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Speakers

November 30, 2022
[Dr. Sherry Keith and Phil Miller](#)
"Bionic Man Developments"

December 07, 2022
[Grier Graff and Tina Etcheverry](#)
"Annual Endowment Meeting: Where Does Our Money Go?"

December 14, 2022
[TBA](#)

December 21, 2022
[NO MEETING](#)

Events

November 29th
[Meditation/Mindfulness Class via Zoom](#)

December 6th
[Meditation/Mindfulness Class via Zoom](#)

December 8th
[Berkeley Rotary Gift Wrapping Station](#)

December 10th
[Berkeley Tuolumne Camp Tree Planting & Care](#)

December 13th
[Meditation/Mindfulness Class via Zoom](#)

December 16th
[BRC's Annual Holiday Party](#)

December 20th
[Meditation/Mindfulness Class via Zoom](#)

December 27th
[Meditation/Mindfulness Class via Zoom](#)

Birthdays

[Judith Anderson Glass](#)
November 29th

Club Announcements

By Linda Cogozzo

Next Meeting. Wednesday, Nov. 30, 12:30 PM PT, in person at First Presbyterian and via Zoom: In "Bionic Man Developments," Dr. Sherry Keith and Phil Miller will discuss the bioartificial kidney and artificial heart projects they have been involved with, as well as other advances in the development of artificial organs. The speakers are provided by Team #4, the Berkeley Art Center Team; Peter Campbell and Matt Hastings, Captains.



This Week. Check the left column for upcoming happenings: Meditation-Mindfulness Class (Nov. 29), Membership Committee Meeting (Dec. 1), and more.

Zoom Participation Fee, Happy News Donation. You can give your payment to Jackie or Beth at a meeting; or pay via Venmo to Berkeley-RotaryClub; or make out a check to "Berkeley Rotary Club" and mail it to Berkeley Rotary, 2342 Shattuck Ave., #101, Berkeley, CA 94704.



Come to Mr. Fezziwig's Holiday Party!



You are invited to Mr. Fezziwig's Holiday Party!

December 16, 2022, 6-9 pm
Northbrae Community Church,
941 The Alameda, Berkeley
Featuring holiday roast, wine & entertainment!
(potluck dishes to be assigned)

Tickets: \$60 (give cash or check to Beth or Jackie at next meeting; mail to Berkeley Rotary at 2342 Shattuck, Suite 101, Berkeley 94704; **or** venmo to Berkeley-RotaryClub)

Veronica Rodrigues
November 30th

[John Pardee](#)
December 2nd

[Arlene Marcus](#)
December 3rd

[Sheila Sabine](#)
December 3rd

[Daniel Thomas](#)
December 6th

[Kathy Huff](#)
December 9th

[Matt Hastings](#)
December 11th

[Preston Staley](#)
December 15th

[Larry E. Kinsey](#)
December 15th

[Frederick C. Collignon](#)
December 17th

[Lauren Dela Rosa](#)
December 18th

[James Ivan Masters](#)
December 19th

[Beverly Crawford Ames](#)
December 24th

[Katherine Campbell King](#)
December 24th

Meet Berkeley's New School Superintendent

By Jack H. McPhail

Enikia Ford Morthel, the new Superintendent of the Berkeley Unified School District, spoke to the club at the November 16 meeting. She has an undergraduate and a Masters degree from UC Berkeley, began her teaching career in Hayward, later taught in the Oakland public schools, and then in the San Francisco Unified School District where, after several years, she became the Deputy Superintendent of Instruction before taking the superintendent's position in Berkeley in June 2022. As a 3rd grade teacher in Hayward, she was familiar with Rotary's 3rd grade Dictionary Project, which she strongly supports, reporting that the students who received the dictionaries treasured them like a new car.

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A Third Grade Student Sends His Thanks

By Pamela M. Doolan

Third Grade students in the Berkeley Unified School District have been writing thank you letters to Berkeley Rotarians and are sharing the many ways they are using their new dictionaries.

Name Cy Date 10/18/22



Dear Rotary Club,

Thank you for the amazing dictionary. We appreciate you because you are very thoughtful. Now I can efficiently find new words and know the meaning of that word. I like the metric system. I also like the maps. You are very generous and kind. You are also have a very nice gesture, and I am very grateful.

Sincerely,

Cy.

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Hire This Crew!

The Berkeley Rotary construction gang is ready to hire themselves out to assist your deserving project! Have a school in Mexico that needs a computer lab? An eye clinic in Guatemala that needs painting? A post-disaster recovery project? If it meets the criteria of the Four Way Test, they'll be there!



This army of Rotarians descended on the BRC storage garage on Hilgard Street recently, sorted through 25 years of Kite Festival gear, recycling and repurposing it, and prepared the space to house all the club's records and memorabilia. They built shelves, installed cabinets, and created new work and storage spaces. Thanks to heavy lifters and support crew alike: Grier Graff, Ed



Church, Pate Thomson, Linnea Graff, Pamela Doolan, David Pock, Matt Hastings, Joan Collignon, Rick Betts, and John O'Dea. There are several others in the club who will be happy to join this group when called upon.

This kind of hands-on work benefited the club this time, but we're open to helping out wherever needed! Contact Grier or Joan about any projects you might have in mind.
