contribute in the lives of our children and families. We cordially invite our grandparents to join us in giving thanks at mass and then enjoying morning tea in the school hall.

We thank all families for your ongoing support and we are always willing to work in partnership with you for the benefit of the children and their day-to-day development.

Sacrament of Penance

Congratulations to the students from Year 3 who have enrolled to receive the Sacrament of Penance (First Confession) next term. Let us keep the candidates and their families in our prayers as they prepare to receive their first penance.

Performing Arts Certificates

Congratulations to the students who have been awarded *Certificates of Merit, Excellence and Outstanding* for their performance in the Catholic Schools Performing Arts Festival. We are very proud of your achievements and I am sure you are very pleased with your fantastic efforts. Special thanks to Mrs Gonsalves, Mrs Hogan and Miss Harrison for assisting and guiding the students with their preparation and practices.

Junior Swimming Carnival

This year we will not be holding a Junior Swimming Carnival as the Armadale Aquatic Centre is still under construction and there is no other suitable venue. This much loved event will resume next year.

National Conference

As part of leadership professional development Miss Harrison, Mr. Musitano and I will be attending the National Conference held here in Perth during this week. I will be attending from Tuesday afternoon until Friday 21st September. Miss Harrison and Mr Musitano will be attending Wednesday 19th and Thursday 20th September. Any urgent matters arising are to be referred to Ms Joan Mackin during our absence.

School Closure for Term Three

School closes for students and teachers on Friday 21st September.

**MONDAY 8TH OCTOBER IS A PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY FOR STAFF
AND A PUPIL FREE DAY FOR STUDENTS.
STUDENTS DO NOT ATTEND SCHOOL.
OSHC IS OPEN AND BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL.
SCHOOL RECOMMENCES FOR STUDENTS ON TUESDAY 9TH OCTOBER.**

On behalf of the staff I wish you all a very restful and enjoyable holiday from school routines and once again thank you for your continued support throughout the year.

"Continuous effort...not strength nor intelligence...is the key to unlocking our potential." Winston Churchill.

God Bless

Kind regards

Rob Romeo, Principal

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Awards received at the assemblies held on 22nd June, 17th August and 14th September 2018



- 1M Zane Philander * Jonty Dye * Joseph Amayri * Roman Harris-Anand * Joshua Brooks * Rosemary Saw * Chantelle Xie * Mukudzei Mawere * Krisna Veloz Roldan * Sharon Bhutani * Samantha Weber * Emnet Bekele * Ezra Piggott * Jaxon Hornsby *
- 1W Kenisa Vijayakumar * Adam Amayri * Bionney Bangayan * Feker Bekele *
- 2M Juan Maymayson * Shaylee Liadow * Thomas Nemeć * Chelsea Bruni * Sanvi Setty * Matthew Surtees * Patrick Pitman *
- 2W Joel Macmillan * Olivia Gradisen * Aaron Clark * Abigail Raganas * Matthew Calupig *
- 3M Mia Manser * Cheyenne Lin * Abel Biju *
- 4M James Ingram * Olivia Evans * William Killen * Loiz Gabrillo * Jasmine Summersby * Jaydan Neal * Thuong Nguyen * Aslan Murray * Zac Frasco *
- 4W Seren Adams * Robertson Saw * Bronte McGillivray * Alexandria Newman * Lily Feisst * Jackson Almstrom *
- 6M Tysen Challenor-Amey * Maison Park * Samantha Feisst * Sanjeevan Starsing * Nicholas Navarra * Charli Almstrom * Flynn James *



Year 6 Science Fair

Our Year 6 students have been busy building their own electrical appliance in science. They were to find an old or obsolete appliance, pull it apart, find and recycle parts and then build their own invention.

The only requirements were that the invention must have at least two separate working circuits and a self-constructed switch.

The students have made some outstanding inventions, I have been running this activity for a number of years and I think this is by far our best work.

With Mayor Glenn Dewhurst from Gosnells present at our showcase last Thursday the students were keen to show off all their hard work.

Congratulations to those students awarded prizes

- 1st place Rose and Shone Nixon
- 2nd place Chase Bresland
- 3rd place Nate Redmond





Congratulations to the following students who were awarded
Certificates of Merit, Excellence and Outstanding

Gareth Marimbe & Michal Durech
Instrumental Duet (Acoustic/Classical Guitar)

St Munchin's Senior Choir

Aya Van Ingen
Dashiel Van Ingen
Reshan Abraha
Jaydan Neal
Therese Prakash
Patricia Aparo
Primary Vocal Solo

Aya & Dashiell Van Ingen
Primary Vocal Duet

St Munchin's Year Sixes
Liturgical Drama Group

Daniel Zhuo
Dashiel Van Ingen
Primary Piano Solo

Lucas Morphett
Melieka Eades
Samantha Feisst
Bible Reading



Confirmation and First Eucharist Photos

Albums of beautiful photos of both celebrations are in the office for viewing and purchase.
The last day for orders is Friday, 21 September.



Child and Parent Centre
Gosnells

Food Sensations



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A free hands-on nutrition and cooking experience.

Over 4 weekly sessions you will learn how to cook some tasty and nutritious meals.

Tuesday 9th, 16th, 23rd and 30th October 2018
9.15 to 11.45am

St Munchin's Catholic School

Contact: 9398 8720 or email CPCGosnells@centrecare.com.au

A free creche is available upon request. Bookings are essential.