



The Newsletter for Members and Friends of CLAM

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Second Annual Point Reyes Green Home Tour — Sunday, September 21, 11:00 a.m.

This year's Green Home Tour is shaping up to be another great day! We will tour two homes in Inverness, two in Point Reyes Station, and a bonus display of small homes at the Dance Palace. Come see examples of small homes, on-site lumber milling, passive solar construction, solar electricity and hot water, gardens, and other affordable green practices.

Tickets are \$40. Buy yours at the CLAM table at the Point Reyes Farmers Market on Aug. 16 or Sept. 6, by mail at CLAM, P.O. Box 273, Point Reyes Station 94956, or online at www.clam-ptreyes.org. If you sign up to use your fuel-efficient car to carpool people to the homes on the Tour, you'll get \$10 off the price of your ticket—call us at 663-1005 or drop an email to rae@clam-ptreyes.org.

This informative and fun day is CLAM's big fundraising event of the year. Please help make it a success again this year by spreading the word and inviting friends and neighbors to come and enjoy the day. Many thanks to the businesses that are sponsoring this event: *Axel Nelson Construction, Bonnie Fisk-Hayden Graphic Design, Building Supply Center, Coastal Marin Real Estate, County of Marin Department of Public Works, Cowgirl Creamery, Dan Morse Real Estate, Drakes Bay Oyster Company, Fairfax Lumber & Hardware, Green Girls Events, John Hope Construction, Korhummel Design & Construction, Lions Club of West Marin, Little House on the Trailer, Melissa Lyckberg, Realtor, Miriam Landman Eco-Consulting & Communications, Regenerative Design Institute, Point Reyes Books, Point Reyes Nation, Rodoni Construction, Straus Family Creamery, Tomales Bay Oyster Company, West Marin Community Event Library, and West Marin Real Estate.*

CLAM a Beneficiary of the Marin Wine Auction '08 — Saturday, September 13

The first annual Marin Wine Auction is being held on Saturday afternoon, September 13, at the Marin Art and Garden Center in Ross. Hosted by the Keiretsu Forum Charitable Foundation—San Francisco/North Bay, the afternoon features wine tasting from more than twenty Marin and North Bay wineries, live music, theatrical performances, and silent and live auctions. All of the net proceeds from the Marin Wine Auction are being donated to selected nonprofit organizations. CLAM is honored to have been chosen as a beneficiary. The funds will benefit the ranchworker housing project currently being planned by the County of Marin, Marin Resource Conservation District and California Human Development Corporation, an experienced developer of farmworker housing that CLAM connected to the project.

A huge thank-you to local artist [Nancy Stein](#) for donating an archival print of one her famous wave paintings to be auctioned at Marin Wine Auction. For information and tickets to the Marin Wine Auction: www.marinwineauction.org

First-Time Homebuyer Workshop — Thursday, October 16, 7:00 p.m.

CLAM, together with Bolinas Community Land Trust, West Marin Community Services, and Wells Fargo Bank, is hosting a workshop for people considering buying property as tenants-in-common or buying CLAM homes as low-income buyers. Participants will learn what resources are available to help them become homeowners. Details coming soon.

If you have e-mail, we'd appreciate being able to send these newsletters to you electronically to save resources. Please send your e-mail address to rae@clam-ptreyes.org. Thanks!

