

The "smash hit" of 2013 Mill Valley Film Festival!

Keeper of the Beat

A WOMAN'S JOURNEY INTO THE HEART OF DRUMMING



Photos: Irene Young

In this hour-long documentary, Barbara Borden, an acclaimed Mill Valley drummer, composer, and teacher, tells her story in eloquent words and toe-tapping music. *Keeper of the Beat* showcases the unfolding of Barbara's identity as she grows from a little girl in love with drumming to a world-class percussionist practicing "drumbeat diplomacy." Filmed on four continents.

FREE Occidental Screening of *Keeper of the Beat*

Saturday, October 20, 2018 at 7:30 p.m.

Occidental Center for the Arts

3850 Doris Murphy Ct. (Bohemian Hwy. & Graton Rd), Occidental, CA

— No charge to attend. No reservations needed. —

Live drumming by the afternoon workshop participants will open the evening. Barbara and Larissa Montfort, drummer extraordinaire, will drum following the film. The evening will end with a Q & A with Barbara and David L. Brown, Emmy Award-winning producer/director of *Keeper of the Beat*.

For questions call: (707) 874-9392 or email: info@occidentalcenterforthearts.org

Fine wine, beer & refreshments available for sale.

The world premiere of "Keeper of the Beat" was the most enthusiastic, raucous, joyous and spiritual screening I have ever witnessed in more than 30 years as a film festival programmer.

—Janis Plotkin, Senior Programmer, Mill Valley Film Festival

This uplifting and entertaining movie does a wonderful job of capturing Barbara's warmth, talent and contagious spirit. It will not only be welcomed by an international music loving audience, but also by all those who yearn for a more peaceful, harmonious and compassionate society.

—Anna Halprin, Pioneering Dancer, Choreographer