



Neon's 'Sentimental Value': A Must-Watch Oscar Contender Starring Skarsgård

Description

Last year, the movie "Anora" did very well at Cannes. People clapped and loved it. It won the Palme d'Or award. Neon, the studio behind it, got five Oscars, including Best Picture and Best Director.

This year, the movie "Sentimental Value" by Joachim Trier is popular. It tells about an actress named Renate Reinsve. She has anxiety, and her dad, Stellan Skarsgård, wants to make a movie with her. When she says no, he hires American actress Elle Fanning instead. Both Renate and Stellan give amazing performances.

Joachim Trier has a good history with Oscar voters. His last movie, "The Worst Person in the World," received two Oscar nominations. "Sentimental Value" is a touching film about family and art.

Neon also bought another movie called "It Was Just an Accident" by Jafar Panahi. He returned to Cannes after many years. Plus, they got a Brazilian film called "The Secret Agent" with actor Wagner Moura.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Award** /ə'wɔ:rd/ (noun): A prize or other mark of recognition given in honor of an achievement.
2. **Anxiety** /æŋ'zaɪ.ə.ti/ (noun): A feeling of worry nervousness or unease about something with an uncertain outcome.
3. **Performance** /pər'fɔ:r.məns/ (noun): The act of performing a play concert or other form of entertainment.
4. **Touching** /'tʌtʃ.ɪŋ/ (adjective): Evoking strong feelings of sadness or sympathy.
5. **History** /'hɪs.tər.i/ (noun): The study of past events particularly in human affairs.
6. **Popular** /'pɒp.jʊ.lər/ (adjective): Liked admired or enjoyed by many people.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. Which term refers to the system by which goods and services are produced distributed and consumed in a country or region?



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- Option: Properties
Option: Culture
Option: Billionaire
Option: Economy
2. What term describes actions or tasks that are performed for a specific purpose?
- Option: Demand
Option: Activities
Option: Performance
Option: Director
3. Which term is used to represent the vital principle or animating force within living beings?
- Option: History
Option: Anxiety
Option: Spirit
Option: Film
4. What is a festive occasion that is celebrated by a community or group of people?
- Option: Era
Option: Award
Option: Festival
Option: Excited
5. What are difficulties or obstacles that are typically faced when trying to achieve a goal or objective?
- Option: Understanding
Option: Depression
Option: Challenges
Option: Positive
6. Who is the person responsible for the artistic and dramatic aspects of a production?
- Option: Investment
Option: Stake
Option: Director
Option: Success
7. What is the act of allocating money or resources in expectation of benefit in the future?
- Option: Popular
Option: Affordable
Option: Investment
Option: Economy
8. Which term describes having a desirable or beneficial effect or influence?
- Option: Economy
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- Option: Streaming
- Option: Positive
- Option: Activities

9. What encompasses the social behavior norms knowledge beliefs arts and customs of a society?

- Option: Expectation
- Option: Culture
- Option: Billionaire
- Option: Stake

10. Who is a person who has a net worth of at least one billion units of a given currency?

- Option: Agency
- Option: Touching
- Option: Billionaire
- Option: Success

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. Real estate agents deal with the buying selling and renting of _____ such as houses and commercial buildings.

12. Setting clear goals and communicating role expectations are important for team _____ and success.

13. Feelings of worry nervousness or unease about an imminent event can often lead to heightened _____ levels.

14. The movie's _____ storyline moved many viewers to tears.

15. Hard work determination and perseverance are often key factors in achieving _____ in any endeavor.

16. Studying the past and understanding how events unfolded is critical to comprehending the _____ of a region or civilization.

17. The band's latest album has become extremely _____ among music enthusiasts



worldwide.

18. The talented actress received an _____ for her outstanding performance in the film.

19. Athletes undergo rigorous training to improve their _____ levels and achieve peak physical condition.

20. The rise of online platforms has revolutionized the way we consume media through _____ services.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. These skilled individuals are experts in their respective fields and provide specialized services to clients or organizations.
22. The hotel offers comfortable accommodation at a reasonable price making it for budget-conscious travelers.
23. The _____ is responsible for managing the bookings and schedule of the popular musician.
24. As a shareholder your _____ in the company entitles you to a portion of the profits and a say in important decisions.
25. The _____ high for the latest smartphone model led to long queues outside electronic stores on the day of its release.
26. The distinguished scientist was honored with a _____ prestigious for her groundbreaking research in the field of genetics.
27. The children were _____ about the upcoming school trip to the zoo.
28. The actor's _____ exceptional in the leading role garnered critical acclaim and applause from the audience.
29. Exploring the _____ rich of a nation reveals the struggles triumphs and cultural evolution of its people.
30. The Renaissance brought about a period of great innovation artistic achievement and cultural revival in Europe.



Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Economy 2. Activities 3. Spirit 4. Festival 5. Challenges 6. Director 7. Investment 8. Positive 9. Culture 10. Billionaire

Gap-Fill: 11. Properties 12. Expectation 13. Anxiety 14. Touching 15. Success 16. History 17. Popular 18. Award 19. Performance 20. Streaming

Matching sentence: 1. Professionals 2. Affordable 3. Agency 4. Stake 5. Demand 6. Award 7. Excited 8. Performance 9. History 10. Era

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