

2024-2025 BERKELEY ROTARY CLUB GREEN CALENDAR

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

Tues. Apr. 2 MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE MEETS via ZOOM Chairman: Ken Renworth 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

4:00 SUPPORTIVE HOUSING COMMITTEE MEETS via ZOOM link sent Tuesday by Pamela V. Emerson
Pvemerson1@yahoo.com

4:00 SOCIAL COMMITTEE MEETS via Zoom Chair.: Arlene Marcus arlenebmarcus@comcast.net

Fri. Apr.5 LADIES WHO LUNCH
12:00 Join other Rotarian women the 1st 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

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
4:00-5:00 COMMUNICATION COMMITTEE MEETS via ZOOM PR Chair: Irene Hegarty hgrty@sbcglobal.net

Thurs. Apr.11
11:00 'til done Supportive Housing Hygiene Kit Packing **HANDS-ON PROJECT**
In person at 3115 Eton Ave., Berkeley Contact: Jackie Hammond jphbooks74@gmail.com

5 -7 THIRSTY THURSDAY **SOCIAL EVENT**
Join your fellow Rotarians and guests for a casual drop-in event at Anne Pardee & Steve Beckendorf's in the Berkeley Hills.

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-Capts: Peter Campbell & Tom Eelkema
4:00 to 5:30 CLUB AND ENDOWMENT BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEET via ZOOM

2022-23 BRC President Libby Tyler
2022-23 BRE Treasurer Tina Etcheverry

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-Capts: O'Neil & Marcia Dillon
2:30 CIVIL DISCOURSE MEETS via ZOOM
Topic: tbd
For Zoom link, contact: Dan Thomas dthomas@tcassociates.com
Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4016266225> Meeting ID: 401 626 6225

Tues. Apr. 30 MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE MEETS via ZOOM Chairman: Ken Renworth renworth@yahoo.com
5:30-6:30

COMING UP:

★ **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

★ **Wed. May 22 Hybrid BRC Meeting**
★ **12:30-1:30 Speaker: Alison Simon, former Director of Amtrak "Loves to Talk about Trains"**
★ **Topic: "The Future of Rail in a Climate Changing World"**
★ Speaker provided by Team #7 The Yosemite Team Capts: Jack McPhail & David Pook

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) to arrange for time and details.

[CAL ROTARACT Meetings and Events](https://www.calrotaract.org) 

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:

★ **April BARSHEEP TGIFF -tbd**

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.rotary.org/usa/district-5160)

★ **Sat.-Wed. May 25-29 ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION Singapore**
★ Register now: [2024 Rotary International Convention](https://www.rotary.org/usa/convention)

HAPPY APRIL BIRTHDAYS!   

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