



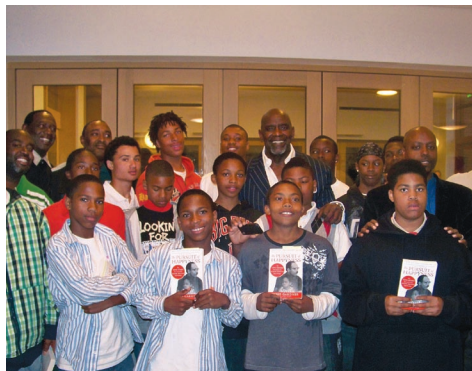
THE Phoenix Project OF MARIN

a community connections center

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Book signing with "Pursuit of Happyness" author Chris Gardner; the SF 49er Youth Training Camp; the 200 Lot Clean Up Day.



The Phoenix Project of Marin is a potent, newly formed organization with a dedicated community connections center in the 200 Lot of Drake Avenue in Marin City. This is the vulnerable heart of our Marin City village, and Phoenix Project is developing a wide range of compassionate, preventative, intervention-centered, results-oriented programs to meet the challenges facing our Marin City youth in today's economic times.

Working in tandem with a large number of partners (see below), the staff of the Phoenix Project is already fully active in holding events and ramping up working programs. We have just had a fun and successful Clean-Up Day for the 200 lot where our office center is located. The offices are now being renewed with carpet, fresh paint and decor and an array of computers for project use. We have already started working with a group of at-risk young men in the Drake Avenue area, created inspiration and prevention opportunities, and brought a number of youth into work/job opportunities. Look for our grand opening celebration in October 2009. Our web site will be coming soon.



Lead Agencies: Performing Stars of Marin and Marin Housing Authority

Partners: Project IMPACT, Stockton, CA; Marin County Agencies (all in San Rafael, CA)—Probation Department, Public Defender's Office, District Attorney's Office, Sheriff's Department, Fire Department; Northbay Conservation Corps, San Rafael, CA, California Mentor Foundation, Tiburon, CA, Marin City Community Development Corporation, Marin City, CA, The Senior Sunshine Club, Marin City, CA, Local Residents, Marin City, CA

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