



MILES WELCOMES YOU...

The Miles community are delighted to welcome you to our beautiful district.

With a unique welcoming style and great community vibe, you'll find that many new residents settle for life and many more are attracted to stay, making Miles and District their home.

Neighbours spend time getting to know one another, people value friendliness and there is a large focus on the community.

The people of Miles are recognised as our districts' greatest asset, where active participation in the community is encouraged and supported, ensuring everyone is proud to be a part of the Miles community.

Miles boasts beautiful recreation areas and destinations, and also has a strong variety of organised sports and numerous community groups and events to cater for your social interests.

For families with younger children, Miles is home to a full range of quality primary and secondary schooling along with a number of locally based sporting groups and clubs to fill in the weekend.

The community's year-round events calendar is full of opportunities to hang out with your mates or family, be it at the local races, campdrafts, rodeo, agricultural shows, or arts and cultural exhibitions.

Residents of Miles enjoy a close knit community, ample recreational areas and an enviable country lifestyle, so whatever your needs or interests, Miles has something to offer.

We look forward to getting to know you!



HEALTH AND FITNESS

Our residents and visitors enjoy a number of quality sports and leisure facilities including swimming pools, cycling, walking trails, playgrounds and recreation areas, providing you with ample opportunities to keep active and social.

Offering an extensive and diverse range of activities and facilities, the Miles district boasts playgrounds, sportsgrounds, sporting clubs and a 24/7 gym. We're all about promoting good health and wellness, with something for everyone as well as the chance for you to try out something new.

We also have fantastic health care facilities available to our community; you'll find the contact details for these listed below.

SPORTS GROUNDS

BOWLS GREENS

Miles Bowls Green - corner Pine and Eleanor Streets, Miles

Condamine Bowls Green - Condamine Sports Club, Leichhardt Highway, Condamine

CRICKET OVALS

Centenary Oval - Centenary Avenue, Miles

Condamine Cricket Oval - Condamine Sports Club, Leichhardt Highway, Condamine

FOOTBALL OVALS

Centenary Oval - Centenary Avenue, Miles

Condamine Cods Rugby Oval - Wambo Street, Condamine

GOLF COURSES

Miles Golf Course - Leichhardt Highway, Miles

Condamine Golf Course - Condamine Sports Club, Leichhardt Highway, Condamine

GYM

Murilla Fitness Centre - corner Murilla and Condamine Streets, Miles

RIFLE RANGE

Condamine Clay Target - Condamine Sports Club, Leichhardt Highway, Condamine

SPORTS CLUBS

Condamine Sports Club - Leichhardt Highway, Condamine

Dulacca Sports Club - Dulacca Golf Club Road, Dulacca

TENNIS COURTS

Miles Tennis Courts - Centenary Avenue, Miles

SKATE PARK

Miles - Morgan Place, Warrego Highway, Miles



SPORTING TEAMS

Get involved with a local sporting team today!

Miles Bowls Club

Contact: Bob Wise
Ph: 4627 1101

Miles and District Amateur Race Club

Contact: Lance Krause
Ph: 0427 271 308

Miles and District Amateur Swimming Club Inc.

Contact: Secretary
Email: milesswimclub@hotmail.com

Miles and District Cricket Club Inc.

Contact: Neil Bidgood
Mob: 0419 720 137
Email: uptonbidgood@bigpond.com

Miles and District Football Club Inc.

Contact: Wendy Carroll
Ph: 4627 2017
Mob: 0407 159 115
Email: wendyandgarry@bigpond.com

Miles and District Netball Association

Contact: Elizabeth Upton
Ph: 0408 711 823
Email: uptonbidgood@bidpond.com

Miles Golf Club

Contact: Anthony Colley
Ph: 0488 072 002

Miles Horse and Pony Club

Contact: Mark and Jess Schrag
Ph: 0402 754 988
Email: mrje.schrag@bigpond.com

Miles Memorial Trail Ride Inc.

Contact: Roni Gray
Ph: 0427 110 604
Email: milesmtr@gmail.com

Miles Tennis Club Inc.

Contact: Diane Gray
Ph: 4628 5313
Mob: 0427 271 543
Email: milestennisclub@hotmail.com

Miles Touch Football Club

Contact: Christopher Irwin
Ph: 0413 384 291
Email: admin@milesoutbackmotel.com.au

Saints Weightlifting Club

Contact: Sonia Stenhouse
Ph: 0428 746 414
Email: murillafitness@gmail.com

Shaping Lives Dance Studio

Contact: Chantahl Stedman
Ph: 0467 467 645
Email: chantahl@shapinglives.com.au

Condamine Gun Club

Contact: Secretary
Email: condaminegunclub@gmail.com

Condamine Cods Rugby Club

Contact: Doug McNicholl
Email: codsrugbyclub@gmail.com

MILES SWIMMING POOL

Ph: 4627 1503

The Miles Swimming Pool is open for the summer season.

Monday to Wednesday 6am – 8am, 10am – 6pm

Thursday 6am – 8am, 10am – 5pm

Friday 6am – 8am, 10am – 6pm

Saturday and Sunday 8am – 1pm, 2pm – 6pm

Public holidays 2pm – 6pm

Find out more details on the Miles Aquatic Centre's Facebook page.

Our nearby town of Chinchilla has a heated indoor pool available during winter.



PARKS AND OPEN SPACES

	Toilets	Barbecues	Picnic Facilities	Playgrounds	Water Sports	Boat Ramps	Fishing	Wheelchair Access	Park Seating	Open Space	Caravans	Environmental	Skate Bowl	1/2 Basketball Court
Miles														
Morgan Place	●	●	●	●					●	●		●	●	●
Anzac Park	●	●	●	●				●	●	●				
Moraby Park	●		●		●		●	●	●	●	●	●		
Gil Weir	●		●			●	●		●	●	●	●		
Tiereyboo Park			●							●		●		
Chinamans Lagoon			●					●	●	●	●	●		
Mary McKillop Park			●					●		●		●		
Maguire Park			●						●	●	●	●		
Apex Park			●	●				●	●	●		●		●
Dulacca														
Roy Henderson Park	●	●	●	●				●	●	●	●	●		
Drillham														
Drillham Park	●		●					●	●	●	●	●		
Condamine														
Caliguel Lagoon	●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●		
Progress Park	●		●	●			●	●	●	●		●		
Bell Park			●					●	●	●	●	●		

HEALTH SERVICES

Murilla Community Centre – 4627 2027

Miles Hospital – 4628 5600

Miles Medical Practice – 4627 1388

Acton Health Pharmacy Miles – 4627 1552

Miles Men's Shed – 4627 2027

*Private physiotherapist and masseuse available in town.



EDUCATION

Miles is a youthful town with a large proportion of the population aged between 0 - 17, making it important that our town has many facilities and services available to cater for our younger generations.

Below we've included information on Miles and Districts' child care services, town library, our fantastic local schools and other resources that are available to the community to ensure everyone is provided with equal access to education and assistance.

SCHOOLS

Miles State School

Constance St
MILES QLD 4415

Ph: (07) 4628 0333

Em: principal@milesss.eq.edu.au
or admin@milesss.eq.edu.au

Web: www.milesss.eq.edu.au

Miles State High School

Pine St, MILES QLD 4415

Ph: (07) 4628 5111

Em: principal@milessh.eq.edu.au
or admin@milessh.eq.edu.au

Web: www.milessh.eq.edu.au

Drillham State School

13 Jardine St
DRILLHAM QLD 4424

Ph: (07) 4627 6289

Em: principal@drillhamss.eq.edu.au
or admin@drillhamss.eq.edu.au

Web: www.drillhamss.eq.edu.au

Condamine State School

Kennedy St
CONDAMINE QLD 4416

Ph: (07) 4627 7147

Em: the.principal@condaminss.eq.edu.au
or admin@condaminss.eq.edu.au

Web: www.condaminss.eq.edu.au

Dulacca State School

North Rd, DULACCA QLD 4425

Ph: (07) 4627 6155

E: the.principal@dulaccass.eq.edu.au
or admin@dulaccass.eq.edu.au

Web: www.dulaccass.eq.edu.au

CHILDCARE

Murilla Kindergarten Association

Contact: Sarah Richards

Ph: 0423 017 032

Em: richowe04@gmail.com

Murilla Long Day Care & Kindy

Contact: Terese Denning

Ph: (07) 4627 2108

Em: longdaycare@bigpond.com

LIBRARY AND COMMUNITY CENTRE

Dogwood Crossing, Miles

Ph: (07) 4628 5330

Em: miles.library@wdrc.qld.gov.au

Open: Monday - Friday 9am to 5pm
Saturday 10am to 2pm

Murilla Community Centre

Ph: (07) 4627 2027

Em: mccm@bigpond.com

Open: Monday - Friday 9am to 4pm



EVENTS AND THINGS TO SEE AND DO

There is always something happening in Miles for people of all ages and with varying interests.

Our town's celebrations at the Miles Beef Bells and Bottle Tree Festival are like no other, attracting many people to the town for a full day of entertainment and the best our District has to offer. The Miles Christmas Street Carnival is another big hit for the region, bringing our community together to celebrate the festive season including an afternoon of festival fun that takes over ANZAC Park and the surrounding street area.

We also have regular markets, Arts Council Productions, and gallery exhibitions throughout the year, and if you're into sports you can cheer on our local Rugby League and Union sides at home games throughout the season.

LOCAL EVENTS

JANUARY

- Australia Day Celebrations

FEBRUARY

- Miles Races

APRIL

- ANZAC Day Ceremony
- Dulacca 6-a-side cricket day

MAY

- Miles Show
- Biggest Morning Tea for Cancer

AUGUST

- Seniors Week Morning Tea

SEPTEMBER

- Miles Beef Bells and Bottletree Festival (biennially)
- Condamine Bell Rodeo

- Miles Historical Village Anniversary Day

NOVEMBER

- Dulacca Annual Market Day

DECEMBER

- Miles Christmas Street Carnival
- Miles Historical Village Carols by Candlelight
- Miles New Year's Eve Party

Want to find more information on events?

Make sure you check out Western Downs Regional Council's 'Western Downs' Invites You Facebook page, or visit www.wdrc.qld.gov.au/visiting-western-downs/events/ for a full list of events happening across the region.

Also, make sure you like the following Facebook pages so you're continually up-to-date. @wdrc.info @wdrc.events



SHOPPING, EATING OUT & NIGHT LIFE

With a varied and wide range of retail outlets across Miles and District, your day-to-day household needs are conveniently covered. If you feel like eating out, there is an assortment of bakeries, cafes, local pubs, and fine dining options, or you can grab some takeaway and unwind at home. Alternatively you can get together with your mates, hang out with the locals and soak up the night life on offer at any of our pubs on a Friday and Saturday night.

HOTELS & RESTAURANTS

Queensland Hotel
29 Murilla St, MILES
Ph: 4627 1152

Windsor Hotel
39 Murilla St, MILES
Ph: 4627 1159
www.mileswindsor.com.au

Hotel Australia Miles
55 Murilla St, MILES
Ph: 4627 1106
www.hotelaustraliamiles.com

Swagsman Motor Inn
1-9 Marian St, MILES
Ph: 4627 2663
www.swagsmanmotelmiles.com.au

Condamine Bell Hotel
1 Wambo St, CONDAMINE
Ph: 4627 7219

Dulacca Hotel
Cnr of Bell St & Glynn Av, DULACCA
Ph: 4627 6101

CAFÉ AND BAKERY

Creek Café Miles
41 Murilla St, MILES
Ph: 4627 2797
Find us on Facebook

Maces Hot Bread & Coffee Shop
3 Pine St, MILES
Ph: 4627 1592
Find us on Facebook

GFC Café - Miles IGA
112 Murilla St, MILES
Ph: 4627 1521

*Takeaway food available from our local service stations Puma, United & Caltex.



SHOPPING

GENERAL SERVICES

Miles Newsagency

71 Murilla St MILES

Ph: 4627 1131

www.milesnews.net.au

Miles Post Office

29A Marian St, MILES

Ph: 4627 1147

HOME, HARDWARE & HOMEWARE

Murilla Mitre 10

19 Murilla St, MILES

Ph: 4627 1525

Find us on Facebook

Range View Nursery

18 Murilla St, MILES

Ph: 4627 1797

Newtons

47 Murilla St, MILES

Ph: 4627 2900

Abrahams Drapery

43 Murilla St, MILES

Ph: 4627 1516

HAIR AND BEAUTY

La Rose Hairstylists

3 Pine St, MILES

Ph: 4627 1344

Find us on Facebook

Just You Beauty

3 Pine St, MILES

Ph: 0439 878 316

Find us on Facebook

GROCERIES

Murilla Foodworks

37 Murilla St, MILES

Ph: 4627 1178

Miles IGA

112 Murilla St, MILES

Ph: 4627 1521

Miles Wholesale Meats & Smallgoods

24 Murilla St, MILES

Ph: 4627 2193

Find us on Facebook

Various clothing shops available in town



OTHER COMMUNITY SERVICES

CHURCHES

Christian Outreach Centre

75 Murilla St, MILES 4415

Ph: 4627 1609

Crossroads Christian Outreach Centre

64 Murilla St, MILES 4415

Ph: 4627 1333

Em: cocmiles@gmail.com

Holy Cross Parish Miles

27 Edith St, MILES 4415

Ph: 4627 1139

Em: holycrossmiles@hotmail.com

Jehovah's Witnesses

30 Colomba St, MILES 4415

Ph: 4627 1146

Presbyterian Church

80 Murilla St, MILES 4415

Ph: 4627 1180

St. Luke's Anglican Church

42 Constance St, MILES 4415

Ph: 4627 1190

Em: anglicanlehardt@bigpond.com

Miles Local Chaplaincy Committee

Contact: Darren Hall

Ph: 0427 744 814

CULTURAL ORGANISATIONS

Miles Historical Village and Museum

Ph: 4627 1492

Em: enquiries@mhv.org.au

Web: www.mhv.org.au

Find us on Facebook

Miles Branch Queensland Arts Council

Contact: Sally Presnell

Ph: 0429 436 705

Em: s.presnell89@gmail.com

Web: www.milesrac.org.au

COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS

Miles and District Show Society

Contact: Andrew Wotton

Em: milesshow@hotmail.com

Miles Senior Citizens Association

Contact: Jean Austin

Ph: 4627 2322

Miles and District Chamber of Commerce

Web: www.miles.cciq.com.au

Miles and District Hospital Auxiliary

Contact: Ailsa Gilmour

Ph: 4627 1260

Miles Lions Club

Contact: Sue Large

Em: lssl1515@gmail.com

Miles Local Ambulance Committee

Contact: Toni Brown

Ph: 4627 1344

Mob: 0427 272 059

Em: kenton5@bigpond.net.au

Miles RSL Sub-Branch

Contact: Adrian Daveson

Ph: 4627 1168

Em: daveson5@bigpond.com

Miles QCWA

Contact: Jenny Hill

Ph: 4665 8115

Email: bulliac@activ8.net.au

Murilla Landcare Group

Contact: Clare York

Ph: 4662 2125

Em: murillalandcare1@bigpond.com

Murilla Garden Club

Contact: Jenny Hill

Ph: 4665 8115

Email: bulliac@activ8.net.au



EXPERIENCE, EXPLORE, ENJOY

Upon Ludwig Leichhardt's exploration through Southern Queensland in 1844 there was an area abundant in Dogwood shrubs, which he named Dogwood Crossing. Following Leichhardt's expedition land settlement quickly followed. In 1878, an important turning point occurred in the development of the area as the railway came through. These changes spurred on the renaming of the localities in the area to Miles, in honour of William Miles, who at the time was a state Minister for Public Works and local landholder.

The population of Miles continued to grow and with the 1905 Land Settlement Scheme, many social and economical changes occurred across the district. In 1911 The Miles Butter Factory opened and there was a larger demand for dairy farming, more so than running sheep, which was originally the largest agricultural industry in the area. Industries such as timber, dairy, grazing and farming became the backbone of Miles and District.

In 1903 the Queensland State Government passed an election for the first Murilla Shire Council. This included the Miles, Condamine, Drillham and Dulacca areas. Prior to this the area had been administered by a Divisional Board with most meetings being held in Condamine. The first Murilla Shire Chambers were located on Marian Street in Miles until 1928 when the building was moved by a bullock dray to Murilla Street (formally Train Street) next to the town hall. The current local Council Customer Service Centre stands in that same place, now under the Western Downs Regional Council banner. During the various council amalgamations throughout Queensland in 2008 the Murilla Shire was combined with the Dalby, Chinchilla, Tara, Taroom and Wambo Shires. Initially this new shire was known as the Dalby Regional Council until 2009 when it was renamed the Western Downs Regional Council.

STAY IN TOUCH

www.wdrc.qld.gov.au

www.dogwoodcrossing.com

www.miles.cciq.com.au

www.ourwesterndowns.com

FIND US ON FACEBOOK

@wdrc.info

@wdrc.events

@westerndownslibraries

@dogwoodcrossing

DROP IN

Miles Customer Service Centre

- Dawson Street, Miles

Miles Visitor Information Centre

- Murilla Street, Miles

Dogwood Crossing, Miles

- Cnr Dawson and Murilla Streets, Miles

Murilla Community Centre

- Murilla Street, Miles