



## Pete Davidson risked ‘real damage’ to his eye on The Home

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Pete Davidson risked “real damage” to his eye filming The Home xThe 31-year-old star was shocked to discover that one particular scene in his new horror movie, which entailed a needle being held above his peeper while it was held open, wouldn’t be done using CGI - and grew even more worried when he arrived on set for filming to

Pete Davidson

see a team of three doctors looking “a little concerned”.

Speaking on The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon, he said: “Obviously, I read the script and was just like, ‘That won’t be my eye. This is the movies. It’ll be a CGI eye.’ You can bring people back from the dead and put them in a movie. That’s not my eye.”

Of seeing the doctors on set, he added: “I’m like, ‘What’s going on?’ And my buddy James [DeMonaco], who directed it, he’s like, ‘Yeah, well. They’re

here for your eye.’

“And I was like, ‘What do you mean?’ He goes, ‘Well, you know, today’s that scene.’ I go, ‘I know, but what do you mean?’ He’s like, ‘Well, it’s going to be your eye.’

“He goes, ‘You have very recognisable eyes.’ I go, ‘What the hell are you talking about? No I don’t. My eyes are normal, sir.’ “

Pete tried unsuccessfully to argue that no one would expect it to be his eye in the scene but ultimately found himself with it being held open in a way he

compared to A Clockwork Orange.

He continued: “They open my eye or whatever, and it’s all... It’s all jacked up. And there’s these three doctors on the side, and then this actor was messing up his lines. And I was like, ‘Come on, dude.’ “

And while they filmed, Pete heard a doctor warn the director: “Yeah, about 30 more seconds, there’s going to be some real damage.”

He continued: “So I take the thing off. I’m like, you know,

squirting it with water and stuff, I’m like, ‘What the hell just happened?’

“Then we’re watching it in video village, and the director goes, ‘Yeah, it didn’t have to be your eyes.’ I was like, ‘Dude...’ “

Despite his struggles with the scene, the former Saturday Night Live star relished the chance to do “just a straight horror movie”.

He added: “I had a really good time, and it was just weird. It’s a weird one.”

## Jamie Lee Curtis is ‘prepping to get out’ of Hollywood

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Jamie Lee Curtis has been “prepping to get out” of Hollywood.

The 66-year-old actress has confessed she worries about being cast aside by the movie industry in her later years just like her famous parents Janet Leigh and Tony Curtis so she’s made sure she’s got a retirement plan in place so she can “eave the party before I’m no longer invited”.

She told the Guardian newspaper: “I witnessed my parents lose the very thing that gave them their fame and their life and their livelihood, when the industry rejected them at a certain age.

“I watched them reach incredible success and then have it slowly erode to where it was gone. And that’s very painful.”

She added of her plan: “I have been self-retiring for 30 years. I have been prepping to get out, so that I don’t have to suffer the same as my family did. I want to leave the party before I’m no longer invited.”

Curtis went on voice her opposition to famous women using cosmetic surgery, fillers and AI in a bid to hang on to their youthful appearance.

She told the publication: “I believe that we have wiped out a generation or two of natural human [appearance]. The concept that you can alter the way you look

Jamie Lee Curtis

through chemicals, surgical procedures, fillers – there’s a disfigurement of generations of predominantly women who are altering their appearances.

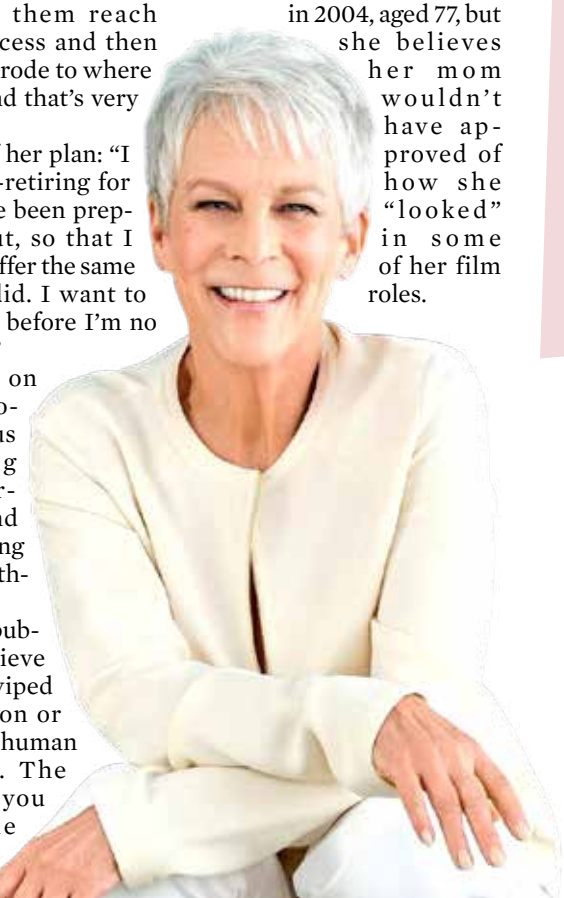
“And it is aided and abetted by AI, because now the filter face is what people want. I’m not filtered right now.

“The minute I lay a filter on and you see the before and after, it’s hard not to go: ‘Oh, well that looks better.’ But what’s better? Better is fake. And there are too many examples - I will not name them - but very recently we have had a big onslaught through media, many of those people.”

Curtis previously admitted she’s actually a lot like her actress mother Janet, who died

in 2004, aged 77, but she believes

her mom wouldn’t have approved of how she “looked” in some of her film roles.



## Selena Gomez wants ‘biscuits and gravy’ at her wedding

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Selena Gomez plans to eat “biscuits and gravy” at her wedding.

The 33-year-old star is engaged to record producer Benny Blanco, and Selena has revealed the unusual dessert that she wants to eat on her big day.

The Only Murders in the Building star said in a Rare Beauty TikTok video: “Whenever that day comes, I do know I don’t want a big cake.

“My preferred dessert I think would be biscuits and gravy. My nana’s biscuits and gravy. That sounds like dessert to me.”

Despite this, Selena would still like to have a small cake as a memento of the occasion.

The brunette beauty - who began dating Benny in 2023 - shared: “I think I want a mini one for just us that we can freeze.”

Meanwhile, Selena pre-

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viously revealed that she’d love to have children one day.

The actress announced her engagement to Benny in 2024, and Selena would love to raise children with him in the future.

Selena - who previously revealed that she isn’t able to carry her own children - said on the Jay Shetty Podcast: “I don’t know what will happen, obviously, but I love children. I have an 11-year-old sister that I absolutely adore.

“I love making [children] laugh; they’re just so sweet. So absolutely, when that day comes, I’m so ex-

cited for it.”

Benny observed that Selena is the “ultimate level of shy”.

However, the producer noted that her demeanor changes when she’s around children.

The 37-year-old star - who has previously worked with Justin Bieber and The Weeknd, two of Selena’s former boyfriends - said: “When she walks into a room, her main goal is to disappear into the crowd. My mom is very similar, [she] and my mom are very similar.

“They’ll wait and say like one thing throughout the night that winds up being the most poignant or funny thing of the night. But I’m gonna have diarrhoea of the mouth talking to everyone.



Selena Gomez

## Rachel Brosnahan hired witch to lift ‘curse’

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Rachel Brosnahan hired a witch to help her shed a travel “curse”.

The 35-year-old actress believed someone “petty” had jinxed her over a decade ago because her journeys are always stressful and filled with difficulty, so after DC studios co-head Peter Safran refused to travel with her on the Superman global press tour, she knew she needed to take action.

Speaking on The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon, Rachel said:

“I always make it where I’m trying to go, but it’s never not as stressful as humanly possible to get there. It’s the absolute worst.

“Nobody believes the curse, I should say, until they travel with me. And the number of times that somebody’s looked at me and been like, ‘Ma’am, I’m so sorry. I’ve just never seen this before’ is too many times...”

“I was really worried, obviously, about this upcoming tour, and I got really desperate and I started asking people if anyone knew, like an energy

healer or a past-life reader.”

Rachel eventually contacted a witch and they spoke about her travel traumas before they “tackled the curse together.

She said: “I called a witch and brought her to my house.

“She brought a wishing well and a wand, and she signed an NDA.”

And it seems the curse on the Marvelous Mrs Maisel star has now been lifted.

Rachel Brosnahan



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How to play

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Down

1- Santa \_\_, California; 2- Monetary unit of Bulgaria; 3- Eggs; 4- To midpoint; 5- Love to pieces; 6- Rational; 7- Washed lightly; 8- Main artery; 9- Final Four org.; 10- In disagreement; 11- Spokes; 12- Lott of Mississippi; 13- Male deer; 21- Firstborn; 22- More in order; 23- Ready to hit; 24- Mrs. Gorbachev; 25- Spanish hero; 29- Emollient-yielding plants; 30- It merged with Exxon; 32- Underground room; 33- Gambling house; 34- Spacious; 35- Great Lakes tribesmen; 36- Marriage announcement; 44- Marine crustacean; 45- Builds; 46- Not up; 48- Leaning; 49- Less doubtful; 50- Steak order; 51- Dawn; 52- Broadcaster; 54- \_\_ Nostra; 55- Franklin D.'s mother; 59- \_\_ du Diable; 60- Bro counterpart; 61- Blaster's need;