

FACT SHEET

Drum Brothers

Hometown: Missoula, Montana

Musical Idiom: World Fusion /
World Percussion

Latest CD: *Remember*

Members: Matthew Marsolek
Lawrence Duncan
Michael Marsolek
Tracy Topp
Ravi Topp Marsolek



Record Label and Management: Standing Wave LLC

Points of Note: This high-energy world percussion group has been performing since 1994. Their concerts feature ethnic sounds from around the world: West African djembe and dundun drums, Australian didgeridoo, frame drums, saxophone, bass and acoustic guitar, vocals, and hand percussion. They've performed at numerous venues throughout the Northwest and Canada, have been a featured act at the Seattle World Rhythm Festival, and have shared the stage with Ladysmith Black Mambazo. Recently they were featured on the Emmy Award winning PBS program, "11th and Grant with Eric Funk". Performers and educators, they teach classes and clinics around the U.S. and in Canada to enthusiastic groups of all ages.

Additional Data: For over 20 years, Drum Brothers have led seminars in drum-building and rhythm exploration. In recent years, they've also been presenting interactive team-building events for organizations and community groups. Matthew and Michael Marsolek co-founded Drum Brothers Drums, an instrument-making company which is now run by Tracy Topp.

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