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- 12:16 Two arrested after man attacked
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- 00:59 McCain's A-list barbeque fires
- 00:40 Germans aghast at all being alike
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Hunger wins award

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Irish film wins Cannes Prize

A film about an IRA hunger strike in the Maze prison has won an international award.

Hunger, which focuses on life at the Maze Prison and the hunger protest in 1981, received the Camera d`Or at the Cannes Film Festival.

It is directed by London-born Turner Prize winner Steve McQueen and stars Irish actor Michael Fassbender as IRA prisoner Bobby Sands, the leader and the first to die in the Maze prison hunger strike.

Co-producer Laura Hastings-Smith, who worked alongside Robin Gutch, said:

"It was a tragedy for everyone, not just the prisoners. We looked at what happens when dialogue stops and that has a resonance across the world."

The film was shown as part of the `Un Certain Regard` section of the festival, which encourages innovative works and young talent.

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