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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. Dec. 7th

★ 4:00 *Covid-19 Interest Group (CIG) meets via ZOOM invitation Tina Etcheverry, Chair

★ Tues. Dec. 8th

★ 1:30 – 2:15 SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE UPDATE: Zoom invitation John Pardee, Co-Chair

★ 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. 9th

★ 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
PEACE COMMITTEE MEETS Chair: Maxim Schrogin

★ Mon. Dec. 14th

★ 4:00 *Covid-19 Interest Group (CIG) meets via ZOOM invitation Tina Etcheverry, Chair

★ Wed. Dec. 16th

★ 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
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEET Chris Ahoy, BRC President 2020-21

★ Thurs. Dec. 17th

★ 5:30-6:30 Bi-monthly *Climate Action Committee meets via ZOOM invitation Ignacio Franco, Chair

Please contact if you are interested: ignacio.franco.m@gmail.com

MONDAY, DEC. 21ST ZOOM gathering: 5:15 Party 5:30 – 7:00 Reservations required.

Join us for our Virtual Holiday Party



RSVP: Arlene Marcus arlenebmarcus@comcast.net

Suggested donation: \$25.00 per person

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NO MEETING DECEMBER 23rd

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

★ Mon. Dec. 28th

★ 4:00 *Covid-19 Interest Group (CIG) meets via ZOOM invitation Tina Etcheverry, Chair

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NO MEETING DECEMBER 30TH
A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR!

★ Mon. Jan. 4th 2021

★ 4:00 *Covid-19 Interest Group (CIG) meets via ZOOM invitation Tina Etcheverry, Chair

★ Wed. Jan. 6th

★ 12:30-1:30 *BRC MEETING

SPEAKER:

Speaker provided by: Chris Ahoy, BRC President 2020-21

★ 1:45-2:45

SUPPORTIVE HOUSING COMMITTEE MEETS Joanne Dickerson-Harper, Jackie Hammond, Co-Chairs

★ Wed. Jan. 20th

★ 12:30-1:30 *BRC MEETING

SPEAKER: Denaya Shorter, Community Engagement Program Director, Ecology Center

“THE BERKELEY CLIMATE ACTION COALITION AND ZERO WASTE EDUCATION PROGRAM”

Speaker provided by: the Sacramento River Team and the Berkeley Rotary Climate Action Committee

Contacts : Anne Pardee, Arlene Marcus, Ignacio Franco

★ 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) to arrange for time and details and Covid-19 restrictions.

★ [CAL ROTARACT MEETINGS AND EVENTS](#) 

★ Please check CalRotaract.org for time and meeting link

★ 2020/21 BARSHEEP EVENTS

★ 2020/21 DISTRICT 5160 EVENTS

★ *Fri. -Sun. Apr. 30th -May 2nd 2021

★ 2021 DISTRICT 5160 CONFERENCE

★ Register now!

★ **ALL ABOARD!**

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★ Holiday Inn Downtown Sacramento

★ 2020/21 INTERNATIONAL EVENTS

★ *June 12th-16th, 2021

★ ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

★ TAIPEI

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