

Events Commemorating the Oakland/Berkeley Hills Firestorm

In recognition of the perseverance and indomitable community spirit that grew out of one of the nation's worst urban fires in history, we mark the 20th anniversary of the 1991 Oakland/Berkeley Hills Firestorm with the following events.



Thursday, September 11 -
Tuesday, November 30, 2011
**Remembering and Rebuilding: A
Commemoration of the Oakland-
Berkeley Firestorm**

Oakland History Room, Oakland Main
Library, 2nd floor
125 - 14th Street, Oakland
www.oaklandlibrary.org, (510) 834-7446

Wednesday, October 12, 7:00pm
20 Years After the Tunnel Fire

A forum on lessons learned, sponsored
by the Lamorinda Wildfire Forum
Orinda Library, 24 Orinda Way, Orinda.
(925) 376-4668

October 15, 2011 - February 2012
**1991: Oakland-Berkeley Fire Aftermath:
Photographs by Richard Misrach**

The Oakland Museum & Berkeley
BMA/PFA will each present 40 photo-
graphs from Richard Misrach's series
taken following the 1991 Firestorm.

Oakland Museum of California,
1000 Oak Street, Oakland
www.museumca.org (510) 318-8400

Berkeley Art Museum/Pacific Film
Archive, 2626 Bancroft Way, Berkeley
www.bampfa.berkeley.edu,
(510) 642-2250

Saturday, October 22, 2011
9:00 am

Reflection

Rockridge BART station Firestorm Tile Wall,
College Avenue
Individual expressions of those affected
by the Firestorm

10:30 am

Remembrance

Gateway Emergency Preparedness Exhibit
Center Tunnel Road & Caldecott Lane
Formal commemorative ceremony

12 Noon

Family Preparedness Fair Lake Temescal, 6500 Broadway

(north entrance)

Fun, food, and informative event for families
and friends. Fire engines, helicopter training
exercise, live entertainment, emergency
preparation information, Smokey the Bear,
face painting and more. Free gift for the first
500 families to attend (one gift per family)

For more information on Firestorm
commemorations: leave a message at
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FirestormAnniversary@oaklandnet.com

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