

TCM Classic Film Festival - Day 1

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The 13th TCM Classic Film Festival got underway with a full day of events, films, and talks. Kicking it all off was the "Meet TCM," an event designed specifically to share staffer insight into the network, how it's produced and what is coming up. In addition, the wildly popular, "So You Think You Know Movies," was filled to the rafters at the Roosevelt Hotel as movie buffs and film fanatics battled it out in this funfilled annual quiz competition headed up by Bruce Goldstein, founder of Rialto Pictures and the repertory program director of New York's Film Forum. The Opening Night Reception this year was held poolside at the Hollywood Roosevelt. And without further adieu, the 40th anniversary of E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial at the TCL Chinese Theatre IMAX officially opened the 2022 festival.

Check out some of the highlights!



LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA - APRIL 21: (L-R) President of Kids, Young Adults, and Classics for

• Opening Night screening of "E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial," featuring a conversation with director Steven Spielberg



LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA - APRIL 21: <> on April 21, 2022 in Los Angeles, California. (Photo by

• Film historian and author Cari Beauchamp celebrates the 90th anniversary of "The Jewel Robbery" with a sold-out screening



TCM host Dave Karger and special guest Topher Grace speak at the screening of Fast Times at Ric

 Special guest Topher Grace and TCM host Dave Karger attend the poolside screening of "Fast Times at Ridgemont High"

Stay tuned for Day 2 including the Lily Tomlin hand and footprint ceremony!



Larry Gleeson attends the hand and footprint ceremony for Lily Tomlin at the TCL Chinese Theatre

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