

# celebs

**Hugh Jackman tests positive for COVID for second time**  
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Hugh Jackman has tested positive for COVID-19 a second time. The 53-year-old actor - who is currently starring as Professor Harold Hill in 'The Music Man' on Broadway - will be replaced by his standby Max Clayton in all performances of Meredith Willson's musical comedy from June 14 to 21 after testing positive one day after appearing at the Tony Awards on Sunday (12.06.22). In an Instagram post, Hugh wrote: "I've frustratingly tested positive for Covid. Again. My standby, the amazingly talented @maxmclayton will step in for me.

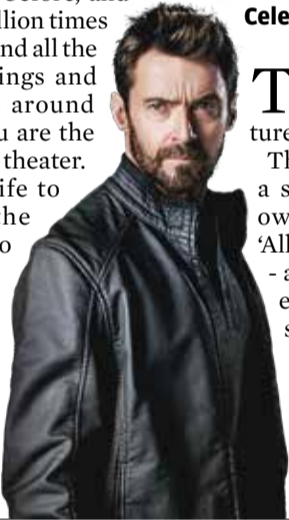
"What's most annoying is I don't get to see him perform!"

"I've said it before, and will say it a million times more ... Maxi and all the standbys, swings and understudies around the world, you are the true heroes of theater.

"You give life to the saying 'the show must go on.'"

In a video shared on social media, Hugh praised his "extraordinary" understudy.

Hugh Jackman



# Billie Eilish halts gig after fans start 'fainting from heat'

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Billie Eilish halted her concert at The O2 to check on fans who were allegedly fainting from the heat.

The 'Therefore I Am' hitmaker noticed something wasn't right and gave everyone a breather and made sure gig-goers were safe before carrying on with her set at the London arena on Saturday night (11.06.22).

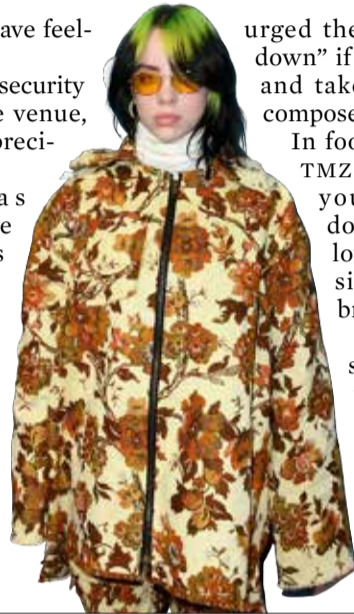
She asked: "Are you all ok?" She went on: "People were fainting and getting pulled out. It's hot, I know."

The show was paused for a few minutes before resuming.

She then said: "Take a step

**"If someone looks a little woozy, just tell someone ... Don't try to save feelings"**

BILLIE EILISH



Billie Eilish

back, give everybody some space."

The Grammy winner told her fans to make sure they look out for one another and tell someone if they feel unwell.

She said: "If someone looks a little woozy, just tell someone

... Don't try to save feelings."

Thanking the security and staff at the venue, she said: "I appreciate you."

Billie has paused a couple of her concerts to check on the safety of her audiences lately.

The 20-year-old singer was performing at Madison Square Garden in New York City in February when she

urged the crowd to "sit down" if they needed to, and take a moment to compose themselves.

In footage shared by TMZ, she said: "If you want to sit down, you are allowed. Go ahead, sit down, take a breath."

In the video, she also asked fans at the front to "take a step back and give everybody some room down here".

The incident came after Billie stopped her show at the State Farm Arena in Atlanta, Georgia earlier that month when she spotted an audience member struggling to breathe and appealed to her crew to get an inhaler for the female fan.

After the audience member was helped and Billie resumed the show, she said: "I wait for people to be OK until I keep going."

The remark was seen as a diss at Travis, who continued performing at his Astroworld festival in November when people were being crushed in a crowd surge that left hundreds injured and 10 dead.

# Taylor Swift wants to make a film

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Taylor Swift wants to write and direct her own feature film.

The 32-year-old singer took a step from directing her own music videos to craft 'All Too Well: The Short Film' - a 13-minute promo for the extended version of her song of the same name, which stars Sadie Sink and Dylan O'Brien - and she now wants to take her filmmaking career even further.

She said: "It would be so fantastic to write and direct a feature.

"I don't see it being bigger in terms of scale. I loved making a film that was so intimate with a crew that was relatively small, just a really solid group of people that I trusted."

During a screening of her short in New York City as part of the Tribeca



Taylor Swift

Festival, the 'Love Story' hitmaker reflected on her journey from "meddling" in her music videos to directing the 2019 promo for 'The Man'.

She told filmmaker Mike Mills: "I was always very curious. I was always looking, and learning, and trying to absorb as much as I possibly could.

# Katy Perry's daughter loves her show

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Katy Perry's daughter "loved" seeing her mom on stage.

The 'I Kissed a Girl' hitmaker is currently performing her residency 'Play' in Las Vegas and 21-month-old Daisy - who she has with fiance Orlando Bloom - has been in the audience for parts of the show because Katy believes it holds universal appeal to all ages.

She told E! News' 'Daily Pop': "She has seen, like, the first act and a little bit

of the second act—I think there's like five or six acts—so, one day she'll see the whole thing. But she loved it so much. She was dancing in the audience and just being, you know, her joyful self.

"I see six year olds in the audience. I see

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KATY PERRY

people that are 8 to 80, and it just really makes my heart very happy to know that families are coming out, because that's what I'm looking for. I'm looking to bring my family.

"We gotta cover 11, gotta cover two, gotta cover 45, 37. So, I feel like this show is that, and it's a great little, joyful bit of escapism."

Katy - who received the key to the city of Las Vegas earlier this week - has enjoyed being able to explore everything the city has to offer with her family during her breaks.



Katy Perry

# Maria Bakalova joins Guardians of the Galaxy 3

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Maria Bakalova has a role in 'Guardians of the Galaxy 3'.

The 'Borat Subsequent Moviefilm' actress joined cast regulars including Chris Pratt, Zoe Saldana, Dave Bautista, Bradley Cooper and Karen Gillan in filming the next installment in the franchise, with Deadline reporting she has a "key" part to play in the film.



Maria Bakalova

However, details of her exact role have been kept under wraps.

While director James Gunn recently teased the involvement of an "unannounced actor" in the film, he was not referring to Maria.

And he admitted he is "surprised" it has taken "so long" for the news of the actress' involvement to be revealed.

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Yesterday's solution

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**How to play**  
Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

**CROSSWORD**

**Across**

1- Silly; 6- Horn-shaped bone; 11- Slangy negative; 14- Hit back, perhaps; 15- Rest atop; 16- Mil. address; 17- Onto; 18- As a companion; 19- Comic Margaret; 20- Cheerful; 22- Sensational; 24- Make a killing; 28- Brought about; 30- Linux variety; 31- Bundles; 32- Actor Ryan; 33- Airport; 37- Diarist Anaïs; 38- Divvy up; 39- Large body of water; 40- Bewitch; 43- Stomach woe; 45- Locale; 46- Relaxed; 47- Fix beforehand; 49- Went in; 50- Bird sound; 51- Cleveland's lake; 52- Awfully long time; 53- Astrologer Sydney; 56- Pardon; 61- Social connections; 62- Racket; 63- Muse of love poetry; 64- Drain-cleaning chemical; 65- Ventured; 66- Lure;

**Down**

1- 401(k) alternative; 2- Modern; 3- Penlight battery; 4- ATM maker; 5- Endless; 6- Fastening device; 7- Pinguid; 8- Stutz contemporary; 9- Smoking alternative; 10- Not pasted; 11- Mother-of-pearl; 12- Plant louse; 13- Timber; 21- Unsafe?; 23- The Beatles' "Back in the ..."; 24- Witchy woman; 25- Russian revolutionary leader; 26- Parades; 27- There you are!; 28- Christmas song; 29- Scads; 31- Pretty girl; 33- Aboriginal Alaskan; 34- Academy award; 35- 1980s attorney general; 36- Having auricular protuberances; 38- Skin disorder; 41- Finito; 42- Answer in words; 43- Spoke; 44- Levi's rival; 46- Singer DiFranco; 47- Fake; 48- Washer cycle; 49- Made a mistake; 50- Overlay with wood; 51- Gaelic language of Ireland or Scotland; 54- Extinct bird, once found in New Zealand; 55- Life support?; 57- Able was I ... I saw Elba; 58- Brit's raincoat; 59- How was ... know?; 60- Plaything;

Yesterday's solution

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