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The PRIX INTERCULTUREL 2023, the Trophy of Bernd Sauter and the Donation of 2000,-€

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THE BOY

(ISRAEL)

by

YAHAV WINNER (†)

ARGUMENTATION

Avinoam and Barak, father and son on a kibbutz near the Gaza Strip, farm their fields without saying a lot.

Barak's gaze keeps wandering to the other side of the the gigantic barbed-wire fence.

This film depicts a (generational) conflict in images that are emphatically calm, but beneath the surface the emotions are seething and the situation threatens to escalate.

On October 7th Yahav Winner was murdered by the terror organisation Hamas in the Kfar kibutz. The Interfilm Academy Munich will start THE BOY in open intercultural discussions in memoriam of the murdered director and of the meanwhile thousands of murdered Israeli and Palestinian people in the brand new Middle East conflict.

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