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**BERKELEY ROTARY CLUB CELEBRATES 104 YEARS!**

**BERKELEY ROTARY CLUB CALENDAR**

**Club Speakers, Meetings, Events and Service**

**Due to the Covid 19 restrictions, all luncheon & committee meetings will be Zoom meetings.**

**Links provided by email invitations.**

**\*Regularly scheduled meetings (log-in available 15 minutes prior to meeting)**

**2020**

- ★ **Mon. Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>**
- ★ **4:00** \*Covid-19 Interest Group (CIG) meets via ZOOM invitation Tina Etcheverry, Chair
- ★ **Tues. Oct. 27<sup>th</sup>**
- ★ **3:00** BRC Social Justice Group via ZOOM invitation Charlene Stern  
[charleneystern@comcast.net](mailto:charleneystern@comcast.net)
- ★ **Wed. Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>** \*BRC MEETING
- ★ **SPEAKER:** Patricia Guerra, Emmy and Peabody Award winning Producer at 60 Minutes
- ★ **"NEWS IN A TIME OF DISINFORMATION"**
- ★ **2:30-3:30** Communication Committee meets via ZOOM Austin Henderson, Chair
- ★ **Thurs. Oct. 29<sup>th</sup>**
- ★ **5:30** \*Climate Action Committee meets via ZOOM invitation Ignacio Franco, Chair
- ★ **Please contact if you are interested: [Ignacio.franco.m@gmail.com](mailto:Ignacio.franco.m@gmail.com)**
- ★ **Mon. Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>**
- ★ **4:00** \*Covid-19 Interest Group (CIG) meets via ZOOM invitation Tina Etcheverry, Chair
- ★ **Wed. Nov. 4<sup>th</sup>**
- ★ **12:30-1:30** \*BRC MEETING
- ★ **SPEAKER:** Elizabeth Bagley, PhD. PROJECT DRAWDOWN
- ★ **"TEACHING CHILDREN TO LEARN WHAT THE CLIMATE CRISIS IS, AND WHAT IT COULD MEAN FOR THEIR FUTURE"**
- ★ **Project Drawdown's mission is to help the world reach "Drawdown"— the point in the future when levels of greenhouse gases in the atmosphere stop climbing and start to steadily decline, thereby stopping catastrophic climate change — as quickly, safely, and equitably as possible.**
- ★ **Speaker provided by Team #11, the Suchiate River Team Contact Grier Graff & Arlin Peters**
- ★ **2:00-3:00** Supportive Housing Committee meets Co-Chairs: Joanne Dickerson-Harper & Jackie Hammond
- ★ **Mon. Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>**
- ★ **4:00** \*Covid-19 Interest Group (CIG) meets via ZOOM invitation Tina Etcheverry, Chair
- ★ **Wed. Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>** \*BRC MEETING
- ★ **SPEAKER:** Lindy Lowe, Resilience Program Director at the Port of San Francisco
- ★ **"BUILDING RESILIENCE INTO SAN FRANCISCO'S WATERFRONT"**
- ★ **Speaker provided by Team #2, the Amazon River Team. Contact Fred Collignon**
- ★ **2:00-3:00** PEACE COMMITTEE MEETS Chair: Maxim Schrogin
- ★ **Mon. Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>**
- ★ **4:00** \*Covid-19 Interest Group (CIG) meets via ZOOM invitation Tina Etcheverry, Chair
- ★ **Wed. Nov. 18<sup>th</sup>** \*BRC MEETING
- ★ **SPEAKER:**
- ★ **Speaker provided by Team #**

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★ Mon. Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup>  
 ★ 4:00 \*Covid-19 Interest Group (CIG) meets via ZOOM invitation Tina Etcheverry, Chair

★ Wed. Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> \*BRC MEETING

★ **COMING UP:**

★ Mon. Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>  
 ★ 4:00 \*Covid-19 Interest Group (CIG) meets via ZOOM invitation Tina Etcheverry, Chair

★ Tues. Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>  
 ★ 3:00 pm **SOCIAL JUSTICE SPECIAL EVENT: Film Screening of "NEAR NORMAL MAN"**  
 30-minute award-winning documentary tells the story of Ben Stern, a Holocaust survivor. And 30 years later, his fierce battle against the Nazis in Skokie, Ill. This is a cautionary tale about the consequences of hate speech, unchecked. Ben Stern, 99, will lead Q & A afterwards  
 Contact Charlene Stern who produced and directed "Near Normal Man"

★ Wed. Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>  
 ★ 12:30-1:30 \*BRC MEETING  
 SPEAKER: Dr. Beverly Crawford, UCB Professor Emerita of Political Science  
 "ARTIC ICE MELT AS THE PERFECT STORM OF GLOBAL CONFLICT AND RESOURCE DEPLETION"  
 Speaker provided by the Rogue River Team Contact: Tina Etcheverry & Sallie Weissinger

★ Wed. Dec. 16<sup>th</sup>  
 ★ 12:30-1:30 \*BRC MEETING  
 SPEAKER: Ira Glasser, former Executive Director of ACLU and protagonist in documentary, "Mighty Ira"  
 "WHY THE ACLU CONTINUES TO DEFEND THE FREE SPEECH RIGHTS OF RACISTS"  
 Speaker provided by Team #5 the Yangtze River Contact Mary Alice Rathbun and Charlene Stern

★ **ON- GOING EVENTS:**

★ **Weeding at Skyline Gardens** (Needed to remove invasive species and allow native species to survive. ( For a description of this incredible place see <https://baynature.org/article/weeding-the-wild> )  
 ★ Contact Bob Sorenson ( [rsoren@mac.com](mailto:rsoren@mac.com) ) to arrange for time and details and Covid-19 restrictions.

**CAL ROTARACT MEETINGS AND EVENTS** 

Please check [CalRotaract.org](http://CalRotaract.org) for time and meeting link

★ \*Sat.-Mon. Oct. 31<sup>st</sup>-Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> 2021 **THE BIG WEST CONFERENCE** **BERKELEY**

**2020/21 BARSHEEP EVENTS**

**2020/21 DISTRICT 5160 EVENTS**

★ \*Fri. -Sun. Apr. 30<sup>th</sup> -May 2<sup>nd</sup> 2021  
 2021 DISTRICT 5160 CONFERENCE **Register now!**  
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 Holiday Inn Downtown Sacramento

**2020/21 INTERNATIONAL EVENTS**

★ June 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>, 2021 **ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION**  
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