

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

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

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 link sent by Arlene Marcus arlenebmarcus@comcast.net

Sun. May 5

ALL DAY++

Tickets go on Sale for *TASTE OF DOWNTOWN BERKELEY!*

FUND RAISER

Contact: Tina Etcheverry etcheverrytina@yahoo.com or Joan Collignon joancollignon@gmail.com

11:00

Tour of Tilden Regional Parks Botanical Garden

Docent led tour of Tilden Regional Park

SOCIAL EVENT

1550 Wildcat Canyon, Berkeley

BYO lunch

RSVP to Tom Eelkema (teelkema@gmail.com), Arlene Marcus

(arlenebmarcus@gmail.com), or O'Neil Dillon (oneilsdillon@gmail.com)

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

4:00-5:00

COMMUNICATION COMMITTEE MEETS via ZOOM PR Chair: Irene Hegarty hgrty@sbcglobal.net

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

Sat. May 11

CEID (Center for Early Intervention on Deafness) 21st Annual Walkathon

Lakeside Park, Lake Merritt – come as volunteers or attendees **GRANTEE EVENT**

Contact Libby Tyler eh Tyler6@gmail.com

Wed. May 15

Hybrid BRC Meeting

12:30-1:30

Speaker: Steve Tornallavay, from Ninth Street Labs

Topic: "9th STREET LAB: LEARN TO BUILD, BUILD TO LEARN"

Speaker provided by Team #6 The Sequoia Sempervirens Team; Co-Capt: :Shivani Grover & Irene Hegarty

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

Sun. May 19

SAN FRANCISCO SCOTTISH FIDDLERS SPRING CONCERT

1:00

Freight & Salvage, Berkeley

Contact: Pate Thomson pate@pandjthomson.com

Wed. May 22

Hybrid BRC Meeting

12:30-1:30

Speaker: Alison Simon, former Director of Amtrak

Topic: "The Future of Rail in a Climate- Changing World"

Speaker provided by Team #7 The Yosemite Team

Capt: Jack McPhail & David Pook

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★ **Wed. May 22 (cont')**

★ **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

★ **Wed. May 29 Hybrid BRC Meeting**

★ **12:30-1:30** **Speaker: Adam Janik, M.D. and Maddison Eshoo, NP**
★ **Topic: "PREPARING FOR END-OF-LIFE CARE"**
★ Speaker provided by Team #8 The Fall River Team; Capt: Arlene Marcus

★ **COMING UP:**

★ **Tues. June 4**

★ **5:30-6:30** **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE MEETS** on Zoom
★ Link sent by Ken Renworth (renworth@yahoo.com)

★ **Wed. June 5 Hybrid BRC Meeting**

★ **12:30-1:30** **Speaker: Joel Roster, Executive and Managing Director of Contra Costa Civic Theater**
★ **Topic: "THE NEXT CHAPTER: EDUCATION AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE NEXT GENERATION OF ARTISTS"**
★ Speaker provided by Team #1 The Peregrine Falcon Team Co-Capt.: John O'Dea & Steve Beckendorf

★ **Fri. June 7**

★ **12:00** **LADIES WHO LUNCH** – Host: Anne Pardee. Stay tuned for details

★ **Sun. June 9 TASTE OF DOWNTOWN BERKELEY** **FUND RAISER**

★ **2-5:30** **"A Walking Tour of the Best of Downtown Berkeley Restaurants!"**
★ Contact: Tina Etcheverry etcheverrytina@yahoo.com or Joan Collignon joancollignon@gmail.com

★ **Wed. June 12 Hybrid BRC Meeting**

★ **12:30-1:30** **Speaker: Libby Tyler, BRC President 2023-2024**
★ **Topic: "THAT WAS THE YEAR THAT WAS" Reflections on her term as Berkeley Rotary's 2023-24 president, as well as the accomplishments of the Club during this time.**

★ **Thur. June 13 Thirsty Thursday**

★ **5-7:00** Join your fellow Rotarians and guests for a casual drop-in event hosted by Ed Church and Beth Pollard, Contact Ed for their address: church@berkeley.edu

★ **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

★ **2024 BARSHEEP Events:**

★ **May 31 BARSHEEP TGIFF -tbd**

★ **2024 DISTRICT 5160 Events:**

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

HAPPY MAY BIRTHDAYS!

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| ★ 2ND DAVID WILSON | 14TH DYLAN SUPENCHECK |
| ★ 3RD PAMELA DOOLAN | 15TH KEN MATSUMURA |
| ★ 10TH JACKIE HAMMOND | 24TH ANNE PARDEE |
| ★ ADRIAN VANCAMPER | 26TH REBECCA PHONG |
| ★ 11TH AMIT RANDHAWA | 29TH CHRIS AHOY |
| ★ 12TH MARTY KALISKI | 31ST JACK McPHAIL |

