

2024-2025 BERKELEY ROTARY CLUB GREEN CALENDAR

[www.berkeleyrotary.org](http://www.berkeleyrotary.org)

Weekly meetings are in person and via Zoom. The Zoom link is emailed prior to the meeting.

Location: First Presbyterian Church, Channing at Dana, Berkeley 94704

Parking: 2420 Channing or in the parking structure across Channing

Wed. Mar.27

Hybrid BRC Meeting

12:30-1:30

Speaker: Nik Dehejia, CEO of the Oakland Zoo

Topic: "People & Wildlife Thriving Together: Oakland Zoo's Journey".

Speaker provided by Team #1 The Peregrine Falcon Team, Co-Captains John O'Dea & Steve Beckendorf

2:30

CIVIL DISCOURSE MEETS via ZOOM

Topic: "SHOULD THERE BE A CEASEFIRE IN GAZA?"

For Zoom link, contact: Dan Thomas [dthomas@tcassociates.com](mailto:dthomas@tcassociates.com)

Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4016266225> Meeting ID: 401 626 6225

Fri. Mar.29

Health & Wellness Committee

**HANDS ON PROJECT**

Assembly Furniture at George Luna Classrooms E.M. Donner Early Learning Center in Richmond

Contact : O'Neil Dillion [oneilsdillon@gmail.com](mailto:oneilsdillon@gmail.com)

Tues. Apr. 2

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE MEETS via ZOOM Chairman: Ken Renworth [renworth@yahoo.com](mailto:renworth@yahoo.com)

5:30-6:30

Wed. Apr. 3

Hybrid BRC Meeting

12:30-1:30

Speaker: Andy Katz, Director EBMUD

Topic: CLIMATE CHANGE AND INFRASTRUCTURE INNOVATION IN BERKELEY

Speaker provided by Libby Tyler, BRC President 2023-24

Fri. Apr.5

LADIES WHO LUNCH

12:00

Join other Rotarian women the 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month for a potluck lunch at a rotating home.

Bring: food for 6-8 but not dessert.

RSVP for April gathering hosted by Arlene

[Marcus.arlenebmarcus@comcast.net](mailto:Marcus.arlenebmarcus@comcast.net)

Wed. Apr. 10

Hybrid BRC Meeting

12:30-1:30

Speaker: Henry DeNero, Berkeley Fire Safety Council

Topic: "BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE"

Speaker provided by Team #2 The Strawberry Creek Team , Captain: Fred Tabsharani

Thurs. Apr.11

THIRSTY THURSDAY

**SOCIAL EVENT**

5-7

Join you fellow Rotarians and guests for a casual drop-in

Hosts: tbd

Wed. Apr. 17

Hybrid BRC Meeting

12:30-1:30

Speaker: Lori Fogarty, Director and CEO Oakland Museum of California

Topic: "THE CHANGING LANDSCAPE OF MUSEUMS: MUSEUM AS TOWN SQUARE"

Speaker provided by Team #3; The Tilden Park Team Co-Capt: Peter Campbell & Tom Eelkema

Wed. Apr. 24

Hybrid BRC Meeting

12:30-1:30

Speaker: Peter Fedichev, Ph.D. Chief Science Officer at Gero

Topic: "AGING, ENTROPY, AND THE BIOLOGICAL ARROW OF TIME"

Speaker provided by Team #4 The Yellow Bellied Sapsucker Team Co-Capt: O'Neil & Marcia Dillon

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★ **Tues. Apr. 30**  
 ★ **5:30-6:30**     **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE MEETS** via ZOOM     Chairman: Ken Renworth     [renworth@yahoo.com](mailto:renworth@yahoo.com)

★ **Wed. May 1**     **Hybrid BRC Meeting**  
 ★ **12:30-1:30**     **Speaker: Grace Karr, Senior Community Engagement Manager BUILD Bay Area**  
 ★ **Topic: "SUPPORT EAST BAY HIGH SCHOOL ENTREPRENEURS IN THE BUILD.org PROGRAM"**  
 ★ Speaker provided by Libby Tyler, BRC President 2023-24

★ **Wed. May 8**     **Hybrid BRC Meeting**  
 ★ **12:30-1:30**     **Speaker: David Weisblat, Prof. of the Grad. School Dept. of Molecular & Cell Biology, UC Berkeley**  
 ★ **Topic: "THE MONGOLIA PROJECT"**  
 ★ Speaker provided by Team #8 The Wild Turkey Team; Capts.: David Wilson & Marion Hunt

★ **Thurs. May 9**     **THIRSTY THURSDAY –**     **SOCIAL EVENT**  
 ★ **5-7**     Join your fellow Rotarians and guests for a casual drop-in event at Irene and Dick Hegarty's  
 ★ 17 Oakvale (off Claremont) Berkeley CA 94705

★ **ONGOING EVENTS:**  
 ★ **RESTORATION AT SKYLINE GARDENS**     **HANDS ON PROJECT**  
 ★ 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> ) Grizzly Peak Blvd. past steam trains to Siesta Gate.  
 ★ **Contact Bob Sorenson ( [rsoren@mac.com](mailto:rsoren@mac.com) )** to arrange for time and details.

★ **CAL ROTARACT Meetings and Events**   
 ★ Please check <https://www.calrotaract.org> for activities and events  
 ★ **Apr. 6-7**     **CAL ROTARACT – INTERACTOR STAY-OVER**  
 ★ Looking for space in homes close to campus – more info later.

★ **2024 BARSHEEP Events:**  
 ★ **Mar. 29**     **BARSHEEP TGIFF – Hosted by El Cerrito Rotary Club**  
 ★ **5-7**     **Ocean View Brewery 627 San Pablo Ave. Albany, CA 94706**

★ **2024 DISTRICT 5160 Events:**  
 ★ **Sat. Apr. 6**  
 ★ **SPRING ASSEMBLY -NORTH**  
 ★ **North Assembly, Saturday, April 6, Shasta College, Downtown Redding Campus, 1400 Market St, Redding, CA 96001**

★ **Fri.- Sun. Apr.26-28**  
 ★ **DISTRICT 5160 CONFERENCE: FIELD OF ROTARY DREAMS**     **Sacramento**  
 ★ **Register now: [Rotary 5160.org](https://www.rotary5160.org)**

★ **Sat.-Wed. May 25-29**  
 ★ **ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION**     **Singapore**  
 ★ **Register now: 2024 Rotary International Convention**

**HAPPY APRIL BIRTHDAYS!**   

★ <b>4<sup>TH</sup></b> <b>LYNN HENDERSON</b>	★ <b>20<sup>TH</sup></b> <b>KEN RENWORTH</b>
★ <b>10<sup>TH</sup></b> <b>NICKY LINDQUIST</b>	★ <b>21<sup>ST</sup></b> <b>DAVID MALCOLM</b>
★ <b>12<sup>TH</sup></b> <b>FRED TABSHARANI</b>	★ <b>22<sup>ND</sup></b> <b>JOAN McLEAN</b>
★ <b>13<sup>TH</sup></b> <b>MARCIA DILLON</b>	★ <b>23<sup>RD</sup></b> <b>DOUG FIELDING</b>
	★ <b>30<sup>TH</sup></b> <b>JOHN CANER</b>

