Weekend 101



The inside scoop on Bay Area happenings from Marin Magazine



S.F. Beer Week Gala



February 10

Michael Kransy at College of Marin

The host of KQED Forum joins the Afternoon Author Series and shares *Let There Be Laughter*, his collection of jokes that look into Jewish culture.



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S.F. Beer Week Opening Gala

More than 125 breweries unite to serve beer enthusiasts the region's most creative and compelling brews at the largest annual beer gathering in Northern California.



February 11

Austin Granger at Book Passage

Ten years in the making, Austin Granger's *Elegy from the Edge of a Continent: Photographing Point Reyes* is an earnest beacon to an extraordinary place.



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Mardi Gras Dance Party

Celebrate the culture of southwestern Louisiana with Zydeco music. Emerging from the French Creole culture, Zydeco integrates Afro-Caribbean, rock 'n' roll and other music.



February 12

Joyce Carol Oates at Book Passage

In *A Book of American Martyrs*, Oates tells the story of two different and yet intimately linked families. This is a stunning, timely depiction of a hotly debated issue.

RSVP Hot Ticket

San Francisco Tribal & Textile Art Show February 9–12, Fort Mason Center Festival Pavilion

More than 70 national and international galleries and dealers will launch the esteemed art fair's fourth decade with a showcase of rare historical and contemporary art by tribal cultures and indigenous peoples of Asia, Africa, Oceania, the Middle East and the Americas. Indonesian textiles, African wood sculptures, Japanese bronze sculptures and many other global treasures will be on display. Widely considered North America's best, biggest and most important show of its kind, the event is a global gathering place for veteran cultural art collectors and everyday enthusiasts alike. *objectsofartshows.com*

Local Happenings and Promotions



The San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition's Public Wine Tasting — February 18, 1:30–5 p.m.

Taste the best American wines in the world. Experience award-winning wines paired with delicious food. Taste wonderful vintages, learn more about wine, and enjoy fellowship and celebration on the beautiful San Francisco Bay. Raise glasses and cheers to vintners and congratulate the winners of this prestigious wine competition in person. Advance tickets are \$70; this event sells out, so buy now. Fort Mason Center, San Francisco. Tickets available here.

North Bay Business Journal Presents "Impact Marin – Living up to your Brand Promise"

March 2, 7:30–10 a.m., Embassy Suites, San Rafael. Hear from leaders of Bay Area companies that have grown from local roots to achieve great success, all while staying true to their original visions. \$65 per person, \$675 table of 10.

Register: *Impact Marin* or call 707.521.5264 Keynote Speaker: Kevin Cleary, Clif Bar CEO

