

## Bait Room Goes To Cannes

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TallTree Pictures' recently completed film BAIT ROOM was accepted into the Cannes Short Film Corner for 2010 where it attracted a lot of interest for both the film and the team leading to TallTrees securing Shorts International as the worldwide distributor!

Bait Room is a gritty tale of conflict, prejudice and humour set in a small dark, filthy, testosterone filled bait room in a Police station where the graveyard shift rest and eat during the middle of the night. Set in Newcastle upon Tyne 1970.

This small dark, filthy room was their safe haven, where bait was consumed in the dead of night and the mask of respectability dropped, conflict could grow, but was always underpinned by a rich vein of black humour, cementing them as a team. Bait Room is surreal, funny and touching. But most of all makes us wonder, what happened to the real Bobby on the beat?

TallTree Pictures' Vince Woods (director of Bait Room) was also asked by Northern Film and Media to write a blog for their newsletter '*Cannes From The Inside*'.

