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Ray Sundby Humanist of the Year 2021

Ray is an engineer with a love of nature and commitment to social issues. He has been a valuable member of the board since 2019. Since stepping up to the position of president he has worked to increase cooperation with other freethought groups in the area and reduce unnecessary expenses.

Plans are in the works for the 25th Annual Awards Dinner to be held in the first week of August. Due to the pandemic, there have been no face-to-face meetings of the Humanist Community since March of 2020. Over two years!

This will be our first in-person meeting, and we're looking forward to it with great anticipation.

Mailing Address

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meetup.com/humanistcommunity

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There is fear that the Supreme Court is taking the nation in a new direction. The Right has been concerned about growing freedoms that had been previously unaddressed but which most of us see as an ongoing affirmation of core values.

Roe vs Wade extended bodily integrity to a woman's womb, allowing her to do what she sees as best for herself and her loved ones. Prohibiting school prayers in classrooms means we are all Americans regardless of our religious identification or belief in the supernatural. Legalizing same sex marriage, and striking down sodomy laws, and laws against mixed racial marriages allows us to express the love we feel the way we want without government prohibition or sanction.

In its latest decisions, SCOTUS has begun to undo these gains. Some judges assure us that these are their last territorial claims on our freedoms, but at their confirmation they each said that the right to an abortion was decided, so we can't be sure of anything.



For details and registration go to SkeptiCal Conference.

Our illustrated newsletter Calendar is on page 2 of this newsletter.

Online Forums

The URL for our Humanist Forums on Zoom has changed. The address can be found on Meetup at meetup.com/humanistcommunity.













EVENTS HUMANIST COMMUNITY IN SILICON VALLEY



Mon.

Tues.

Wed.

Thurs.

Fri.

Sat.

Patriotism Is Not Political

Our Lives, Our Fortunes and Our Sacred Honor

15th_&1st 10:00 AM Topical Discussion





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3 11:00 AM Sunday Forum

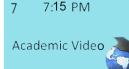
The New (and Old) Attacks on Free Speech video anu discussion













10 11:00 AM Sunday Her Honor:

My Life on the Bench LaDoris Hazzard Cordell

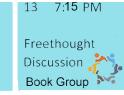




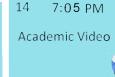
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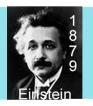
17 11:00 AM Sunday Forum Behaving Decently: Kurt Vonnegut's Humanism video and discussion













²⁴ 11:00 AM Sunday Forum Twists and Turns in **Teaching Evolution** Glenn Branch







7:05 PM Academic Video

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31 11:00 AM Sunday Forum

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The 'other side' is not the enemy. Fear and hatred are the enemies." Shellen Lubin