

# THE TIMELINE MOSAIC WILL...

## Celebrate and Learn from our Past, Enrich our Present and Leave a Legacy

Did you know that in prehistory much of California was under water? Can you imagine pygmy mammoths living on Santa Rosa Island, or what it would be like to be the first European to see California? Learning from the past can inspire our future. Santa Barbara is the home of many historical "firsts," including Flying-A movie studios, which made hundreds of silent films from 1917 to 1920. The very first Ferragamo shoe store in the U.S. opened on State Street. And, believe it or not, the Egg Mc-Muffin was invented here in 1971! Santa Barbara was home to the world's first official Earth Day Celebration. These and so many more historic events will be illustrated in the 4 foot tall and 50 foot long Timeline Mosaic.

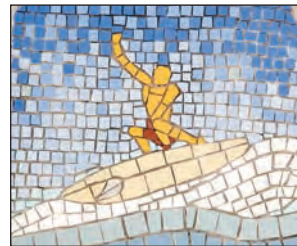


Photo: Bill Fedderson

## Unite our Diverse Residents and Educate Our Youth

The Santa Barbara Timeline Mosaic will be a highly visual and artistic way to learn about our environment and the diverse cultures that make Santa Barbara what it is today. In consultation with Sonos, an audio component will allow visitors to access more information about the images depicted in the mosaic and encourage curiosity about sciences such as geology, paleontology and anthropology.

## Build a Legacy and Inspire Future Generations

The Santa Barbara Timeline Mosaic will be an iconic public art project made to withstand the test of time. Our tiles are the same tiles used in subways in France. They are easy to maintain and built to last. The mosaic will be created by the hands of community volunteers, who can say "I was part of that! I placed those tiles." Future generations will learn from and enjoy the art created by their families and friends. New panels can be added as our present becomes our past and our children want to tell their stories too.

# CREATE WITH US

## The Artist

Betsy Gallery was educated as an Art Therapist. She studied mosaics in Ravenna and Venice, Italy, Cuernavaca, Mexico, and the Institute of Mosaic Art in Berkeley. She taught mosaics in Santa Barbara schools, and the Santa Barbara School of Mosaic Art. Her mosaics are also found in Taiwan, Alaska and Madrid. Numerous local public mosaics were funded by grants. Betsy speaks fluent Spanish.



Photo: Erick Madrid

## The Project Team

The SBTM Project's growing team of ambassadors, volunteers, researchers, scientists, historians and project leaders are making this project a reality. Join us!

### A few ways you can get involved:

- Hands on: Help create the mosaic - no experience necessary, on site instruction offered
- Help with research and finding images that represent different parts of our history
- Help organize workshops and events
- Outreach to community organizations and individuals that might want to be involved
- Our goal is to have all ages and all backgrounds working together on this community legacy project!



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### To find out how you can participate:

Email the Project Management Team [sbtimelinemosaic@gmail.com](mailto:sbtimelinemosaic@gmail.com) or Lead Artist Betsy Gallery: [bgallery@cox.net](mailto:bgallery@cox.net) [www.elizabethgallery.com](http://www.elizabethgallery.com)

### Spread the word:

 Like our [facebook](#) page [SBTimeline Mosaic](#) and tell your friends

# SANTA BARBARA TIMELINE MOSAIC

## 150 million years of Santa Barbara's history in 50 feet of mosaic

The entire Santa Barbara community is invited to collaborate with mosaic artist Betsy Gallery in creating this legacy public art project.



Pygmy mammoths lived on Santa Rosa Island 100,000 years ago.



Participate in making a community mosaic to celebrate our history.

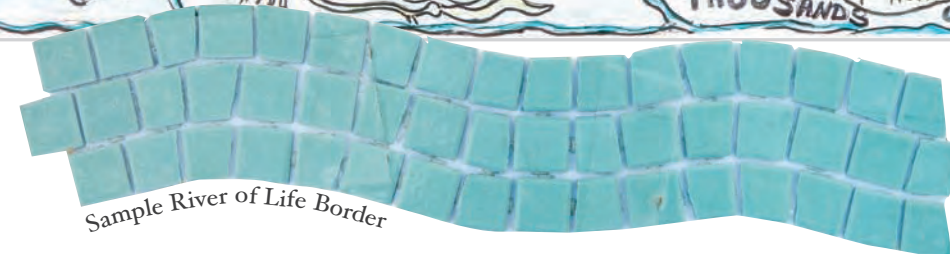
Join our free bilingual community workshops to learn how to make mosaics and help fabricate this iconic public art installation.



# THE 50-FOOT TIMELINE MOSAIC

Santa Barbara's history from the Jurassic Period to today.

Santa Barbara's Timeline Mosaic design in progress.



Our historical research and design process is underway with the help of many scientists and experts.



Our model is the Queenhithe Dock Mosaic in London

The 100 foot Queenhithe Dock Mosaic, created by the London School of Mosaic and Southbank Mosaics in the heart of London is the inspiration for our local Santa Barbara project. We are lucky to be in close communication with the team in London to support us with best practices on creating our own project

Help create a 50 foot mosaic which will illustrate Santa Barbara's environmental, historical and cultural events from the Jurassic Period to today. Learn to make mosaics in free bilingual public workshops.



London School of Mosaic workshop at Menelli Trading Co. Montecito.



An image from one of Betsy's previous community projects with Franklin Elementary School.

# BUILD A COMMUNITY LEGACY PROJECT

Become an individual donor or business sponsor

Your support at any level will help to underwrite the costs of:

- An intensive community outreach and design process
- Supplies and materials to create the mosaic
- Free bilingual community workshops to fabricate the mosaic
- Staff time for a lead artist, and consulting support from researchers, project coordinator and an installer
- Insurance, marketing materials, website
- Creation of an educational curriculum to share Santa Barbara's rich history via guided tours, a website and a book

\$50,000 Founder's Circle

\$25,000 Titanium

\$15,000 Platinum

\$10,000 Gold

\$5,000 Silver

\$1,000 Pearl

\$1-\$999 Individual Donation

Sample Benefits include:

- Donor tile included in the border of the mosaic or donor recognition panel
- Choice of an existing or custom mosaic created by the lead artist
- On-site signage at community gatherings, workshops & presentations
- Private mosaic classes at the artist's studio
- Your name and/or logo included in all project marketing ie: Press releases, e-newsletters, social media, website, flyers, etc.

To make a donation of any amount, go to [elizabethgallery.com](http://elizabethgallery.com) or email Project Manager, Robin Elander at [globalgoodimpact@gmail.com](mailto:globalgoodimpact@gmail.com)



Donor tiles by Joleen Law



Sample perk: custom house number