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## Theater Offers Apology After Richard Dreyfuss' Controversial Comments at 'Jaws' Screening

### Description

During a recent "Jaws" retrospective event, actor Richard Dreyfuss made controversial remarks that led to walkouts and an apology from the theater. The Cabot theater in Beverly, Massachusetts, issued a statement expressing concern over Dreyfuss' comments, stating that they do not align with their values of inclusivity and respect. Attendees described Dreyfuss' remarks as racist, homophobic, and misogynistic, prompting many to leave the event. The actor made off-topic comments about Barbra Streisand and women, which drew criticism from the audience. Dreyfuss also expressed disdain for the #MeToo movement and transgender individuals, causing further unease among patrons. The event intended to celebrate the iconic movie "Jaws" turned into a platform for Dreyfuss' political views, leading to discomfort and disappointment among attendees. Despite the backlash, Dreyfuss has not yet responded to requests for comment on the incident.

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## Vocabulary List:

1. **Controversial** // (adjective): Causing disagreement or argument.
2. **Walkouts** // (noun): An act of leaving a place or event as a protest.
3. **Inclusivity** // (noun): The practice or policy of including people who might otherwise be excluded or marginalized.
4. **Misogynistic** // (adjective): Displaying dislike or prejudice against women.
5. **Disdain** // (noun): The feeling that someone or something is unworthy of one's consideration or respect.
6. **Unease** // (noun): A feeling of anxiety or discomfort.

## Vocabulary quizzes

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

1. Which event typically involves music food and various activities for people to enjoy?  
Option: Election  
Option: Festival  
Option: Protest  
Option: Conference
2. Which term is commonly used to describe someone being in the right mood or rhythm?  
Option: Groove  
Option: Stumble  
Option: Pause  
Option: Stuck
3. Which word describes something that is highly regarded and respected?  
Option: Ordinary  
Option: Prestigious  
Option: Humble  
Option: Insignificant
4. What term is commonly used to refer to a building or place providing a particular service?  
Option: Field  
Option: Facility  
Option: Wilderness  
Option: Jungle
5. Which word best describes an experience that is full of excitement and intense emotions?  
Option: Boring



- Option: Thrilling
- Option: Dull
- Option: Routine

6. Which word is a synonym for "electrifying"?

- Option: Tiring
- Option: Exhausting
- Option: Exhilarating
- Option: Soothing

7. Which term means a feeling of strong dislike or disapproval?

- Option: Admiration
- Option: Respect
- Option: Disdain
- Option: Appreciation

8. Which word best describes a topic that causes disagreement or argument among people?

- Option: Agreeable
- Option: Accepted
- Option: Controversial
- Option: Harmonious

9. What term is used to describe comments or suggestions about a product or service provided?

- Option: Output
- Option: Input
- Option: Feedback
- Option: Response

10. Which term is used to refer to a range of different things?

- Option: Uniformity
- Option: Monotony
- Option: Similarity
- Option: Variety

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

11. Success is often the result of hard work and \_\_\_\_\_ .

12. The \_\_\_\_\_ view from the mountaintop took our breath away.

13. I am so \_\_\_\_\_ for the upcoming concert!



14. Our trip to Paris was truly \_\_\_\_\_ ; we will cherish those memories forever.
15. Mutual respect is essential in any relationship for it to thrive.
16. She was \_\_\_\_\_ with the surprise birthday party her friends threw for her.
17. The city has many tourist \_\_\_\_\_ that draw visitors from around the world.
18. The event will \_\_\_\_\_ the latest advancements in technology.
19. The company promotes \_\_\_\_\_ by welcoming employees from diverse backgrounds.
20. She took the \_\_\_\_\_ to organize a charity event for the local community.

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

21. The romantic movie was a favorite for anyone who considered themselves a true romantic.
22. The red carpet event was with celebrities and famous personalities.
23. The tension in the room was palpable creating an atmosphere of discomfort and .
24. The project aimed to create a ecosystem that would thrive independently.
25. His remarks were criticized as being and offensive towards women.
26. She wore a gown to the gala event turning heads as she entered the room.
27. During the contentious meeting there were several as a form of protest.
28. The announcement of the new product launch generated a lot of among customers.
29. After years of being apart the long-lost siblings were finally .
30. Their collective to improve the community led to significant positive changes.

**Answer**

**Multiple Choice:** 1. Festival 2. Groove 3. Prestigious 4. Facility 5. Thrilling 6. Exhilarating 7. Disdain  
8. Controversial 9. Feedback 10. Variety

**Gap-Fill:** 11. Efforts 12. Scenic 13. Excited 14. Unforgettable 15. Mutual 16. Delighted 17. Attractions  
18. Showcase



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19. Inclusivity 20. Initiative

**Matching sentence:** 1. Lover 2. Studded 3. Unease 4. Self-sustaining 5. Misogynistic 6. Fancy 7. Walkouts  
8. Excitement 9. Reunited 10. Efforts

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