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When Elton John tried to take his own life

Los Angeles

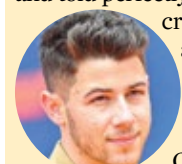
Legendary singer Elton John has revealed that he tried to take his own life decades ago after being involved in “some catastrophic love affair”. In his his new memoir Me: Elton John, the “Rocket Man” hitmaker opened up about his suicide attempt, reports metro.co.uk. Elton said: “As well as taking drugs, my personal life had been, more or less, a disaster. I didn’t pick them up so much as take them hostage.” Elton, 72, shared how he felt as though he was masking his true personality and feelings of insecurity, which left him “miserable” behind closed doors.

“I had been completely wrong when I thought that changing my name meant I’d changed as a person. I wasn’t Elton, I was Reg,” the singer explained referring to his birth name Reginald Kenneth Dwight. “And Reg was still the same as he’d been 15 years ago, hiding in his bedroom while his parents fought: insecure and body-conscious and self-loathing. I didn’t want to go home to him at night. If I did, the misery could be all-consuming,” he added.

Nick Jonas gives thumbs up to Priyanka’s “The Sky Is Pink”

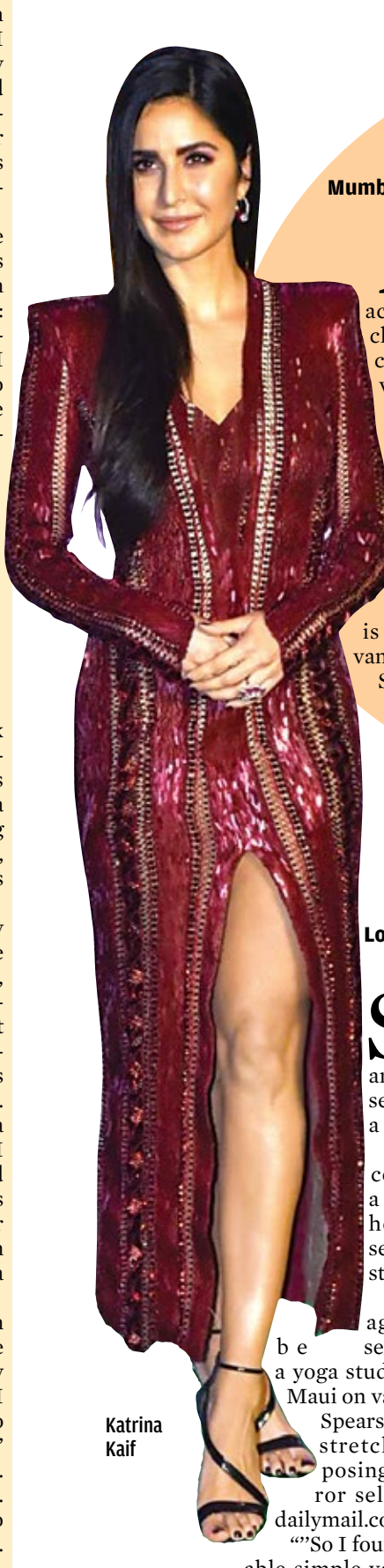
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American pop star Nick Jonas has shared a special post to congratulate his wife and actress Priyanka Chopra on her upcoming project “The Sky Is Pink”, saying the film touched his heart in many ways. “This film touched my heart in so many ways. The story is bold and beautiful, and told perfectly by this incredible cast and by Shonali Bose’s direction. Priyanka Chopra, I am so proud of your work as both an actor and producer in this film,” Nick wrote on his Instagram, as he shared a poster of the film. “You made me smile, laugh and cry and I know you are going to impact so many people’s lives with this film. I love you so much. Congrats to the entire “The Sky Is Pink” cast, crew and creative team. You should be very proud. Everyone make sure to go see this movie,” he added.



Nick Jonas

Theron opens up about wrist injury from action movie



Charlize Theron

Katrina Kaif

Los Angeles

Hollywood star Charlize Theron opened up about a hand injury she experienced on the set of “The Old Guard”. “I have now changed my career. Yes, I am a professional bowler,” Theron joked about her hand cast that resembles a bowling hand guard on the show “Jimmy Kimmel Live!” on Monday, reports hollywood-reporter.com. She added: “It’s not as cool as I thought it was going to be. This is so stupid. I did an action movie and I tore the ligament off the bone fighting. I messed up my elbow, as well.” Theron also clarified that her injury glove was not custom made. “It’s like a fabric and then they mould it for hours,” she said. Kimmel suggested that Theron not tell people that the glove is from an injury and instead try to pass it off as a trendy new style. “It’s hard for girls to put their arms through sleeves, though. That’s the only thing,” she said.

Mumbai

“Sooryavanshi”: Katrina gives 1st glimpse of Akshay’s character

Actress Katrina Kaif gave a sneak peek into actor Akshay Kumar’s character from the upcoming film “Sooryavanshi”. Katrina on Tuesday took to Instagram, where she shared a photograph of a name tag with “Veer Sooryavanshi” written on it on a police uniform. Akshay’s character in the film is called Veer Sooryavanshi. She captioned the image: “Now Shooting #sooryavanshi #onset @itsrohitshetty @akshaykumar @karanjohar.” “Sooryavanshi” is directed by Rohit Shetty and is the new addition in director Rohit Shetty’s cop drama universe after the two “Singham” films and “Simmba”. It brings back Katrina and Akshay together after nine years. The two have previously worked in films such as “Namaste London”, “Sing Is Kinnig”, “Humko Deewana Kar Gaye”, “Welcome” and “Tees Maar Khan”. Akshay’s character Veer Sooryavanshi, was first given a glimpse of as an anti-terrorist squad officer in the 2018 “Simmba”, starring Ranveer Singh. The movie, which is scheduled to hit the screens on March 27, 2020, also stars Gulshan Grover.

Britney Spears is on yoga, workout and dance therapy

Los Angeles

Singer Britney Spears has taken a break from music and is realigning herself, her Instagram is a proof. Spears recently shared a photo from her workout session on Instagram. In the image, she can be seen sitting in a yoga studio while in Maui on vacation. Spears can be seen stretching while posing for a mirror selfie, reports dailymail.co.uk. ““So I found this adorable simple yoga studio in



Britney Spears



Elizabeth Moss

Los Angeles

Actress Kirsten Dunst looks all set to replace Elisabeth Moss in Oscar-winner Jane Campion’s “The Power Of The Dog”, starring Benedict Cumberbatch’s Dunst is in final negotiations to join Cumberbatch in Campion’s new project, reports variety.com. Moss was forced to drop out of the movie owing to scheduling conflicts with her series “The Handmaid’s Tale”. Netflix has acquired the project from See-Saw Films’ inhouse sales arm, Cross City

Kirsten Dunst to substitute Elizabeth Moss in “The Power Of The Dog”

Films. It is slated to release in 2021 on the streaming platform and also in theatres. The project has been adapted from the 1967 Thomas Savage novel of the same name. It follows two wealthy brothers with opposite traits. Paul Dano portrays a man who is attentive and gentle while his brother, played by Cumberbatch, is brilliant and cruel. They are joint owners of the biggest ranch in Montana Valley. When Dano’s character secretly marries a local widow (role pitched to Dunst), Cumberbatch wages a sadistic war to destroy her by using her son



Kirsten Dunst

as a pawn. See-Saw Films and Big Shell Films/Max Films Production have backed the movie in association with Brightstar and BBC Films. The project has been developed with BBC Films. At the moment, Dunst is getting rave reviews for her new black comedy series “On Becoming A God In Central Florida”, which is about a minimum-wage water park employee in 1990s Florida who lies, schemes and cons her way up the ranks of Founders American Merchandise (FAM). The show was recently renewed for a second season.

Disha Patani to play Punjabi girl in Ekta Kapoor’s next untitled Mumbai

Disha Patani has been roped in to play the lead in Ekta Kapoor’s next untitled film. The actor who recently wrapped up the shooting of her next film ‘Malang’ starring Aditya Roy Kapur, will be seen playing the role of a small town Punjabi girl in the film. The flick will be directed by Ashima Chibber, produced by Ekta and written by ‘Dream Girl’ fame director Raaj Shaandilyaa. Further details pertaining to the film have been kept under wraps. Film critic and trade analyst Taran Adarsh shared the news on his Twitter handle. The actor was last seen in ‘Bharat’ and her next ‘Malang’ is a revenge drama, helmed by ‘Aashiqui 2’ director Mohit Suri and produced by Bhushan Kumar, Luv Ranjan, Ankur Garg, and Jay Shewakramani. ‘Malang’ is set to hit theatres on February 14, 2020.



Disha Patani

Kiara Advani’s Twitter account hacked

Mumbai

Actress Kiara Advani’s Twitter account was hacked on Tuesday. Urging people to ignore tweets from her account, Kiara took to Instagram and wrote: “My Twitter account has been hacked. We are working on it to get it back. Please ignore any unnecessary or strange tweets being posted.” Hours later, she also warned people not to “click on any suspicious link that is being sent from my Twitter account. My account is still hacked and this link has not been sent by me.” A few months ago, her “Kabir Singh” co-star Shahid Kapoor’s Twitter account’s also got hacked. Veteran actor Amitabh Bachchan and singer Adnan Sami have also fallen prey to the social media menace of hacking earlier this year.



Kiara Advani