

Miller Park Elementary

Home of the Simbas!

November 2022 Newsletter

Welcome to Miller Park Elementary, Home of the Simbas! Miller Park has a rich history, fantastic community, and amazing student, staff and families. We are so glad you are here! Just remember, once a Simba, always a Simba!

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Omaha, NE 68111
531-299-1820

From the Principal's Desk

Parents and Family Members,

Thank you for your commitment and support. Miller Park has an incredible turnout for Parent-Teacher Conferences! Your active involvement makes all the difference!

Individual Student Picture Day is on Wednesday, November 2nd. All photographs will be taken in the morning. Extra order forms can be found in the office. Online orders are also accepted and information regarding this option can be found bellow.

Please mark your calendars for our upcoming WINTER PROGRAM! This will take place on Thursday, December 8th. More details about the program will be coming soon.

It is that time of year when the weather will start to turn colder. It is important to make sure that your student is dressed appropriately for the weather. The school will have outdoor recess if the "feels like" temperature is above 20 degrees Fahrenheit.

Best,
Mr. Dan Kirchhevel
Principal

Miller Park

FALL PHOTO DAY IS COMING SE ACERCA EL DÍA DE LA FOTO DE OTOÑO

YOUR PHOTO DAY WILL BE:
November 2, 2022

TU DÍA DE FOTOS SERÁ:
2 de noviembre 2022

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First & Last

Estudiante:

Nombre y Apellido

Teacher:

Maestro:

Grade:

Grado:

School:

Escuela:

Parent/Guardian:

Padres/Guardián:

Email:

Correo Electronico:

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Create Your Own Package
Crea tu Paquete: **\$36**

Circle any 4 Options

Selecciona de las 4 opciones

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☐	1 - 8x10
☐	2 - 5x7
☐	4 - 3.5x5
☐	8 - 2x3
☐	16 - Wallets
☐	1 - Digital File

E **\$8**
Bag Tag

G **\$14**
4 - Mini Magnets

J **\$13**
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Deluxe Key Chain

H **\$18**
Phone Grip

K **\$21**
Mouse Pad

Add-on Prints:
Opciones Adicionales

2	1-8x10	\$12
3	2-5x7	\$12
4	4-3.5x5	\$12
5	8-2x3	\$12
6	16-Wallets	\$12

0 Face Retouching **\$5**

Z **\$20**
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Imagen Digital

Personalization Name & Year:

You may only add this to items: A,B,C,D,2,3,4,5,6

Personalización Nombre y Año

Puedes agregar esto a los elementos: A,B,C,D,2,3,4,5,6

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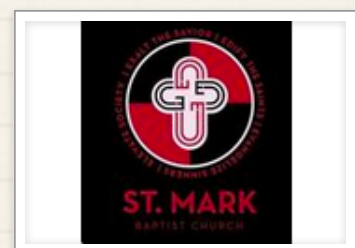
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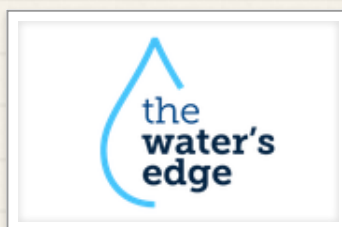
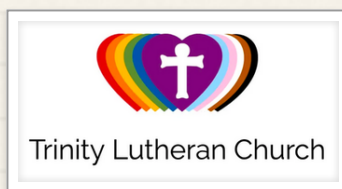
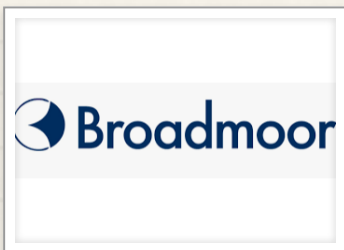


Title 1 Family Literacy Night

Please join us on Thursday, November 17th from 5:00-7:00pm for our Family Literacy Night! Our theme will be "Locked into Reading" and will be similar to an escape room. There will be fun prizes and books given away. The PANCAKE MAN will also be at the school serving up some delicious food! We hope to see everyone there!!!!

Thank you to our donors!





From the Health Office

School Physical and Immunizations for Head Start, Pre-K, Kindergarten or new to Miller Park

The Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services requires each student to have an immunization record and a physical exam upon the start of school. The physical should include a vision and hearing exam. The vision exam may be completed by a health care provider or an optometrist. A complete dental check-up is strongly encouraged at this time also. Your child's physician will give you the documentation required for a school physical. Please turn in completed documentation to the Health Office.

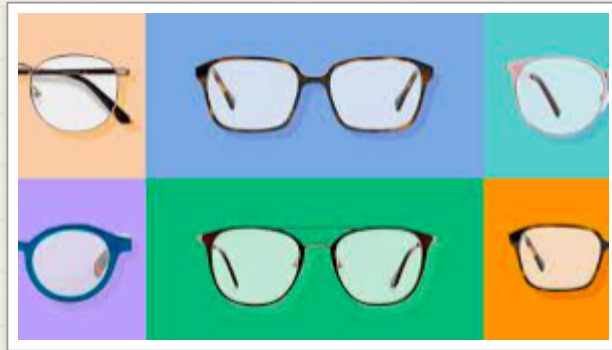
Health Screenings Starting Soon

Following state regulations, the district completes health screenings annually on students in grades pre-K through 4th grade. The health office will begin health screenings soon. If there are any concerns found (vision, hearing, etc) you will be notified either by letter or phone call from the health office.

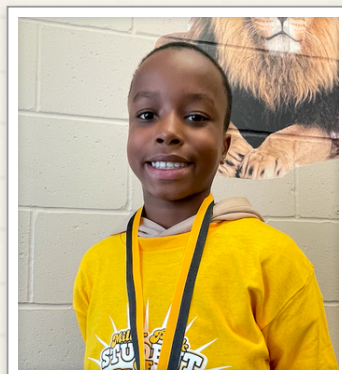
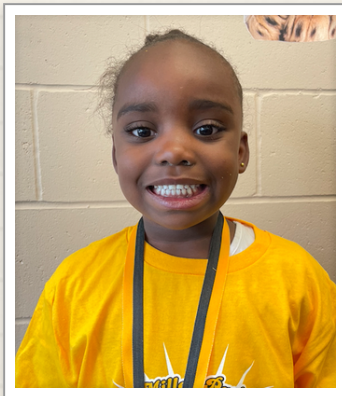
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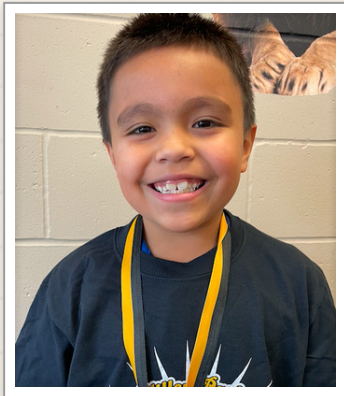
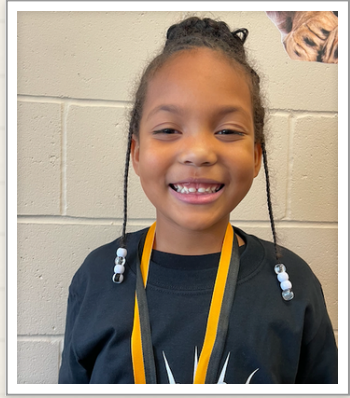
Seeing is extremely important to student growth and learning. If our students are unable to see, they are unable to access the world around them. If your child had glasses, please send

them to school wearing them every day. Also, please complete a yearly eye exam to update prescriptions as needed. Lastly, the Vision Mobile will be coming out. If your child(ren)'s grades are scheduled to see the Vision Mobile, a sign in sheet will go home in their backpack.



October Student of Distinction - Most Responsible



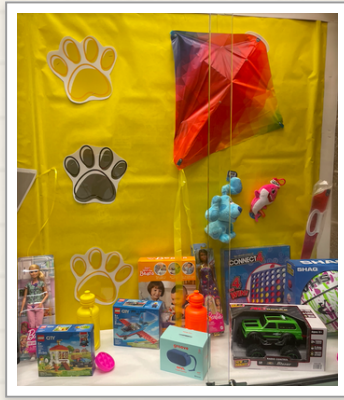




Attendance - Strive for 95!

Here at Miller Park we Strive for 95! This means we want our Simbas in school 95% of the time OR MORE! Students that are on time and in their seats, no later than 8:50 a.m. and that do not get checked out early, will be entered into a weekly drawing. There will be 5 names drawn in the weekly drawing. Check out our prize selection below!





Thanksgiving Recess

No school for staff and students Monday, November 21 to Friday, November 25.



November Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
31 No Students PD Day	1 No Students Teacher Plan Day	2 CYCLE DAY 9 Individual Picture Day	3 CYCLE DAY 10 FRESH FRUITS & VEGGIES – Orange Basketball Practice 4:30-5:30	4 CYCLE DAY 1 Diamond K Readers to 2 nd Grade Birthday Books
7 CYCLE DAY 2	8 CYCLE DAY 3 Diamond K Readers to 2 nd Grade FRESH FRUITS & VEGGIES – Cucumbers Basketball Practice 4:30-5:30	9 CYCLE DAY 4 2 nd /3 rd UNMC Dental Sealants Quarter 1 Attendance Party Basketball AWAY Game – 5 PM MP @ Kennedy	10 CYCLE DAY 5 FRESH FRUITS & VEGGIES – Lemons Basketball Practice 4:30-5:30	11 CYCLE DAY 6 Q2 Progress Reports sent home Diamond K Readers to 2 nd Grade Basketball HOME Game – 5 PM Prairie Wind @ MP
14 CYCLE DAY 7 Basketball HOME Game – 5 PM Walnut Hill @ MP Simba Ambassador's Literacy Theme Week	15 CYCLE DAY 8 Diamond K Readers to 2 nd Grade FRESH FRUITS & VEGGIES – Grapes Basketball AWAY Game – 5 PM MP @ Rose Hill Theme Week →	16 CYCLE DAY 9 Basketball Practice 4:30-5:30 Theme Week →	17 CYCLE DAY 10 Trinity/St. Paul Readers FRESH FRUITS & VEGGIES – Raspberries NO BASKETBALL Title 1 Literacy Night Theme Week →	18 CYCLE DAY 1 No School for Early Childhood Students Diamond K Readers to 2 nd Grade Theme Week →
21	22	23	24	25
No School – Thanksgiving Recess				
28 CYCLE DAY 2	29 CYCLE DAY 3 Diamond K Readers to 2 nd Grade Basketball Practice 4:30-5:30	30 CYCLE DAY 4 November Student of Distinction Announced	Notes: Thursday, December 1 – Basketball HOME Game Dodge @ MP, 5 PM	

OPS is Hiring!

Full-Time and Part-Time Positions

Nutrition Services, Paraprofessionals, Security,
Substitute Teachers, Transportation, Custodians

For more information, go to
district.ops.org and click on Careers!



MILLER PARK IS SEEKING NEW
STAFF!

SCHOOL HOURS ARE 8:35-4:05

Our school hours are from 8:35-4:05. Students will not be able to enter the building until 8:30am. If a child is being checked out of school during the school day, an adult from their approved list must come to the front desk to check them out. After 3:45, students may not be checked out early as classes are wrapping up their day.

You must have an appointment to visit your child(ren)'s classroom. Instructional time is important and valuable, and should have minimal interruptions.

Thank you!

Winter Assistance Programs

Program: Salvation Army Holiday Assistance



INFORMACIÓN DE REGISTRO PARA ASISTENCIA NAVIDEÑA 2022

Este año, todas las inscripciones de asistencia navideña se realizarán en persona.

Los hogares elegirán en qué programa participar cuando se registren. Las fechas y lugares de inscripción se asignan por código postal.





ADOPT-A-FAMILY

Los programas de Adopt-A-Family/Adopt-A-Senior juntan adultos mayores elegibles y familias necesitadas con un patrocinador que compra regalos para todos los participantes, así como una tarjeta de regalo para comprar comida. Se organiza una fecha, hora y lugar para recoger sus regalos entre el patrocinador y el receptor.

TOYLAND

El programa Toyland le ofrece a familias elegibles con necesidad la oportunidad de seleccionar regalos en una de las tres ubicaciones metropolitanas basadas en el código postal (vea la tabla en la página siguiente). Los participantes del programa Toyland serán notificados de la fecha y hora para recoger sus regalos y un cupón de comida.

ELEGIBILIDAD

Los requisitos de elegibilidad incluyen pero no se limitan a:

- Identificación con foto
- Debe cumplir con los requisitos de pobreza de Health & Human Services
- Tarjetas de Medicaid/certificados de nacimiento, o cualquier documento oficial que verifique las fechas de nacimiento de todos en el hogar
- Verificación de dirección (fecha dentro de los últimos 30 días)
- Los niños que participan en este programa no pueden tener más de 15 años de edad





Inscripción en North Corps

Viernes, 4 de noviembre	9 a.m.–12 p.m. y 1 p.m.–4 p.m.
Sábado, 5 de noviembre	9 a.m.–12 p.m. y 1 p.m.–4 p.m.
Lunes, 7 de noviembre	9 a.m.–12 p.m. y 1 p.m.–4 p.m.

Inscripción en Omaha Kroc

Martes, 1 de noviembre	9 a.m.–12 p.m. y 1 p.m.–4 p.m.
Miércoles, 2 de noviembre	12 p.m.–3 p.m. y 4 p.m.–7 p.m.
Jueves, 3 de noviembre	9 a.m.–12 p.m. y 1 p.m.–4 p.m.

Inscripción en Omaha Citadel

Miércoles, 9 de noviembre	9 a.m.–12 p.m. y 1 p.m.–4 p.m.
Jueves, 10 de noviembre	12 p.m.–3 p.m. y 4 p.m.–7 p.m.
Viernes, 11 de noviembre	9 a.m.–12 p.m. y 1 p.m.–4 p.m.

North Corps 2424 Pratt St.

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Citadel Corps 3738 Cuming St.

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Kroc Center 2825 Y St.

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CHRISTMAS ASSISTANCE 2022 SIGN-UP INFORMATION

This year, all Christmas assistance sign-ups will be done in-person.

Households will choose which program to participate in when they register. Registration dates and locations are assigned by ZIP code.



ADOPT-A-FAMILY

The Adopt-A-Family/Adopt-A-Senior program pairs eligible older adults and families in need with a sponsor who purchases gifts for all participants, as well as a grocery store gift card. A pick-up date, time and location is arranged between the sponsor and recipient.

TOYLAND

The Toyland program offers eligible families in need the opportunity to select gifts at one of three metro locations based on ZIP code (see the chart on the next page). Toyland program participants will be notified of the date and time to pick up their gifts and a food voucher.

ELIGIBILITY

Eligibility requirements include but are not limited to:

- Photo identification
- Must meet Health & Human Services poverty guidelines
- Medicaid cards/birth certificates, or any official document verifying birthdates for everyone in the household
- Address verification (dated within the last 30 days)
- Children served by this program can be no older than 15 years of age





North Corps Sign-up

Friday, November 4	9 a.m.–12 p.m. and 1 p.m.–4 p.m.
Saturday, November 5	9 a.m.–12 p.m. and 1 p.m.–4 p.m.
Monday, November 7	9 a.m.–12 p.m. and 1 p.m.–4 p.m.

Omaha Kroc Sign-up

Tuesday, November 1	9 a.m.–12 p.m. and 1 p.m.–4 p.m.
Wednesday, November 2	12 p.m.–3 p.m. and 4 p.m.–7 p.m.
Thursday, November 3	9 a.m.–12 p.m. and 1 p.m.–4 p.m.

Omaha Citadel Sign-up

Wednesday, November 9	9 a.m.–12 p.m. and 1 p.m.–4 p.m.
Thursday, November 10	12 p.m.–3 p.m. and 4 p.m.–7 p.m.
Friday, November 11	9 a.m.–12 p.m. and 1 p.m.–4 p.m.

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Program: Operation Others Holiday Food Basket, Programa de Comidas Navideñas

Agency: Creighton Preparatory School

Food baskets provided in December.

Call Saturday November 5, 2022 9am-1:30pm

Program Phone 531-329-6003

Agencia: Escuela Preparatoria Creighton

Canastas de alimentos proporcionadas en diciembre

Convocatoria sábado 5 de noviembre de 2022 9am-1:30pm

Teléfono del programa 531-329-6003

Program: Thanksgiving Food

Agency: Heartland Hope Mission

2022 Preregistration is REQUIRED. Registration begins the week of September 26th, and continues through October 29th. Preregistration will take place during the normal pantry hours and there will be NO link online. The client must bring a form of ID for each person permanently in the household. Each household will be able to select a holiday meat based off their household size.

NOTE: Anyone that is residing at the same address will qualify as ONE household. If it is found that clients are registering more than once, they will be removed and not able to receive a Thanksgiving pantry.

Once a holiday meat is selected, they will NOT be able to change it when they pick it up.
Clients can register at the end of September and October during normal pantry hours:
Tuesdays, 6:30 pm-7:30 pm, Thursdays, 1:30 pm-4 pm, Saturdays, 9:30 am-12 noon
Site Phone 402-733-1904

Agencia: Heartland Hope Mission

2022 Se REQUIERE preinscripción. La inscripción comienza la semana del 26 de septiembre y continúa hasta el 29 de octubre. La preinscripción se llevará a cabo durante el horario normal de despensa y NO habrá enlace en línea. El cliente debe traer una forma de identificación para cada persona que viva permanentemente en el hogar. Cada hogar podrá seleccionar una carne festiva según el tamaño de su hogar.

NOTA: Cualquiera que resida en la misma dirección calificará como UN hogar. Si se descubre que los clientes se están registrando más de una vez, serán eliminados y no podrán recibir una despensa de Acción de Gracias.

Una vez que se selecciona una carne festiva, NO podrán cambiarla cuando la recojan.

Los clientes pueden registrarse a fines de septiembre y octubre durante el horario normal de despensa: Martes de 18:30 a 19:30 horas, jueves de 13:30 a 16:00 horas, sábados de 9:30 a 12:00 horas

Teléfono del sitio 402-733-1904

Program: Thanksgiving Meal Giveaway

Agency: Faith-Westwood United Methodist Church.

Drive-thru Thanksgiving Meal Bag Giveaway, Saturday, November 19th, 2022 from 9 am until supplies run out.

4814 Oaks Lane, Omaha (402) 895-3394 ext 1006

One Meal Bag per household. Stay in your vehicle and a volunteer will come to your car to check people in and deliver the bag.

Recipient MUST be present, no proxies

First come first serve, so it is recommended to arrive early.

Agencia: Iglesia Metodista Unida Faith-Westwood.

Sorteo de bolsas de comida de Acción de Gracias, sábado 19 de noviembre de 2022 desde las 9 am hasta que se agoten los suministros.

4814 Oaks Lane, Omaha (402) 895-3394 extensión 1006

Una bolsa de comida por hogar. Quédese en su vehículo y un voluntario irá a su automóvil para registrar a las personas y entregar la bolsa.

El destinatario DEBE estar presente, sin apoderados

El orden de llegada es el primero en llegar, por lo que se recomienda llegar temprano.

Program: Turkeyfest

Agency: The Salvation Army Western Division Headquarters

Offers a free meal delivered to older adults, 60 years of age or older (home-bound, lonely, or alone) on Thanksgiving Day. Meal consists of turkey, stuffing, potatoes, gravy, green beans,

roll, banana, and cookies.

2022 reservations accepted November 3-17. Must speak with someone to make a reservation; no voice messages will be accepted.

Applicant must be home to receive the meal, no meals will be left at the door. Volunteers prepare and deliver the meals following local regulations and CDC guidelines. Specific delivery times cannot be scheduled. Cannot feed families.

Program Phone: 402-898-6023

Agencia: Sede de la División Oeste del Ejército de Salvación

Ofrece una comida gratis entregada a adultos mayores de 60 años o más (confinados en casa, solos o solos) el Día de Acción de Gracias. La comida consiste en pavo, relleno, patatas, salsa, judías verdes, rollo, plátano y galletas.

Se aceptan reservas de 2022 del 3 al 17 de noviembre. Debe hablar con alguien para hacer una reserva; no se aceptarán mensajes de voz.

El solicitante debe estar en casa para recibir la comida, no se dejarán comidas en la puerta.

Los voluntarios preparan y entregan las comidas siguiendo las normas locales y las pautas de los CDC. No se pueden programar tiempos de entrega específicos. No se puede alimentar a las familias.

Teléfono del programa: 402-898-6023

Program: Project Santa Toy and Joy Shop

Agency: Open Door Mission

Empowers low income parents to have gifts for their children (ages 0-12) under the tree on Christmas morning from themselves or Santa.

Provides 3-5 toys for each child, books, diapers, coloring books and a Holiday food box. This program serves children ages birth to 12.

2022 Registration:

-Registration will be during shopping hours December Tue-Sat 9 am-1 pm at Timberlake Outreach Center.

-To register, an adult must bring birth certificate, or document verifying their age and social security number, a photo id and a copy of a current piece of mail (if there are changes to the household. Only one adult per household will need to be present. Children can NOT be present at registration. A child can only be registered once for this program.

Program Phone number 402-829-1510

Agencia: Misión de Puertas Abiertas

Permite a los padres de bajos ingresos tener regalos para sus hijos (de 0 a 12 años) debajo del árbol en la mañana de Navidad de ellos mismos o de Santa.

Proporciona de 3 a 5 juguetes para cada niño, libros, pañales, libros para colorear y una caja de comida festiva. Este programa atiende a niños desde el nacimiento hasta los 12 años.

Inscripción 2022:

-La inscripción será durante el horario comercial de diciembre de martes a sábado de 9 am a 1 pm en Timberlake Outreach Center.

-Para registrarse, un adulto debe traer acta de nacimiento, o documento que verifique su edad y número de seguro social, una identificación con foto y una copia de un correo actual (si hay

cambios en el hogar. Solo un adulto por hogar necesitará estar presente. Los niños NO pueden estar presentes en el registro. Un niño solo puede registrarse una vez para este programa. Número de teléfono del programa 402-829-1510

