

2025 BERKELEY ROTARY CLUB GREEN CALENDAR

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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

Lunch is available at noon; the meeting begins at 12:30

- ★ **Tues. Mar. 25** BRC Supportive Housing Committee Easter Basket packing **HANDS-ON**
Contact Jackie Hammond for information jphbooks74@gmail.com
- ★ **Wed. Mar. 26** Hybrid BRC Meeting **SPEAKER**
12:00-1:30 Speakers: CEID Cindy Dickeson (CEO) and Davana Jackson (Deaf Coach Coordinator)
Topic: "MAXIMIZING THE POTENTIAL OF DEAF AND HARD-OF-HEARING CHILDREN AT CEID"
Speaker provided by Team South Asia; Pamela Doolan & Libby Tyler, Captains
- ★ **2:30-3:30** CIVIL DISCOURSE meets on ZOOM **PEACE COMM. MTG.**
"KEEPING ROTARY NON-PARTISAN WHILE STAYING TRUE TO YOUR CONVICTIONS"
Contact: Dan Thomas dthomas@tc-associates.com
- ★ **Thurs. Mar.27** PROJECT LASAGNA **HANDS-ON**
Cooking or delivering lasagna for Women's Daytime Drop-in Center Wednesday Lunch
Sign up: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054DA9AB2DA46-55506301-cooking?useFullSite=true#/>
- ★ **Fri. Mar. 28** CALIFORNIA MARITIME ACADEMY TOUR **SOCIAL EVENT**
10:00-2:00 Maritime Academy Dr. Vallejo, CA Contact: O'Neil Dillon oneilsdillon@gmail.com
- ★ **COMING UP:**
- ★ **Wed. Apr. 2** Hybrid BRC Meeting **SPEAKER**
12:00-1:30 Speaker: J.K. Fowler, Executive Director of the [Bay Area Book Festival](#)
Topic: "BAY AREA BOOK FESTIVAL: CHANGING THE NARRATIVE"
Speaker provided by: Team Africa; John Caner, Captain
- ★ **Fri. Apr.4** LADIES WHO LUNCH hosted by Louise O'Dea **SOCIAL EVENT**
12:00-2:00 Please bring a dish for 6-8 to share (except dessert, which will be provided). RSVP is not necessary, but it would be nice. Email info@berkeleyrotary.org for the location.
- ★ **Sat. Apr. 5** NATIVE PLANT GARDEN TOUR **SOCIAL EVENT**
12:30 - 2:00 Bob Sorenson's 295 Sundown Terrace, Orinda Contact: O'Neil Dillon oneilsdillon@gmail.com
Bring your lunch
- ★ **Wed. Apr. 9** Hybrid BRC Meeting **SPEAKER**
12:00-1:30 Speaker: Jamie Albrecht, Emergency Services Coordinator,
City of Berkeley Office of Emergency Services
Topic: TBD
Speaker provided by Team Caribbean; Amit Randhawa
- ★ **Thurs. Apr.10** **HANDS-ON+ COMM. MTG.**
11:00 'til done SUPPORTIVE HOUSING HYGIENE KIT PACKING in conjunction with SUPPORTIVE HOUSING COMMITTEE MEETING
3115 Eton Ave., Berkeley Contact: Jackie Hammond jphbooks74@gmail.com
- ★ **5:00-7:00** Thirsty Thursday at Doug Fielding's **SOCIAL EVENT**
2439 Russell St. (betn: Telegraph and College) Berkeley
Come join fellow Rotarians for a chance to chat and enjoy some wine and snacks

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★ **Wed. Apr. 16** Hybrid BRC Meeting **SPEAKER**
 ★ **12:00-1:30** Speaker: Monica Gandhi, M.D.
 ★ Topic: "UPDATE ON COMMUNICABLE DISEASES"
 ★ Speaker provided by the Health & Wellness Committee and the Past Presidents Team; Ed Church and O'Neil Dillion, Captains

★ **Wed. Apr. 23** Hybrid BRC Meeting **SPEAKER**
 ★ **12:00-1:30** Speakers: Dawn Sagorski from Women's Daytime Drop-in Center and Gwen Austin from BOSS/Building Opportunities for Self-Sufficiency
 ★ Topic: "PEOPLE OF ACTION"
 ★ Speaker provided by 2024-25 BRC President Ken Renworth **EVENT**

★ **Sun. Apr. 27** GILMAN DISTRICT STREET FAIR – on Camelia between 8th & 7th
 ★ **10:00-5:00** Volunteers needed SIGN-UP <https://www.gilmandistrict.org/gilmandistrictstreetfairWed>.

★ **Apr. 30** Hybrid BRC Meeting **SPEAKER**
 ★ **12:00-1:30** Speaker: Past Rotary District Governor Suzanne Bragdon
 ★ Topic: "ROTARIANS ARE PEACE BUILDERS"
 ★ Speaker provided by Team Europe Volodymyr Goshylyk, Captain

★ **Sun. June 6** TASTE OF DOWNTOWN BERKELEY – Save the Date! **FUND RAISER**
 ★ Volunteers Needed!

★ [CAL ROTARACT Meetings and Events](https://www.calrotaract.org) 🐻 Check <https://www.calrotaract.org> for activities and events

★ **Apr. 5-6** SPRING INTERACT STAYOVER
 ★ Housing needed contact: <https://calrotaract.org/about-rotaract/why-join-copy-2/>

★ **BARSHEEP Events**

★ **Fri. Mar. 28** BARSHEEP TGIFF **SOCIAL EVENT**
 ★ **5:00-7:00** Host: Albany Rotary
 ★ Location: CLUB MALLARD 752 San Pablo Ave., Albany, CA.

★ **Sat. Apr. 12**
 ★ **11:00-3:00** **SIP AND SAVOR** **FUND RAISER**
 ★ Fundraiser for RotaCare West Contra Costa Free Medical Clinic
 ★ Wine, Beer, endless Food & Music Tickets \$70
 ★ 2851 Salesian Ave., Richmond, CA 94804; sipandsavor.org Contact Pamela Doolan
 ★ PMDoolan@aol.com

★ **DISTRICT 5160 Events**

★ **Fri.-Sun.**
 ★ **May 2-4** District 5160 RE/CONNECT 2025 **CONFERENCE**
 ★ San Ramon Marriott; [Register NOW](#)

★ **ROTARY INTERNATIONAL Events**

★ **June 21-25** Rotary International Convention **CONVENTION**
 ★ Calgary, Canada; Register: convention.rotary.org

★ **MARCH/APRIL BIRTHDAYS** 🥳 🎂 🎉

★ **Mar. 29th** Jon Vicars
 ★ **Apr. 4th** Lynne Henderson **23rd** Doug Fielding
 ★ **10th** Nicky Lindquist **30th** John Caner
 ★ **13th** Marcia Dillon
 ★ **20th** Ken Renworth
 ★ **21st** David Malcolm
 ★ **22nd** Joan McLean

