

Carl Weathers to Present Sylvester Stallone with Montecito Award at Santa Barbara International Film Festival #SBIFF

Description



Carl Weathers will present **Sylvester Stallone** with the prestigious **Montecito Award** at the **Santa Barbara International Film Festival**, reuniting the two stars from the Oscar-winning *Rocky*.

Stallone is receiving the award for his award-winning performance in Ryan Coogler's hit film *Creed*.

Given to a person in the entertainment industry who has made a great contribution to film, the award will be presented to Stallone at a ceremony on Tuesday, February 9, at the historic Arlington Theater.

Weathers famously portrayed Heavyweight Champion Apollo Creed in the original *Rocky* films, first squaring off with the Italian Stallion in *Rocky* and *Rocky II*, and returning in *Rocky III* and *Rocky IV* as Rocky's close friend and trainer. The new film, *Creed*, centers on Apollo's son, Adonis Creed (played by Michael B. Jordan), who never knew his famous father. But with boxing in his blood, Adonis turns to Rocky Balboa to train him for the ring.

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