



Oscars Nominees Lunch: Celebrities Arrive in Style

Description

The annual Oscars Nominees Luncheon took place on Tuesday at the Beverly Hilton in Los Angeles. This event was canceled last year because of wildfires.

Nominees gathered to meet each other and take a group photo. It was the first big celebration for the Oscars, which will be on March 15.

This year, the 98th Academy Awards will be hosted by comedian Conan O'Brien. The ceremony will be live from the Dolby Theatre in Hollywood. It will be shown on ABC and streamed on Hulu at 4 p.m. Pacific Time. After that, it will be available on YouTube in 2029.

Many famous people attended the luncheon. Teyana Taylor and filmmaker Steven Spielberg shared a warm moment. Timothée Chalamet received his third nomination for best actor. Michael B. Jordan celebrated his first Oscar nomination for his role in "Sinners."

The event was lively, and stars were excited to be together as they prepare for the Oscars.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Luncheon** /'lʌn.tʃən/ (noun): A formal lunch often held for a special occasion.
2. **Nominees** /,nɒ.mɪ'ni:z/ (noun): Individuals who have been nominated for an award.
3. **Ceremony** /'ser.ə.mə.ni/ (noun): A formal event held to celebrate or honor an achievement.
4. **Hosted** /'hɒs.tɪd/ (verb): To be in charge of a public event often as a presenter.
5. **Celebration** /,sel.ə'breɪ.ʃən/ (noun): The act of marking a significant event with festivities.
6. **Excited** /ɪk'saɪ.tɪd/ (adjective): Feeling very enthusiastic and eager.

Vocabulary quizzes

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

1. What is an auction?

- Option: A public sale where goods or property are sold to the highest bidder.
 - Option: A form of entertainment involving a competition.
 - Option: An event where people gather to eat and socialize.
 - Option: A formal meeting of shareholders.
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2. What is the purpose of a business proposal?

- Option: To provide financial assistance to a company.
- Option: To outline a plan for a business or project.
- Option: To finalize a sale agreement.
- Option: To communicate with shareholders about future projects.

3. What does the term deadline mean?

- Option: The latest time or date by which something should be completed.
- Option: The start date of a new project.
- Option: The time for a meeting to conclude.
- Option: The time when shareholders gather to discuss issues.

4. Who are shareholders?

- Option: Individuals or institutions that own shares in a company.
- Option: Employees within a company.
- Option: Individuals who contribute to a charity.
- Option: People who attend meetings about investment strategies.

5. What does it mean to violate a law?

- Option: To follow the law correctly.
- Option: To break or disregard the law.
- Option: To promote adherence to the law.
- Option: To seek permission from legal authorities.

6. What does copyright protect?

- Option: The reproduction of artworks and documents.
- Option: The sale of commercial products.
- Option: The ownership of land and property.
- Option: The registration of businesses.

7. What does it mean to celebrate an event?

- Option: To ignore the event entirely.
- Option: To recognize or honor the event in a special way.
- Option: To plan for the future regarding the event.
- Option: To criticize the event.

8. What does it mean to investigate a situation?

- Option: To avoid any further actions.
- Option: To conduct a thorough examination or inquiry.
- Option: To make a decision without any facts.
- Option: To inform others about the situation.



9. What is a performance?

- Option: A meeting of shareholders to discuss financials.
- Option: A theatrical or musical showcase for an audience.
- Option: A report detailing company achievements.
- Option: A ceremony to award nominees.

10. What is a venue?

- Option: The time schedule of an event.
- Option: The location where an event takes place.
- Option: The items needed for an event.
- Option: The guests invited to an occasion.

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

11. The company decided to increase its stock _____ to attract more investors.
12. Before using the music the company had to secure all the necessary _____ from the copyright holders.
13. The proposal was _____ by many industry experts for its unrealistic expectations.
14. The board received feedback from two _____ teams regarding their proposed merger.
15. The annual company _____ will be held at the downtown conference center next week.
16. During the award ceremony the _____ were announced amidst much excitement and applause.
17. The team is still waiting for _____ regarding the funding for their new project.
18. The company's annual _____ includes activities performances and awards.
19. The _____ into the allegations of misconduct is ongoing and may take several



months.

20. The documentary featured _____ exploring the depths of the ocean for rare marine species.

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

21. The artwork displayed at the gallery is the original piece created by the famous artist.
22. The company has increased its advertising budget to reach more customers.
23. The meeting was canceled due to unforeseen circumstances that required immediate attention.
24. The charity gala was hosted by a well-known local celebrity drawing a large audience.
25. The lineup for the evening includes several famous comedians known for their unique styles.
26. The fun night featured a karaoke session where everyone participated and enjoyed themselves.
27. The award ceremony took place in a grand venue with many notable guests in attendance.
28. It is important to treat all colleagues with kindness and respect fostering a positive work environment.
29. The opposing viewpoints regarding the merger led to a heated discussion among the board members.
30. The stock prices rose significantly after the announcement of the new product launch.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. A public sale where goods or property are sold to the highest bidder. 2. To outline a plan for a business or project. 3. The latest time or date by which something should be completed. 4. Individuals or institutions that own shares in a company. 5. To break or disregard the law. 6. The reproduction of artworks and documents. 7. To recognize or honor the event in a special way. 8. To conduct a thorough examination or inquiry. 9. A theatrical or musical showcase for an audience. 10. The location where an event takes place.

Gap-Fill: 11. offerings 12. permissions 13. criticized 14. opposing 15. luncheon 16. nominees 17. confirmation 18. celebration 19. investigation 20. divers

Matching sentence: 1. original 2. increased 3. circumstances 4. hosted 5. comedians 6. karaoke 7. ceremony 8. respect 9. opposing 10. stock



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