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## Canadian Ryan Reynolds votes in US presidential election

● Reynolds cast his first vote in a US election with wife Blake Lively

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Ryan Reynolds revealed he's voted for the first time in a US presidential election.

The Canadian-born actor confirmed on social media on Thursday that he voted early alongside his wife, Blake Lively. "This is my first time voting in America. I'd like to thank my wife Blake for making my first time so gentle and loving. It was super scary at first, then exciting and now I'm a little tired. But proud. #VoteEarly,"

gram. In the photo he posted, the "Deadpool" star is holding his mail-in ballot.

Meanwhile, Lively also poked fun at his first-time experience writing, "It was Ryan's first time. He was understandably scared. It all happened so fast. Like, REALLY fast. He wept. I pretended to weep. Then he called all his friend [sic]. #voteearly."

Reynolds, who was born and raised in Vancouver, said back in 2016 he wished he could have voted then. The star has since obtained dual citizenship, the New York Times reported in 2018.

"I would have loved to have voted in this election, now more than ever, but I didn't get to have a voice," he told Variety at the time.

"I'm right at that age where I'm making that transition,"

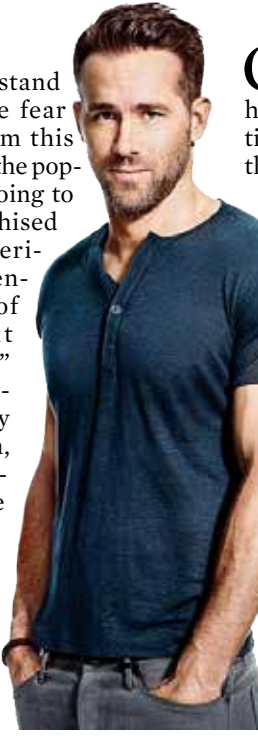


**Ryan Reynolds, who was born and raised in Vancouver, reportedly obtained dual citizenship in 2018**

he continued. "It is interesting to watch it all unfold. We are standing at the precipice of what I think is going to be a very historical, heavily scrutinized period in United States history and it's also a very frightening

time."

"I can understand so much of the fear that comes from this huge portion of the population that's going to feel disenfranchised and that's experiencing a tremendous amount of anxiety about their future," Reynolds added. "Minority groups, women, LGBTQ communities — those are all communities that I think are rightfully very afraid for the moment and I'm afraid with them and for them."



Ryan Reynolds

## Gwyneth Paltrow: Young girls have 'beautiful' sense of entitlement about work

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Gwyneth Paltrow thinks her daughter's generation have a "beautiful sense of entitlement" about heading into the workforce.

The 'Shakespeare in Love' actress has 16-year-old Apple with her ex-husband Chris Martin - with whom she also has 14-year-old son Moses - and has said the teenager and her friends are so "empowered" by the fact they don't have to worry about being told they can't achieve their dream jobs because of their gender.

She explained: "By the time my daughter is in the workforce, like those girls are not going to stand for it. When I see my daughter with her friends, they are so empowered. They have, and I mean this word in the best possible way, they have a sense of entitlement that's beautiful."

"It's not spoiled, it's like, 'No, we are here for what the boys are gonna get too. I find it very uplifting and heartening that we all seem to be going in this direction together.'"



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Gwyneth, 48, praised the #MeToo movement for "laying the groundwork for the change" when it comes to gender equality, as well as the Black Lives Matter movement for doing the same with people of colour.

She added: "I think we're laying the groundwork for the change, I think the #MeToo movement was a big part of that change, I think Black Lives Matter is part of that change, I think what we are saying collectively as a culture and as a society is 'We are done with that paradigm of patriarchy of white men,' and I think the patriarchy itself sort of feels like it's cracking and is starting to embrace a much wider variety of voices and races and genders."

## Eva Mendes didn't want kids before meeting Ryan Gosling

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Eva Mendes

Eva Mendes didn't want children until she met Ryan Gosling.

The 'Place Beyond the Pines' star admits she wasn't keen on having kids until she "fell in love" with the Hollywood actor and it worked out perfectly for her career.

Speaking to Nova 96.9's Fitzzy & Wipha, she said: "I am [ready to go back to work], now that they getting a bit older but I really feel like, I never want to send the wrong message to young women out there, it's not an either/or situation."

"I was lucky enough to work my bum off for 20 years and then, I never wanted babies before until I fell in love with Ryan, and it kind of worked out to where I was 40 and having my first baby, I think I was 42 for the second one so it worked out in that way that I had a career and that then I change my focus to my family. So now I'm thinking of definitely going back, I feel like it's time. I'm telling you guys, the list is getting shorter and shorter of stuff that I do, I don't want to do anything violent, nothing risqué. I think the only thing that's left is Disney!"

Meanwhile, Eva - who has Esmeralda, six, and Amada, four, with Ryan - previously joked that raising kids is like running some kind of bed-and-breakfast with "very drunk and aggressive guests" because her children are like "angry and bossy" guests.

## Kevin Hart: Hosting MDA telethon is a 'major level-up'

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Kevin Hart says hosting a re-imagined online fundraiser for the Muscular Dystrophy Association is "a major level-up for me."

"It's different from anything that you've really seen me do. And there's a great reason behind it," said the comic and actor, who is leading the MDA Kevin Hart Kids Telethon online on Saturday.

It's the first telethon in six years for the MDA, once known for its popular hours-long Labor Day broadcast hosted for decades by famed comic and actor Jerry Lewis. Lewis last hosted in 2010 and died in 2017.

Hart says he's honoured at the opportunity to fill Lewis' shoes. "What he's done for so many and the money that he's raised while doing it, is just astronomical," he said.

## Sofia Coppola: The world needs a little Bill Murray

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Sofia Coppola thinks the world needs "a little Bill Murray right now".

The 49-year-old director has reunited with the Hollywood star for 'On the Rocks', a comedy-drama film about a father and daughter relationship, and Sofia thinks Bill is the perfect person to lift spirits amid the coronavirus pandemic.

The acclaimed filmmaker - who previously directed Bill in 'Lost in Translation' - said: "I think we all need a little Bill

Murray right now! He has so much heart and he's so funny and in a way that is so unique to him."

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revealed her life is now focused around her children, rather than her work.

Asked if she thought motherhood would impact her career, Sofia told The Independent: "I never really thought about it."

"But you start to realise how you have to be more organised with your time. And it's kind of the opposite of an artist, [where] you need to just meander. It's not like something you can do within the hour."

"For anyone creative, it's a definite adjustment."

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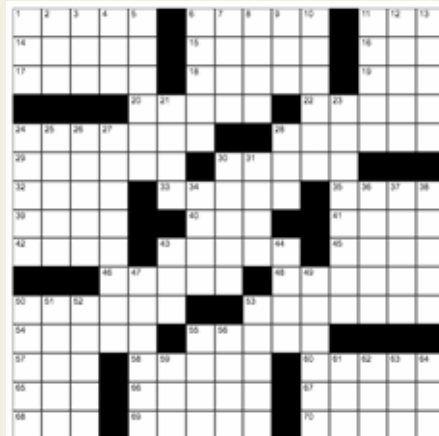
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How to play

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1- Beasty; 6- Boat often made of birchbark, canvas, or fiberglass; 11- Monetary unit of Romania; 14- Actor Davis; 15- Warning; 16- Capp and Capone; 17- Egg exterior; 18- Elbow; 19- Bind; 20- Alpaca's cousin; 22- Helicopter part; 24- Garden's necessity; 28- Wading birds; 29- Ring combo; 30- Fiddled; 32- do-well; 33- Impertinence; 35- Res loquitor; 39- Fascinated by; 40- Gidget portrayer Sandra; 41- Oscar winner Patricia; 42- "Fargo" director; 43- Toothed wheels; 45- Chip in; 46- 9 to 5; 48- Lathe operator; 50- Names; 53- Imitator; 54- Follows orders; 55- Loose outer garment; 57- Georgia, once; Abbr.; 58- Everyday; 60- Group character; 65- Some MIT grads; 66- Oater prop; 67- Uneven; 68- Hydrocarbon suffix; 69- Hard drinker; 70- Languishes with longing;

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Yesterday's solution

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