

"...Where we produce real musicians!"

The Founders

Mark Baker is a Drum Instructor with the company. He is the former member of the band Se7ven in Los Angeles, CA. He has played for David Chance (formerly Ruff Endz), Marva King (Tyler Perry's stage production of Diary of a Mad Black Woman), Brooke Valentine, and Teedra Moses to name a few. He's also played behind Ray J, Marvin Winans, Neo, Rick James, Tevin Campbell, and Kim Burrell. He and his fellow instructors are professionally trained.

Tova Baker is the wife of Mark Baker. She spent almost 8 years in Los Angeles learning about the entertainment industry by working in production at BET, assisting at King Management (Jaime Foxx's management company), and working with other industry professionals. She has also gained experience in Sales at Black Enterprise Magazine. She is creative as well. She released her first novel Lady B. Moore under her own publishing company Good Books.

"Building leaders in music by educating, fostering purpose and encouraging entrepreneurship"



**One-on-One Private Lessons
at the Eubie Blake Center**

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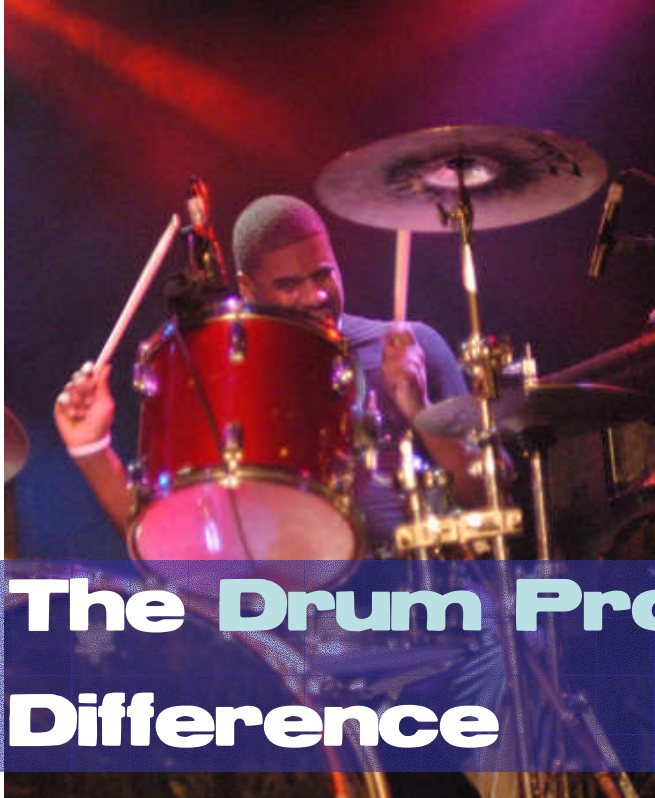
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Ages 4 and up

**"Purpose is how we can
serve with selflessness
while utilizing our gifts."**

-Mark & Tova Baker

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The Drum Production Co. Difference

We Foster Purpose by...

- Only working with instructors that have “real life” experience in the industry, not only just knowledge of Theory.
- Working with each student one-on-one instead of a large classroom setting.
- Allowing students to work with other students at their level in a yearly recital .
- Encouraging and nurturing every talent by learning each student’s abilities and shortcomings.

Encouraging Entrepreneurship...

In order for an artist to survive in the Arts, Drum Production Co. believes that every artist must at least have a general knowledge of business. The **“Pave Your Own Way” Scholarship** was created so that students could have the opportunity to raise funds for their own individual partial to full scholarships. This program is especially beneficial for the younger students, because they can be exposed to business while assisting their parents in paying for classes.

Why we do we exist?

Founders Mark and Tova Baker saw a need that needed to be met. Since they both grew up in Baltimore receiving training in the Arts, they both knew the importance of keeping it alive, especially for our youth. They are parents who believe and value the positive effects of the Arts. Their mission is simple: To provide cost effective music instruction to all who are serious about being professionals in order to be competitive and innovative in an industry that is always evolving. Now offering courses in:

- Drums**
- Piano**
- Voice**
- Bass Guitar**
- Songwriting**
- Sound Engineering**

Beginner’s Level*

Upon completion, students will have a basic understanding of fundamentals. Students will have a basic approach to the instruments and their abilities. They will have enough confidence to perform.

Intermediate Level*

Upon completion, students will be able to apply fundamentals. They will have a high level of understanding of how to approach a song. They will be able to improvise during performance.

Advanced Level*

Upon completion, students will have learned to execute with excellence and understanding of when, where, and how to use the fundamentals. They will now be considered an innovative performer.

The Graduate Level

This level is available for Advanced students only. These classes serve more as consultative and puts an emphasis on assisting students with the preparation for industry events, recordings, concerts.

***Completion of levels occur on a case by case basis and it relies on the personal growth of each individual student. All levels include lessons on etiquette during performances and rehearsals. “Preparation lessons” may be included in classes from time-to-time as well.**

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