

# MILLBRAE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

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# Spring 2022 Newsletter

Over the last 26 years, the Millbrae Community Foundation (MCF) has awarded financial grants for projects and to organizations that provide valuable benefits to Millbrae residents. This newsletter highlights recent grants and other ways that MCF helps our community. We send a hearty "thank you" to all who have supported MCF in the past. We can't do this without you!

# Millbrae Recreation Center FF&E Fundraising Campaign

We are just days away from the Ribbon Cutting and Grand Opening Celebration (June 11) for the new Recreation Center! The fundraising committee, comprised of volunteers from many of the Millbrae's civic and community groups worked to generate donations to MCF's designated fund for FF&E (furniture, fixtures, and equipment) for the center. Much of the funding has been secured, but it is not too late to help with this effort.



To donate, please visit <a href="https://www.millbraerecreationcenter.com/helpus">https://www.millbraerecreationcenter.com/helpus</a>.

The Millbrae Community Foundation is proud to be a vital partner in the rebuilding of the Recreation Center. We want to thank those have that donated and hope you will join us in supporting the final push!

#### MCTV: In the Kitchen



We were extremely happy to approve a grant request from MCTV to support its original production, *In the Kitchen*. Episodes will feature local restaurateurs, chefs, and their food philosophies that keep Millbrae and the surrounding communities in San Mateo County fed.

#### **BobaBots Robotics Club**

The Mills High School BobaBots Robotics Club received a grant to support their activities. This is a competitive team that seeks to inspire young people to become science and technology leaders and innovators. The hands-on work of designing and building of robots is the key to the club's success.





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### Holiday Stars & Holiday Gift Cards

Each year MCF raises funds for our grant making program and encourages our community to come together with our Holiday Stars and participating in the Annual Tree Holiday Lighting Ceremony. This past winter we were able to gather in person. The Holiday Tree was loaded with lights and stars and it even snowed!

In another ongoing effort, MCF distributed **Holiday Gift Cards** to several deserving Millbrae families.



## Scholarships for Mills & Capuchino

And finally each year we offer **scholarships** to Mills and Capuchino High School seniors headed to college or trade school. This year we had the honor of giving two \$3,000 scholarships to students from both schools. The students are Jin Soo Kim and Litzy Velasquez from Mills and Samantha Paschner and Adrienne Chen from Capuchino.









This spring, we hope you will consider making a donation to the Millbrae Community Foundation so that we can continue to help our community today and in the future.

If you would like to support the Millbrae Community Foundation, please return your donation in the enclosed envelope or donate online at:

www.millbraefoundation.org