

THE BEACON

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March 2007

96 B Main Street, Tiburon, CA 94920

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CALENDAR

Monday, March 5
7:30 p.m.
Belvedere City Council
Belvedere Council Chambers

Wednesday, March 7
8 a.m.
Board of Directors' Meeting
Servino's

Wednesday, March 7
7:30 p.m.
Tiburon Council Meeting
Tiburon Council Chambers

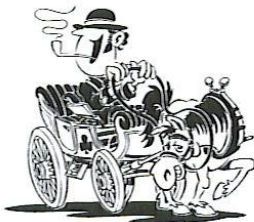
Thursday, March 15
Monthly Luncheon
Speaker Paige Peterson
"All About Blackie"
Servino's
11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.
\$20/\$25

Saturday, March 17
St. Patrick's Day

Wednesday, March 21
7:30 p.m.
Tiburon Town Council
Tiburon Council Chambers

Wednesday, March 21
First Day of Spring

Thursday, March 22
Monthly Mixer
5:30 - 7 p.m.
Caffe Acri
One Main Street
S10/S15



Fax: 435-1132

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Speaker, Paige Peterson,
illustrator & co-author of

Blackie The Horse Who Stood Still



Our March speaker will be Paige Peterson, illustrator and coauthor of the new book, *Blackie, The Horse Who Stood Still*. Written in the "Dr. Seuss style," there are many who believe this book will become a classic alongside *Ferdinand The Bull*.

Paige's coauthor, Chris Cerf, is an author, composer-lyricist, record and television producer, editor and cofounder and president of the educational television production company, Sirius Thinking, Ltd. He helped create and produce the "Sesame Street" television program and was a regular contributor of music and lyrics. In the process, he won two Grammy Awards and three Emmy Awards.

Paige is a New York artist who grew up in Belvedere (her mother is former Belvedere Mayor Corinne Wiley) and visited Blackie as a child, feeding him apples, carrots and sugar. She has appeared on "Oprah" and has designed and styled segments for "Good Morning America." Her paintings are exhibited regularly in galleries across the country, and she is a member of the prestigious Guild Hall Academy of the Arts. Limited edition prints of the Blackie book illustrations will be exhibited at the Belvedere-Tiburon Library from Monday, March 12, through Friday, April 13. An artist's reception will be held on Tuesday, March 13, 6 to 8 p.m.

The book tells the story of Blackie's life, from the time he was born in Kansas, to being a cutting horse at rodeos, to a cavalry horse at Yosemite Park, to retiring in his own pasture in Tiburon for the next 28 years. While there, he watched as projects such as a large strip mall threatened his pasture before the idea was thwarted by citizens. Blackie died in 1966 at age 40 – a very long life for a horse.

Paige will bring along some of the paintings she created for the book and will tell how she and Chris were chosen by the Tiburon Peninsula Foundation to write and illustrate the story of Blackie and of their trials and tribulations in accomplishing this.

An entertaining speaker, Paige Peterson will make this luncheon one you won't want to miss. A few copies of *Blackie The Horse Who Stood Still* will be for sale if you haven't had an opportunity to buy one yet.

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