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2026 Gold Derby TV Awards: 'Heated Rivalry,' 'Saturday Night Live' top all winners

Winning two categories each are *Abbott Elementary*, *All Her Fault*, *Bridgerton*, *Euphoria*, *Only Murders in the Building*, and *People We Meet on Vacation*.

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Heated Rivalry stars Connor Storrie and Hudson Williams on *Saturday Night* NBC

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Drumroll, please... As final Emmy voting begins today, we are proud to present the winners for the 23rd [Gold Derby TV Awards](#). A record-setting 8,100 registered Gold Derby users cast their votes in 30 categories covering dramas, comedies, movies, limited series, and variety for the 2025-26 season.

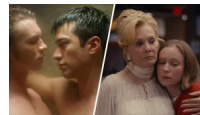
HBO tops all networks and streamers with eight awards, including [Heated Rivalry](#) for Drama Series, Drama Actor (Hudson Williams), Drama Episode ("The Cottage"), Literary Adaptation, and Ensemble the Year. Other victories were for [Euphoria](#) with Drama Actress (Zendaya) and Drama Supporting Actress (Alexa Demie), plus [The Pitt](#) for Drama Supporting Actor (Patrick Ball). Zendaya also won Performer of the Year, and Williams won Breakthrough Performer of the Year, but those awards aren't attributed to any particular series or network.

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Actor (Connor Storrie). *The Traitors* takes Competition Host (Alan Cumming), while *All Her Fault* prevails for Limited Series and Limited/Movie Supporting Actress (Dakota Fanning).

Netflix nabs a total of six wins, including two for *Bridgerton* with Drama Guest Actress (Simone Ashley) and Drama Guest Actor (Jonathan Bailey), two for *People We Meet on Vacation* for Movie and Limited/Movie Actor (Tom Blyth), and one for *Wednesday* with Best Comedy Actress (Jenna Ortega).

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Also winning multiple awards are ABC's *Abbott Elementary* with Comedy Series and Comedy Supporting Actress (Janelle James) and Hulu's *Only Murders in the Building* with Comedy Actor (Martin Short) and Best Comedy Episode for "After You."

Rounding out the 2026 winners: FX's Limited/Movie Actress for *Love Story: John F. Kennedy, Jr. & Carolyn Bessette* (Sarah Pidgeon), Fox's Animated Program (*The Simpsons*), and MTV's Competition Program (*RuPaul's Drag Race*).

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ENSEMBLE OF THE YEAR

Abbott Elementary

Bridgerton

Hacks

Heated Rivalry (***WINNER***)

A Knight of the Seven Kingdoms

The Pitt



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Elle Fanning
Matthew Rhys
Noah Wyle
Zendaya (***WINNER***)

BREAKTHROUGH PERFORMER OF THE YEAR

Dexter Sol Ansell
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Hudson Williams (***WINNER***)



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Dexter: Resurrection

Euphoria

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Ella Bright, *Off Campus*

Yerin Ha, *Bridgerton*

Rhea Seehorn, *Pluribus*

Zendaya, *Euphoria* (***WINNER***)

DRAMA ACTOR

Charlie Cox, *Daredevil: Born Again*

Mark Ruffalo, *Task*

Connor Storrie, *Heated Rivalry*

Luke Thompson, *Bridgerton*

Hudson Williams, *Heated Rivalry* (***WINNER***)

Noah Wyle, *The Pitt*

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DRAMA SUPPORTING ACTRESS

Isa Briones, *The Pitt*

Nicola Coughlan, *Bridgerton*

Alexa Demie, *Euphoria* (***WINNER***)

Claudia Jessie, *Bridgerton*

Katherine LaNasa, *The Pitt*

Hunter Schafer, *Euphoria*

Karolina Wydra, *Pluribus*



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François Arnaud, *Heated Rivalry*

Patrick Ball, *The Pitt* (***WINNER***)

Jacob Elordi, *Euphoria*

Robbie G.K., *Heated Rivalry*

Bill Skarsgard, *It: Welcome to Derry*



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Priscilla Delgado, *Euphoria*
Melanie Lynskey, *Matlock*
Isabella Rossellini, *The Beauty*
Shailene Woodley, *Paradise*

DRAMA GUEST ACTOR

Jonathan Bailey, *Bridgerton* (***WINNER***)
Eric Dane, *Euphoria*
Colman Domingo, *Euphoria*
Giancarlo Esposito, *The Boys*
Charlie Heaton, *Industry*
Bradley Whitford, *The Diplomat*

DRAMA EPISODE

Heated Rivalry, "The Cottage" (***WINNER***)
Industry, "Both, And"
Paradise, "A Holy Charge"
The Pitt, "12:00 P.M."
Pluribus, "We Is Us"
Stranger Things, "The Rightside Up"

COMEDY SERIES

Abbott Elementary (***WINNER***)
Big Mistakes
Hacks
Margo's Got Money Troubles
Only Murders in the Building
Shrinking
Wednesday
Widow's Bay

COMEDY ACTRESS

Quinta Brunson, *Abbott Elementary*
Lily Collins, *Emily in Paris*
Elle Fanning, *Margo's Got Money Troubles*
Lisa Kudrow, *The Comeback*



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Matthew Rhys, *Widow's Bay*

Jason Segel, *Shrinking*

Martin Short, *Only Murders in the Building* (***WINNER***)

Alexander Skarsgård, *Murderbot*



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Janelle James, *Abbott Elementary* (***WINNER***)

Kate O'Flynn, *Widow's Bay*

Ashley Park, *Emily in Paris*

Sarah Paulson, *All's Fair*

Sheryl Lee Ralph, *Abbott Elementary*



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Paul W. Downs, *Hacks*

Harrison Ford, *Shrinking*

Marcello Hernandez, *Saturday Night Live* (***WINNER***)

Josh Hutcherson, *I Love L.A.*

Chris Perfetti, *Abbott Elementary*



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Christa Miller, *Scrubs*

Kaitlin Olson, *Hacks*

Olivia Rodrigo, *Saturday Night Live* (***WINNER***)

Brooke Shields, *All's Fair*

COMEDY GUEST ACTOR

Christopher Briney, *Hacks*

Michael J. Fox, *Shrinking*

Christopher McDonald, *Hacks*

Connor Storrie, *Saturday Night Live* (***WINNER***)

Luke Tennie, *Abbott Elementary*

Elijah Wood, *I Love L.A.*

COMEDY EPISODE

Abbott Elementary, "April Fools"

Abbott Elementary, "Ballgame"

Hacks, "EGOT"

Hacks, "Hacks"

Margo's Got Money Troubles, "Lock and Load"

Only Murders in the Building, "After You" (***WINNER***)

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Black Rabbit

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Half Man

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Miss You, Love You

People We Meet on Vacation (***WINNER***)

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Carey Mulligan, *Beef*

Sarah Pidgeon, *Love Story: John F. Kennedy Jr. & Carolyn Bessette*

(***WINNER***)

Sarah Snook, *All Her Fault*

Kerry Washington, *Imperfect Women*



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Tom Blyth, *People We Meet on Vacation* (***WINNER***)

Charlie Hunnam, *Monster: The Ed Gein Story*

Oscar Isaac, *Beef*

David Tennant, *Good Omens*

LIMITED/MOVIE SUPPORTING ACTRESS

Linda Cardellini, *DTF St. Louis*

Abby Elliott, *All Her Fault*

Dakota Fanning, *All Her Fault* (***WINNER***)

Cailee Spaeny, *Beef*

Teyana Taylor, *Straw*

Youn Yuh-jung, *Beef*

Constance Zimmer, *Love Story: John F. Kennedy Jr. & Carolyn Bessette*



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Jake Lacy, *All Her Fault*

Charles Melton, *Beef* (***WINNER***)

Nick Offerman, *Death by Lightning*

Mark Ruffalo, *Hal and Harper*

Bradley Whitford, *Death by Lightning*



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RuPaul's Drag Race (***WINNER***)

The Traitors

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COMPETITION HOST

RuPaul Charles, *RuPaul's Drag Race*

Alan Cumming, *The Traitors* (***WINNER***)

Mikey Day, *Is It Cake?*

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James Phelps and Oliver Phelps, *Harry Potter: Wizards of Baking*



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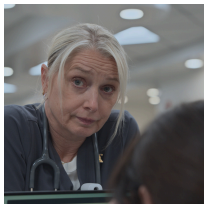
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Williams for playing Shane Hollander. Yes, Shane is a beautiful character. Simply lovely. Truly special.

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Carlos III *on August 17, 2026 at 12:40 pm*

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Wayman Wong *on August 17, 2026 at 2:03 pm*

Congrats to the cast and creators of "Heated Rivalry," but Connor Storrie should've at least TIED with Hudson Williams for Best Actor in Drama. His Russian monologue alone (in Episode 5, "I'll Believe in Anything") was an incredible Emmy-worthy tour de force. And how did Episode 5 NOT get nominated for GoldDerby's Best Drama Episode? Between Ilya's monologue and Scott & Kip's kiss, it was one of the most memorable hours on TV ever!

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Jeanne Reid *on August 17, 2026 at 2:18 pm*

Wonderful choice of Hudson Williams in his role of Shane Hollander, Heated Rivalry. Also Connor Storrie for his hosting of Saturday Night Live. Connor's portrayal of the injured plumber? party entertainer was unbelievably funny.

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