Fabulous Blendos Make Winter Magical
Saturday, March 11 at 7:30 p.m.

Building on their 1999/2000 debut season, the Fabulous Blendos magic troupe returns to the Mendocino Coast with "There's Magic in the Air" - a unique family event of magic, illusions, juggling, comedy, music, and dazzling costumes and colorful props. In development for over a year, this show represents the efforts of more than thirty dedicated people. This program features some new mind-boggling illusions and many unusual tricks, along with a few Blendo "classics" and all new music.

"Our goal is quite simple," said Robert Goleman, magician and creator of The Fabulous Blendos, "Magic is an art form that reaches all ages and cultures, and has throughout history. With "There's Magic in the Air!" we hope to share something extraordinary and highly entertaining while providing a family-unifying experience that people will remember for years to come."

The magic troupe is under the creative leadership of Robert Goleman as The Magician, with the delightful comedic talents of Sandy Glickfeld as The Lovely Assistant; the truly amazing Beejay Joyer as The Juggler; Kristen Williams as the Loveliest Assistant, and Richard Cooper as the Band Leader. You'll leave this show humming and tappin' your feet to some of your favorite melodies from the thirties and forties, as well as Broadway, all artfully arranged and directed by the talented Gayle Caldwell. Other featured artists include Ana Lucas, Gary Dixon, Garet Waterhouse and Ron Smith as The Announcer. With over 150 years of combined stage experience, this all-star cast is under the direction of Sandra Hawthorne, who is well known to audiences for her impeccable directing and acting skills, in countless theatrical productions, bringing a certain grace and elegance to the productions.

The performance benefits The Gloriana Opera Company's 2006 summer production of "Funny Girl." Don't miss this opportunity to see one of the most unique and enjoyable shows of a lifetime. Bring the entire family! Tickets are $25 for general admission and $15 for ages 7 through 17..

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The Art of Possibility
Monday, March 6 at 7:30 p.m.

David Skibbins, Ph.D. novelist and Life Coach will be giving a talk on how to dream your future, and then make it come to pass. Using his life as a struggling, and then award-winning mystery writer as an example, he will present

tools you can use to implement change. You will leave the evening inspired, and equipped with some practical next steps for finding more fulfillment and fun in your life.

David Skibbins' first mystery, *Eight of Swords,* won the St. Martin's Mystery Contest. His next in the series, *High Priestess,* is scheduled to be out soon. His third *The Star* comes out in December of 2006. The trilogy features Warren Ritter, an ex-radical Tarot card reader, Sally McLaughlin a paraplegic hacker / basketball player, and Rose Janeworth, a psychotherapist with a questionable past.

David does life coaching on the Northern California coast with his brilliant wife and his frisky Portuguese Water Dog. Go to www.davidskibbins.com for a free Tarot reading. Suggested donation is $5.

Nadya Tichman & Roy Bogas Concert
Sunday, March 19 at 4 p.m.

The Gualala Arts Concert Series is delighted to present Gualala's favorite pianist, Roy Bogas, director of the Gualala Summer Chamber Music Weekend, together with

violinist Nadya Tichman, Associate Concertmaster of the San Francisco Symphony. This is a very special performance that will include Beethoven's *Sonata in C Minor*, Prokofieff's *Sonata No. 2 in D Major, and Dvorak's Sonatina.*

Tickets for the concert are $20. Children ages 7 through 17 are admitted free. Advance tickets are available at the Gualala Art Center or at the Dolphin Gallery in Gualala. Tickets may also be purchased at the door prior to the performance. For further information, call the Gualala Arts Center at 707-884-1138, or visit the website GualalaArts.org. Those unable to furnish their own transportation may call the Arts Center to request rides to the concert.