



MILLBRAE NEWS

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JULY - PARKS & RECREATION MONTH



Since 1985, people in the United States have celebrated Park and Recreation Month in July to promote building strong, vibrant, and resilient communities through the power of parks and recreation.

Through efforts by the National Recreation and Park Association (NRPA), the U.S. House of Representatives passed an official resolution for Park and Recreation Month in 2009 and introduced the resolution in 2017. The City of Millbrae recognizes the benefits derived from parks and recreation resources, and the members of the City Council proclaimed July 2022 as Parks & Recreation Month.

The services that park and recreation professionals provide are vital for our communities — from protecting open space and natural resources to helping fight obesity and providing activities and resources for all people. This has been especially true throughout the COVID-19 pandemic. Park and Recreation Month encourages everyone to reflect on the exponential value park and recreation professionals bring to communities.

It's time to share how We Rise Up for Parks and Recreation! We're celebrating Park and Recreation Month this July by highlighting how our communities are more robust, more vibrant, and more resilient because of parks and recreation. Please join us in celebrating and thanking our Millbrae Parks Team and Millbrae Recreation Team for their hard work year-round.



Beats, Brews & Vines

Thank you to all who came out to celebrate the Fourth of July at Beats, Brews & Vines. It was a fun day filled with dancing and good company. We hope to see you all again at one of our next Beats, Brews & Vines concerts.



Upcoming Concerts:

August 18th 6:00-8:00 P.M. Joint Chiefs	September 15th 6:00-8:00 P.M. As is Band	October 20th 5:00-7:00 P.M. Polkageist West
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GATEWAY AT MILLBRAE STATION CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

The Gateway at Millbrae Station project is currently underway and reaching multiple milestones toward project completion. The exterior work is nearing completion for the office, retail building, apartment buildings, and the parking garage. Many apartments are scheduled to have cabinets and flooring installed while the external work and grading are prepared for paving.

All eighty affordable apartments that provide Veteran preference are currently in the final finish work stage. Work on the hotel guest rooms are also in their final stages and nearing completion. The common areas and paving of the parking lots are scheduled to be completed soon.

Once completed, the Gateway at Millbrae Station will provide quality spaces for people to live, work, shop, and dine in Millbrae. To apply for affordable housing, please visit, <https://therollinsatmillbraestation.com/>



WORK AROUND TOWN

The Water Division crews repaired a water main break and rebuilt the service line at 9 El Camino Real, and repaired a hole in the water main at 857 Crestview Drive.

Over the last few weeks, Millbrae Storms Division crews have commenced the annual cleaning of citywide storm drain inlets. This work is vital to our city's continued maintenance and preparation for our winter season. Collection crews continued with regular sanitary sewer maintenance and were able to complete a sewer repair at 633 Clearfield Drive, and backfilled a sink hole at 314 Barcelona Avenue.

Millbrae Public Works completed various asphalt repairs throughout the City recently. Asphalt repairs were completed at the following addresses: 65 Conejo Drive, 311 Madrone Street, 427 Palm Avenue, 68 Loree Lane, 1200 Murchison Drive, 823 Clearfield Drive, 475 El Camino Real, 220, 236 and 360 Castenada Drive, 216 and 219 Anita Drive. Public Works continues to work to repair the streets throughout our community

REPORT A POTHOLE OR UNSAFE SIDEWALK BY CLICKING BELOW.

[POTHOLE](#)

[UNSAFE SIDEWALK](#)



HOUSING ELEMENT SURVEY

The City is updating its Housing Element of the General Plan and is requesting feedback from Millbrae Residents through a housing survey. The survey is available at:



MILLBRAE MOVES TO STAGE 2 FOR WATER CONSERVATION

For full report visit: [Millbrae News](#)

USE WATER WISELY



1. Limit to essential water use only
2. Only irrigate twice a week
3. Utilize recirculated water
4. Take advantage of rebates
5. Utilize positive shut off nozzles

Get More Information Here
<https://bit.ly/MillbraeWaterConservation>
SaveWater.Ca.Gov to report water waste





MILLBRAE'S FIRST DISTRICT ELECTIONS NOVEMBER 8, 2022

DISTRICTS 2 & 4 COUNCIL SEATS ARE UP FOR ELECTION!

The City of Millbrae was required to transition to district-based elections in accordance with State law. As a result, five new districts were created. The change requires any candidate to reside in the specific district for which they seek Council office for at least 30 days before filing the nomination paper. (See information to the right)

Only those registered voters within the specific districts where they reside will be able to vote for their councilmember. This new process eliminates the traditional at-large elections.

In November 2022, only Council seats for Districts 2 and 4 will be up for election.

Don't forget to register to vote to nominate and vote for a candidate in your district!

ATTENTION Interested Candidates

Nomination Period
July 18th - August 12th

**Deadline to submit nomination
papers and withdraw candidacy is**
August 12, 2022 by 5:00 PM.

For More Information please contact:

Millbrae City Clerk, Elaine Tran
ETran@ci.millbrae.ca.us
(650) 259-2414

Or visit our website.



[Click to View City of Millbrae's adopted District Elections Map](#)



City Of Millbrae Citizens Academy to Begin September 2022

The City of Millbrae will host our first Citizens Academy this Fall of 2022. The Citizens Academy is a free, six-session program designed to help Millbrae residents eighteen years of age and older to learn more about their city government. These sessions will be held over a three month period, beginning in September 2022.

This academy provides an excellent opportunity for the community to become familiar with the various functions and services of local government. Participants will hear presentations from City Departments about their respective operations. Participants will benefit from a unique interactive learning experience and a behind-the-scenes perspective.

Space is limited to thirty-five seats, and program capacity will be filled on a first-come-first-served basis. Participants must be eighteen or older and reside in the City of Millbrae.

To register for the Millbrae Citizens Academy, please complete an [application](#) and return it to Jennifer Lim at JLim@ci.millbrae.ca.us or mail it to:

City of Millbrae Administration
Department
Attn: Jennifer Lim
621 Magnolia Avenue
Millbrae, CA 94030

For more information visit the [Millbrae Citizens Academy website](#).



MILLBRAE GOES TO THE MOVIES

JOIN US ON AUGUST 12
FOR A FREE MOVIE IN THE PARK!



Next Movie:
In the Heights
September 9, 7:40 p.m.

EVERY SECOND FRIDAY MAY TO SEPTEMBER
MOVIE STARTS AT DARK MILLBRAE CENTRAL PARK



FREE LIVE MUSIC & FAMILY FRIENDLY EVENT



300 BLOCK OF BROADWAY IN DOWNTOWN MILLBRAE