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Beaverton honors its vibrant and diverse community with its annual Celebration Parade, with marching bands, festival floats, dance groups and more, returning Saturday, Sept. 9 from 9 a.m. to noon.

Get Ready to Celebrate!

Celebrating a welcoming, vibrant and diverse community, Beaverton's annual Celebration Parade, presented by Bob Lamphere's Beaverton Honda, takes off this Saturday, Sept. 9 with festive floats, marching bands, dance groups, local celebrities and more.

This year, more than 80 local businesses and organizations will walk, dance or drive through the city. The theme 'Be Green in '17' will showcase all that Beaverton is doing to be more sustainable and make a positive difference on our environment.

The parade begins at 10 a.m. at the corner of Southwest Wilson Ave and Allen Boulevard and ends at Griffith Park. A 5K Parade Run will start the day's festivities at Griffith Park at 9 a.m. To participate in the run, register at IMAthlete.com/events/bpr.



'Bight of the Twin,' a documentary that takes viewers to the west African nation of Benin to explore the origins of the Voodoo religion, and where friends and collaborators Hazel Hill McCarthy III and Genesis Breyer P-Orridge explore the relationship between Voodoo and Western secular art and performance.

Exploring Gender and Voodoo

Transcending assumptions of what it means to be gendered, "Bight of the Twin," a visual and musical documentary, tells the story of musician and artist Genesis Breyer P-Orridge and filmmaker Hazel Hill McCarthy III's journey to the west African nation of Benin to explore the origins of Voodoo.

Orridge and his/her late wife Lady Jaye underwent a series of surgical procedures to become physically identical to one another, seeking to perfect a gender-neutral state. In Benin, twins carry sacred meaning and are venerated as gods.

The NW Film Center presents the movie as part of Portland In-

stitute for Contemporary Art's month long "TBA 17" festival, on Friday, Sept. 8 at 7 p.m. and again on Sunday, Sept. 10 at 4 p.m. in the Whitsell Auditorium, located in the Portland Art Museum, downtown.

Tickets are \$9 general and \$8 for students and seniors. For more information, visit nwfilm.org.

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