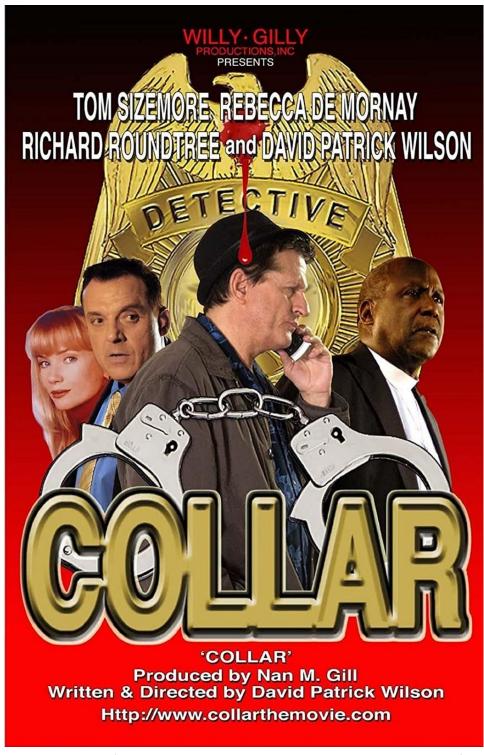
## A BENEFIT SCREENING OF COLLAR FOR THE PRESERVATION OF BANNERMAN ISAND



(This film is recommended for mature audiences. Some material may be not suitable for children.)

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JUNE 17, 2023 Estuary Steward Departs Beacon at 6 pm and 7 pm Tickets: \$60 General Admission \$55 Bannerman Castle Trust Members

## MEET AND GREET THE ACTORS OF COLLAR ON BANNERMAN ISLAND



DAVID PATRICK WILSON Actor/Writer/Director



NAN GILL
Producer/Actor



JAMIE SANTANA Actor



BETTINA SKYE Actor

# WILLY-GILLY PRODUCTIONS SUPPORTS BANNERMAN CASTLE TRUST BENEFIT SCREENING OF THE AWARD-WINNING FILM COLLAR TO SUPPORT BANNERMAN ISLAND

Willy-Gilly Productions, Inc. is pleased to announce a screening of its award-winning feature film "Collar" on Bannerman's Island on June 17, 2023 in support of the work Bannermancastle.org is doing to restore the buildings on this historic island.

The screening with include a boat ride to the island, a tour, refreshments and a screening of the award-winning film "Collar." Some of the stars of the movie, David Patrick Wilson, Jaime Santana, Bettina Skye and the Producer Nan Gill will be attending a "Meet and Great" and look forward to meeting you! Be sure to join the Fun! Tickets are available at <a href="https://www.bannermancastle.org">www.bannermancastle.org</a>. Tickets are limited, so be sure to get yours now!

"Collar" produced by Nan Gill-Wilson for Willy-Gilly Productions, Inc. was written and directed by David Patrick Wilson. Filmed right here in the Hudson Valley, the movie stars the late Tom Sizemore, Rebecca De Mornay, Richard Roundtree, Novella Nelson, Kether Donohue, Emily Tremaine, Iris Delgado and our own Hudson Valley Stars, David Patrick Wilson, Jamie Santana and Bettina Skye to name just a few. Heralded by Noor Amed, Esq.. of Reder & Fieg (entertainment attorneys, who brokered the deals for "Black Swan" and "The Twilight Saga" trilogy), he declared it to be an "epic movie, the like of which we seldom see here." Winner of the award "Best Cop Drama" (NYIIFVF), the film was so powerful, accurate and authentic that Hollywood and the 'power elite' in Washington, DC 'stonewalled' its release for fear of the 'social and political' repercussions that they feared it might inspire. As a result, hundreds of innocent Americans (including Trayvon Martin, Eric Gray and George Floyd) died or were injured, billions of U.S. dollars in property damage was incurred, valuable community resources wasted ("BLM" riots) and the horrible wounds of Racism were torn open, needlessly, once again.

Be that as it may, now is the time to embrace our differences, heal and find a better way moving forward. What "better way" to do so, than to head out on a 'mini cruise' from Beacon to land on the amazing a beautiful Bannerman's Island and enjoy some libations, entertainment and have a great film?!

#### DON'T MISS THE BANNERMAN ISLAND SCREENING OF

**COLLAR** By David Patrick Wilson



#### **SYNOPSIS**

Timothy James 'TJ' Williams (David Wilson) is a streetwise detective whose checkered career, family life and long standing friendship with the would-be mayor, police chief Hamilton Markham (Tom Sizemore), spins out of control and teeters on the brink of catastrophe as a result of a bust gone bad. While his life begins to crumble, his fast fading future is bartered for political gain by his former best friend and boss, a mayor with her eye on a Senate seat (Rebecca De Mornay) and an ambitious, activist 'man-of-the-cloth,' the Rev. Alonso Sparks (Richard Roundtree). The political machinery, geared to grind up Williams as a bad cop, has a wrench tossed into the works by the detective, who with the help of his partner, Angel Santangelo (Jaime Santana), gets back on the job to reclaim his reputation and his dignity in spite of their worst efforts.





Photo Left: Actor Tom Sizmore and Director/Writer, David Patrick Wilson Photo Right: Writer/Director, David Patrick Wilson and Collar producer, Nan Gill

#### **FIVE STAR REVIEWS**

... "This movie is extremely timely and relevant to the current situation happening now in our society. Definitely a must watch."

..."This is a really excellent crime thriller about very relevant, timely issues in regards to the state in which we are living in the US. It's an especially impressive production... what's truly special is it doesn't take sides in the issues it presents which may be deemed more controversial but rather provides depth and insight to both sides and what it is to live through such trying experiences. It features a cast of stars you'll know and stars you'll hope to know someday and really is an experience that rewards you for the time you give to it. Don't miss out!"

#### DAVID PATRICK WILSON, ACTOR/DIRECTOR/WRITER

A native New Yorker, he was born to Scottish/Irish parents. David Patrick Wilson was raised and schooled on Long Island (Northport HS, Class of 1967). A scholar athlete, he gave up sports in his senior year to star in his school's production of "South Pacific," opposite Broadway legend, Patti Lupone. David went on to attend Columbia University in Manhattan, briefly (2 yrs). Bitten by the acting bug, he left the Ivy in the spring of '69 to attend The Neighborhood Playhouse where he studied with the legendary, Sanford Meisner and his devoted disciple, William Esper. After graduating, he launched his career on the stages of New York (Public Theater) and Chicago (The Ivanhoe), in film ("Going Home," "The Seven-Ups") and soaps ("Secret Storm") before moving on to LA in '74. He later extended his stage, film and TV career to include work in all three disciplines in Stockholm, Sweden and Tel Aviv, Israel. He is the proud father of five (3 girls; 2 boys) and has 5 grandchildren. Still in love with acting and singing (he trained under 'American Idol' coach, Seth Riggs), he has added screen writing, directing and producing to his many professional successes.

#### SPECIAL THANKS TO WILLY-GILLY PRODUCTIONS

Willy-Gilly Productions, Inc. is a Film, TV and Music Production Company located in the Hudson Valley. Its purpose is to Create, Develop, Produce, Distribute and Market the 'highest quality,' Independent Film and TV Entertainment and Media (E&M) here in New York's, Hudson Valley region including Script and Music Content Development with the aim of "Working together to make a Word that Works Better for Everyone through Entertainment. <a href="www.willygilly.com">www.willygilly.com</a>