Hanger patient Cameron Clapp in feature film Stop-Loss

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Over the past few years, Hanger patient and trilateral amputee Cameron Clapp made us laugh as he chased after and bashed actor Jason Lee (“Earl”) in an episode of NBC's smash hit comedy My Name is Earl. He piqued our curiosity in the thought-provoking, good-versus-evil, Emmy award-winning original series, Carnivale. Now, in his Big Screen debut, Cameron shows us his dramatic range in the recently-released, critically-acclaimed wartime drama Stop-Loss.

From Boys Don't Cry director Kimberly Pierce, Stop-Loss follows a decorated Iraq war hero (played by Ryan Phillippe) through his celebrated homecoming, his adjustment into civilian life, and his unexpected call back to duty in Iraq by the Army. In the film, Cameron plays “Vet #1”, a young U.S. veteran who lost his legs and arm in the war. In Cameron's scene, he is shooting pool and having a conversation with actress Abbie Cornish. Cameron has a few lines and all of his prosthetic limbs are in full view; there is even a close up of him using his body-powered upper extremity prosthesis to line up and make a shot.

Cameron has been featured in numerous national and international news programs and publications, including The TODAY Show, CBS Early Show, The New York Times, The San Luis Obispo Times, the Tyra Banks Show, Discovery Channel's Medical Incredible, Discovery Channel's Science of Star Wars, and a Swedish documentary called 45 Minutes. As mentioned, Cameron has also acted in HBO's original series Carnivale and NBC's hit comedy My Name is Earl.

Hanger practitioners Kevin Carroll, Phil Conley, Chad Simpson, and Chuck Anderson have all worked closely with Cameron. Cameron is a trilateral amputee who wears two microprocessor knees and a body-powered arm for everyday use. He also uses activity-specific prostheses for swimming, running, skiing, and surfing.

Congratulations to Cameron for this major acting accomplishment!!

Official Stop-Loss synopsis

“Decorated Iraq war hero Sgt. Brandon King makes a celebrated return to his small Texas hometown following his tour of duty. Brandon tries to resume the life he left behind with the help and support of his family and his best friend, Steve Shriver, who served with him in Iraq. Along with their other war buddies, Brandon and Steve try to make peace with civilian life. Then, against Brandon's will, the Army orders him back to duty in Iraq, which upends his world. The conflict tests everything he believes in: the bond of family, the loyalty of friendship, the limits of love, and the value of honor.”

To learn more about Cameron, visit his website.