



RYAN COOGLER in talks to helm 'Black Panther'

Filmmaker Ryan Coogler is in negotiations to direct Marvel's "Black Panther" which is to be produced by Kevin Feige. The film stars Chadwick Boseman as T'Challa, the prince of the African country of Wakanda, who must take charge of his country after his father's murder. Writer Joe Robert Cole is penning the script and this is the second time the studio has approached the "Creed" director to take the hot seat.

However, during the first call, Coogler didn't feel that was the right fit for him and returned to finish post-production on "Creed." In the past Marvel also considered director Ava DuVernay and F Gary Gray for the job. "Black Panther" is scheduled as one of Marvel's Phase 3 list of films and is slated to hit the theatres in 2018.

Akshay taught me a lot about comedy Jacqueline Fernandez

Jacqueline Fernandez is giving a shot at comedy once again with "Housefull 3" and the actress is thankful to Akshay Kumar for teaching her the tips and tricks to do well in the genre. Directed by Sajid-Farhad, the movie is the third instalment of the comedy franchise, starring an ensemble cast.

"I think working with Akshay Kumar has definitely taught me a lot about comedy and comic timing. It is the second time I am a part of the 'Housefull' series. I think you learn a lot when you work with someone who has impeccable timing," Jacqueline said.

Besides "Housefull", the 30-year-old actress is busy with "Flying Jatt" and enjoys working in an exciting range of movies. The "Kick" star will also be sharing screen space with John and Varun in "Dishoom", an action film directed by Rohit Dhawan.

Mythological shows teach good moral lessons

Juhi Parmar

Television actress Juhi Parmar says mythological shows still enjoy good viewership as they are the source of moral lessons and keeps us connected to our roots. "There is an audience for mythological shows, people connect to it. We have so many shows on 'Lord Krishna', 'Ramayana', the stories are same and people like watching them. These shows give good moral lessons and one also feels connected to the roots," Juhi said.

When the show "Santoshi Maa" was offered to her, Juhi was fasting during Navratri and considers it as a gift from the almighty. On working with her husband, she says, "When we are on the sets we are not partners or husband and wife, we are co-actors. One benefit is there is comfort level and also we can talk and discuss things, be it personal or work related."

