



July 1, 2023 - (Malibu, CA) The Malibu Film Foundation is proud to announce the jury and audience award winners for the 24th annual Malibu International Film Festival presented by XOLO.TV.

### 2023 JURY AWARDS

#### VANGUARD AWARD

Regret To Inform You

Writer - Producer -Director - Performer

Yusuf Nasir

#### BEST PERFORMANCE

A Bird In The Hand

Peter Falls

#### BEST ANIMATED SHORT

Yellow Dove Aftermath

Director: Rony Abovitz

#### BEST SCORE

Andy "A Dog's Tale"

Composer: Matthew Wilder

BEST FEATURE DOCUMENTARY

21 Miles in Malibu

Producer: Michel Shane

BEST EXPERIMENTAL SHORT

Sea of Fire

Director: Francesca Gabbiani

BEST SHORT

Radio Telescope

Director: Tanner Beard

BEST SHORT DOCUMENTARY

Pioneering Spirits

Director: Stephan Blinn

BEST COMEDY

Illegally Brown

Writer - Producer - Director

Gabriela Revilla Lugo

BEST DRAMA

No Time Off For Good Behavior

Director: Christopher Riley

BEST DIRECTOR

I See You

Director: Michael Carnick

MALIBU FILMMAKER AWARD

So Many Dreams

Enthusiastic Painter: Pierce Brosnan

Exec. Producer: Keely Shaye Brosnan

Producer: Dylan Brosnan

BEST FEATURE

On Sacred Ground

Directors: Rebecca Tickell, Josh Tickell

**XOLO.TV AUDIENCE AWARDS**

EPISODIC AUDIENCE AWARD

Victor Versus the Metaverse

Directors: Delilah Napier, Lucy Powers

DOCUMENTARY AUDIENCE AWARD

Covenant of the Salmon People  
Director: Shane Thomas Anderson

INTERNATIONAL AUDIENCE AWARD

Ride: A Brutal Fairytale  
Director: Serge Ou

SHORT FILM DRAMA AUDIENCE AWARD

The Marked  
Director: Reggie Austin

SHORT FILM COMEDY AUDIENCE AWARD

School Nights  
Director: John Killoran

FEATURE FILM AUDIENCE AWARD

Marilyn Monroe's Last Press Conference  
Director: Frank H. Cutler

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**MALIBU FILM FESTIVAL @ DIRECTORS GUILD THEATER COMPLEX**

Thank you to all that joined us for the 2023 Malibu Film Festival, May 27, presented by XOLO.TV hosted at the Directors Guild of America to celebrate the 24th edition of the Festival in person and online.

**EVENTS**

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- Awards & Reception

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