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Speakers

October 05, 2022

[DG Suzanne Bragdon](#)

"The Power of Rotary"

October 12, 2022

[Eleanor Hollander, Manager, Berkeley Office of Economic Development](#)

"Berkeley Civic Center Visioning Project"

October 19, 2022

[Anne Harlow, President, Berkeley Historical Society](#)

"The Berkeley Historical Society and Museum: Current Offerings and Future Vision"

October 26, 2022

[Jeffrey Church, Visitor & Partner Services Manager, Visit Berkeley](#)

"Visit Berkeley: Showcasing Community and Culture for Visitors and Locals Alike"

Events

October 6th

[Supportive Housing Committee Hygiene Kits Packing Service](#)

October 20th

[Third Thursday Gathering](#)

October 23rd

[Golden Gate Bridge Walk](#)

October 26th

[Civil Discourse on Zoom](#)

Birthdays

[Robert L Sorenson](#)

October 4th

[Kate Harrison](#)

October 13th

[Donald L. Alter](#)

October 15th

[Lewis Ames](#)

October 27th

Club Announcements

By Linda Cogozzo

Next Meeting. Wednesday, October 5, 12:30 PM PT, in person at First Presbyterian and via Zoom: Rotary District 5160 Governor Suzanne Bragdon will speak about "The Power of Rotary." This will be a joint meeting with Albany Rotary. The speaker is provided by President Joan Collignon.

Birthday Deniers Club. If you have a birthday in October or thereabouts, join Arlene and Maury Marcus for lunch on the patio at Zarrì's Delicatessen (1224 Solano Ave., just below the BART tracks) on Friday, October 7, 1:00 PM. Even if you don't have an upcoming birthday, join us for a fun lunch with fellow Rotarians!



Dictionary Inserts Completed!

By Pamela M. Doolan



Over three mornings, 18 Berkeley Rotarians put inserts into dictionaries that will be given to third-grade students in the Berkeley Unified School District. Inserts included a nameplate, a letter to the student's family, a bookmark with the Rotary Four-Way Test, and a sampling of our many grants and hands-on projects.

Thank you, Berkeley Rotarians, for your work in preparing the dictionaries. The next phase will be the scheduling of team presentations at the schools. Watch for sign-ups in the weeks to

come.

Seed Library Project Update

By O'Neil Dillon

The Seed Library project for the pollinator gardens is progressing apace. Peter Campbell and O'Neil Dillon built out the beehive boxes that are being decorated by the artists involved in the project.

[Joanne Dickerson-Harper](#)
October 29th



Mulching Day at Camp Tuolumne

By Pamela M. Doolan

The Friends of Berkeley Tuolumne Camp need our help on October 8, 10 AM-3 PM, to protect thousands of trees through the dry months ahead. Email Scott Gelfand (scott@fobtc.com) to register.

THE FRIENDS OF BERKELEY TUOLUMNE CAMP

MULCHING DAY

October 8th, 2022
10am-3:00pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Amazing news - we got the green light from the Forest Service and The City to have a MULCHING DAY at camp to help our young plants stay happy and healthy thru the dry months ahead!

Come spend a beautiful fall day at Camp and help us grow our forest back!

We are trucking in 80 yards of tree mulch and will be hand spreading it throughout camp to protect and support the thousands of trees we have planted.



WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We'll cap this at the first 50 volunteers who email back to confirm their interest and availability!

Email: scott@fobtc.com

Sat Oct 8th 10am - 3pm Camp Tuolumne

We'll confirm back to you with all the details, a waiver to sign and send back, etc. Children are welcome and can participate.

THANK YOU Campers & Friends - you are the best!

A Sobering Look at Alzheimer's

By Joan Collignon

One in three seniors dies with Alzheimer's or another dementia. More than six million Americans are living with Alzheimer's.

These are astonishing figures. Drue Banta, the Senior Director of the SF Walk to End Alzheimer's, opened his talk on September 28 with these sobering statistics. And there were more, underscoring the urgent need to find a cure and means of prevention for the scourge of Alzheimer's and dementia.

The Alzheimer's Association is the primary fundraiser in the U.S. for research on Alzheimer's (aside from the federal government). They also provide support for families and caregivers, usually with no charge. Drue was able to share some late-breaking news on advances in research, but cautioned that these are in early stages of testing. Clearly, there's a long road ahead.



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