



KALLE KOSMONAUT

by Tine Kugler, Günther Kurth



SYNOPSIS

Boyhood in Berlin. KALLE KOSMONAUT accompanies Kalle, his family and their East Berlin neighborhood along the Avenue of the Cosmonauts over a shooting period of 10 years.

16-year-old Kalle wanders through a wasteland in Berlin. He regrets a momentous act that will change his life significantly. „I really don't know how it all started..." We begin with Kalle at 10 years old. Alone at night in his 'hood. His first love. His Jugendweihe (civic initiation ceremony). Dangerous dares on the city's district heating pipes. Friendships and weddings. Trial, conviction, jail. The world outside keeps on turning. Grandpa misses the GDR. Grandma defeats her addiction. Mother lets off fireworks on Kalle's 18th birthday. The policewoman watches over their neighborhood. After his return from prison Kalle begins a breathless journey back to himself.

Kalle Kosmonaut is a documentary long-term observation as well as an animated journey through Kalle's mind. Coming-of-age story and hybrid...

FESTIVALS

2022

72 Berlinale – GENERATION

German Documentary Film Music Award Nominee – 37

DOK.fest Munich

VFF Documentary Film Production Award Nominee – 37

DOK.fest Munich

HRFF Zurich

2023

nominated #lola23 – German Film Award Best Documentary

nominated German Documentary Award

CAST AND CREW

DIRECTOR Tine Kugler, Günther Kurth · PRODUCER Tine Kugler, Günther Kurth · SCORE Philip Bradatsch · SOUND Patrick Veigel,

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99 min

FORMAL CATEGORIES

Biographie/Portrait, Coming of Age, Family, Children / Youth, Social issues

CONTENT CATEGORIES

Children film

ORIGINAL LANGUAGES

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