

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

- ★ **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 oneildillon@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: "SIX CRITICAL STEPS TO DISASTER PREPAREDNESS"**
★ Speaker provided by Team Caribbean; Amit Randhawa
- ★ **4:00** **COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE MEETS via ZOOM** Chair: Irene Hegarty hgrty@sbcglobal.net
- ★ **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**
- ★ **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
- ★ **4:00-5:30** **CLUB AND ENDOWMENT BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEET via ZOOM**
★ 2024-25 BRC President Ken Renworth
★ 2024-25 BRE Treasurer Tina Etcheverry
- ★ **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
- ★ **2:30-3:30** **CIVIL DISCOURSE meets on ZOOM** **PEACE COMM. EVENT**
★ **Topic: TBD** Contact: Dan Thomas dthomas@tc-associates.com

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★ Sun. Apr. 27 **GILMAN DISTRICT STREET FAIR – on Camelia between 8th & 7th** **HANDS-ON**
 ★ 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**

★ **COMING UP:**

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

★ **CAL ROTARACT Meetings and Events** 🐻 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. Apr. 25 **BARSHEEP TGIFF** **SOCIAL EVENT**
 ★ 5:00-7:00 **Host: TBD**
 ★ **Location: TBD**

★ Sat. Apr. 12 **SIP AND SAVOR** **FUND RAISER**
 ★ 11:00-3:00 **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**

★ **APRIL BIRTHDAYS**



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

