

**2026 WTVD LIVE'S AFTER THE OSCARS® SWEEPSTAKES
OFFICIAL RULES**

**NO PURCHASE NECESSARY
VOID WHERE PROHIBITED BY LAW**

I. NAME OF SPONSOR

WTVD Television, LLC, licensee of WTVD-TV (hereinafter referred to as "**Sponsor**"), 411 Liberty Street, Durham, NC 27701.

II. ELIGIBILITY

The 2026 WTVD *LIVE's After the Oscars*® Sweepstakes (the "**Sweepstakes**") is open only to legal United States residents who reside in the Designated Market Area ("**DMA**") of WTVD, as determined by Nielsen Media Research Services, and who are at least eighteen (18) years of age or older. The DMA of WTVD covers the following counties in the states of North Carolina and Virginia: North Carolina – Chatham, Cumberland, Durham, Edgecombe, Franklin, Granville, Halifax, Harnett, Hoke, Johnston, Lee, Moore, Nash, Northampton, Orange, Person, Sampson, Vance, Wake, Warren, Wilson and Wayne counties; Virginia - Mecklenburg County.

Any employees of Sponsor, WABC Television (New York), LLC, the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences ("**A.M.P.A.S.**"), licensees of WABC-TV, *LIVE with Kelly & Mark*, or any organizations responsible for sponsoring, fulfilling, administering, advertising or promoting the Sweepstakes or supplying a prize, and/or their respective parent, subsidiary, affiliated and successor companies, and immediate family and household members of such individuals are not eligible to enter or win. "Immediate family members" shall mean parents, stepparents, children, stepchildren, siblings, stepsiblings, or spouses. "Household members" shall mean people who share the same residence at least three (3) months a year.

III. HOW AND WHEN TO ENTER

Watch *LIVE with Kelly and Mark* each weekday at 9:00 am Eastern Time ("**ET**") beginning **February 23, 2026** through **February 27, 2026** ("**Sweepstakes Period**") on WTVD in the DMA. Check local listings. Each day during the broadcast, listen for the "Answer" to that day's "Freeze the Day Travel Trivia" during the broadcast.

Once you have the Answer for that day, visit www.abc11.com/18616684 (the "**Website**"), click on the Sweepstakes themed image to be redirected to the link to the Sweepstakes entry form and enter the correct Answer. Entrants will receive (1) one entry into the Sweepstakes for each correctly spelled daily Answer they submit. The Answer for a given show day can be submitted between the hours of 9:00 am ET and 11:59 pm ET (each, an "**Entry Period**" and collectively, the "**Entry Periods**") on that show day only. There are a total of five (5) separate Entry Periods – one corresponding to each weekday during the Sweepstakes Period. Entrants will receive one (1) entry into the Sweepstakes drawing with the submission of a correctly spelled Answer. For example, if hypothetically the Answer is "cat" for February 23, 2026, the entrant has to submit "cat" (correctly spelled, capitalization need not be exact) between 9:00 am ET and 11:59 pm ET on February 23, 2026.

CLICK THE CHECK BOX SIGNIFYING THAT YOU HAVE READ AND AGREE TO THESE OFFICIAL RULES. IF YOU DO NOT CHECK THE BOX INDICATING YOUR CONFIRMATION OF AND AGREEMENT TO THE ABOVE, YOU WILL NOT BE ENTERED IN THE SWEEPSTAKES AND CANNOT WIN THE PRIZE.

Limit one (1) Sweepstakes entry via the method listed above (each an "Entry" and collectively referred to herein as "Entries") per person, per Entry Period, regardless of how many Member accounts a person may have (as further described below). Entries remain the property of Sponsor and will not be returned or acknowledged. Each entrant can receive up to five (5) Entries throughout the duration of the Sweepstakes Period.

To enter the Sweepstakes, you must be a registered member of the Website.

Existing Member: As a Member, you may enter the Sweepstakes by logging into the Website with your user name or email address and password and following the entry instructions. If you login to your Member account using Facebook, you will be asked to allow Facebook's "Basic App Permissions," which is required in order to login to your Member account and participate in the Sweepstakes.

Non-Member: If you are not a Member, you may become a Member free of charge by visiting the Website and registering by providing the requested information on the registration form through the “sign up” or similar section on the Website. By creating a Member account, you acknowledge your agreement to the Terms of Use (available at <http://disneytermsofuse.com>). Upon becoming a Member and meeting eligibility requirements, you may enter the Sweepstakes by following the instructions.

By clicking the “Continue” button to continue with your Entry (as described below), you confirm that you meet the eligibility requirements of this Sweepstakes and agree to these Sweepstakes Official Rules. During the registration and entry process, you may be asked to consent to receive promotional and marketing emails from Sponsor, ABC Television Network and/or other members of the Walt Disney family of companies or the prize provider. Consenting to receive promotional, marketing or reminder emails is optional, does not have to be agreed to in order to be eligible to enter the Sweepstakes and does not improve your chances of winning. In the event you do consent to receive these emails, the use of such emails shall be subject to the privacy policy of the entity requesting your optional consent.

Sponsor can provide no technical support and accepts no responsibility for ensuring the receipt or successful submission of your Entry. Mass Entries or Entries generated by a script, macro or use of automated methods will be disqualified. Sponsor is not responsible for failed, partial or garbled computer transmissions, or for technical failures of any kind, including, but not limited to, electronic malfunction or damage of any network, hardware or software. If for any reason the Sweepstakes is not capable of running as planned, including infection by computer virus, bugs, tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical failures, or other causes that corrupt or affect the administration, security, fairness, integrity or proper conduct of the Sweepstakes, Sponsor reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to disqualify any individual who tampers with the entry process, and to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Sweepstakes. No responsibility is assumed for any error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or transmission, communications line failure, theft or destruction or unauthorized access to, or alteration of, Entries; or any problems or technical malfunctions of any telephone network or lines, computer online systems, servers, or providers, computer equipment, software, failure of any email or electronic Entry to be received on account of technical problems or traffic congestion on the Internet or Website, or any combination thereof, including any injury or damage to entrant’s or any other person’s computer related to or resulting from participation in or downloading any materials from this Sweepstakes. Except as otherwise contemplated by these Official Rules, and to the extent entrants may otherwise elect at the time of Entry, information provided by you for these Sweepstakes is subject to Sponsor’s privacy policy. THE WEBSITE, LINKS, BANNERS, PREDICTION MECHANISMS, AND/OR THE ENTRY FORM MAY NOT BE ACCESSIBLE FROM ALL MOBILE PHONES, HANDHELD DEVICES, AND/OR TABLETS. IF AN ENTRANT EXPERIENCES ANY ISSUES ENTERING, THEY SHOULD ACCESS THE WEBSITE AND ENTER FROM A DESKTOP OR LAPTOP COMPUTER.

IV. HOW AND WHEN WINNER WILL BE SELECTED AND NOTIFIED

At the conclusion of the Sweepstakes Period, one (1) potential winner will be selected via a random drawing from among all eligible Entries received during all Entry Periods combined. Potential winner will be notified on or around the date of selection by telephone and/or email at the email address or phone number listed in their Member account profile. Odds of winning depend on the total number of valid Entries received during the Sweepstakes Period.

Final determination of the winner is always conditional on verification of eligibility and compliance with these Official Rules and procedures. Failure to respond to the initial verification phone call and/or email within twenty-four (24) hours after initial notification to the potential winner or return of the email notification as undeliverable after two (2) attempts may result in disqualification and award of the prize to an alternate winner. Potential winner will be required to complete, sign and return within one (1) business day of transmission, an Affidavit of Eligibility, Release and Indemnification, and a Publicity Release where allowed by law, W-9 Form, if applicable and any other documentation required by Sponsor (collectively, “**Verification Documents**”). If a potential winner does not respond to the initial notification within twenty-four (24) hours as set forth above, if Verification Documents are not returned to Sponsor within the specified time period, if potential winner cannot attend any programming connected with the Sweepstakes on the specified date, if any prize notification or prize is returned as non-deliverable, if potential winner is found to be ineligible or otherwise not in compliance with these Official Rules, or if potential winner cannot or does not accept the prize for any reason, prize may be forfeited and potential winner may be disqualified without compensation of any kind and an alternate winner may be selected in a random drawing (time permitting) from remaining eligible entries received.

In the event of any dispute concerning the identity of any entrant, the Entry will be deemed submitted by the natural person who is the authorized holder of the email listed in the Member account. “Authorized account holder” is defined as the natural person who is assigned to an email address by an Internet access provider, online service provider, or other organization

(e.g., business, educational institution, etc.) that is responsible for assigning email addresses for the domain associated with the submitted email address.

V. PRIZE

One (1) Prize is available. The Prize consists of a three (3) day/two (2) night trip for the winner and one (1) guest in Hollywood, CA to attend the live taping of LIVE's "After the Oscars® Show" from the Dolby Theatre at Ovation Center, Hollywood, California on **March 16, 2026** (the "Show") (date and time of taping will be at the sole discretion of Sponsor). Prize includes:

- Roundtrip economy-class airfare for two (2) persons (i.e., winner and guest) to/from a major airport near winner's residence and Los Angeles, CA (exact flights, schedule and route to be determined by Sponsor, in its sole discretion);
- Two (2) nights standard hotel accommodations (single room/double occupancy) at a hotel in Los Angeles selected by Sponsor;
- Local ground transportation in Los Angeles, CA as determined by Sponsor;
- Two (2) VIP seats at a live taping of the Show from the Dolby Theatre at Ovation Center, on March 16, 2026 (date of taping will be at the sole discretion of Sponsor);
- Admission to a winner's reception for winner and guest; and
- One (1) \$250 prepaid gift card which may be used for incidentals.

Transportation must be completed at times determined by Sponsor. Winner and guest must be on the same itinerary.

Travel must be completed on dates noted above.

Approximate retail value ("ARV") of Prize: \$3,500. Final actual value of Prize will be determined at the time of booking and travel may be substantially more or less depending on point of departure, dates of travel and ticket availability. Some restrictions apply. Airline tickets issued in conjunction with the Prize may not be eligible for frequent flyer miles, and no code share flights may be used. Sponsor reserves the right to structure travel route, on a Sponsor-selected carrier for air travel from a major airport near winner's residence, in its sole discretion. All aspects of the travel portion of the Prize must be conducted on the dates within the range of options provided by Sponsor, in its sole discretion. Sponsor shall not be responsible for any cancellations, delays, diversions or substitutions or any act or omissions whatsoever by the air carriers, hotels, and/or other transportation companies or any other persons providing any of these services or accommodations. Sponsor shall not be liable for any loss or damage to baggage.

WINNER MUST TRAVEL TO ATTEND SHOW ON MARCH 16, 2026. If a potential winner cannot travel on dates specified by Sponsor, such potential winner will be disqualified, will forfeit the Prize without compensation of any kind and an alternate Prize winner will be selected from among all remaining eligible Entries, provided sufficient time remains prior to the Show date.

Winner must travel with their guest on the same itinerary. Winner and guest must possess all required travel documents, including a valid photo ID. Guest must be eighteen (18) years of age or older. If winner elects to travel without a guest, no additional compensation will be awarded. Winner is solely responsible for all costs and expenses not specified herein as being awarded, including, but not limited to, meals, tips, hotel incidentals, souvenirs, excursions and additional ground transportation. In the event the prize winner is able to participate in the trip during the dates specified by Sponsor, but the Show (which has no retail value) does not or cannot take place as scheduled or at all, for reasons including but not limited to scheduling conflicts, cancellations, postponement, or for any other reason, then the Sponsor reserves the right to award the remainder of the prize with no further obligation to the winner.

In the event winner and/or their guest engage in behavior that (as determined by Sponsor in Sponsor's sole discretion) is obnoxious or inappropriate, threatening, illegal or that is intended to annoy, abuse, threaten or harass any other person, Sponsor reserves the right to terminate the applicable experience early, in whole or in part, and send winner and/or guest home with no further compensation.

Prize is not redeemable for cash or transferable, except to a surviving spouse residing in the same household. No substitutions allowed except, at Sponsor's sole discretion, a prize, or prize element, of equal or greater value may be substituted. Certain prize items are subject to availability and may be substituted by Sponsor for a different item of greater or equal value, in its sole discretion. Gift card/subscriptions are subject to separate terms and conditions imposed by issuer.

Winner shall be solely responsible for any applicable federal, state, and local taxes and/or local laws and regulations, and the reporting consequences thereof, and for any other fees or costs associated with a Prize. Winner will receive an IRS Form 1099 reflecting the final actual value of any Prize valued at \$2,000 or more and must submit a validly executed IRS Form W-9 to claim Prize.

VI. RELEASES

The Sweepstakes is governed by all applicable federal, state and local laws, and by these Official Rules. By participating, entrants agree to be bound by these Official Rules and the decisions of the Sponsor, which shall be final in all respects.

By participating in this Sweepstakes and accepting any prize that they may win, entrants agree to release Sponsor, WABC Television (New York), LLC, the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences (“**A.M.P.A.S.**”), licensees of WABC-TV, *LIVE with Kelly & Mark*, each of their respective parent, subsidiary, affiliated and successor companies, advertising and promotion agencies and prize suppliers, and each of their respective officers, directors, agents, representatives and employees, as well as each of their respective successors, representatives and assigns (collectively, the “**Released Parties**”) from any and all actions, claims, injury, loss or damage arising in any manner, directly or indirectly, from participation in this Sweepstakes and/or acceptance or use of the prize, including, but not limited to, potential exposure to COVID-19 while attending the Show.

Winner agrees that the Released Parties have not made nor are in any manner responsible or liable for any warranty, representation or guarantee, express or implied, in fact or in law, relative to any prize.

Except where prohibited, entrants agree that: (a) any and all disputes, claims, and causes of action arising out of or connected with this Sweepstakes, or any prizes awarded, or the determination of the winners, shall be resolved individually, without resort to any form of class action, and exclusively by arbitration pursuant to the Rules of the American Arbitration Association, then effective; (b) any and all claims, judgments and awards shall be limited to actual out-of-pocket costs incurred, including costs associated with entering this Sweepstakes but in no event attorneys’ fees; and (c) under no circumstances will entrant be permitted to obtain awards for and entrant hereby waive all rights to claim punitive, incidental and consequential damages and any other damages, other than for actual out-of-pocket expenses, and any and all rights to have damages multiplied or otherwise increased. All issues and questions concerning the construction, validity, interpretation and enforceability of these Official Rules, or the rights and obligations of entrant and/or Released Parties in connection with the Sweepstakes, shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of North Carolina, without regard for conflicts of law doctrine of North Carolina or any other jurisdiction, and all proceedings shall take place in the County of Durham, NC. THE PARTIES HEREBY WAIVE THEIR RIGHT TO JURY TRIAL WITH RESPECT TO ALL CLAIMS AND ISSUES ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT WHETHER SOUNDING IN CONTRACT OR TORT AND INCLUDING ANY CLAIM FOR FRAUDULENT INDUCEMENT THEREOF.

Entrants authorize the Released Parties to use their name, voice, likeness, biographical data, city and state of residence and entry materials in programming or promotional material, worldwide in perpetuity, or on a winner’s list, if applicable, without further compensation unless prohibited by law. Sponsor is not obligated to use any of the above-mentioned information or materials, but may do so and may edit such information or materials, at Sponsor’s sole discretion, without further obligation or compensation.

VII. MISCELLANEOUS; WINNERS’ LIST

Void where prohibited. All federal, state and local laws and regulations apply.

Sponsor reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to disqualify any individual who tampers with the entry process and to cancel, terminate, modify and/or suspend the Sweepstakes in the event of tampering or other circumstances, including, but not limited to, acts of God or civil disturbance that render it impractical or impossible to complete or fulfill the Sweepstakes as originally planned.

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These Official Rules will be posted on <https://abc11.com/> or at least thirty (30) days after winner is notified or announced.