The October 5 Santa Cruz New Tech Meetup has been cancelled. In November, Guy Kawasaki will be the featured meetup speaker at Del Mar Theater. Stay tuned for details.

Steve Blum's article tells how the *dig once* work done by the City of Santa Cruz and Santa Cruz County formed the policy core of AB 1549, and will be the model for implementing and expanding it in the coming months.

What else? Pearl has begun shipping. Find out who they're partnering with. Looker's banner year includes a list of milestones, and they're about to kick off their first multi-day event for data pros (in New York). Startup Weekend is coming to Santa Cruz. Find out what Plantronics is doing with RingCentral. As usual, there's more.

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- **Fri Oct 7, 5-9pm**: Choose Santa Cruz EDOÂ popup market at Cosmic.
- **Sat Oct 8, 10am**: Santa Cruz Web Developers Meetup at NextSpace.
- **Tue Oct 11, 6pm**: Startup Monterey Bay Tech Meetup at Perfectly Pressed Juice Bar n Cafe, 1123 Fremont Blvd, Seaside.
- **Sat Oct 15, 12noon-5pm**: MBARI Open House at MBARI, Moss Landing.
- **Tue Oct 18, 6pm**: Design Santa Cruz Meetup at NextSpace.
- **Wed Oct 19, 5pm**: Santa Cruz Women's Javascript/FrontEnd Development Meetup at Looker.
- **Wed Oct 19, 5:30-7:30pm**: Writing a Resume to get an Interview at Looker.
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