

# MILES FRANKLIN NEWS UPDATES

## WEEK 8 TERM 3

### Reminders

Friday 8 September	Assembly – Year 2
Friday 15 September	Brilliant Writers Competition – entries due
Friday 15 September	Disco for Junior's – 6.15 – 7.15 pm Disco for Senior's – 7.30 – 9pm
Saturday 16 September	Preschool Fun Day
SAVE THE DATE	Year 3 Learning Journey – Term 4, Week 2-Wednesday afternoon and Thursday Morning

### Attachments

Brilliant Writers Competition  
School Holiday Program Forms

### Recent Notes Sent Home

Year 5 Transition Day  
The Band Floriade Performance  
School Disco & Rules & Entry Form

### Canteen – School Holiday Program

Tickets: Book your tickets through Flexischools for \$6 per child. Alternatively it is \$8 per child on the night (cash only)

Theme: Movies (no scary characters!!)

Time: 6:15 - 7.15 (P - Year 2) 730pm - 9pm (Year 3-6)

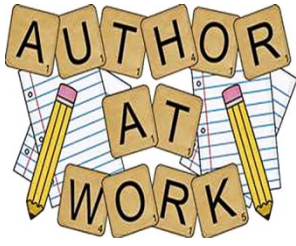
#### **How can you help?**

This event cannot successfully happen without the valuable help of parents! We need volunteers for help organise activities leading up to and on the night. Volunteering your time to help at the door, sell goodies in the canteen and provide general supervision is all greatly appreciated. If you're able to help please email [mfpsdisco@gmail.com](mailto:mfpsdisco@gmail.com).

**Please note that if we don't have enough volunteers we may have to cancel the event.**

### MFPS – School Holiday Program

**MFOSHC** is running an exciting School Holiday Program for the September/October School holidays. You don't need to be an existing before's or after's family to use the holiday program as it's first in first serve for our numbers but the children must be aged Kindergarten to Year 6. Please see the attached enrolment forms and poster of activities for the SHP. Please make sure you complete the excursion form if your booking into a day that MFOSHC is going out for an excursion. Payment for the SHP is required at the time of booking. Any questions; please enquire at MFOSHC or email [mfoshc@outlook.com](mailto:mfoshc@outlook.com)



## **Brilliant Writers Competition**

*The Brilliant Writers Competition is up and running for 2017!*

This year students will start working on their writing pieces during their 'Writers Notebook' sessions in class and then may take their writing pieces home to edit and publish or they may publish in class.

There are ten imaginative writing seeds displayed in the front office foyer, come in and have a look, discuss with your child what seed they have chosen to write about and share in their writing excitement.

Category Information:

- Open to all Kindergarten to Year 6 students
- Each year level will be judged individually
- There is a French section of the competition

Winners will be announced at the Miles Franklin Day on Friday 13 October

**Due Date:** All entries are due back to school by **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September**

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IS THE  
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VOLTAIRE**



Miles Franklin Out of School Hours Care  
 Miles Franklin Primary School  
 Alderman Street, Evatt, ACT, 2617  
 Phone: 02 6258 0977  
 ABN: 79647689070

## Sept/October School Holiday Program 2017

	First Name	Last Name	Age
<b>Child 1</b>			
<b>Child 2</b>			
<b>Child 3</b>			
<b>Child 4</b>			

Parent/Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Important School Holiday Information:

- Children need to bring their own morning tea, afternoon tea and lunch each day, unless stated otherwise in the program.
- Staff are unable to reheat food for the children, this includes providing boiling water.
- Entry to the program will be through the side gate.
- Enrolments will only be accepted when submitted by Parent/Carers.
- Payment must accompany the enrolment forms.
- Children must bring a hat, drink bottle and have sensible shoes each day, along with anything required for excursions.
- Children are not to bring money on excursions unless specified by Service.

#### Checklist:

#### For Holiday enrolments to be accepted, you must:

- Have a completed 2017 MFOSHC Enrolment form.
- Complete all pages of this School Holiday Enrolment Package and return with payment to the Centre by a Parent/Carer only.
- Check all details and sign the corresponding section on the 2017 MFOSHC Enrolment Form.
- Have all Before and After School Care fee payments up to date.

#### OFFICE USE ONLY

Staff Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date received: \_\_\_\_\_

Booking:	Week 1: P/H	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
	Week 2: P/H	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI

Enrolment details checked and current: YES NO

Form of Payment: EFTPOS    Cash    Cheque    Online Transfer    Credit on Account

Available Credit to be used: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount Paid: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Staff Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# Authorizations and Conditions of Care

Sept/October School Holiday Program 2017  
Miles Franklin Out of School Hours Care

	First Name	Last Name
Child 1		
Child 2		
Child 3		
Child 4		

## The following Authorisation must be signed by a parent or legal guardian

- I give permission for the staff of Miles Franklin Out of School Hours Care to give basic first aid treatment in the event of any minor injury of my child/ren.
- I understand that if my child is ill I will arrange for them to be picked up from the program.
- In the event of an accident or serious illness of my child/ren, I give permission for the staff to seek medical attention or arrange ambulance transport to hospital if considered necessary for the welfare and safety of my child/ren.
- I understand that I will be required to pay for any costs associated with transport and or treatment of my child.
- I give permission for my child to participate in local walks within 1 km from the Centre. I understand that these walks will not involve crossing roads.
- I understand that I will be required to sign a separate permission form for excursions outside the local area, and that excursions are a compulsory part of the program.
- I give permission for my child/ren to be photographed while in the care of the MFOSHC Centre. I understand that these photos will only be used for display purposes.
- I understand that fees and excursion costs are payable in advance and that **refunds are not available.**
- I understand that no reheating food is allowed at the Centre. This also includes foods that require boiling water.
- I understand that MFOSHC is a nut and egg free zone.

Name:		Signature:		Date:	
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# Booking Form

## Sept/October 2017 School Holiday Program Miles Franklin Out of School Hours Care

### Conditions of Booking:

- ✓ I understand that once a booking is made, payment is due and refunds are not available.
- ✓ The Late Rate will apply if my payment and money is returned after 6pm Monday of week 10.
- ✓ I understand that changes to my bookings must be made prior to the anticipated session, either in writing or by phoning Molly, the Centre Director on 6258 0977. If a session is full, a place cannot be guaranteed.
- ✓ I understand that all excursions are a compulsory part of the program unless stated otherwise.
- ✓ I understand the hours of operation are 8:00am to 6:00pm Monday to Friday (closed Public Holidays) and I will incur a penalty rate (late collection fee) if my child/ren is/are collected outside these hours and is/are in the Centre's care.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Non Excursion day** – per child per day **\$45.00**  
**Late Rate** - applies after 6pm Monday 18/09/2017: **\$55.00**

**Excursion/Incursion day**, - per child per day **\$65.00**  
**Late Rate** - applies after 6pm Monday 18/09/17: **\$75:00**

### Week 1

Date	Day	Extra Activity Information	Parent Initial	Child 1	Child 2	Child 3	Child 4	Cost per Child (before 28/7)	# of children	Total cost per day
				Please tick box for each child for attendance						
Tue 26/09/17	Kiddie Kartz Sports Day	<b>Incursion: Go Karts</b>						<b>\$65.00</b>		
Wed 27/09/17	Ninja Day	<b>Excursion: Cinema</b>						<b>\$65.00</b>		
Thu 28/09/17	Multicultural Day							\$45.00		
Fri 29/09/17	Dinosaur Day							\$45.00		

### Week 2

Date	Day	Extra Activity Information	Parent Initial	Child 1	Child 2	Child 3	Child 4	Cost per Child (before 28/7)	# of children	Total cost per day
				Please tick box for each child for attendance						
Tue 3/10/17	Crime Mystery Day							\$45.00		
Wed 4/10/17	Science Day							\$45.00		
Thu 5/10/17	Mini Golf Day	<b>Excursion: power kart raceway - glow in the dark mini golf</b>						<b>\$65.00</b>		
Fri 6/10/17	Picnic Day	<b>Incursion: Picnic lunch down at the spider park</b>						<b>\$65.00</b>		

# Permission Form

MFOSHC will be attending an excursion/incursion trip to:

Kiddie Kartz (incursion)

<b><u>Date</u></b>	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> of September 2017	<b><u>Time</u></b>	1:30pm – 3:30pm
<b><u>Location</u></b>	Miles Franklin Primary School		
<b><u>Reason for excursion</u></b>	A child suggested go karting, so we organised them to come to us.		
<b><u>Transportation</u></b>	N/A.		
<b><u>Ratio of child to leader</u></b>	Eight children to one leader.		
<b><u>Activities your child will partake in</u></b>	Children will be riding around on mini go karts on the basketball court.		
<b><u>What your child will need to bring</u></b>	Enclosed shoes, hat, and drink bottle.		
<b><u>Additional Information</u></b>			
<b><u>In case of emergency</u></b>	MFOSHC first aid, accident/injury procedure will apply. Signing this form indicates you agree with your child being privately transported in a car due to unforeseen circumstances. Any ambulance treatment is covered by MFOSHC insurance.		

Please return this permission slip to MFOSHC reception by:

Monday the 18<sup>th</sup> of September (with your enrolment form)

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I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_  
to attend the trip of Kiddie Kartz on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> of September 2017  
from 1:30pm to 3:30pm

In case of an emergency, I give permission for my child to receive medical treatment. Signing this form indicates you agree with your child being privately transported in a car due to unforeseen circumstances. In the unlikely event an ambulance is required, it's covered by MFOSHC insurance. In case of such an emergency, please contact:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Reminder: this is non-refundable once booked

# Permission Form

MFOSHC will be attending an excursion/incursion trip to:

Limelight Cinemas Tuggeranong

<b><u>Date</u></b>	Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> of September 2017	<b><u>Time</u></b>	Leaving: 9:00am Returning: Approx. 12:30pm
<b><u>Location</u></b>	Limelight Cinemas Tuggeranong Hyperdome. Anketell St & Reed Street, Greenway ACT 2900		
<b><u>Reason for excursion</u></b>	Children have expressed interest in this movie. Ninjago ties in with our theme of ninja day.		
<b><u>Transportation</u></b>	Qcity Charter Team. Please note this bus company does not supply seat belts on all of their buses.		
<b><u>Ratio of child to leader</u></b>	Eight children to one leader.		
<b><u>Activities your child will partake in</u></b>	Children will be watching Lego Ninjago.		
<b><u>What your child will need to bring</u></b>	Lunch and water bottle for the day as normal. We will back at the centre in time for them to eat lunch.		
<b><u>Additional Information</u></b>	Children will be supplied a kids sized popcorn and bottle of water for morning tea.		
<b><u>In case of emergency</u></b>	MFOSHC first aid, accident/injury procedure will apply. Signing this form indicates you agree with your child being privately transported in a car due to unforeseen circumstances. Any ambulance treatment is covered by MFOSHC insurance.		

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I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_  
to attend the trip to Limelight Cinemas Tuggeranong on Tuesday 27 September 2017  
from 9:00am To 12.30pm

In case of an emergency, I give permission for my child to receive medical treatment. Signing this form indicates you agree with your child being privately transported in a car due to unforeseen circumstances. In the unlikely event an ambulance is required, it's covered by MFOSHC insurance. In case of such an emergency, please contact:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Reminder: this is non-refundable once booked

## Permission Form

MFOSHC will be attending an excursion/incursion trip to:

Power Kart Raceway – Glow in the Dark Mini Golf

<b><u>Date</u></b>	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> of October 2017	<b><u>Time</u></b>	Leaving: 1:00pm Returning: Approx. 4:30pm
<b><u>Location</u></b>	Power Kart Raceway. 125 Canberra Ave, Griffith, ACT 2603.		
<b><u>Reason for excursion</u></b>	Children have expressed their interest in mini golf in the past.		
<b><u>Transportation</u></b>	Qcity Charter Team. Please note this bus company does not supply seat belts on all of their buses.		
<b><u>Ratio of child to leader</u></b>	Eight children to one leader.		
<b><u>Activities your child will partake in</u></b>	Children will be playing glow in the dark mini golf.		
<b><u>What your child will need to bring</u></b>	Child will need to bring their afternoon tea to mini golf.		
<b><u>Additional Information</u></b>	If you need to pick your child up around 4:30pm please call us on the day or let us know in advance so we can be in contact with you if we are running behind time.		
<b><u>In case of emergency</u></b>	MFOSHC first aid, accident/injury procedure will apply. Signing this form indicates you agree with your child being privately transported in a car due to unforeseen circumstances. Any ambulance treatment is covered by MFOSHC insurance.		

Please return this permission slip to MFOSHC reception by:

Monday the 18<sup>th</sup> of September (with your enrolment form)

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I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_  
to attend the trip to Power Kart Raceway on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> of October 2017  
from 1:00pm to 4:30pm

In case of an emergency, I give permission for my child to receive medical treatment. Signing this form indicates you agree with your child being privately transported in a car due to unforeseen circumstances. In the unlikely event an ambulance is required, it's covered by MFOSHC insurance. In case of such an emergency, please contact:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Reminder: this is non-refundable once booked

## Permission Form

MFOSHC will be attending an excursion/incursion trip to:

Spider Park Levine Street Evatt



<b><u>Date</u></b>	Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> of October 2017	<b><u>Time</u></b>	Leaving: 12:30pm Returning: 2:30pm
<b><u>Location</u></b>	Spider Park, behind Miles Franklin Primary School, Evatt 2617		
<b><u>Reason for excursion</u></b>	We are going on a picnic to the Spider Park.		
<b><u>Transportation</u></b>	Walking.		
<b><u>Ratio of child to leader</u></b>	Eight children to one leader.		
<b><u>Activities your child will partake in</u></b>	Eating a picnic lunch, playing on the playground, playing games.		
<b><u>What your child will need to bring</u></b>	Hat, jumper, enclosed shoes.		
<b><u>Additional Information</u></b>	We will be supplying lunch, children need to bring morning and afternoon tea.		
<b><u>In case of emergency</u></b>	MFOSHC first aid, accident/injury procedure will apply. Signing this form indicates you agree with your child being privately transported in a car due to unforeseen circumstances. Any ambulance treatment is covered by MFOSHC insurance.		

Please return this permission slip to MFOSHC reception by:

Monday the 18<sup>th</sup> of September (with your enrolment form)

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I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_  
to attend the trip to The Spider Park Levine Street Evatt on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> of October 2017  
from 12:30pm to 2:30pm

In case of an emergency, I give permission for my child to receive medical treatment. Signing this form indicates you agree with your child being privately transported in a car due to unforeseen circumstances. In the unlikely event an ambulance is required, it's covered by MFOSHC insurance. In case of such an emergency, please contact:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Reminder: this is non-refundable once booked

# Week 1

## Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> of September Kiddie Kartz Sports Day



Today is all about sports! We will be doing lots of activities and sports throughout the day including; tee-ball, crazy cricket, football and basketball. We will also have our own go karting here at Miles Franklin! So dress in your favourite team's colours and be prepared for a fun filled day.



## Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> of September Ninja Day



Today we are going on an excursion to the cinema to see the new Ninjago movie. We will then be our own ninjas by creating an obstacle course in the hall and competing to finish.



## Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> of September Multicultural Day

Our students are all from a range of diverse cultures, so dress up in an outfit from where you're from and get creative. Children will be doing activities from different places all across the world.



## Friday 29<sup>th</sup> of September Dinosaur Day



On dinosaur day we will be having our own paleontology excavation in the sand pit. Children will learn about the history of Dinosaurs and do crafts based on the prehistoric creatures.



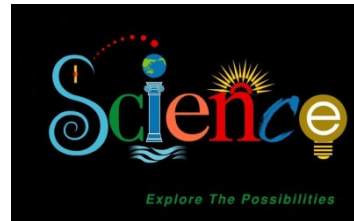
**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> of October**  
**Crime Mystery Day**



On crime mystery day, the children will be acting as detectives, solving the mystery at MFOSHC. They will get to print their own finger prints and go on an adventure around the school to solve the crime.



**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> of October**  
**Science Day**



Today we will be doing fun science experiments. Making potions, turning a light on using a potato and much more! The children will bring out their inner scientist for the day and have lots of fun.



**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> of October**  
**Mini golf Day**



We are going on an excursion to glow in the dark jungle golf today! We will then be coming back to school to do more fun activities and games.



**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> of October**  
**Picnic Day**



Today we will be going on a picnic to the Spider Park with MFOSHC supplying yummy sandwiches, fruit and treats, and activities such as face-painting.



**Week 2**

# **Information for Parents**

## **Sept/October 2017 School Holiday Program**

### **Miles Franklin Out of School Hours Care**

#### **26/09/17 – Kiddie Kartz Sports Day**

Today we will be receiving a visit from Kiddie Kartz. The children will get to experience go karting right here at the school. It is also sports day at MFOSHC which means we will be playing lots of fun games, such as; tee-ball, crazy cricket, football and basketball. We will craft activities running throughout the day and for cooking we will be making fruit and vegetable kebabs. Get your child to dress in their favourite sports team's colours.

#### **27/09/17 – Ninja Day**

Today we will be going on a trip to limelight cinemas in Tuggeranong to see the new Lego Ninjago movie. Children will be supplied with a kids popcorn and bottle of water. The bus will be leaving at 9am so ensure children are signed in no later than 8:50am. We will be returning to the centre no later than 12:30am. In the afternoon we will be designing an obstacle course in the hall for children to complete like a ninja, and making ninja masks for craft. Cooking today will be Ninja Turtle cupcakes.

#### **28/09/17 – Multicultural Day**

Today get your child to dress up from their culture/heritage. We will be playing games and designing crafts from different countries all across the world and our cooking today will be New Zealand Cheese Scrolls.

#### **29/09/17 – Dinosaur Day**

Today we will be having our very own MFOSHC paleontology excavation. Earlier in the week, the children would have been making fossils by putting objects in oobleck (goo) and leaving them in the sun to dry. Today we will bury them in the sand pit, children finding them and getting to break it, then using a small brush will get to dust off the sand to discover the fossil. The children will get to do other dinosaur related crafts and will be cooking chicken nuggets today.

#### **3/10/17 – Crime Mystery Day**

Today the children will be participating in a crime investigation around the school. The staff will have hidden clues around Miles Franklin and will guide the children to find and solve the clues to solve the mystery. The children will get to do activities throughout the day including getting a copy of their own finger prints. We will be cooking cocktail sausage puffs which will be served as a reward for the children when they solve the crime.

#### **4/10/17 – Science Day**

Today for science day we will be doing lots of fun science experiments. We will be making our own explosive volcanoes, using a potato to conduct electricity and more. We will be making Anzac biscuits for cooking and will be doing science related crafts.

#### **5/10/17 – Mini Golf Day**

Today we are going on an excursion to power kart raceway to play glow in the dark mini golf. Our booking starts at 2pm and we will return to MFOSHC by approximately 4pm. In the morning we will be cooking honey joys, playing games at the oval, and doing crafts.

#### **6/10/17 – Picnic Day**

Today the children will be going on a picnic to the spider park behind the school. We will be cooking a picnic lunch so you only need to supply morning and afternoon tea. Activities today will include face painting and flower pressing for craft and touch football and soccer for sport. Cooking for treat will be fairy/dinosaur biscuits.