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Vanessa Williams joins 'False Profits'

History to premiere DiCaprio's 'The Men Who Built America'

LOS ANGELES, March 6, (RTRS): Variety has obtained an exclusive promo of History's "The Men Who Built America: Frontiersmen". The network will premiere the first episode of the four-part, eight-hour docuseries on March 7 at 9:00 pm ET/PT. Leonardo DiCaprio serves as executive producer along with Jennifer Davisson and Stephen David. The series is a dramatic portrayal of frontier icons such as Daniel Boone, Meriwether Lewis, William Clark, and Davy Crockett, as they explore uncharted land. The show will also include exclusive interviews with experts and survivalists.

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Yann Demange has been tapped to direct and executive produce the first episode of the upcoming HBO series "Lovecraft Country". The series, based on the 2016 novel from **Matt Ruff**, follows Atticus Black as he joins up with his friend Letitia and his Uncle George to embark on a road trip across 1950s Jim Crow America in search of his missing father. This begins a struggle to survive and overcome both the racist terrors of white America and the terrifying monsters that could be ripped from a Lovecraft paperback. **Misha Green** will write and executive produce with **Jordan Peele**, **J.J. Abrams**, and **Ben Stephenson**. Demange's next release will be the drama "White Boy Rick" starring **Matthew McConaughey**. He is repped by CAA, Independent Talent Group and Bloom Hergott Diemer Rosenthal LaViolette Feldman Schenkman & Goodman, LLP.

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In honor of musical theatre legend **Andrew Lloyd Webber**'s 70th birthday celebration, NBC will air "Andrew Lloyd Webber Tribute to a Superstar" on March 28 at 10:00 pm ET/PT. The special will include reflection and conversation with Lloyd Webber as well as appearances by **Glenn Close**, **John Legend**, **Lin-Manuel Miranda**, and the Young People's Chorus of New York City. Lloyd Webber is the creative mind behind some of Broadway's greatest productions like "Evita", "Cats", and "The Phantom of the Opera".

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Stephanie March will reprise her role on "Law & Order: SVU" in an April episode titled "Sunk Cost Fallacy". March starred as ADA Alex Cabot for more than 90 episodes. In the new episode, **Mariska Hargitay**'s character, Lieutenant **Olivia Benson**, will cross paths with Cabot when searching for an abducted mother and daughter. Since leaving the series in 2012, March has had guest roles in the television series "Nightcap" and "Odd Mom Out".

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Former "2 Broke Girls" star **Beth Behrs** has been cast as one of the leads in the Fox single-cam comedy pilot "Our People".

The project follows Abel, a man from a bombastic African family who doesn't have a world in their native language for "privacy", and his fiancee Jenny (Behrs), who hails from a mid-western family, as they try to build a normal life together.

Behrs joins previously announced cast member **Lea Thompson**, who will play Jenny's mother, Lisa.

"2 Broke Girls", on which Behrs co-starred with **Kat Dennings**, aired on CBS for six seasons before being canceled last year. Behrs other roles include a recent guest appearance on fellow CBS show "The Big Bang Theory", as well as appearances on shows like "NCIS: Los Angeles" and "Castle". On the film side, she has recently appeared in the Sally Field film "Hello, My Name Is Doris" and lent her voice to the animated comedy "Monsters University".

"Our People" received a put pilot commitment at the network in September. Vali Chandrasekaran will write in addition to executive producing. **Lee Daniels** will also executive produce via his Lee Daniels Entertainment banner, with **Yossi Vassa**, **Shai Ben-Atar** and **Liat Shavit**, **Pam Williams**, and **Marc Velez** also executive producing Both Chandrasekaran and Daniels are currently set up under overall deals at 20th Century Fox TV, which will produce. **Trent O'Donnell** is set to direct the pilot.

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Vanessa Williams has been cast in the ABC drama pilot "False Profits" in a series regular role, Variety has learned.

The project, described as a comedic soap in the vein of "Desperate Housewives", follows a team of down-and-out women in suburban Arizona as they fight their way to the top of the cutthroat world of a multi-level marketing cosmetics business. Williams will play Suzanne, the leader of a highly successful group of saleswomen. She initially tries to befriend Laura (**Bellamy Young**), but turns ice cold when Laura decides to start a group of her own.

In addition to Young, Williams joins a cast that currently includes **Kosha Patel**, **Kapil Talwalkar**, and **Shelley Hennig**.

Williams is no stranger to ABC's audience, having previously appeared on the network's shows "Ugly Betty", "Desperate Housewives", and "666 Park Avenue". She also recently starred in VH1's "Daytime Divas" and is known for roles in films like "Shaft", "Eraser", and "Soul Food". In addition to acting, Williams is also an acclaimed singer and Broadway star. She was also the first African-American to win the Miss America pageant.

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The CW's pilot for the reboot of "Charmed" has found its third lead.

Madeleine Mantock has been cast in the pilot as the witch-sister Macy, who is described as a practical, driven, and brilliant geneticist. Her world is blown open when she discovers that the supernatural world is all too real.

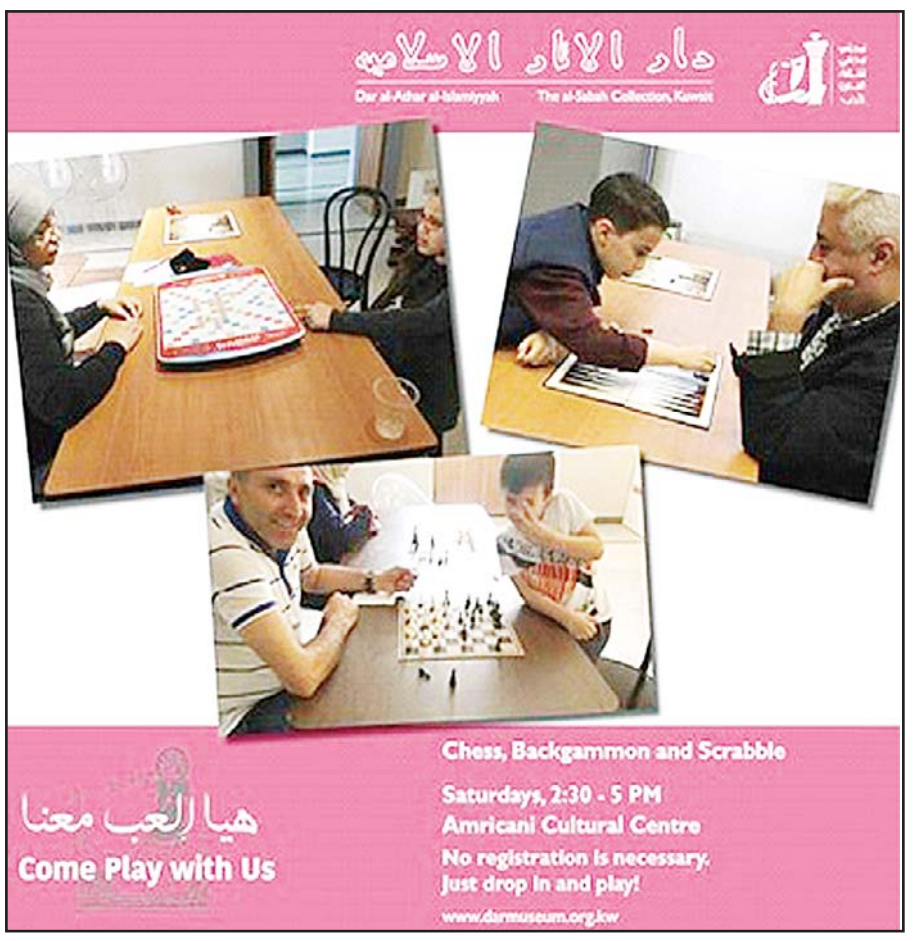
Mantock joins previously announced cast members **Melonie Diaz** and **Sarah Jeffery**, who will play the other two sisters in the rebooted version of the series. **Ser'Darius Blain** and **Rupert Evans** will also star.

The English actress recently starred as Veil in the AMC martial arts drama "Into the Badlands". She is also set to star in the upcoming BBC series "Age Before Beauty", and has previously appeared on shows like "Casualty" and "The Tomorrow People".

She is repped by Paradigm in the US and Denton Brierley in the UK.

The reboot of "Charmed" was originally in development at the network last year but was rolled into this year. The original version of the reboot was set in the 1970's but this new version will take place in the present day.

A flyer of the event.



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teacher. For more details: 94974295.

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Indian Embassy SPDC notice: Attention of all Indian associations/Indian schools in Kuwait is once again drawn to Scholarship Programme for Diaspora Children (SPDC) which was introduced by Government of India in the academic year 2006-2007 with the objective to make higher education in India accessible to the children of overseas Indians and promote India as a centre for higher studies.

Under the scheme, 100 PIO/NRI students were awarded scholarship of up to US$ 4,000 per annum for undergraduate courses in Engineering, Technology, Humanities, Liberal Arts, Commerce, Management, Journalism, Hotel Management, Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and some other courses.

The scheme is open to NRIs/PIOs from over 40 countries (including Kuwait) having substantial Indian Diaspora population.

The Scheme was revamped and launched in July 2016. Under the revamped Scheme, number of scholarships has been enhanced from 100 to 150 with introduction of 50 scholarships for children of Indian workers employed in the Emigration Check Required (ECR) countries. The Scheme is now applicable to four categories of applicants:

(i) Persons of Indian Origin
(ii) Non-Resident Indians
(iii) Children of Indian workers working in ECR countries (including Kuwait).
(iv) Children of Indian workers in ECR countries - studying in India

The institutions that are covered under this Scheme are:

(i) NITs, IIITs, Schools of Planning and Architecture
(ii) "A" Grade institutions accredited by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) and recognised by University Grants Commission (UGC).
(iii) Other institutions covered under Direct Admission of Students Abroad (DASA) scheme.

Income criteria will be applicable to all four categories. Applicants will seek scholarships after they obtain admission in the approved list of educational institutions.

Applications are required to be submitted online at SPDC portal - http://spdcindia.gov.in/login/index.php. Last date for submission of applications was extended till Oct 14, 2016. Nodal officer for SPDC is P. Bharadwaj, Deputy Secretary (OIA-II), Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, Tel: 00-91-11-24197952, Email: dsoia2@mea.gov.in

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Experience Science for Adults: Registration is now open for Experience Science for Adults.

Why should kids have all the fun?!

The five week programme will be held on Saturday from 10:00 am-11:30 am at the Yarmouk Cultural Centre.

Registration is limited to 16. You may register at either the Amricani Cultural Centre, Sunday to Thursday 10:00-3:00 or the Yarmouk Cultural Centre, Sunday to Thursday 10:00-6:00.

For more information, please email:education@darmuseum.org.kw

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TIES Center events: TIES Center announces following events – Tajweed and Recitation: Learn and practice the art of reciting the Holy Quran (tajweed).

The instructor will also answer questions related to the meaning of the Arabic words and verses.

Every Sunday & Tuesday @ 10 – 11:30am; every Monday @ 5-6:30pm.

The TIES Center is the social and educational hub for English Speaking expats in Kuwait. For more information, please call 25231015 or e-mail info@tiescenter.net or visit www.tiescenter.net.

tv highlights

Cinema

Cinema programme from Thursday 1/3/2018 to Wednesday 7/3/2018

Black Butterfly

360° 12:20, 16:15, 20:20 **(Daily Exc Mon)** 16:15, 20:20 **(Fri)**
Avenues 13:00, 17:00, 23:15 **(Daily Exc Mon)** 17:00, 23:15 **(Fri)**

Black Panther

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Bairaq 13:45, 16:30, 21:15, 00:05
Fanar 12:30, 15:15, 18:00, 20:45, 23:30 **(Daily Exc Mon)** 15:15, 18:00, 20:45, 23:30 **(Fri)**
Sharqia 11:35, 14:15, 19:00, 21:45, 00:30 **(Daily Exc Thu, Mon, Sat)** 14:15, 19:00, 21:45, 00:30 **(Thu, Fri, Sat)**
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Grand Hamra 1 14:00, 17:00, 19:45, 22:30
Grand Hamra 5 17:30, 22:15 01:00 **(Thu, Fri)**
Grand Gate 2 14:15, 17:00, 19:45, 22:30

Black Water

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Death Wish

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Etlaoly Barah (Arabic Film)

360° 14:10, 20:35, 22:30
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Avenues 21:25

Ferdinand

360° 15:55

Game Night

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Fanar 16:15, 23:00, 01:00
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Grand Hamra 2 14:15, 16:30, 19:00, 21:15 00:00 **(Thu, Fri)**
Grand Gate 7 14:30, 16:45, 19:00, 21:15 23:30 **(Thu, Fri)**

Gaza Surf Club (Arabic Film)

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Gnome Alone

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I, Tonya

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Journey's End

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Grand Hamra 8 20:00, 22:30

Jumanji: Welcome To The Jungle

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Avenues 12:25, 19:10 **(Daily Exc Mon)** 19:10 **(Fri)**
Grand Gate 5 14:15, 16:45, 19:15, 21:45

Mission Kathmandu: The Adventures of Nelly & Simon

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Bairaq 15:00, 19:00
Fanar 13:30 **(Thu, Fri, Sat)**
Avenues 14:25, 18:25
Marina 16:30

Okdat El Khawaga (Arabic Film)

360° 18:35
Avenues 18:05

Serbi Haamam (Swarm Of Doves) Kuwaiti Film

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The Greatest Showman

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The Midnight Man

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Grand Gate 6 14:45, 17:15, 19:30, 21:30 23:45 **(Thu, Fri)**

Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri

360° 17:15, 19:35
Avenues 19:05

War Commanders: China Salesman

360° 15:00, 21:55 **(Daily Exc Thu)** 21:55 **(Thu)**
Avenues 11:30 **(Daily Exc Mon)**

Wolf Warrior 2

360° 12:10 **(Daily Exc Sat)** 13:30 **(Fri)** 12:35, 00:10 **(Sat)**

Wonder

360° 18:25

Aadhi (Malayalam Film)

Ajial 19:00

Captain (Malayalam Film)

Ajial 15:30, 18:30, 21:30
Plaza 15:30, 21:30

Mayaanadhi (Malayalam Film)

Ajial 16:15, 22:00
Plaza 18:45

Veerey Ki Wedding (Hindi Film)

Ajial 15:45, 18:45, 21:45

Coco

Avenues 17:20

Den Of Thieves

Grand Hamra 4 18:15, 21:45

Early Man

Grand Hamra 5 14:45, 17:15
Grand Hamra 8 14:00, 16:00, 18:00
Grand Gate 4 14:15, 16:15, 18:15

Slumber

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Grand Gate 8 14:30, 17:00, 19:15, 21:30 00:00 **(Thu, Fri)**