



## NORCAL Golden Retriever Rescue to host annual Auction and Wine Tasting on November 3

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MENLO PARK, Calif., October 22, 2007...NORCAL Golden Retriever Rescue, a nonprofit, volunteer organization dedicated to finding new homes for displaced Golden Retrievers in Northern California, is hosting its popular *Auction and Wine Tasting* fundraiser this year from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 3 at the Veterans Memorial in Lafayette.

Popular radio personality Steve Seaweed of 107.7 FM "The Bone" will be this year's master of ceremony.

The Auction and Wine Tasting fundraiser is NORCAL Golden Retriever Rescue's (NGRR) largest event of the year. This year's event will include an auction of valuable donated arts, crafts, travel and other items; plus tasting of very good wines from the best wineries in California. All net proceeds from the auction and raffle go toward NGRR's medical care expenses. In 2006, NGRR provided care and rehabilitation for more than 240 Golden Retrievers at a cost of more than \$120,000.

Tickets for the auction are \$20 in advance and \$35 at the door. The Veterans Memorial is located at 3780 Mt. Diablo Blvd., in Lafayette. Visit the NORCAL Golden Retriever Rescue Web site, <http://www.golden-rescue.org/index.htm>, for more information.

### **About NORCAL Golden Retriever Rescue**

Founded in 1994, NGRR's goal is to secure safe, loving homes for all adoptable Golden Retrievers. The organization offers placement services for owners who need to give up their dogs because of changing life circumstances such as relocation, financial hardship, divorce, illness, or death.

Additionally, NGRR offers an alternative to taking their pets to an animal shelter or humane society, and rescue abandoned, neglected, and even abused Golden Retrievers. Visit <http://www.golden-rescue.org/index.htm> for more information.