

MILLBRAE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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May 2, 2017

TO: Certificated Teachers

FROM: Vahn Phayprasert, Superintendent

SUBJECT: Honoring Certificated Staff of Millbrae School District  
Day of the Teacher, May 9, 2017

“Day of the Teacher” arose out of legislation co-sponsored by CTA and the Association of Mexican American Educators. Sen. Joseph Montoya wrote the bill and it was adopted in 1982. California has patterned its celebration after the traditional “El Dia del Maestro” festivities observed in Mexico and other Latin American countries. This year marks the 34<sup>th</sup> anniversary of California’s Day of the Teacher.

Today thousands of communities take time to honor their local educators and acknowledge the crucial role teacher’s play in making sure every student receives a quality education. Millbrae School District values good teaching in our classrooms and how our teachers truly make a difference by encouraging and inspiring their students to work to the best of their abilities.

A special recognition is extended to the dedicated employees listed below who have provided 20 or more years of service to the Millbrae School District.

**CERTIFICATED STAFF WITH 20 OR MORE YEARS OF SERVICE TO  
THE MILLBRAE SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Sandra Joy Adler	Lomita Park RSP Teacher	33 years
Bernadette Hurley	Spring Valley Teacher	31 years
Denise Lechthaler	Spring Valley Speech Therapist	30 years
Denise Elliott	Spring Valley Teacher	30 years
Deanna Yee	Spring Valley Teacher	30 years
Margaret Dumont	Reading Teacher	29 years
Kim Anderson	Spring Valley Teacher	28 years
Patricia Althaus	Green Hills Teacher	28 years
Karen McNulty	Taylor Teacher	28 years
Lucy Ensign	Taylor Teacher	27 years
Myra Gamble	Lomita Park Reading Specialist	25 years
Kathy Fanucchi	Green Hills Teacher	25 years
Scot Spencer	Taylor Teacher	24 years
Karen Lotti	Taylor Teacher	23 years
Jack Ewing	Taylor Teacher	22 years
Julie Fiore	Taylor Teacher	22 years
Eddie Grassi	Green Hills Teacher	22 years
Linda Landucci	Meadows Teacher	22 years
Kenny Milch	Taylor Teacher	22 years
Julie Nestor	Taylor Teacher	22 years
Kelly Ozorio	Lomita Park Teacher	22 years
Claudia Pieraldi	Meadows Teacher	22 years

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Mary Dimi	Spring Valley Teacher	21 years
Estreilla Elkaim	Spring Valley Teacher	21 years
Michelle Foley	Meadows Teacher	21 years
Jennifer Hoskins	Lomita Park	21 years
Judy Louie	Green Hills Teacher	21 years
Kristi Martin	Meadows Teacher	21 years
Shawn Kim	Green Hills Teacher	20 years
Paula Kelly	Lomita Park Teacher	20 years
Matthew Garrett	Taylor Teacher	20 years
Ashley Walsh	Spring Valley Teacher	20 years