



CHILDREN'S AWARDS: NOMINATIONS ANNOUNCED

DOUBLE WORLD RECORD HOLDER HELEN SKELTON NOMINATED FOR BEST PRESENTER AT 2012 BRITISH ACADEMY CHILDREN'S AWARDS

YOUNG ONE'S NIGEL PLANER RECEIVES FIRST EVER NOMINATION

HORRIBLE HISTORIES LEADS WITH THREE CHILDREN'S AWARDS NOMINATIONS

VOTING IN BAFTA KIDS' VOTE CATEGORY OPENS TODAY

London, 23 October 2012: The British Academy of Film and Television Arts (BAFTA) has today announced the nominations for the 2012 **British Academy Children's Awards**, which take place on Sunday 25 November at the London Hilton, Park Lane.

Children's BAFTA winner and Blue Peter presenter Barney Harwood will return to host the Awards that celebrate the very best in children's media, including television, film, video games and online.

Double world record holder **Helen Skelton** can now add a second Children's BAFTA nomination to her list of achievements for presenting *Helen's Polar Challenge For Sport Relief*. The programme saw her become the first person in the world to reach the South Pole by bicycle. Skelton is nominated in the Presenter category alongside last year's winner **Steve Backshall**, *Milkshake's* **Kemi Majeks** and previous winner **Justin Fletcher**, who also has two nominated programmes in the Pre-School Live Action category.

The Performer category features stiff competition between upcoming and established talent, with 14 year old rapper and actor **Khalil Madovi** up against 59 year old *Young One* **Nigel Planer**.

Three nominations go to the hugely successful series **Horrible Histories**, which has received nominations in the same categories for the last three years (Comedy, Writer and Performer), and winning for Comedy last year.

The four films nominated in the Feature Film category this year include BAFTA Fellow Martin Scorsese's **Hugo** and Disney's **The Muppets. The Hunger Games** and **Arthur Christmas**, the two other films competing for the Award, also appear in the BAFTA Kids' Vote shortlist.

The final series of **Tracy Beaker Returns**, featuring *Strictly Come Dancing* star Dani Harmer, receives two nominations, for Drama and Writer, and a BAFTA Kids' Vote shortlisting in the Television category. The popular *Tracy Beaker* series has now received nine nominations at the Children's Awards over the years. **The Amazing World of Gumball** also receives two nominations, for Writer and Animation – the same two categories in which it won last year, and is shortlisted for the Kids' Vote in the Television category too.

Junior Bake Off follows the success of *The Great British Bake Off*, the BAFTA-winning television programme at this year's Television Awards, by being nominated in the Entertainment category.

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The BAFTA **Kids' Vote** opens for voting today: 7-14 year olds will have their say across a whole range of entertainment media in a nationwide poll to choose their favourite film, television programme, website and video game. The shortlist in each category is incredibly strong this year, with films including **The Hunger Games**, **Marvel Avengers Assemble**, **Ice Age 4: Continental Drift** and **The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn Part 1** all going head-to-head in the Feature Film category. Nominations for Television show include **The Sarah Jane Adventures**, **Tracy Beaker Returns**, **Phineas and Ferb**, **House of Anubis** and **Almost Naked Animals**.

The BAFTA Kids' Vote opens today (23 October) at 09.00 and closes on Friday 23 November 2012 at 18.00. Children can cast their votes at www.baftakidsvote.org.

For a third year, the winners of the annual **BAFTA Young Game Designers** competition will be announced at the Awards ceremony. The competition is open to 11-16 year olds and aims to inspire the game designers and game-makers of the future. For the first time this year there were two categories: the Game Concept Award for young people who submitted an idea for a new game; and the Game-making Award, presented by Sony Computer Entertainment Europe, for young people who made their own game using computer software. The top three entrants in both categories will attend the ceremony, and the winners will have their game developed further with experts from the University of Abertay Dundee, as well as visiting SCE London Studio, makers of the BAFTA Award-winning EyeToy® and SingStar® franchises. BAFTA has partnered with Abertay University and Sony Computer Entertainment Europe (SCEE) on the initiative.

The British Academy Children's Awards represent all aspects of children's entertainment: Animation, Channel of the Year, Comedy, Drama, Entertainment, Factual, Feature Film, Independent Production Company, Interactive, International, Learning-Primary, Learning-Secondary, Performer, Pre-school Animation, Pre-school Live Action, Presenter, Short Form, Video Game and Writer.

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NOMINATIONS

ANIMATION

The Amazing Adrenalini Brothers!

Production Team
Pesky Productions/POP

The Amazing World Of Gumball

Ben Bocquelet, Mic Graves, Joanna Beresford
Cartoon Network Europe in association with Dandelion Studios, Boulder Media & Studio Soi/Cartoon Network UK

The Gruffalo's Child

Production Team
Magic Light Pictures in association with Studio Soi/BBC One

The Mechanical Musical Marvel

Chris Randall, Julie Boden
Second Home Studios/THSH Birmingham

CHANNEL OF THE YEAR

CBBC

CBeebies

CiTV

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COMEDY

4 O'Clock Club

Spencer Campbell, Julie Edwards, Paul Rose
CBBC/CBBC

Diddy Movies

Steve Ryde, Julian Kemp
CBBC/CBBC



Horrible Histories

Production Team
Lion TV/Citrus Television/CBBC

Sorry I've Got No Head

Jeremy Salsby, Iain Curtis, Graham Stuart
SO Television/CBBC

DRAMA

Lost Christmas

Elliot Jenkins, John Hay, David Logan
Impact Film & Television/CBBC

Post Code

Production Team
The Foundation/CBBC

Roy

John Rice, Alan Shannon, Mark Cumberton
JAM Media/CBBC

Tracy Beaker Returns

Gina Cronk, Neasa Hardiman, Elly Brewer
CBBC/CBBC

ENTERTAINMENT

The Big Performance 2

Helen Soden, Nicola Lloyd, Gareth Malone
Twenty Twenty TV/CBBC

Friday Download

Jeremy Salsby, Melony Smith, Fiona Walmsley
Saltbeef Productions/CBBC

Junior Bake Off

Anna Beattie, Kieran Smith, Amanda Westwood
Love Production/CBBC

The Slammer

Steve Ryde, Jeanette Goulbourn, Samantha Lockett
CBBC/CBBC

FACTUAL

Deadly 60

Scott Alexander, Kirstine Davidson
BBC Bristol for CBBC/CBBC

My Life: Me, My Dad and His Kidney

Rachael Smith, Cat Lewis, Helen Tither
Nine Lives Media/CBBC

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Newsround Special: My Autism and Me

Victoria Bell, Daniel Clarke, Owenna Griffiths
CBBC/CBBC

Show Me What You're Made Of

Production Team
Watershed TV/CBBC

FEATURE FILM

Arthur Christmas

Peter Lord, Sarah Smith, Peter Baynham
Columbia Pictures/Sony Pictures Animation/Aardman/Sony Pictures Releasing

Hugo

Martin Scorsese, Graham King, Tim Headington, Johnny Depp
GK Films/Infinitum NIHIL/Entertainment Film Distributors

The Hunger Games

Gary Ross, Nina Jacobson, Jon Kilik
Lionsgate/Lionsgate UK

The Muppets

Production Team
Walt Disney Studios/Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures UK

INDEPENDENT PRODUCTION COMPANY

4T2 Multimedia

Blue Zoo Productions

Boom Pictures

Plug-in Media

INTERACTIVE

Deadly Planet

Paul Deane, Lynda Davies, Dan Efergan
Aardman Animation/BBC Natural History Unit

Nightmare High

Jo Roach, Tassos Stevens, Paul Bennun
Somethin' Else/Channel 4

Where's My Water?

Development Team
Disney Mobile

Tree Fu Tom

Development Team
Plug-in Media/Blue Zoo Productions/CBeebies



INTERNATIONAL

iCarly

Dan Schneider, Robin Weiner, Joe Catania
Schneider's Bakery/Nickelodeon UK

Kung Fu Panda: Legends Of Awesomeness

Peter Hastings, Gabe Swarr, Randy Doormans
DreamWorks Animation/Nickelodeon UK

Phineas and Ferb

Production Team
Walt Disney Television Animation/Disney XD UK

SpongeBob SquarePants

Paul Tibbitt, Casey Alexander, Zeus Cervas
MTV Networks International/United Plankton Pictures/Nickelodeon UK

LEARNING - PRIMARY

Little Stargazing

Neil Scott, Gerald Strother
BBC Scotland/The Learning Zone on BBC Two

Same But Different

Louise Lynch, David Barnes
Libra Television/Two Sugars/The Learning Zone on BBC Two

Seeking Refuge

Andy Glynn
Mosaic Films/The Learning Zone on BBC Two

True Stories

Emma Frank, Emma Wakefield
Lambent Productions/The Learning Zone on BBC Two

LEARNING – SECONDARY

Gang Life

Paul Blake
Maroon Productions/The Learning Zone on BBC Two

L8R Youngers 2

John White, Derek Brown, David Watson
Actorshop Productions/The Learning Zone on BBC Two

Make A Musical

Rebecca Applin, Owen Smith, Martin Wright
Gamelab UK/The Learning Zone on BBC Two

Music, Mud & Making Money

Sarah Dean, Rajan Malhotra, Michael Tuft
BBC London Factual/The Learning Zone on BBC Two



PERFORMER

Mathew Baynton (various) – Horrible Histories
Lion Television/Citrus TV/CBBC

Ben Faulks (Mr Bloom) – Mr Bloom's Nursery
CBeebies/CBeebies

Khalil Madovi (Josh Carter) – 4 O'Clock Club
CBBC/CBBC

Nigel Planer (The Night Night Porter and various) – Grizzly Tales
Grizzly TV/NickToons

PRE-SCHOOL ANIMATION

Peppa Pig

Philip Hall, Joris van Hulzen, Phil Davies
Astley Baker Davies/Five

Rastamouse

Greg Boardman, Eugenio Perez, Derek Mogford
The Rastamouse Company/CBeebies

Timmy Time

Jackie Cockle, Liz Whitaker, David Scanlon
Aardman Animations/CBeebies

Tree Fu Tom

Production Team
CBeebies/Fremantle Media/Blue Zoo/CBeebies

PRE-SCHOOL LIVE ACTION

Andy's Wild Adventures

John Miller, Charlotte Crosse
BBC Natural History Unit/CBeebies

Ha Ha Hairies

Mellie Buse, Jan Page, Martin Franks
Adastra Creative/Cartoonito

Justin's House

Stephen Cannon, Anna Perowne
CBeebies/CBeebies

Something Special

Allan Johnston, Helen O'Connell
CBeebies/CBeebies



PRESENTER

Steve Backshall – Deadly 60
BBC Bristol for CBBC/CBBC

Justin Fletcher – Something Special
CBeebies/CBeebies

Kemi Majeks – Milkshake presentation
Five/Five

Helen Skelton – Helen's Polar Challenge For Sport Relief
CBBC/CBBC

SHORT FORM

Compost Corner
Westley Wood, Tim Dann, Tim Collings
CiTV/CiTV

The Grumpy King
Raf Gasak, Jonny Sabbagh, Will Harper
Blink Ink/Cartoon Network UK

Ooglies
Mole Hill, Louise Corbett, Cameron Fraser
BBC Scotland/Ko Lik/CBBC

Share A Story 2011
Dave Hickman, Carl Hadley, David Heslop
CiTV Creative/CiTV

VIDEO GAME

Just Dance 3
Nino Sapina, Gregoire Spillman, Florian Granger
Ubisoft

LEGO Batman 2: DC Super Heroes
Jon Burton, John Hodkinson, Jonathan Smith
TT Games

Skylanders Spyro's Adventure
Development Team
Activision

Super Mario 3D Land (DS)
Development Team
Nintendo



WRITER

Ben Bocquelet, James Lamont, Jon Foster – The Amazing World of Gumball

Cartoon Network Europe in association with Dandelion Studios, Boulder Media & Studio Soi /Cartoon Network UK

Writing Team - Horrible Histories

Lion Television/Citrus TV/CBBC

Phil Ford – The Sarah Jane Adventures

BBC Cymru Wales/CBBC

Elly Brewer – Tracy Beaker Returns

CBBC/CBBC

BAFTA KIDS' VOTE: TOP TENS

Feature Film

The Amazing Spider Man	(12A)	Sony Pictures
Arthur Christmas	(U)	Sony Pictures
The Hunger Games	(12A)	Lionsgate
Ice Age 4: Continental Drift	(U)	20 th Century Fox
Johnny English Reborn	(PG)	Universal
Marvel Avengers Assemble	(12A)	Walt Disney
Men In Black 3	(PG)	Sony Pictures
The Smurfs	(U)	Sony Pictures
The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn Part 1	(12A)	eOne
War Horse	(12A)	Walt Disney

Television

4 O'Clock Club	CBBC
Almost Naked Animals	CiTV
The Amazing Adventures Of Gumball	Cartoon Network
Good Luck Charlie	Disney Channel
House Of Anubis	Nickelodeon UK
Jessie	Disney Channel
Phineas and Ferb	Disney XD
The Sarah Jane Adventures	CBBC
Tracy Beaker Returns	CBBC
Young Dracula	CBBC

Video Game

FIFA 12	(3+)	Electronic Arts
Just Dance 3	(3+)	Ubisoft
Mario Kart 7	(3+)	Nintendo
Mario & Sonic London 2012 Olympic Games	(3+)	Sega
Moshi Monsters: Moshling Zoo	(3+)	Mind Candy
Professor Layton and the Spectre's Call	(7+)	Nintendo
Skylanders: Spyro's Adventures	(7+)	Activision Blizzard
Super Mario 3D Land	(3+)	Nintendo
Temple Run	(9+)	Imangi Studios
Where's My Water?	(4+)	Disney Mobile

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