



# MILLBRAE NEWS

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## EVENT SPOTLIGHT:

**MILLBRAE ROTARY  
MAYORS GOLF  
TOURNAMENT  
JUNE 3, 2024  
12:00 PM TO 7:00 PM**



NATIONAL PUBLIC  
WORKS WEEK  
MAY 19-25, 2024



## **NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK**

May 19-25, 2024, is National Public Works Week, and this year marks the 64th Anniversary of the annual Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association and Canadian Public Works Association. This year's theme is "Advancing Quality of Life," which is a great tribute to the Millbrae Public Works Department, which works daily to advance the quality of life for our community through infrastructure and amenities improvements.

The City of Millbrae Public Works Department has six divisions: Storms and Streets, Water, Parks, Sewer, Engineering, and Environmental Programs. The six divisions have a total of 65 employees. Millbrae Public Works professionals focus on infrastructure, facilities, and services that are vital to a sustainable and resilient community, public health, high quality of life, and the well-being of the people of the City of Millbrae.

This week, we are recognizing the great work that our Public Works Professionals have accomplished in the last year such as the Upper Hillcrest Pavement Repair Project, Millbrae Library Makerspace, Central Park Tennis Court Resurfacing Project, Lincoln Circle Water Line, Streetlight and Pavement Rehabilitation Project, Santa Barbara Drive Pavement Rehabilitation Project, and the Skyline Water Tank Replacement Project. These are all projects that are a testament to their continued quality of service to our community.

We are asking for your help in celebrating these teams this year and hope that when you see them out this week, you wish them a happy National Public Works Week. You can also share a positive experience you had with Public Works to [Pio@ci.millbrae.ca.us](mailto:Pio@ci.millbrae.ca.us) to be shared with the Public Works Department and the community as a way to celebrate our crews and staff.

## Parking Management Plan

The City of Millbrae is currently studying paid parking downtown along El Camino Real and Broadway. Paid parking will help manage parking demand by providing more available spaces for customers and visitors.

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## 停車管理計劃

密爾布瑞市正在研究在市中心 El Camino Real 與 Broadway 周遭實施付費停車。付費停車將有效管控停車需求，為市區的顧客和遊客提供更多的停車空位。

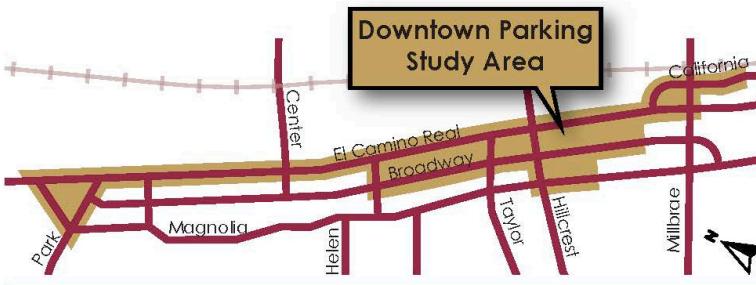
You're invited to our public meeting!  
¡Estás invitado a nuestra reunión pública!  
歡迎參與此計劃的公開說明會！

Thursday, June 6 at 7:00 PM

City Hall Council Chambers

621 Magnolia Ave,  
Millbrae, CA 94030

Join on Zoom  
[bit.ly/MilPMP](https://bit.ly/MilPMP)



## Nearshore Outfall Restoration Project

The project is a construction project that will restore the outfall unit to working condition. An "outfall" is a point where treated water (effluent) is released into a body of water, such as the bay. Heavy rain events, increasing in frequency due to climate change, can lead to potential overflow of treated water at our treatment plant. In response, the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board mandated cities to establish a backup discharge, prompting the restoration of our deteriorated nearshore outfall structure to manage effluent during heavy rain events.

This construction will affect the bicycle lane along the South McDonnell Road at the intersection of Millbrae Avenue for approximately three months beginning May 6, 2024. Construction needs will shift the bike lane out toward the center of the road for approximately 350 feet, as shown on the traffic control plan image, for about 3 weeks. After the initial construction phase, bicyclists will share the road with vehicles at the construction entrance only, as shown on the second figure. This traffic control plan was crafted in cooperation with SFO International Airport in an effort to properly serve pedestrian, vehicle, and bicycle traffic as best as possible during this critical project.





## Welcome Our New City Engineer & CIP Manager

The City of Millbrae is excited to announce and introduce our new City Engineer & CIP Manager, Ahmad Haya.

Ahmad joins us with a cumulative twenty-four (24) years of experience working for other Municipality Agencies on diverse public works projects. His most recent experience includes working for Redwood City for the last nine (9) years. Prior to his work with Redwood City, some of his impressive experience included working at Mountain House to help establish a brand-new community in the Central Valley. As well as his work with Caltrans and their transportation projects, including the Bay Bridge.

He graduated from UC Berkeley and is a licensed civil engineer in the State of California. Director of Engineering & Public Works Sam Bautista expressed his enthusiasm: "We are excited to welcome Ahmad to our Public Works team and his extensive experience, which will benefit our capital improvement program and the Millbrae community."



*Millbrae Cultural Arts*  
ADVISORY COMMITTEE

**MILLBRAE**  
**JUNETEENTH** *celebration*

**SATURDAY**  
**JUNE 15, 2024**

**PARADE**  
CIVIC CENTER PLAZA  
450 POPLAR AVE, MILLBRAE, CA  
BROADWAY - MEADOW GLEN - HILLCREST  
10:00 AM

**FESTIVAL**  
MILLBRAE CENTRAL PARK  
477 LINCOLN CIRCLE  
11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

LIVE MUSIC | FOOD VENDORS |  
LIVE PERFORMANCES | COMMUNITY & MUCH MORE

For Vendor Opportunities  
[BIT.LY/MILLBRAEJUNETEENTH](http://BIT.LY/MILLBRAEJUNETEENTH)

## City Of Millbrae Juneteenth Celebration

We are looking forward to hosting the 2nd Annual Millbrae Juneteenth Festival and the first Juneteenth Day Parade!

The 2024 celebration will take place on June 15, 2024, beginning at 10:00 AM with a celebratory flag-raising ceremony at Civic Center Plaza and a parade, followed by a festival at Central Park.

Following the Parade we will host a Festival in Central park that the community and visitors will experience a wide variety of information, entertainment, carnival games, rides, interactive instructional activities, and vendors from across the Bay Area. Millbrae's Juneteenth Festival will also provide participants with the region's most respected and sought-after artists, businesses, and government and community leaders. From music entertainment and kids' activities to the Taste of Juneteenth's one-stop destination, cultural arts exhibit, health fairs, educational presentations, and more - we've got it all!

Visit the [event webpage](#) for more information.

# The Rec



## MILLBRAE ADVENTURE SUMMER CAMP

REGISTER BEFORE JULY 1 FOR EARLY BIRD PRICING!

JUNE 10- AUGUST 2

Week 1 June 10-14: Island Luau  
 Week 2 June 17, 18, 20, & 21: Wild Wild West  
 Week 3 June 24-28: To Infinity & Beyond  
 Week 4 July 1-3: Patriotic Party

Week 5 July 8-12: Road Trippin'  
 Week 6 July 15-19: Under the Big Top  
 Week 7 July 22-26: Land Before Time  
 Week 8 July 29-August 2: Bummer...End of Summer

**LOCATION: TAYLOR MIDDLE SCHOOL**  
**850 TAYLOR BLVD, MILLBRAE, CA**

Register today at: [bit.ly/milrec](http://bit.ly/milrec)

What's New in Millbrae Recreation!  
 Check our website for more information about classes, events, and registration for activities at: [bit.ly/milrec](http://bit.ly/milrec)



### LEGO® STEM Summer Camps with Millbrae Rec Dept

Sign up at [bit.ly/milrec](http://bit.ly/milrec) or call 650-259-2360



**June 10 - 14 \$260R/\$280NR**  
 Adventures in STEM w/ LEGO®  
 Ages 5-7 | 9am-12pm  
 STEM Explorations w/ LEGO®  
 Ages 7-12 | 1pm-4pm  
 Location: Millbrae Library



**Aug 5 - 9 \$260R/\$270NR**  
 Minecraft Engineering w/ LEGO®  
 Ages 5-7 | 9a-12p  
 Location: Millbrae Rec

**Aug 5 - 9 \$260R/\$270NR**  
 Bash'em Bots using LEGO®  
 Ages 7-12 | 1p-4pm  
 Location: Millbrae Rec

Learn more at [www.play-well.org](http://www.play-well.org).

## JUNE 20TH SENIOR WALKING

LET'S KICK OFF SUMMER WITH A WALK AROUND MILLBRAE CENTRAL PARK AFTER WE WILL HAVE REFRESHMENTS AND ICE CREAM!

WALKING BEGINS AT 11:00AM  
 TELL YOUR FRIENDS!!

MEET AT THE  
 MILLBRAE RECREATION CENTER LOBBY  
 477 LINCOLN CIRCLE

## BAD DAD JOKES &



COME HANG OUT IN THE SENIOR LOUNGE TO CHAT, LAUGH, AND HAVE FREE COFFEE!



EVERY THURSDAY IN MAY AND JUNE FROM 10 AM-11:30 AM AT MILLBRAE RECREATION CENTER

# Millbrae Library

The Millbrae Library has various programs available for its residents. Please view some of the highlighted programs below.

To view all upcoming classes and programs please visit: <https://smcl.org/>



## Super Smash Bros Tournament

**Ages 8 and Up | Wed, May 29 at 3:30-5:00 PM  
Community Meeting Room**

Compete and win prizes! Test your skills against your fellow gamers in a tournament hosted by the library. Prizes will be announced at the start of the event.

Registration is required to compete.  
*Everyone is welcome to watch!*  
Sign up at [smcl.org/events](https://smcl.org/events), using the QR code or with staff assistance.



## Create your own Podcast at the Millbrae Library

**Teens/Adults  
Wednesday, May 29th 6:00-7:30  
Makerspace**

Learn the basics of podcasting: from planning, recording, to even incorporating AI generated ideas for your podcast. The Millbrae Library has podcasting equipment available to help you record a professional sounding podcast.



\*Registration is required by visiting [smcl.org/events](https://smcl.org/events) or by scanning the QR code.  
Registration will open up 3 weeks before\*



San Mateo  
County  
Libraries



### Take Our Survey!

This is your chance to guide local resources in San Mateo County. Survey participation is on a first-come, first served basis.

Act now to make sure you're heard!

### iToma nuestra encuesta!

Esta es su oportunidad para guiar los recursos locales en el Condado de San Mateo. La participación en la encuesta es por orden de llegada.

¡Actúe ahora para asegurarse de que se le escuchen!

Visita [www.research.net/r/smclmillbrae123](https://www.research.net/r/smclmillbrae123)



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### 請參加我們的 問卷調查！

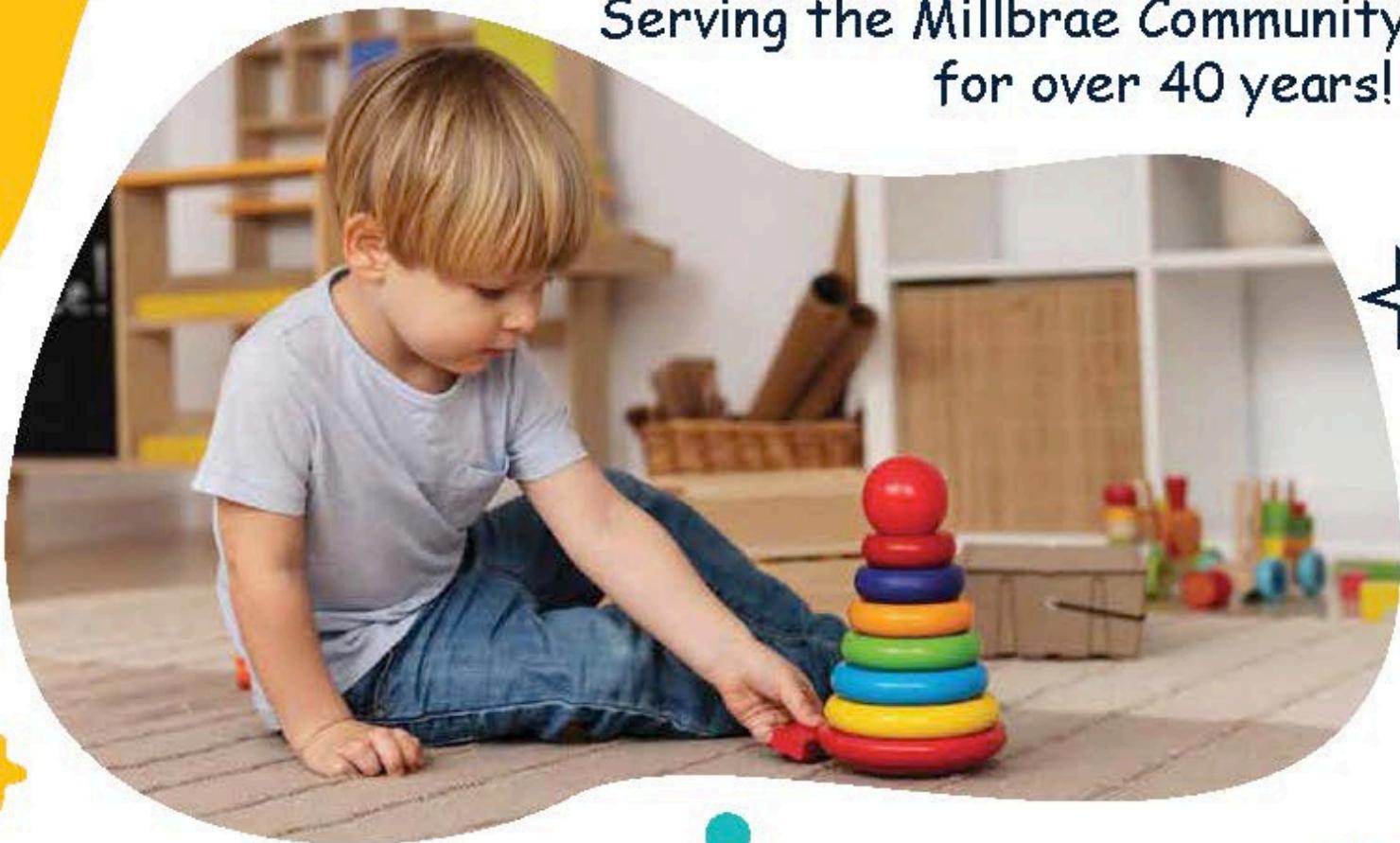
這是您指引聖馬刁縣當地資源的機會。  
問卷調查參與遵循先到先得的原則。  
請立即行動，確保您的聲音被聽到！

前往 [www.research.net/r/smclmillbrae123](https://www.research.net/r/smclmillbrae123)



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Serving the Millbrae Community  
for over 40 years!



**Millbrae Montessori School**

Ages 2.5 - 6

650-259-2368

[millbraemontessori.com](http://millbraemontessori.com)



# MILLBRAE POLICE BUREAU

## Millbrae Bike Rodeo 2024

Chief Allen and the Millbrae Police Bureau just wrapped up their Bike Rodeo of 2024. It was a great success and a fantastic community event.

### **A message from Chief Allen:**

“Thank you to all of our residents who came out for the Millbrae Bike Rodeo this past weekend. Your attendance and the collaboration with our City and non-profit partners made this event a resounding success. The Millbrae Police Bureau staff feel fortunate to have been able to partner with the CHP to focus on bicycle safety and look forward to hosting this event for years to come.”

We would like to thank and acknowledge our partners who assisted and supported us. The City of Millbrae, Central County Fire Department, California Highway Patrol, Millbrae Recreation Department, Millbrae Elementary School District, San Mateo County CERT, Millbrae Lions, Millbrae Leo's, The Millbrae Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Commission, Silicon Valley Bicycle Coalition, who were instrumental in the success of this event and we applaud the partnership we have with you all.

As days stay lighter longer, we want to remind everyone to always look out for bicycle riders. Take an extra second or two to make sure nobody is around you, and drive safe. Everyone has to be mindful of one another. Always obey traffic laws and don't drive distracted.





# Upcoming Events



May 17 6:00 PM &  
May 18 11:00 AM

**Millbrae Arts and Crafts Show  
at Millbrae Recreation Center**  
[Learn more about the Show](#)



May 18  
9:00 AM

**Compost Giveaway  
on Spur Trail  
Between Palm Ave and Elder Ave**



June 3  
12:00 PM

**Millbrae Rotary Mayors Golf Tournament  
Green Hills Country Club  
500 Ludeman Ln**



June 6  
5:00 PM

**Mills High School Block Party  
at Millbrae Central Park  
477 Lincoln Circle**