04 LIFE STYLE

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ARIES

(MAR. 21- APRIL 20)

Competitive games will be your forte. You can make new friends and experience new things if you travel. Your lucky day this week will be Tuesday.



TAURUS

(APR. 21-MAY 21)

Real estate investments could be to your advantage. You can win points if you present your ideas this week. Your lucky day this week will be Sunday.



GEMINI (MAY 22-JUNE 21)

Your ability to initiate projects will bring popularity. Moneymaking ventures may turn your life around. Your lucky day this week will be Saturday.



CANCER (JUNE 22-JULY 22)

Don't shy away from potential romances. Outings with close ones will bring happiness. Your lucky day this week will be Friday.



LEO

(JULY 23-AUG 22)

Travel could be in order. Property deals look good.

Tempers will mount if you're too pushy. Your lucky day this week will be Friday.



VIRGO

(AUG. 23-SEPT. 23)

You may find yourself interested in more than one person. Keep your opinions of uncertain feelings to yourself. Your lucky day this week will be Saturday.



LIBRA

(SEPT. 24-OCT. 23)

Observations will be far more productive. Put your thoughts on paper. Family responsibilities are mounting. Your lucky day this week will be Wednesday.



SCORPIO

(OCT. 24-NOV. 21)

You might be overly emotional at work. Changes in personal attitude are evident. Problems with your partner are apparent. Your lucky day this week will be Wednesday.



SAGITTARIUS

(NOV. 22-DEC. 21)

Concentrate on work more than relationships this week. Your greatest enjoyment will come through social activities and pleasure trips. Your lucky day this week will be Friday.



CAPRICORN

(DEC. 22-JAN. 20)

Be cautious not to get involved in office chatter. Rest and relaxation will do wonders. Your lucky day this week will be Monday.



AQUARIUS

(JAN. 21-FEB. 19)

Your interests could lead you down avenues you never realised existed. Work diligently and you will succeed. Your lucky day this week will be Friday.



PISCES

(FEB. 20-MARCH. 20)

Curb your mood swings; they could result in loneliness. To avoid any minor health problems, don't get too stressed. Your lucky day this week will be Saturday.



TECH

The stream team demands

With the advent of better internet connectivity across the globe, the world of entertainment has taken a complete U-turn. Gone are the days watching TV through cable operators alone, and the depression that hit when their electricity was cut off during the season finale of a favourite show! Now, streaming is the way to go, and this increasing popularity can be largely attributed to YouTube.

Streaming media content has been done on computers and smartphones for quite a while now, but streaming content on a big TV with big speakers is an entirely different experience altogether. Now, it is possible to watch all the latest shows, movies and albums without the hassle of cable operators and their many nonsensical policies.

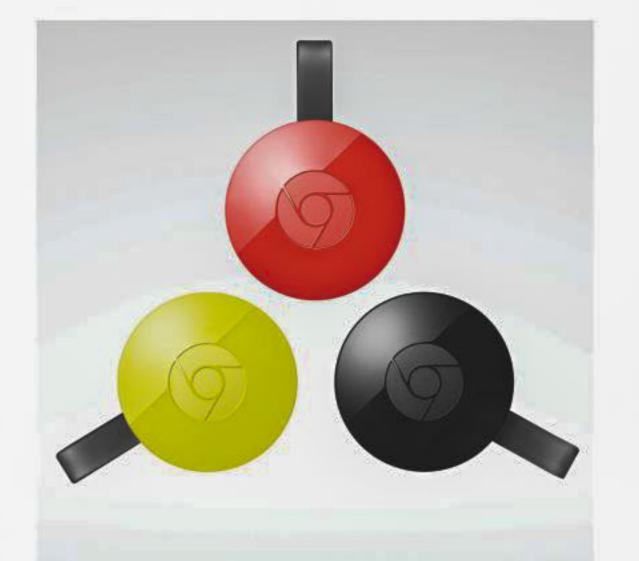
While computers provide a fantastic solution to all streaming needs, hooking a big, clunky, ugly case beside a TV can, in no way, be recommended. With this predicament in mind, there are many dedi-



cated media streaming devices to be found on the market, made specifically to stream content and nothing more.

Another handy feature that media streaming boxes have is that they can also stream from local devices for those who wish to view the content on their PC.

While audiences that demand streaming content are quite plentiful, it is in no way a match for the popularity that



streaming services enjoy abroad. As such, options are a bit limited and some of the items featured here may need to be bought from abroad, but if the rising popularity is anything to go by, it will not be long before these devices come to our markets as well.

Couple of things to know before committing to a streaming device is to know which streaming service matters more.

Obviously Netflix wins hands down when it comes to popularity, but it is not the only one out there. Services like Hulu, Amazon Prime, HBO Go, and others offer great content as well.

Smart TVs also have some in-built capability to stream content. However, streaming services are quite limited on those.



Another alternative for media streaming boxes are latest gen consoles such as Xbox One and Playstation 4, but obviously are somewhat tricky to recommended as the costs for each are too high, so those who already own one can count themselves lucky for the added functionality.

SO, A FEW OF THE DEVICES TO CHECK OUT ARE:

Roku 3 (Tk7200)
Google Chromecast 2015 (Tk4500)
Amazon Fire TV (Tk8000)
Apple TV (Tk12000)
Happy streaming!
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