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 4 Dates for your Diary

Week 1
Friday 14 October  St Munchin’s Day
Whole School Mass – 9.00am

Week 2
Tuesday 18 October
Parent Information Evening (First Penance)
6.30pm Parish Centre
Thursday 20 October
Yr 4 Excursion to the Zoo
Friday 21 October  St Munchin’s Spelling Bee

Week 3
Community Nurses Screening KM & KW students
Monday 24 October
Senior Choir Performance at Lumen Christi College
Wednesday 26 October
Interschool Athletics Carnival (Track)
Friday 28 October
Interschool Athletics Carnival (Field)

Week 4
Friday 4 November
Yr 2 Class Mass – 9.00am
Pre-Primary Assembly – 2.20pm

Week 5
Wednesday 9 November
First Penance - 6.30pm

Week 6
Tuesday 15 November AGM – 7.00pm
Sunday 20 November
Closing of Year of Mercy
Senior Choir Performance – St Vincent de Paul

Week 7
Friday 25 November
Yr 5 Class Mass - 9.00am
Family Fun Night (time to be confirmed)

Week 8
Friday 2 December
Parent Helpers’ Morning Tea

Week 9

Week 10
Friday 9 December
Whole School Mass – 9.00am
Yr 6 Graduation Lunch
LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS

You are above us, O God,
you are within.
You are in all things
yet contained by no thing.
Teach us to seek you in all that has life
that we may see you as the Light of life.
Teach us to search for you in our own depths
that we may find you in every living soul.
Amen

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Friends

Annual General Meeting of the School Board and Parents and Friends
Tuesday, 15th November at 7.00pm

All involved in our school community are invited to attend to listen to the reports presented by the School Board Chairperson, the Principal, the Treasurer and the Parents and Friend's President. These reports outline the achievements of the past year and some priorities for 2017. We will also invite members of our school community to join the School Board and the Parents and Friend’s committee.

Information and nomination forms accompany this newsletter.

Parking around the school grounds
Please be mindful that both car parks (Corfield Street and Isdell Place) are used by the school and parish community. In the interests of all concerned:

😊 Please take care in our car parks.
😊 Thank you to all drivers who reverse into a car bay.
😊 Thank you to all who drive at 5km per hour.
😊 Please be patient and courteous, and
😊 please do not park in the P&F bay, disabled bays and the empty spots near the bollards (even if it’s raining!)

Thank you for your understanding and support!

School Fees
All accounts must be finalised by the end of this term. If you are using a Direct Debit with the Catholic Development Fund, we ask that you amend the authority to finalise payment this year. At the end of this term, your outstanding debt will be recovered by the School’s Debt Collection Agency. If you are experiencing financial difficulty, a confidential meeting can be arranged with the Principal.

Wear a hat or sunglasses to protect yourself.
A Magpie will attack from behind initially. When a Magpie is tricked into believing the target is alert, the attack may stop or may not even get started.

Have a good week! God Bless!

Kind regards

Rob Romeo, Principal

Accessing www.stmunchins.wa.edu.au and the ‘My Internet’ Desktop and ‘My Classes’ pages from home.........
On Friday, 70 students from Year 4 to 6 participated in the St Munchin’s Spelling Bee! Special congratulations to the following students for demonstrating their wonderful spelling skills:

YEAR 4
1st Patrick Costantino
2nd Daniel Zhuo

YEAR 5
1st Nichelle Solomon
2nd Ajini Fernando

YEAR 6
1st Lance D’cruz
2nd Enna Vujanovic

These students will represent St Munchin’s at the Interschool Competition tomorrow. We wish them all the best!

Confirmation and First Holy Communion Photos
Mayfair Photographic Studio has left an album of photos for each Sacrament Day. The album and order forms are in the office, however, orders now need to be posted and payment made directly to Mayfair Photographic Studio.

Group Photos from Academy Photography
Academy Photography has a display of the following group photos in the office. The photos cost $15 each and order forms / envelopes are available at the office for your convenience.

- Year 6 Graduation
- Choir
- Cricket
- Football
- Netball B
- Soccer
- Sport Captains
- Netball A
- Soccer
- Interschool Swimming

All students from Kindy to Year 5 have received a 2016 booklist. Please return completed orders to your child’s class by Friday, 28th October, or you have the option to order online.

Order online by 2nd November 2016
or
return your list to school by 28th October 2016

The following items are available from the office:

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Dates for Your Calendar

Friday 4th November
9.00am
Year 2 Class Mass

First Penance
Wednesday 9th November
6.30pm
Celebration of First Penance
in the church

Parents if you did not attend the Parent Session for First Penance on Tuesday, 18th October, please contact Fr Philip at the Parish Office on 9398 2331 by the end of this week to receive the format and prayers your child needs in order to be ready to receive the Sacrament in November.

Second Hand Uniforms
Opening Hours: Every Wednesday from 2.45 – 3.15pm
If you’ve put an order on hold, please collect or advise if you don’t want the items any more.

SPRINGFEST 2016
at Southern River Community Garden, Anaconda Drive, Gosnells
Saturday 29th October 10.00am - 1.00pm
Sponsored by City of Gosnells and In conjunction with Southern River College’s 40th Anniversary Open Day

ALL WELCOME
to this
FAMILY FRIENDLY FUN DAY
with
Plants and Homemade Cakes
Face Painters and Fairies
Children’s Activities
Music Performance in the Gazebo
Sausage Sizzle

Children are invited to dress up in costume and join in the fun.
Discover our new FAIRY GARDEN and check out the nearby DINOSAURS
Entry and activities are free!
www.facebook.com/southernrivercommunitygarden
Supported by:

St Munchin’s School Office 9234 7555  Out of School Care 9234 7511  Canteen 9234 7510
KM 9234 7516  KW 9234 7515  PPM 9234 7517  PPW 9234 7522