

Golden Popcorn nominees announced

MTV fans have voted and their favourite movies for the 2010 MTV Movie Awards, have been announced. The Hangover, The Twilight Saga: New Moon, and Avatar this year's top-nominated films. They will face heavy competition from each other and from the two mega-movies nipping at their nominated heels: The Proposal and Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince.

Winner voting for the 2010 MTV Movie Awards in 12 different categories began on 12 May and closes Saturday, 5 June, with each winner in line to take home the Golden Popcorn trophy. The 2010 MTV Movie Awards will premiere live on MTV (DStv Channel 321) on Monday, 7 June at 3am and on MTV base (DStv Channel 322) on Monday, 7 June at 10pm.

Making this year's show another battle of the super fans, the hit comedy The Hangover leads with six nominations; the blockbusters The Twilight Saga: New Moon, and Avatar, are neck-and-neck with five nods each; and audience favourites The Proposal, and Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince are each up for four awards.

To vote

It's anyone's and any film's game as the MTV fans hold the destiny of the Golden Popcorn Awards in their hands. From 12 May to 5 June, viewers can go to www.mtvbase.com to vote to make winners of their favourite nominated films, movie moments and actors. Continuing its tradition for being one of the most shocking and atypical awards show on television, the 2010 MTV Movie Awards will feature three new, outrageous categories that include Global Superstar, Best Scared-As-S**t Performance, and Biggest Badass Star. For the first time ever in Movie Awards history, voting will go international as fans worldwide will be able to vote for their favourite global stars in the Global Superstar category by going to their local MTV websites.

Nominees for the "2010 MTV Movie Awards" are:

Best Movie (voting stays live throughout the 2010 Movie Awards ceremony)

- Alice In Wonderland. Director: Tim Burton, producers: Suzanne Todd, Jennifer Todd, Joe Roth and Richard D. Zanuck. (Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures)
- Avatar. Director: James Cameron, producers: James Cameron and Jon Landau (Twentieth Century Fox)
- Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince. Director: David Yates, producers: David Heyman and David Barron (Warner Bros. Pictures)
- The Hangover. Director: Todd Phillips, producers: Todd Phillips and Dan Goldberg (Warner Bros. Pictures)
- The Twilight Saga: New Moon. Director: Chris Weitz, producers: Wyck Godfrey and Karen Rosenfelt (Summit Entertainment)

Best Female Performance

- Amanda Seyfried - Dear John (Screen Gems/Sony Pictures)
- Emma Watson - Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (Warner Bros. Pictures)
- Kristen Stewart - The Twilight Saga: New Moon (Summit Entertainment)
- Sandra Bullock - The Blind Side (Warner Bros. Pictures)
- Zoe Saldana - Avatar (Twentieth Century Fox)

Best Male Performance

- Channing Tatum - Dear John (Screen Gems/Sony Pictures)
- Daniel Radcliffe - Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (Warner Bros. Pictures)
- Robert Pattinson - The Twilight Saga: New Moon (Summit Entertainment)
- Taylor Lautner - The Twilight Saga: New Moon (Summit Entertainment)
- Zac Efron - 17 Again (Warner Bros. Pictures)

Best Breakout Star

- Anna Kendrick - Up in the Air (Paramount Pictures)
- Chris Pine - Star Trek (Paramount Pictures)
- Gabourey Sidibe - Precious: Based on the Novel Push by Sapphire (Lionsgate)
- Logan Lerman - Percy Jackson and the Olympians: The Lightning Thief (Twentieth Century Fox)
- Quinton Aaron - The Blind Side (Warner Bros. Pictures)
- Zach Galifianakis - The Hangover (Warner Bros. Pictures)

Best Comedic Performance

- Ben Stiller - Night at the Museum: Battle of the Smithsonian (Twentieth Century Fox)
- Bradley Cooper - The Hangover (Warner Bros. Pictures)
- Ryan Reynolds - The Proposal (Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures)
- Sandra Bullock - The Proposal (Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures)
- Zach Galifianakis - The Hangover (Warner Bros. Pictures)

Best Villain

- Christoph Waltz - Inglourious Basterds (The Weinstein Company)
- Helena Bonham Carter - Alice In Wonderland (Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures)
- Ken Jeong - The Hangover (Warner Bros. Pictures)
- Stephen Lang - Avatar (Twentieth Century Fox)
- Tom Felton - Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (Warner Bros. Pictures)

Best Fight

- Beyoncé Knowles vs. Ali Larter - Obsessed (Screen Gems/Sony Pictures)
- Hugh Jackman and Liev Schreiber vs. Ryan Reynolds - X-Men Origins: Wolverine (Twentieth Century Fox)
- Logan Lerman vs. Jake Abel - Percy Jackson and the Olympians: The Lightning Thief (Twentieth Century Fox)
- Robert Downey Jr. vs. Mark Strong - Sherlock Holmes (Warner Bros. Pictures)
- Sam Worthington vs. Stephen Lang - Avatar (Twentieth Century Fox)

Best Kiss

- Kristen Stewart and Robert Pattinson - The Twilight Saga: New Moon (Summit Entertainment)
- Kristen Stewart and Dakota Fanning - The Runaways (Apparition)
- Sandra Bullock and Ryan Reynolds - The Proposal (Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures)
- Taylor Swift and Taylor Lautner - Valentine's Day (Warner Bros. Pictures)
- Zoe Saldana and Sam Worthington - Avatar (Twentieth Century Fox)

Best WTF Moment

- Betty White - The Proposal, Cops a Feel (Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures)
- Bill Murray - Zombieland, Bill Murray?! A Zombie?! (Columbia Pictures/Sony Pictures)
- Isabel Lucas - Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen, Unexpected Transformation (Paramount Pictures)
- Ken Jeong - The Hangover , Naked Trunk Surprise (Warner Bros. Pictures)
- Megan Fox - Jennifer's Body, Vomits a Mysterious Black Ooze (Twentieth Century Fox)

Global Superstar (New category)

- Robert Pattinson
- Kristen Stewart
- Taylor Lautner
- Johnny Depp
- Daniel Radcliffe

Best Scared-As-Sht Performance (New category)**

- Alison Lohman - Drag Me To Hell (Universal Pictures)
- Amanda Seyfried - Jennifer's Body (Twentieth Century Fox)
- Jesse Eisenberg - Zombieland (Columbia Pictures/Sony Pictures)
- Katie Featherston - Paranormal Activity (Paramount Pictures)
- Sharlto Copley - District 9 (TriStar Pictures/Sony Pictures)

Biggest Badass Star (New category)

- Rain
- Angelina Jolie
- Channing Tatum
- Sam Worthington
- Chris Pine

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