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Jewish comedian **Sacha Baron Cohen** makes an appearance in character as the anti-Semitic Borat to explain why **Mel Gibson's** *Apocalypto* was only nominated for technical categories. >>

After introducing himself by saying "I used to be president" (again), **Al Gore** pulls out his weather death ray and threatens corporate America to keep polluting so he can make another documentary.

Beyonce rushes the stage with a baseball bat as **Jennifer Hudson** accepts her best supporting actress award for *Dream-girls*. >>

The Academy announces either **Peter O'Toole** or **Martin Scorsese** can finally win — after a fight to the death.

Sunday is the big night (8 p.m. on ABC), when gossip hounds and movie mavens order pizza and celebrate their own Super Bowl. And while we here at The Juice* could provide you with a regular ol' ballot for your Oscar pool (find yer own at www.oscar.com), we decided to keep an eye out for some of the more, let's say, *dynamic* moments that could happen at the Kodak Theater. Mark 'em off as they happen. Complete a row and you win a smug sense of self-satisfaction.

As **Forest Whitaker** prepares to speak following his win for *The Last King of Scotland*, ABC accidentally shows clips from 1999's *Ghost Dog*.

Presenters spend 10 minutes reminding the audience what *The Prestige* was about (something about magicians) and insisting it's not *The Illusionist*.

>> Beating out three cartoons, Walt Disney's CGI-heavy *Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest* is a write-in winner for best animated feature.

Eddie Murphy gives five different acceptance speeches for best supporting actor, in character as a different person each time. >>

Finally realizing *The Departed* is just a remake of 2002 Hong Kong flick *Infernal Affairs*, the Academy gives best director to **Wai Keung (Andrew) Lau** and **Siu Fai (Alan) Mak**.

The giant frog from *Pan's Labyrinth* is installed at the end of the orchestra pit to swallow up anyone whose speech runs too long. **Halle Berry** fears for her life.

As the only Yankee in a field of foreign actresses, **Meryl Streep** takes home the gold for best actress and thanks **Marisa Tomei**. >>

Even though it doesn't win anything, the mention of *United 93* makes everyone sad and uncomfortable.

<< Globalist-friendly *Babel* nudges *Letters From Iwo Jima* for best picture, but the Academy gives **Ken Watanabe** a lifetime achievement award for being so cool.

Staving off guilt, every actress in the audience wears a sign around her neck stating her \$1.5-million worth of bling is "conflict-free."

In desperate need of seat fillers to make the audience look full when stars head to the restroom, ABC has the bodies of **Anna Nicole Smith** and **James Brown** shipped to L.A.

FREE SPACE:

Bored to tears, you fall asleep at 10 p.m.

