



Miling Primary School

'Together we learn and achieve'

AN INDEPENDENT PUBLIC SCHOOL

04 December 2019

About Us

Message From The Principal

This newsletter is a combination of School & Community news and as a result some content may not reflect Miling Primary School's attitudes or values.



MORAL PURPOSE:

to provide the opportunity for our students to become well informed, actively involved, positive citizens through: developing life long learners and maximizing the potential of every student.



Dear Parents, Carers and Community

Term 4 Week 8

Many thanks to all those community members who attended the Book Fair that was at the school. The range of literature was truly lovely and the students are very lucky to have such a literacy focused parent group in our community.

Acting Regional Director

The region has an acting Regional Director for the remainder of the year as Neil Darby is on leave. Leonie Clelland will be visiting our school on the 10th December between 1 – 2pm.

SciTech Incursion

A fantastic day was had by all students experiencing a Show and Workshop provided by SciTech on Thursday 28th November. The Year K–2 interacted with Biological Science – Party Animals and the Years 3–6 Biological Science Show and Workshop was called Nature's Ninjas.

The Years K–2 students were required to look at the features of different creatures and be scientific detectives to solve a mystery. The Years 3–6 students focused on microbes and are now growing their own!

The staff from SciTech were very complimentary about our students and the manner in which they interacted and engaged with the workshop and activities.

End of the Year

This is a very busy time of the year; reports to be finalised, concerts to

organise, book presentation assembly and final award decisions to be made. Please note that student reports will be sent home on Monday 16th December and the Presentation Assembly has been changed from Wednesday 18th December to **Thursday 19th December commencing at 1.30pm**. We are working hard to continue our full programs and keeping students engaged and focused right to the end of the year.

If you need to contact any of the teachers or staff please write in the communication books, e mail or ring the office and leave a message. There are periods of time when staff are not able to get back to you immediately as they are teaching, supporting or on duty.

Inspiring

This is an inspiring video that expresses a wonderful gift of gratitude from very grateful students. Video Credit: @Inspired / @Newsflare
[hashtag#Inspiration](#)
[hashtag#Motivation](#)

Transition Days

The Year 2 students have completed their transition days into the Senior Classroom. Each of the students have enjoyed the experience and are looking forward to the challenges of Year 3 and working with the Senior students next year.

Regards
Ms Murray,
Principal



Respect

Cooperation

Kindness

Perseverance

Classroom Learning Focus

Senior Room

2015



What a difference a few years makes!



2019

Junior Room

The Christmas Art has begun!

This week we have made an awesome looking Santa out of newspaper. This was a tricky project as there were many different bits and pieces to cut out and glue together.



Ms Murray

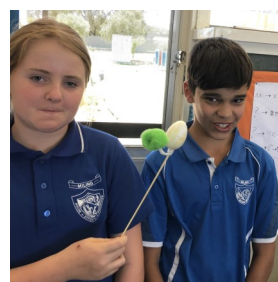


Senior classroom students have developed their own family crest. They were required to research their origins and create their own Family Crest that was relevant to their family today.



Mrs Seymour

In the Senior Room the Year 3/4 students have been looking at night and day, and how their shadow changes with a game of shadow chase. The Year 5/6 students created an orrery of the sun, moon and earth.



Health and Well Being

Imagine
with all
your mind.
Believe
with all
your heart.
Achieve
with all
your might.

A notice from the Department Of Education ...

How to manage a diagnosed case of measles in your school or worksite

If you are advised that measles has been diagnosed in students or employees at your work site, you must contact the Public Health Team at the Department of Health on 9222 4222 to seek immediate advice, as measles infection is a notifiable infectious disease in Western Australia.

Employees diagnosed with measles If the Department of Health advises you to exclude employees from the workplace who are not vaccinated, cannot prove immunity or have low immunity, please contact Labour Relations as soon as possible on 9264 4921 (option 1). A Labour Relations officer will support you to devise leave management options for impacted employees.

Vaccination: You are requested to encourage staff who are unsure of their vaccination status, to obtain a vaccination. This follows recent advice from the Department of Health that Western Australians who reside in, or have visited the Perth metropolitan area, are being asked to be alert to the risk of measles following confirmed measles cases.

Eligible adults can receive a free vaccine from their doctor, Aboriginal Medical Service, travel clinic or community health immunisation clinics. You can forward staff the following link about eligibility for a vaccine if they would like further information: Department of Health measles immunisation service; Information from the Department of Health WA about the vaccine, its protection, benefits and risks, can be located here.

Damien Stewart Executive Director Workforce



Smiling Mind is a 100% not-for-profit that's changing the world by helping every mind to thrive.

We're helping people in schools, workplaces, communities and in the home.

We deliver the benefits of mindfulness and meditation to both children and adults via a [free app](#), face-to-face workshops and resources that can be used by both teachers and employers.

Teachers reported:

- Improvements in sleep quality,
- Improved concentration,
- Enhanced wellbeing
- Enhanced ability to manage and describe emotions
- as well as significant reductions in distress and tension.

Students reported:

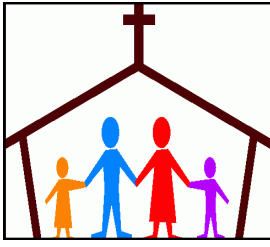
- improvements in their sleep and
- reductions in the experience of bullying and classroom disruptions.

Students more at-risk of emotional difficulties also reported:

- improvements in emotional wellbeing,
- reduced psychological distress,
- enhanced positive wellbeing,
- enhanced ability to manage emotions and
- improvements in concentration.



Miling Community News



MILING COMMUNITY CHURCH

Services Held:-
2nd Sunday @ 9.30am & 4th Sunday @ 8am
Followed By Morning Tea!
ALL WELCOME !



Our CONGRATULATIONS to Riana Georgy who recently celebrated her Australian Citizenship ceremony.
Congrats, Riana, on becoming an official Aussie!



Miling Newsagency

Just a heads up for everyone.

I will be closing at lunchtime on Christmas Eve. Possibly keeping the shop closed on the 27th.

If there are any objections please let me know.

Thankyou Vikki

Lids4Kids



If you have been collecting lids for the Envision 'Lids For Kids' project, there will be a pick up at school during the last week of term. Please deliver your collected lids to school by **Monday 16 December** and we will pass them on.

Thank you.



Miling & Communities Annual Christmas Tree

When: Friday 20 December 2019

Where : Miling Pavilion

Time : 6pm



BYO Picnic & Drinks

With a dessert to share

Santa arriving at 6:30 pm

Lolly bags and ice cream for kids on the night

\$3 per child or \$10 family of 4

Please put children's names down at the Post Office
with payment so they don't miss out.

Christmas Tree Raffle - contributions to the
hampers for the raffle can be donated at the Milino
Travel Stop. Raffle tickets available to purchase
at Miling Travel Stop, Post Office and the pub

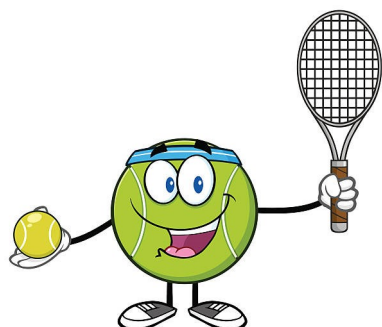
For more information contact

Janette 0429 922 198

Naomi 0429 337 987



Miling Tennis Club



Tennis starting at 3pm, Sundays

Tennis Menu

8.12.2019 BYO Meat and Large Salad to Share

15.12.2019 Hamburgers/Hotdogs

22.12.2019 BYO Meat and Large Salad to Share

SAVE THE DATE - 22 DECEMBER 2019

Miling Tennis Club Christmas Party



Moora Police along with Rotary Moora are supporting the Charity of **Share the Dignity #itsinthebag**

Donate a handbag with ladies personal items then these are to make life better for a women or girl experiencing homelessness, poverty, women at risk, women experiencing domestic violence. First of all, choose a handbag in good condition that you no longer use. Then, fill it with items that would make a woman feel special. Ask yourself what would a homeless woman need? Chances are, she needs the same personal care and sanitary items you do. Your handbag can be packed full of useful things and little luxuries. Especially relevant items are those little things you need every day, from your toothbrush to your hairbrush. Because nobody should go without life's little essentials!

There are drop off points at the Police Station, Moora CRC and post office from Friday November 22nd to Saturday December 7th

MASTER MIND AUSTRALIA'S

JANUARY 2020 JUMP-START PROGRAMS

NAPLAN -- Study Skills -- Essay Writing -- Subject Revision & Preparation
For all students entering Year 7 in 2020

The January Preparation Program aims to prepare students for Term 1 (2020) before the academic year begins. The classes will revise those important components from the 2019 syllabus that are vital for success in the new year. The program will also preview what students can expect in their courses in 2020.

Courses will be conducted at:

Hale School

Christ Church Grammar School

***20%** school discount

Thursday 16th to Tuesday 21st January, 2020

Sunday 19th to Friday 24th January, 2020

per subject *

Dr. Robert Hallam at Master Mind Australia on 9486 1377 www.mastermindaustralia.com.au

Lids4Kids

Leave us the plastic lids from your milk, water, juice and soft drink bottles and they'll be converted into prosthetic hands for kids.

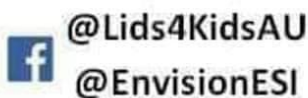
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For more information check out:



<https://envision.org.au/envision-hands/>

LIDS FOR KIDS

Lids4Kids volunteer groups collect plastic milk, juice, water, UHT and soft drink lids and send them to Envision, a non profit organisation in Victoria.

Envision has the aim of integrating disadvantaged job seekers into the working community and supports and assists community not for profit organizations. One of its projects, Envision Hands, processes the plastic lids into 3-D filament and uses that to produce mobility and disability aids, STEM training tools, and aged care gadgets.

The Lids4Kids project focusses specifically on prosthetic limbs for children in need in Australia and globally across under-served countries.

Lids4Kids was created to enable community groups, schools, early learning centres and other interested individuals and organisations to recycle these plastic lids, becoming involved in a sustainability through active citizenship project to collect lids, clean and sort them, and ship them to Envision Hands for processing.

Lids4Kids is a great opportunity to help the environment, help our local and broader community, help this wonderful cause and in-turn help disabled children "get a new 'grip' on life".

SEND YOUR PLASTIC
MILK BOTTLE, UHT, WATER
AND SOFT DRINK LIDS
INTO SCHOOL BY

MONDAY 16 DECEMBER

AND WE WILL PASS THEM ON.
PLEASE ENSURE LIDS ARE
CLEAN AND ANY INNERS
HAVE BEEN REMOVED.

Thank You



Be sure all your lids are compatible: Type 2 or 4 plastics, and the correct size for processing - milk and juice lids, water bottle lids, UHT lids and plastic soft drink bottle lids only. Confirm the type number (2,4) on the inside of the cap.

If the lids do not have a number, provided it is a milk, water or juice lid, Envision has said that they can be included.

NOMINATIONS OPEN

2020 Australia Day Awards

We ask community members to take a few moments to complete a simple nomination form to officially recognise and thank those members of the community who put a lot of time and effort into making our community a great place to live and visit.

**Rotary Breakfast & Awards Ceremony will be held on
Australia Day, 26 January 2020 in APEX Park.
Everyone is welcome to attend.**

Nominations Close

4pm Monday 16 December 2019

Nomination forms can be collected from;
Shire of Moora Office,
Moora CRC or online at www.moora.wa.gov.au

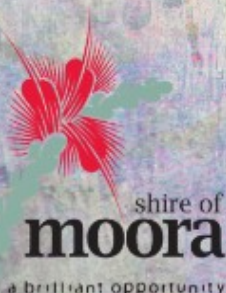
Award Categories:

- Citizen of the Year
- Senior Citizen of the Year
- Young Citizen of the Year (26 years and under)
- Community Event of the Year
- Volunteer of the Year

As requested on the nomination form, please ensure you explain the reasons for your nomination.

Nominations to be submitted by
4pm Monday 16 December 2019

to: Nicole Beard Shire of Moora
PO Box 211 Moora WA 6510
Phone: 9651 0000
Email: cdo@moora.wa.gov.au



CONTACT

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waapa.ecu.edu.au/explore

SUMMER SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

6 – 24 JAN 2020

FOR PRIMARY SCHOOL STUDENTS

DRAMA MINI-WAAPETTES
MUSIC THEATRE MINI-WAAPETTES
SCREEN ACTING WAAPETTES
DRAMA WAAPETTES
MUSIC THEATRE WAAPETTES

FOR SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS

ACTING UP 1
MUSIC THEATRE KICKSTARTER (JUNIOR)
DANCE SQUAD
THE SHAKESPEARE STUDIO
JAZZ MUSIC SUMMER SCHOOL
ACTING UP 2
MUSIC THEATRE KICKSTARTER (SENIOR)

SUMMER FILM SCHOOL 2020

SCREEN PERFORMANCE (JUNIOR)
SCREEN PERFORMANCE (SENIOR)
MOVIE MAKING MAGIC!



TERM PLANNER - TERM 4 - 2019

WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
ONE	Oct 14 SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT DAY	15	16 Mike Hind Cricket	17	18 QUIZ NIGHT
TWO	21	22 Indonesian Excursion Yr 3 / 4 Wongan Hills	23 Newsletter Yr P / 2 Cricket	24	25
THREE	28 Northam Health Workshop Incursion	29 BOARD MEETING	30 Early Close 2.30pm	31	Nov 1 Yr 3 / 6 Cricket
FOUR	4	5	6 Newsletter	7 ASSEMBLY	8
FIVE	11 Remembrance Day	12 Golf Clinic	13 Early Close 2.30pm	14 Student Leader Speeches	15
SIX	18	19 Golf Clinic	20 Newsletter Early Close 2.30pm	21 Transition Day	22
SEVEN	25 Book Fair —————→	26 Book Fair	27	28 Scitech Incursion 8.45—1.00	29
EIGHT	Dec 2	3 Transition Day	4 Newsletter	5	6
NINE	9	10	11	12	13 GRADUATION & CONCERT NIGHT
TEN	16 Reports Home 'Lids For Kids' Drop Off to School	17	18 Newsletter Early Close 2.30pm	19 Presentation Assembly **Please note change of date LAST DAY OF	