HOW TO REPLACE FRONT BEARING IN BC 3 & 5:

Remove 3 cover bolts (newer models 2019 and newer have 3 other screws to hold cover over open bearing) Pull off cover (you may want to put other hand in drum door to push up on drum)





If bearing holder is hard to remove you may use its own screws placed into bearing holder against front plate (away from existing screw holes) And screw into holder to push the bearing and its holder out off shaft. (See picture below)- You can also use bearing pullers if you like









Put upside down between 2 2x4's and using a wooden dowel or handle tap bearing off holder

then gently knock out old bearing:



Put new bearing into holder and reattach. Sealed bearings such as seen in these pictures are sealed with grease within and do not need greased. But they will not last as long as properly maintained open bearings. Grease only open type bearings with FOOD GRADE GREASE ONLY Every other month by applying grease to front bearing. Back bearing only needs greased every 150 hours of use or couple months unless using roaster daily.