

# A Quarter Century of Chernobyl

New Perspectives • First hand accounts • Insights for Japan

Moderated by Joanna Macy



**Sunday, April 10<sup>th</sup> at 4 pm**

**Berkeley Fellowship of Unitarian Universalists**

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## Three brave activists from Russia speak out

**Natalia Manzurova:** cleanup engineer at Chernobyl for five years and international advocate for radiation victims

**Natalia Mironova:** world renowned organizer at forefront of nuclear debates, won Supreme Court case against government of Russia

**Tatiana Mukhamedyarova:** outspoken voice on radiation exposure with the Movement for Nuclear Safety

**Plus: US Premiere of Chernobyl 4Ever, a film featuring young people living near Chernobyl**

Co-sponsored by the Center for Safe Energy of EII, Tri-Valley CAREs (Communities Against a Radioactive Environment), Plutonium-Free Future, and the Social Justice Committee of BFUU. Wheelchair accessible.



## EVENTS FOR YOU

*Thursday, April 21 at 7 PM, **SPECIAL REPORT BACK from DC before the monthly Tri-Valley CAREs meeting, Livermore library, 1188 So. Livermore Ave.***

Your DC Days team aims to stop ill-advised proposals for nuclear weapons, power and waste, including "modernization" of U.S. nuclear weapons and bomb plants and government "loan guarantees" for the nuclear industry. Come and hear what we learned, and what we plan to do next! Circle your calendar today. More info: (925) 443-7148.

*Thursday, April 14 at 1:30 to 4 PM and 6:30 to 9 PM. **PUBLIC MEETING on Livermore Lab, Robert Livermore Community Center, 4444 East Ave., Livermore***

The Lab is planning 2 meetings on the DOE draft supplement analysis of the Livermore Lab Site-wide Environmental Impact Statement (SWEIS). This supplement analysis will determine if a new SWEIS will happen - or not. It will be important to see what changes are being proposed and what new hazards they may bring. For example, we already know that there are plans to raise the explosive limit in the NIF.

The public will be able to attend a presentation and ask questions. The draft will be available after March 30 at <http://www.doeal.gov/lso/> and <https://www-envirinfo.llnl.gov/>. Tri-Valley CAREs is planning to have an information table at the meeting.

*Friday, April 22 at 7:00 AM, **GOOD FRIDAY ACTION at Livermore Lab, gather at the corner of Vasco Rd. & Patterson Pass Rd.***

There will be music, speakers and nuclear "stations" to visit along the road to the Lab's west gate, where those who choose may nonviolently risk arrest. More Info: (925) 443-7148.



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*Wednesday, April 27 at 9AM Badging at Site 300. **SUPERFUND COMMUNITY TOUR at Site 300.***

Marylia is taking sign ups "first come-first served" and needs your name, address, DOB, SS#, and citizenship ASAP for badging purposes. You must be signed up in advance to attend -- this special tour is inside the classified fence line. We will meet at Tri-Valley CAREs (2582 Old First St., Livermore) at 8:30 AM and carpool to Site 300 in Tracy. More Info: (925) 443-7148 or [marylia@trivalleycares.org](mailto:marylia@trivalleycares.org).



## FUKUSHIMA

We have been closely following the earthquake, tsunami and still-unfolding nuclear tragedy at the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Plant. Our thoughts and hearts are with the Japanese people. As an organization, Tri-Valley CAREs has been able to respond in several ways.

We joined other community groups who own radiation detection equipment along the West Coast and began taking regular readings. While our hand-held device is not as sensitive as a government monitoring station, we undertook this project for three reasons: as a precautionary measure, as a means of establishing local "background," and as a transparency measure to ensure that information would always be publicly available. A web site is up at [ivanmonitoring.net](http://ivanmonitoring.net). And, our daily journal is posted at [www.trivalleycares.org](http://www.trivalleycares.org) on our home page.

We have been called on by local and national media to provide analysis and commentary. To hear some of the radio shows, go to [www.trivalleycares.org](http://www.trivalleycares.org) and click on "TVC In the News."

And, as a nuclear weapons watchdog group, we have redoubled our long-standing public education efforts on the connections between nuclear weapons and power and reaffirmed our deep and ongoing commitment to achieve a nuclear-free future for all.

We invite your continued participation and support.