

MONTHLY REVIEW

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Photo courtesy Peter Feuerstein.

Confronting research, and a special new partner

You might have seen the post on our LinkedIn page this week, alongside media coverage about the research The Graeme Dingle Foundation has just released. It identified that our 14 – 24 year olds are disengaging from society. This is jaw-dropping data and something that most certainly has kept me up at night as I consider my own daughters, and their peers. Despite going to school, many young people it would seem are isolating themselves and consider social media to be an acceptable method of engagement. If you haven't already, this article would be worth reading.

This month, we are also excited to share that the Special Children's Christmas Parties is now a partner of the Milford Foundation. The Milford Foundation's partnership will help these children along with their families experience the Christmas they deserve.

All the best



Bryce Marsden
Chief Executive



Events coming up

7-15 May 2022

Going The Distance For Youth is a fundraiser to help support our youth in the wider Wellington region. Walk, run or cycle as many kilometres as you can, in a three week period, to see how far a distance we can collectively go for youth. The further, the better! Do it as an individual or grab your whānau and friends to virtually battle it out for the most kilometres/most funds raised!

Register Now
<https://bit.ly/3LLx1fb>

Funds Growing
\$6.576M
Money granted to date
\$1.531M

The Graeme Dingle Foundation
0800 What's Up?

The Special Children's
Christmas Parties

The Village Community
Services Trust

Manukau Urban Maori Authority

The Fono Feleoko Food-Hub

Our Partners



Career Pathways

The Milford Foundation is excited to be the support behind a new programme launching soon with the Graeme Dingle Foundation - Career Pathways. The pilot programme will offer current Graeme Dingle Foundation Kiwi Can leaders (a values based programme also funded by the Milford Foundation) in Auckland, Tauranga and Waikato initially, the opportunity to gain a formal qualification to progress into a career in teaching, counselling or social work.

In order for the programme to be a success, it is extremely important that these young leaders have the right support around them.

The Graeme Dingle Foundation needs mentors for the students that have signed up for the pilot in the above regions. The programme commences in June and mentorship is a six-month commitment. Full training will be provided.

If you are interested in finding out more, please get in touch with us at info@milfordfoundation.co.nz



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Getting to know the Milford Foundation

How is the Milford Foundation funded?

The Milford Foundation is funded by generous donors - individuals as well as the Milford corporate body. Milford covers all the operating costs of the Foundation and Milford employees donate their time and expertise to manage the day to day requirements of running the Foundation.

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