

PBS Inks Deal with Family Theater Productions

*Emmy-Winning Documentary PLAYING LIKE A GIRL:
THE HOUSE THAT ROB BUILT to Air Nationwide This Fall*

HOLLYWOOD, CA, USA, July 16, 2024 /EINPresswire.com/ -- [PBS signed a deal with Family Theater Productions](#) to air and distribute its film on the powerhouse Lady Griz basketball team of the



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University of Montana and how its pioneering coach built a "house" of inclusion and empowerment, with young women from farms, ranches, and Native reservations from across the state.

PLAYING LIKE A GIRL: THE HOUSE THAT ROB BUILT is from the award-winning Family Theater Productions of Hollywood, California, which also produced the award-winning PBS basketball documentary, NATIVE BALL: LEGACY OF A TRAILBLAZER.

PLAYING LIKE A GIRL: THE HOUSE THAT ROB BUILT will be available for broadcast on PBS affiliates nationwide and

streaming on the PBS App beginning November first, 2024. The film will also be available to stream on the PBS Documentaries Amazon Prime Video Channel. After viewers watch basketball at the Summer Olympics they can enjoy Playing Like a Girl in the fall.

Said Playing Like a Girl's writer/director/producer Megan Harrington, who played basketball as a Lady Griz: “Working on this documentary gave me a greater understanding and appreciation for the resilient women who broke barriers so other little girls, like me, could dare to dream big. These amazing pioneers then passed the baton to the next generation, and the legacy continues. I am forever grateful for their courage and coaches, like Rob Selvig, who believed in their greatness as athletes when few did.”

The film's executive producer, David L. Guffey, National Director of Family Theater Productions, remarked, “As wonderful as it has been to watch the performance of athletes like Caitlin Clark and the upswing in interest in women's basketball, I am mindful of the pioneers in women's hoops, who paved the way for enthusiasm we see today. At Family Theater Productions, we are pleased that PBS decided to make Playing Like a Girl: The House That Rob Built available to its audiences starting in November 2024, and we hope it helps fans appreciate the past and present of women's basketball.”

ABOUT FAMILY THEATER PRODUCTIONS

Located on Sunset Boulevard in Hollywood, Family Theater Productions' award-winning media has engaged families since 1947 with stories that unlock the heart. The company's work includes feature films, TV series, podcasts, and digital series, www.familytheater.org.

PLAYING LIKE A GIRL: THE HOUSE THAT ROB BUILT trailer on YouTube: <https://youtu.be/n-vPzVrPals>
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The poster features three vertical panels at the top showing Lady Griz basketball players in action. Below these is a large image of a man in a brown suit and glasses, pointing towards the viewer. The title 'PLAYING LIKE A GIRL' is prominently displayed in large, bold, black letters, with 'THE HOUSE THAT ROB BUILT' underneath in smaller text. The PBS logo is visible at the bottom left of the poster.

The Emmy award-winning film on Lady Griz basketball at the University of Montana

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