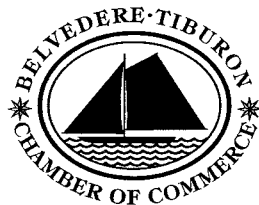


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CALENDAR

Monday, November 5 & 19
& December 3

Economic Development Meeting
Servino's

Monday, November 5 & December 3
7:30 p.m.

Belvedere City Council
Belvedere City Hall

Tuesday, November 6
ELECTION DAY

Wednesday, November 7
& December 5
8 a.m.

Board of Directors' Meeting
Servino's

Wednesday, November 7
11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Monthly Luncheon honoring
Diane Smith

Business/Volunteer of the Year 2007
San Francisco Yacht Club
\$20/\$25

Wednesday, November 7 & 21
7:30 p.m.

Tiburon Council Meeting
Tiburon Town Hall

Thursday, November 15
5:30 to 7 p.m.

Annual Windsor
Tasting Room Mixer
\$10/\$15

Thursday, November 22
Thanksgiving Day

Saturday, December 1
11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

"Don't Moose Around
with Christmas"
The Boardwalk

Friday, December 7
6 p.m.

Holiday Tree Lighting
Fountain Plaza

Fax: 435-1132

Luncheon with Rotary Club

Wednesday, November 7

11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Citizen-of-the-Year Luncheon

Diane Smith

San Francisco Yacht Club

\$20/\$25



Over the past 27 years, Diane Smith has been the photo chronicler of events and happenings on the Belvedere/Tiburon Peninsula, taking pictures and writing articles for *The Ark* newspaper about celebrities, students, fund-raisers, parties and parades. She has flown above Marin in a small airplane, gone out with the Coast Guard on Opening Day on the Bay, climbed the Tiburon Town Hall roof when its new clocks were installed, slogged through knee-deep mud and waded through ankle-deep puddles in pouring down rain to get a needed shot. In addition to taking endless "grin and shake" pictures, posed portraits and spontaneous candid, she has attended nearly every conceivable event held on the Tiburon Peninsula. Some of the youngsters she took pictures of 20 years ago are now the parents of the children she's photographing today.

She recently stepped down from the Tiburon Heritage & Arts Commission after serving for eight years. During that time, she managed the two alternating art exhibits held at town hall, lining up the 12 yearly artists, interviewing them, taking their photos, writing publicity articles for the shows and assisting in hanging and taking down the exhibits. She put together an annual PowerPoint show for the commission to present to the Tiburon Town Council and designed and printed the commission's brochure. She takes photos for the town staff, when requested, and shoots the annual portrait of the Tiburon Council and Mayor. She also serves on the Belvedere-Tiburon Library Foundation Board.

A longtime member of the Belvedere-Tiburon Landmarks Society, she has produced the historical society's newsletter for the past 22 years and was honored as its Volunteer-of-the-Year in 2002. Twelve years ago, she started doing the Tiburon Chamber of Commerce newsletter and, as a member of the American Association of University Women, she spent eight years producing that organization's monthly newsletter, receiving its "Named Gift Award" several years ago.

Diane earned her B.S. degree from the University of Minnesota, and she and her husband, former Tiburon Mayor Larry Smith who was also Tiburon's Citizen-of-the-Year in 2001, first moved here in 1965. They now have three grown children and seven grandchildren.

After all these years, Diane continues to enjoy every aspect of what she does in, what she believes to be, the best place in the world to live.

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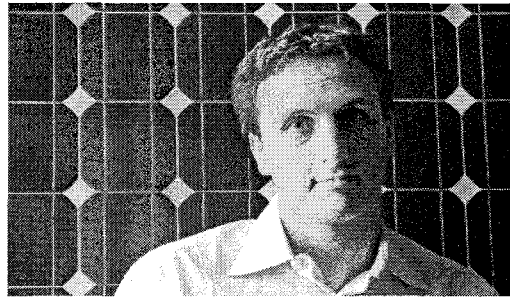
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and services for large-scale distributed computer management. Under his leadership, the company raised over \$90 million dollars in funding and grew to hundreds of employees. Lyndon played a vital role in securing new business and establishing relationships with suppliers. Lyndon's past experiences also include creating an alternative health production and distributing company which grew to over 1,000 sales representatives with multiple product lines within four years.




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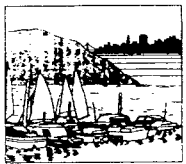
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News About Town

Melissa Bradley Real Estate will have its Grand Opening with a ribbon cutting ceremony at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday, November 1, followed by cocktails at Servino Ristorante.

On Tuesday, November 13, DeLano's in downtown Tiburon will hold a wine tasting and food pairing from 6 to 9 p.m.

Servino has great music Thursday and Friday evenings, and reservations are not necessary. The private dining room may be reserved for company functions and special occasions, 435-4079. Caffe Acri will be open for breakfast and lunch on Thanksgiving, but Servino will be closed. Both restaurants will be closed on Christmas. For more information about their events, check the Website at www.servino.com. For New Year's reservations, call 435-2676.

Sam's Anchor Café is holding a Champagne Tasting to benefit The Marin Academic Center of Sunny Hills on Thursday, November 15, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. There will be a huge selection of champagne. Price is \$80.00 per person. To launch the upcoming holiday season in style, cases of wine may be purchased at a substantial discount.

The Belvedere-Tiburon Recreation Department will host its annual "Breakfast with Santa" on Saturday, December 8, from 9 to 10:30 a.m. at the Belvedere Community Center. Photos with Santa will be taken. Tickets are \$15 per person. Call early for reservations - 435-4355.

The Annual Teddy Bear Tea at the Belvedere-Tiburon Library will be held on Sunday, December 9, with four seatings available. Price is \$25 per person, and reservations are necessary. Call 789-2662.

The Angel Island /Tiburon Ferry's winter schedule:
Weekdays: 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. Weekends: 10 a.m.; 11 a.m.;
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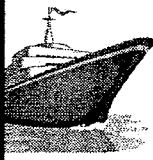
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"Don't Moose Around with Christmas" will be held at The Boardwalk on Saturday, December 1, 11a.m. to 1 p.m. Free gifts for all children and free photos with Santa. This event is presented by the Belvedere Land Company and the Belvedere-Tiburon Chamber of Commerce.

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Once again, the Angel Island Association is holding its annual **"Angel Lights"** on top of Mt. Livermore. The tree will be lit up on Friday, November 30, at sundown. You can adopt a tax-deductible light in memory of a person or for any other kind of reason. Levels of donations are: Angel, \$500; Diamond, \$250; Platinum, \$100; Gold, \$50; Silver, \$35. Applications are on the Website at: www.angelisland.org or you can send a check directly to Angel Island Association, P.O. Box 866, Tiburon, Ca. 94920. The FAX

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