

BRIGHT SKY STUDIOS PRESENTS A FLM BY BRENT STORM "WHITE RHINO"
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Some conditions are rare...



Some conditions are once in a lifetime ...



### And then there's the white rhino ...



## **SYNOPSIS**

A parallel story from the surfers and photographers who witnessed some of the largest surf ever seen. This story is based on one photographer's journey to capture the wave of a lifetime. In pursuit, three epic swells hit the South Pacific providing conditions only madmen would dream of. Relive the stories behind these historical days from the individuals who dared to challenge the 'White Rhino'.

### **ASSETS:**

Website: www.whiterhinosurfmovie.com

Trailer: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0giY3qvbCW0&t=16s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0giY3qvbCW0&t=16s</a>

Poster: https://www.dropbox.com/s/zb6gw383c8lvvav/Official%20-%20White%20Rhino%20-

Poster\_Print.jpg?dl=0

Instagram Teaser (60 sec): https://www.dropbox.com/s/8uno18scyvioiir/INSTA\_Trailer.mp4?dl=0

### **AWARDS:**

Best Surf Film - Waimea Ocean Film Festival Best Cinematography - Carolina Surf Film Festival

# CAST

### **BRIAN BIELMANN**

As an internationally renowned photographer, Brian Bielmann has traveled extensively with many of the world's best surfers like Andy Irons, Bruce Irons and Kelly Slater. With his images gracing more than 150 magazine covers, the pages of 30 books and appearing in iconic magazines like Rolling Stone, Men's Journal, National Geographic and SportsIllustrated, he is recognized worldwide to be a photographer at the very top of his field. He captures the entire surf lifestyle and continues to push the boundaries of photography both above and below



the water. Brian's passion for surfing and his love of photography have kept him on the cutting edge for over 35 years.

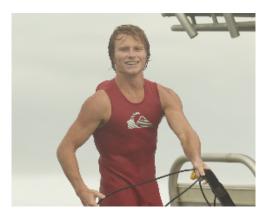
## **SURFERS**



**Bruce Irons** an American regular foot professional surfer from Hanalei, Kauai and younger brother of three-time world champion Andy Irons. Best known for his radical aerial maneuvers and fearless tube-riding abilities, he claims he will surf any wave on the planet.

Nathan Fletcher A San Clemente, California native who comes from a surf influenced family that includes older brother Christian, also known for early aerials; father Herbie (Interview found in film) was a longboard master; Joyce Hoffman (aunt), twice world-champion; and grandfather Walter Hoffman, big wave pioneer. As a pioneer to aerials in his early surfing career, Nathan turned to big wave surfing later in his career, catching some of the heaviest waves every recorded.





Mark Healey As a professional big-wave surfer, award-winning spear-fisherman, free-diver, photographer, filmmaker, and part-time Hollywood stuntman, Mark Healey relies on just one tool to command his ever-frenetic schedule. "I check the global forecast at least six times a day, starting from when I first wake up, and find out what the ocean conditions are all around the world," explains Healey, who hails

from Oahu's North Shore.

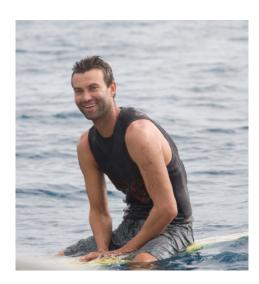
Kalani Chapman born and raised on the North Shore of Oahu, is one of Hawaii's stand out rippers. Chasing down the biggest waves around the world, Kalani remains one of the best big wave surfers on the planet.



**Dave Wassel** A Hawaiian born big wave surfer, who is also serves as an am-

bassador for Volcom, works as a full time life guard on the North Shore of Oahu. In his off-time, you can find Dave commentating at major surf events such as the Volcom Fiji Pro or chasing down heavy sets at the Eddie Invitational every vear.

**Kohl Christensen** Growing up on the East Side of Oahu. Kohl Christensen is not your typical professional surfer. A contractor by trade, but a big-wave surfer by heart, the majority of his days are spent either installing solar panels or working on his organic farm where he grows everything from tangerines to avocados. Oh, and he occasionally breaks up the monotony by paddling into some of the biggest waves on the planet.



## **ABOUT THE FILM MAKER**

Born in Ontario Canada, Brent Storm has always had a passion for film. At a young age, he would make films of him and his friends snowboarding and skateboarding in his hometown of St. Catharines. After graduating from Georgian College, Brent went on to work at the Digital Media Academy at Stanford University in California, where he had an instant attraction to the near by surf in Santa Cruz. His love for surf and filmmaking truly collided when he met legendary surf photographer Brian Bielmann at the HIC Pro in Haleiwa, HI. Through Brian's 40 years of experience in the Surf industry as a photographer and Brent's experience as a filmmaker, the two collaborated on this project to create a once in a life time film.

### **DIRECTOR'S STATEMENT**

"What began as a passion project has lead to much bigger things"

This film would not of been possible if it wasn't for the support of the surf community. Originally, this film was plotted to be a short, revealing the stories behind Brian Bielmann's most memorably photos. After completing the interview process, we realized there was a much bigger story to be told. As the film developed, we received more and more content through the generosity of some of the finest surf cinematographers and photographers in the industry, allowing us to tell the stories behind these memorable days in surfing.

### CAST & CREW

### DIRECTOR

Brent Storm

### **PRODUCER**

Brent Storm Brian Bielmann Randy Olson Julie Romaniuk

### NARRATOR

Julie Romaniuk

### **EDITOR**

Brent Storm

**SURFERS**: Kalani Chapman, Dave Wassel, Nathan Fletcher, Bruce Irons, Mark Healey, Kohl Christensen, Herbie Fletcher

#### SAFETY PATROL

Kai 'Borg' Garcia

PHOTOGRAPHY: Brian Bielmann, Peter 'Joli' Wilson, Ryan Foley, Erik Aeder

### CINEMATOGRAPHY:

Tim Bonython, Bruno Lemos, Ryan Thomas, Mike Morrissey, Brent Storm, Simon Saffigna and Stephen Spaulding.

#### MUSIC:

Theatre Crisp, Sound Stripe Licensing

### TECHNICAL DETAILS

Sound: Dolby Digital

Title: WHITE RHINO Genre: Documentary

Runtime: 64 min Country of Origin: Canada/USA

Year: 2018

Format: 1080p HD Language: English

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