PEOPLE’S CHOICE AWARDS 2017 Announces Nominees and Opens Voting for All Categories on PeoplesChoice.com

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The Only Major Awards Show Honoring Fan Favorites in Movies, Music, TV and Digital

Mark Burnett Returns as Executive Producer

Show to Air LIVE, Wednesday, January 18, 2017 on CBS

LOS ANGELES--(BUSINESS WIRE)--N nominees for PEOPLE’S CHOICE AWARDS 2017 were revealed this morning by Jordana Brewster (“Lethal Weapon”), Jamie Chung (“Office Christmas Party”), Ken Jeong (“Dr. Ken”), Boris Kodjoe (“Code Black”), Piper Perabo (“Notorious”), Molly Shannon (“Divorce”), Wilmer Valderrama (“NCIS”), Executive Producer Mark Burnett and People’s Choice President Fred Nelson.

Starting today, voting is open to determine the winners in all 64 categories, including “Favorite Movie Icon,” “Favorite Social Media Celebrity,” “Favorite Song” and “Favorite TV Show.” Fans can vote three different ways: they can visit http://vote.peopleschoice.com, vote on Facebook at http://www.facebook.com/peopleschoice or vote via Facebook Messenger at https://www.messenger.com/t/peopleschoice. Voting ends Thursday, Dec. 15 at 11:59 PM, ET.

Winners will be revealed during the live broadcast of PEOPLE’S CHOICE AWARDS 2017 from Microsoft Theater L.A. Live, Wednesday, Jan. 18, 2017 (9:00-11:00 PM, live ET/delayed PT) on the CBS Television Network.

This year fans cast over 125 million votes to determine the nominees. Ellen DeGeneres, nominated this year for “Favorite Animated Movie Voice,” “Favorite Daytime TV Host” and “Favorite Comedic Collaboration,” could become the most decorated People’s Choice Awards winner in history with one more win. Kevin Hart leads the list of nominees with five total nods including “Favorite Movie Actor,” “Favorite Cable TV Actor” and “Favorite Comedic Collaboration” for his appearance on Conan O’Brien’s Ride Along with Ice Cube. Hart’s movies Central Intelligence and The Secret Life of Pets, and his TV show, The Real Husbands of Hollywood, also received nods. Drake and Rihanna are tied for the most music nominations at four a piece. Former One Direction bandmates Zayn and Niall Horan are both competing for “Favorite Breakout Artist” while Zayn is also up for “Favorite Song” with Pillowtalk. Captain America: Civil War is the top movie nominee with seven total nominations, while Grey’s Anatomy is the most nominated TV show with five.

An official partner of PEOPLE’S CHOICE AWARDS 2017, Werther’s Original Caramel Popcorn was on location at the Paley Center to provide delicious snacks to the talent and media. Available in two varieties of perfectly popped corn wrapped with rich and creamy Werther’s Original Caramel – Classic Caramel and the newly launched Sea Salt & Pretzel – Werther’s Caramel Popcorn is the proud sponsor of the Favorite New TV Comedy and Favorite New TV Drama categories. Voting for these two categories opens today and will remain open up until the first hour of the live People’s Choice Awards broadcast on January 18, 2017.

Photos and video from today’s People’s Choice Awards Press Conference can be found at www.EPKlink.com/PeoplesChoiceAwards2017 courtesy of Getty Images. Media outlets can apply for credentials to cover PEOPLE’S CHOICE AWARDS 2017 at https://slatepr.wufoo.com/forms/zipjq16c4577/. The deadline to apply for credentials is Friday, December 23, 2016.

Tickets to the awards show are currently available for fans to purchase through AXS.com. The People’s Choice Awards would like to invite everyone to visit http://vote.peopleschoice.com to vote for their favorites in movies, music, TV and digital. See below for the complete list of nominees.

ABOUT PEOPLE’S CHOICE

Now in its 43rd year, the People’s Choice Awards is the only major awards show voted on entirely by the public for fan favorites in movies, music, television and digital. The People’s Choice official website at www.PeoplesChoice.com houses the
voting platform where fans determine the nominees and winners for the annual awards show. Every year, potential nominees are determined by national ratings averages, box-office grosses, music sales, social media activity and PeoplesChoice.com data, then vetted through E-Poll Market Research. Fred Nelson is the President of People’s Choice, and serves alongside Mark Burnett, Jane Mun and Kimmie H. Kim as Executive Producers of the awards show. The awards show, and digital, mobile and social extensions of the brand are owned by Procter & Gamble. The show is produced by MGM Television and MGM serves as the international distributor.

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**PEOPLE’S CHOICE AWARDS 2017 Nominees:**

**MOVIES**

**FAVORITE MOVIE**
- Captain America: Civil War
- Deadpool
- Finding Dory
- Suicide Squad
- Zootopia

**FAVORITE MOVIE ACTOR**
- Kevin Hart
- Robert Downey Jr.
- Ryan Reynolds
- Tom Hanks
- Will Smith

**FAVORITE MOVIE ACTRESS**
- Anna Kendrick
- Jennifer Lawrence
- Margot Robbie
- Melissa McCarthy
- Scarlett Johansson

**FAVORITE ACTION MOVIE**
- Batman v. Superman: Dawn of Justice
- Captain America: Civil War
- Deadpool
- Suicide Squad
- X-Men: Apocalypse

**FAVORITE ACTION MOVIE ACTOR**
- Chris Evans
- Liam Hemsworth
- Robert Downey Jr.
- Ryan Reynolds
- Will Smith

**FAVORITE ACTION MOVIE ACTRESS**
- Jennifer Lawrence
- Margot Robbie
- Scarlett Johansson
- Shailene Woodley
- Zoe Saldana

**FAVORITE ANIMATED MOVIE VOICE**
- Bill Murray in The Jungle Book
- Ellen DeGeneres in Finding Dory
- Ginnifer Goodwin in Zootopia
- Jason Bateman in Zootopia
- Kevin Hart in The Secret Life of Pets

**FAVORITE COMEDIC MOVIE**
- Bad Moms
- Central Intelligence
- Ghostbusters
- How to Be Single
- Neighbors 2: Sorority Rising

**FAVORITE COMEDIC MOVIE ACTOR**
- Chris Hemsworth
Dwayne Johnson
Kevin Hart
Ryan Gosling
Zac Efron

FAVORITE COMEDIC MOVIE ACTRESS
Anna Kendrick
Kristen Bell
Kristen Wiig
Melissa McCarthy
Rebel Wilson

FAVORITE DRAMATIC MOVIE
Deepwater Horizon
Me Before You
Miracles From Heaven
Miss Peregrine’s Home for Peculiar Children
Sully

FAVORITE DRAMATIC MOVIE ACTOR
Ben Affleck
Chris Pine
George Clooney
Mark Wahlberg
Tom Hanks

FAVORITE DRAMATIC MOVIE ACTRESS
Amy Adams
Blake Lively
Emily Blunt
Julia Roberts
Meryl Streep

FAVORITE FAMILY MOVIE
Alice Through the Looking Glass
Finding Dory
The Jungle Book
The Secret Life of Pets
Zootopia

FAVORITE THRILLER MOVIE
The Conjuring 2
The Girl on the Train
Nerve
The Purge: Election Year
The Shallows

FAVORITE MOVIE ICON
Denzel Washington
Johnny Depp
Samuel L. Jackson
Tom Cruise
Tom Hanks

TV

FAVORITE TV SHOW
The Big Bang Theory
Grey’s Anatomy
Outlander
Stranger Things
The Walking Dead

FAVORITE NETWORK TV COMEDY
The Big Bang Theory
Black-ish
Jane the Virgin
Modern Family
New Girl

FAVORITE COMEDIC TV ACTOR
Andy Samberg
Anthony Anderson
Jim Parsons
Matthew Perry
Tim Allen

FAVORITE COMEDIC TV ACTRESS
Anna Faris
Gina Rodriguez  
Kaley Cuoco  
Sofia Vergara  
Zooey Deschanel

FAVORITE NETWORK TV DRAMA  
Chicago Fire  
Empire  
Grey’s Anatomy  
How to Get Away with Murder  
Quantico

FAVORITE DRAMATIC TV ACTOR  
Jesse Williams  
Justin Chambers  
Scott Foley  
Taylor Kinney  
Terrence Howard

FAVORITE DRAMATIC TV ACTRESS  
Ellen Pompeo  
Kerry Washington  
Priyanka Chopra  
Taraji P. Henson  
Viola Davis

FAVORITE CABLE TV COMEDY  
Atlanta  
Baby Daddy  
It’s Always Sunny in Philadelphia  
Real Husbands of Hollywood  
Younger

FAVORITE CABLE TV DRAMA  
The Americans  
Bates Motel  
Mr. Robot  
Pretty Little Liars  
Queen Sugar

FAVORITE CABLE TV ACTOR  
Adam Devine  
Freddie Highmore  
Kevin Hart  
Rami Malek  
Zach Galifianakis

FAVORITE CABLE TV ACTRESS  
Ashley Benson  
Hilary Duff  
Keri Russell  
Lucy Hale  
Vera Farmiga

FAVORITE TV CRIME DRAMA  
The Blacklist  
Criminal Minds  
Law & Order: SVU  
Lucifer  
NCIS

FAVORITE TV CRIME DRAMA ACTOR  
Chris O’Donnell  
Donnie Wahlberg  
LL Cool J  
Mark Harmon  
Tom Selleck

FAVORITE TV CRIME DRAMA ACTRESS  
Jennifer Lopez  
Lucy Liu  
Mariska Hargitay  
Pauley Perrette  
Sophia Bush

FAVORITE PREMIUM DRAMA SERIES  
Homeland  
House of Cards
Narcos
Orange is the New Black
Power

FAVORITE PREMIUM COMEDY SERIES
Fuller House
The Mindy Project
Shameless
Unbreakable Kimmy Schmidt
Veep

FAVORITE PREMIUM SERIES ACTOR
Aziz Ansari
Dwayne Johnson
Joshua Jackson
Kevin Spacey
Nick Jonas

FAVORITE PREMIUM SERIES ACTRESS
Claire Danes
Jane Fonda
Julia Louis Dreyfus
Sarah Jessica Parker
Taylor Schilling

FAVORITE NETWORK SCI-FI/FANTASY TV SHOW
Arrow
The Flash
Once Upon a Time
Supernatural
The Vampire Diaries

FAVORITE CABLE SCI-FI/FANTASY TV SHOW
American Horror Story
Orphan Black
Shadowhunters
Teen Wolf
The Walking Dead

FAVORITE PREMIUM SCI-FI/FANTASY SERIES
Game of Thrones
Marvel's Luke Cage
Outlander
Stranger Things
Westworld

FAVORITE SCI-FI/FANTASY TV ACTOR
Andrew Lincoln
Ian Somerhalder
Jensen Ackles
Sam Heughan
Tyler Posey

FAVORITE SCI-FI/FANTASY TV ACTRESS
Caitriona Balfe
Emilia Clarke
Jennifer Morrison
Lauren Cohan
Millie Bobby Brown

FAVORITE COMPETITION TV SHOW
America's Got Talent
American Ninja Warrior
Dancing with the Stars
Masterchef
The Voice

FAVORITE DAYTIME TV HOST
Dr. Phil
Ellen DeGeneres
Kelly Ripa
Rachael Ray
Steve Harvey

FAVORITE DAYTIME TV HOSTING TEAM
The Chew
Good Morning America
The Talk
Today
The View

FAVORITE LATE NIGHT TALK SHOW HOST
Conan O'Brien
James Corden
Jimmy Fallon
Jimmy Kimmel
Stephen Colbert

FAVORITE ANIMATED TV SHOW
American Dad!
Bob's Burgers
Family Guy
The Simpsons
South Park

FAVORITE ACTOR IN A NEW TV SERIES
Damon Wayans
Kevin James
Kiefer Sutherland
Matt LeBlanc
Milo Ventimiglia

FAVORITE ACTRESS IN A NEW TV SERIES
Jordana Brewster
Kristen Bell
Mandy Moore
Minnie Driver
Piper Perabo

FAVORITE NEW TV COMEDY
American Housewife
The Good Place
The Great Indoors
Kevin Can Wait
Man with a Plan
Son of Zorn
Speechless

FAVORITE NEW TV DRAMA
Bull
Conviction
Designated Survivor
The Exorcist
Frequency
Lethal Weapon
MacGyver
No Tomorrow
Notorious
Pitch
Pure Genius
This Is Us
Timeless

MUSIC

FAVORITE MALE ARTIST
Blake Shelton
Drake
Justin Timberlake
Shawn Mendes
The Weeknd

FAVORITE FEMALE ARTIST
Adele
Ariana Grande
Beyonce
Britney Spears
Rihanna

FAVORITE GROUP
The Chainsmokers
Coldplay
Fifth Harmony
Panic! at the Disco
Twenty One Pilots
FAVORITE BREAKOUT ARTIST
Alessia Cara
The Chainsmokers
DNCE
Niall Horan
Zayn

FAVORITE MALE COUNTRY ARTIST
Blake Shelton
Keith Urban
Luke Bryan
Sam Hunt
Tim McGraw

FAVORITE FEMALE COUNTRY ARTIST
Carrie Underwood
Dolly Parton
Kelsea Ballerini
Miranda Lambert
Reba McEntire

FAVORITE COUNTRY GROUP
The Band Perry
Florida Georgia Line
Little Big Town
Lonestar
Zac Brown Band

FAVORITE POP ARTIST
Adele
Ariana Grande
Britney Spears
Justin Timberlake
Sia

FAVORITE HIP-HOP ARTIST
DJ Khaled
G-Eazy
Kanye West
Kendrick Lamar
Wiz Khalifa

FAVORITE R&B ARTIST
Beyonce
Drake
Rihanna
Usher
The Weeknd

FAVORITE ALBUM
Anti / Rihanna
Dangerous Woman / Ariana Grande
If I’m Honest / Blake Shelton
Lemonade / Beyonce
Views / Drake

FAVORITE SONG
“Can’t Stop the Feeling” / Justin Timberlake
“No” / Meghan Trainor
“One Dance” / Drake feat. Kyla and Wizkid “Pillowtalk” Zayn
“Work” / Rihanna feat. Drake

DIGITAL
FAVORITE SOCIAL MEDIA CELEBRITY
Britney Spears
Kim Kardashian
Lady Gaga
Shakira
Stephen Amell

FAVORITE SOCIAL MEDIA STAR
Baby Ariel
Cameron Dallas
Jacob Sartorius
Liza Koshy
Nash Grier

FAVORITE YOUTUBE STAR
FAVORITE COMEDIC COLLABORATION
Conan O’Brien’s Ride Along with Ice Cube and Kevin Hart
Ellen DeGeneres and Britney Spears’ Mall Mischief
James Corden’s Carpool Karaoke with Adele
Lip Sync Battle with Channing Tatum and Jenna Dewan Tatum
Saturday Night Live with Alec Baldwin and Kate McKinnon

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