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T-shirts, tacos, and tourism: Singapore businesses cash in on Trump-Kim mania

SINGAPORE (Reuters) - From summit-themed burgers and online scalpers peddling "World Peace" medallions and "Peace Out from Lion City" T-shirts, Singaporeans are cashing in on a historic meeting between U.S. President Donald Trump and North Korea's Kim Jong Un.

The buzz around the Trump-Kim summit on Tuesday has stirred Singaporeans' entrepreneurial spirit, and raised hopes of a tourism dividend long after the summit dust settles.

One person is trying to sell his weekend reservations at the Shangri-La Hotel, mentioned in media as the possible lodging of one of the leaders - at three times the price.

"It was for a personal 'staycation', but I reckon that because of the summit, people might actually offer to pay a higher price," Joel Lin, who is asking for S\$1,600 for each of two rooms he has booked, said by telephone.

The Singapore Mint, which this week unveiled a commemorative medallion for the summit, later raised the mintage for the gold and silver medallions after an overwhelming response.

At more than S\$1,000 (\$750) a piece for the gold version, and more than S\$100 for the silver one, the issue could yield upwards of S\$5 million if they are all sold.

Scalpers are preparing to sell the medallions they get in an online sale.

An Australian Kim impersonator, who goes by the name Howard X, has also been cashing in but said he got an unpleasant surprise on Friday when he was detained for questioning on arrival back in the country for a second time in two weeks.

He said he was allowed on his way after being told to stay away from summit venues.

A Singapore burger chain, Wolf Burgers, urged the two leaders to #settlethebeef and invited them to try its "Burger for World Peace", with American sharp cheddar cheese and Korea's marinated Bulgogi shabu brisket.

Mexican restaurant Lucha Loco is selling "Rocket Man" and "El Trumpo" tacos and guests stand a chance to smash Trump-Kim piñatas.

Trump called Kim "little rocket man" last year, when the two were exchanging threats of nuclear war and the prospect of a summit was nothing but a distant dream for even the most optimistic marketing man.

More than 3,000 journalists are due in town, along with delegations and security entourages.

Those who enjoy a tippie might seek out a bar offering cocktails featuring the Korean spirit soju. One bar has named its special summit drink - which mixes beer, tequila, diet Coke and soju - the Bromance.

Singapore, which welcomed a record 17.4 million international visitors last year, is likely to see a bump, albeit small, in retail spending because of the summit.

Every tourist to Singapore spends an average three-and-a-half days and contributes about S\$1,500 to overall tourism receipts, said brokerage CGS-CIMB.

Assuming a seven-day stay and about 4,000 people coming for the event, a CGS-CIMB analyst estimated they could spend about S\$12 million (\$9 million).

That's a drop in the bucket in the short-term - the Singapore Tourism Board has forecast tourism receipts of between S\$27.1 billion (\$20.3 billion) and S\$27.6 billion this year.

But a glitch-free summit will increase the chances of more big-ticket events.

"As with all high-profile visits, it places Singapore on the map for international audiences and showcases Singapore as an ideal destination, especially for business and meetings," said Oliver Chong, executive director of communications and marketing capability at the tourism board



The Rocket Man Taco and the El Trumpo Taco is pictured at Lucha Loco in Singapore June 8, 2018. REUTERS/Feline Lim

Afghan Taliban raise hopes with surprise Eid ceasefire

KABUL (Reuters) - The Afghan Taliban on Saturday announced a surprise three-day ceasefire over the Muslim Eid holiday in the middle of June, their first offer of its kind, days after the government declared an unconditional ceasefire of its own.

The militants said foreign forces would be excluded from the ceasefire and that operations against them would continue. They also said they would defend themselves against any attack.

"Members of the Taliban should not participate in public gatherings during the Eid festivities because the enemy could target us," they said in a statement.

The presidential palace welcomed the announcement and said it hoped it can lead to lasting peace. Omar Zakhilwal, Afghanistan's Ambassador to neighboring Pakistan, described the announcement as an "important step towards prospects for peace".

"Hope the pleasure of shedding no Afghan blood in Eid becomes so overwhelming that rest of year is also declared as Afghan Eid," he said on Twitter. The Taliban attacked security outposts in the Zawul district of western Herat province on Friday night, killing 17 troops and wounding several, Jelani Farhad, spokesman for the provincial governor, said.

It was not clear exactly when the ceasefire would begin, as Eid starts when the

moon is first sighted, but Afghan calendars mark Friday June 15 as the end of Ramadan.

Eid is the biggest festival in the Muslim calendar when families visit each other's homes, enjoy feasting and in Afghanistan tend graves of fallen loved ones. The Taliban, seeking to reimpose strict Islamic law after their 2001 ouster at the hands of U.S.-led troops, have launched attacks during Eid in the past.

"In three days, maybe the unity of Taliban insurgents will be put to test," a European diplomat told Reuters. "If different factions don't accept the ceasefire, then attacks will continue."

Afghan President Ashraf Ghani announced an unconditional ceasefire with the Taliban on Thursday, until June 20, but excluding other militant groups, such as Islamic State.

Ghani's decision came after a meeting of Islamic clerics declared a fatwa, or ruling, against suicide bombings, one of which, claimed by Islamic State, killed 14 people at the entrance to the clerics' peace tent in Kabul.

The clerics also recommended a ceasefire with the Taliban and Ghani endorsed the recommendation. Ghani in February offered recognition of the Taliban as a legitimate

political group in a proposed political process that he said could lead to talks to end more than 16 years of war.

Ghani proposed a ceasefire and a release of prisoners among options including new elections involving the militants and a constitutional review in a pact with the Taliban to end a conflict that last year alone killed or wounded more than 10,000 civilians.

In August, U.S. President Donald Trump unveiled a more hawkish military approach to Afghanistan, including a surge in air strikes, aimed at forcing the Taliban to the negotiating table.

Afghan security forces say the impact has been significant, but the Taliban roam huge swaths of the country and, with foreign troop levels of about 15,600, down from 140,000 in 2014, there appears little hope of outright victory.

The Taliban's announcement comes as Trump and North Korean leader Kim Jong Un are due to sit down to a summit in Singapore on Tuesday, something few people would have predicted just months ago when threats between the two sides were at their most bellicose.

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Natural gas exports up 8 percent in 1st quarter

U.S. exports of natural gas are up 8 percent in the first quarter compared to a year earlier and 66 percent more compared to the same quarter in 2016, according to a recent report from the U.S. Department of Energy. The exports, which include natural gas shipped via pipeline and liquefied natural gas, averaged 9.6 billion cubic feet per day during the first quarter. The increase in natural gas shipments also set a new nationwide milestone. The United States exported more natural gas than it imported last year,

making the United States a net exporter of natural gas for the first time since 1957, the Energy Department reported. One big reason for the boost in exports is that more LNG facilities have come on line, including liquefaction terminals in Louisiana and Maryland. U.S. exports of LNG averaged 2.6 billion cubic feet per day in the first quarter, which is 62 percent higher than the same period one year earlier.



Disney animation chief, Pixar co-founder Lasseter to quit after 'missteps'

(Reuters) - Walt Disney Co animation head and co-founder of Pixar John Lasseter, regarded as a modern day Walt Disney because of his creativity and commercial success, will leave at the end of the year, the company said on Friday. Lasseter was the creative force behind movie hits like "Toy Story," "Frozen," and "Finding Nemo," that won Academy Awards and reaped billions of dollars at the box office. Friday's decision, announced in a Disney statement, followed a six month leave of absence by Lasseter after what he called "missteps," including unwanted hugs that made employees uncomfortable. "Following his sabbatical, John Lasseter will assume a consulting role at The Walt Disney Company until December 31, 2018, at which time he will be leaving the

company," Disney said. Disney did not announce a replacement but Chief Executive Bob Iger noted in the statement that Lasseter had assembled "a team of great storytellers and innovators with the vision and talent to set the standard in animation for generations to come." Lasseter, 61, said in the statement that "the last six months have provided an opportunity to reflect on my life, career and personal priorities." "While I remain dedicated to the art of animation and inspired by the creative talent at Pixar and Disney, I have decided the end of this year is the right time to begin focusing on new creative challenges," he added. Lasseter joined the company in 2006 when Disney bought Pixar Animation

Studios. A pioneer in computer animation, Lasseter was the driving creative force behind Disney's success in animated films over the past decade. He is chief creative officer of Pixar Animation Studios and Walt Disney Animation Studios. Disney animation and Pixar films have sold roughly \$14 billion worth of tickets worldwide since Lasseter joined Disney, according to a Reuters analysis of data from the Box Office Mojo website. Lasseter took his leave after a report in the Hollywood Reporter last November that said some women at Disney had been made uncomfortable by physical contact from him. He apologized in November in a memo to employees who felt "disrespected or

uncomfortable," but said his intent was "benign." Multiple accusations of sexual misconduct against entertainers, businessmen and politicians in the past year have led to many being fired or to resignations. The scandal inspired a widespread #MeToo social media movement by victims of sexual harassment or abuse. Lasseter was absent earlier this week from the world premiere in Hollywood for Pixar's next release, "The Incredibles 2" on June 15. Online ticket seller Fandango said this week that the movie is on pace to become its biggest animated pre-seller ever.

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U.S. President Trump meets with France's President Macron in bilateral meeting at G7 Summit in Charlevoix, Canada



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Soccer Football - International Friendly - Germany vs Saudi Arabia - BayArena, Leverkusen, Germany - June 8, 2018 Saudi Arabia's Omar Hawsawi and Germany's Julian Brandt in action during the match REUTERS/Thilo Schmuegelgen TPX IMAGES OF THE DAY



Leaders pose during a family photo at the G7 Summit in the Charlevoix city of La Malbaie



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Mannequins with soccer balls as heads to mark the upcoming 2018 FIFA World Cup in Russia, are displayed on a showcase of a clothing store in downtown Malaga



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Workers walk past a Coca-Cola logo painted on a gate at a Coca-Cola factory in Nairobi

SAN DIEGO — If you are worried about your child's smartphone use getting out of hand, you should be. A new study finds that teens who are hooked on their phones and other digital devices are "markedly" unhappier than their less-plugged-in peers.

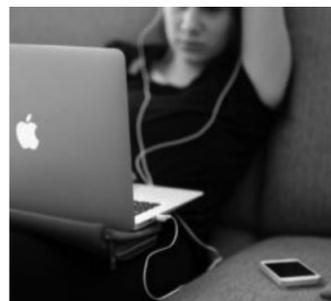
Researchers from San Diego State University and the University of Georgia examined data on more than a million 8th, 10th, and 12th grade American students participating in the longterm "Monitoring the Future" study. Participants were polled on their mobile device and computer use and their amount of face-to-face social interaction with others. They were also surveyed on their level of overall happiness. The authors found that teens who spent more time hanging out with friends in person and less time texting or video chatting were happier than those who spent more time in front of a screen. There was a notable increase in overall life satisfaction for students who participated in more extracurricular activities or sports, as well as those who read actual print publications more frequently. The research team believes that habitual use of smartphones or computers to socialize was a key factor in how unhappy a participant felt.

The Happiest Teens Use Smartphones, Digital Media Less Than One Hour A Day

Compiled And Edited By John T. Robbins, Southern Daily Editor



Twenge notes that while some studies have proven social media use can lead to greater unhappiness for a child, the study showed that being unhappy did not lead to more social media use.



Not surprisingly, the authors point out that studies have shown self-esteem and life satisfaction levels dropped sharply after 2012, which is the same year that the number of Americans who owned a smartphone jumped over 50 percent.

To that point, her study only adds to the wealth of work that's determined parents must monitor how much time their teens are spending online.

"The advent of the smartphone is the most plausible explanation for the sudden decrease in teens' psychological well-being," she says. (Couresty <https://www.studyfinds.org>)

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1 In 3 Can't Get Through Meal Without Looking At Phone, Survey Finds

FORT WASHINGTON, Pa. — The phone addiction problem may be getting to be a bit much. A new survey finds that a third of Americans can't get through a meal without looking at their mobile devices. Researchers from the weight loss service Nutrisystem commissioned a poll of 2,000 adults last month to determine how distracted we are at the dinner table.



The phone addiction problem may be getting to be a bit much. A new survey finds that a third of Americans can't get through a meal without looking at their mobile devices. (Photo by Alejandro Escamilla on Unsplash)

Twenty-nine percent indicated their phone joins them for every single meal, while more than half said they bring their device to the table most of the time. Only 17 percent said they never bring their phone with them to a meal.

The figures were highest for millennials. Thirty-five percent of respondents between ages 18-35 need their phone with them at the table all the time, though that number drops for older age groups.

"What we're eating, how much, and how often—those are the things we think about when we're trying to lose weight. The part we probably focus less on, however, is how we eat," says Courtney McCormick, a dietitian at Nutrisystem, in a press release. "And that is just as important. And it starts with putting down the phone and turning off the TV."



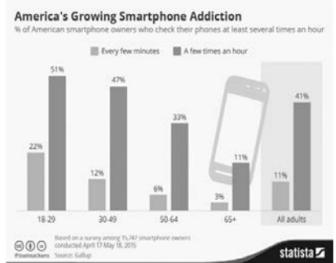
Television was also an attention grabber during meals for participants. Nearly a third of those surveyed (72%) said they often watch the tube while eating. Perhaps the worst part about this figure is that people were more apt to say watching TV made a meal more enjoyable than talking to friends and family at the table.

Smartphones at the table have become so prevalent, people aren't even watching what they're putting in their mouths, researchers say. The survey found a third of participants eat so fast when they're staring at a tablet or a TV that they didn't even realize how fast they were scarfing down their food.

The researchers say this type of distraction not only prevents people from listening to their friends, but also their bodies — when they're being told they're full. The unhealthy practice could cause phone addicts to pack on unwanted pounds.

"Early research has shown that taking a mindful approach to eating may help you lose weight and consume fewer calories and fat," says McCormick.

So if you're one of the those who brings your device with you to the table, try leaving it on a different floor in your home, or put it somewhere out of sight and out of mind. It'll be there when you're finished. And at the very least, you'll hear what your belly tells you. (Courtesy <https://www.studyfinds.org>)



"The key to digital media use and happiness is limited use," says Jean M. Twenge, the study's lead author a professor of psychology at SDSU, in a news release. "Aim to spend no more than two hours a day on digital media, and try to increase the amount of time you spend seeing friends face-to-face and exercising — two activities reliably linked to greater happiness."

And while Twenge suggests allowing a maximum of two hours for screen time, she says the study showed that the happiest teens were those who spent a tad less than an hour per day on digital media. That statistic includes teens who report not using digital devices at all — which means some use of technology makes children happier. But after that first hour, unhappiness rose steadily among participants as their total screen time increased.

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WASHINGTON (Reuters) – U.S. President Donald Trump will deploy a mix of charm and pressure to coax North Korean leader Kim Jong Un into a deal to give up nuclear weapons, trusting his gut instinct over briefing books in his ability to strike an accord, aides and former administration officials said.

Kim, who at 34 is nearly half Trump's age, will get a concentrated blast of what friends and foes of Trump have experienced since he became president: a volatile, unpredictable leader who can be at turns friendly or tough, or both at the same time.

The June 12 summit in Singapore will be the first face-to-face meeting between Trump, the former reality TV star who likes to keep people guessing up to a cliffhanger finish, and Kim, the heir to a reclusive dynasty with a history of reneging on promises to curb its nuclear ambitions.



While Trump has received a steady diet of briefings, verbal and written, about what to expect when he meets Kim, he trusts his intuition more than anything else, aides and former officials said.

His briefings have covered the gamut from Kim's family history, the history of broken agreements with Pyongyang and the status of the North's nuclear and missile programs, one source familiar with the matter said.

Aides expect Trump to try to use a personal touch to try build trust with Kim. The two leaders have done much to improve their relations after hurling insults and threats at each other such as who has the bigger nuclear button.

In his decades as a businessman before entering the White House 18 months ago, Trump did many deals and can bring different skills and techniques to negotiations, one source close to the

Historic Face-To-Face Summit Set For Tomorrow In Singapore

Trump Will Trust His Gut At High-Stakes Summit With Kim -- Without Note Cards

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U.S. President (left) and North Korean Leader Kim Jong Un (right). (Photo/Reuters)

president said.



An outside entrance to the Capella Hotel on Sentosa Island in Singapore where U.S. President Trump and North Korean leader Kim Jong Un will meet on Tuesday, June 12, 2018.

"But it's very 'gut,' which people are not used to in the diplomatic world because people are used to reading note cards," said the source, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Critics contend that Trump's seat-of-the-pants approach may be too risky in dealing with North Korea, which alarmed Washington with its rapid advances on a long-range missile possibly capable of hitting the United States.

'IT'S ABOUT ATTITUDE'

Trump has said his meeting with Kim is a get-to-know-you session and could

be the first of several aimed at getting North Korea to scrap its nuclear arsenal. Trump is preparing for the summit and taking it very seriously, said a senior White House official who asked not to be identified, "but locking himself away and doing what's been done in the past clearly hasn't worked."

Trump himself said on Thursday that he did not think he had to prepare very much and that "it's about attitude. It's about willingness to get things done." Other U.S. officials have questioned whether Trump is doing enough to get up to speed.



U.S. Secretary of State Mike Pompeo

came back from meeting Kim in Pyongyang to describe the North Korean leader as "a smart guy who's doing his homework" for the summit, according to one U.S. official familiar with the matter.

However, the senior White House official pointed to Trump's relationship with Chinese President Xi Jinping as a sign of how he might deal with Kim: Trump frequently talks about how close he is to Xi, but this has not stopped him from talking tough on trade with Xi. One former senior administration official who has watched Trump engage with world leaders said he has not had a consistent method in diplomatic dealings, describing him as "kind of all over the map" at times hectoring, at others friendly.

On Thursday, Trump dangled the prospect of inviting Kim Jong Un to the White House if he deemed the summit

a success while also signaling he was willing to walk away if he thought talks did not go well.

Trump goes to Singapore confident in his deal-making skills based on his career as a New York real estate developer, which made him a billionaire.



The Trump-Kim summit commemorative medallion (shown above) marking the summit was struck prior to Trump's prior cancellation of the event, which has now been rescheduled.

His negotiating skills as president have had mixed success: his attempt to negotiate a healthcare deal with lawmakers fell apart last year, but then he was able to get tax-cut bill through Congress.

On the foreign policy front, his hardline stance on China to cut its massive trade surplus with the United States has risked a trade war, while talks to overhaul the North American Free Trade Agreement have stumbled badly.

But that is not likely to deter Trump from his negotiating style.



"I think he wants to go big or go home," said Michael Allen, a former National Security Council official under Republican President George W. Bush. (Courtesy <http://www.oann.com>)

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由邱禮濤執導，吳鎮宇、張智霖、余詩曼、周秀娜、鄭則士、劉浩龍領銜主演，張繼聰、李璨琛主演的犯罪動作懸疑電影《泄密者》今日曝光張智霖人物特輯，由他飾演的馬來西亞警長在危機來臨之際，不遠萬里前往香港，與香港警察吳鎮宇壹同破解驚天秘案。影片定於6月15日在全國上映。

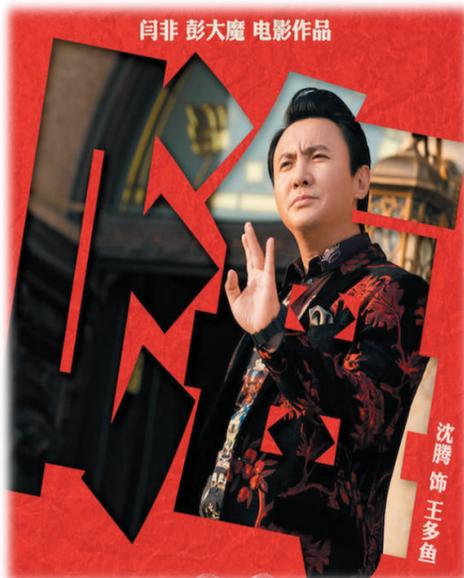
影片《泄密者》以馬來西亞爆發驚天病毒災難為背景，飾演警長的張智霖為尋求內幕，揭開隱藏在撲朔迷離案情下的真相前往香港，在危機四伏的險境中與香港警察吳鎮宇、記者余詩曼壹同調查案件。

本次曝光的特輯中，從病毒爆發開始，到飆車追擊，無論是警匪間的激烈打鬥，還是扣人心弦的槍戰場面全都壹氣呵成，帶給觀眾強烈震撼的同時，讓人大呼過癮。而自稱維護真相的聯盟“泄密者”背後究竟隱藏了怎樣不可告人的秘密，也引人遐想。

此次拍攝，張智霖和老搭檔吳鎮宇再次合作，互飆演技，共同破解案件真相。與以往不同的是，兩人在片中有很多不同的矛盾出現，拍攝現場也是火花四濺。在特輯中，兩人雖是攜手破案，卻不乏針鋒相對，持槍對峙的緊張場面，令人期待。



《西虹市首富》曝全新預告



“錢是王八蛋，我們要尊重夢想！”即將於7月27日上映的喜劇《西虹市首富》，近日曝光“特笑大片”版預告和人物海報。

落魄守門員王多魚（沈騰飾）遭遇意想不到的奇葩挑戰——壹月之內必須花光天降的橫財，被貧窮限制了想象力的他使出洪荒之力，以夢想之名上演“花錢72計”。

預告曝光的同時，影片陣容也露出冰山壹角，《夏洛特煩惱》老班底中的“司儀”張壹鳴、“夢特嬌”常遠、“校長”李立群回歸，更有《我的少女時代》宋藝

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沈騰坦言：“如果現實中有這麼多錢的話，我想我需要很多時間去考慮怎麼支配這筆錢。我接到這個角色的時候，就在想真的給我這麼多錢，會怎麼辦？王多魚在成為首富後，是辛苦還是享福？開始他認為花錢是壹個比較簡單的過程，其實越花越難。其實這個問題是壹個偽命題，他在片中從來就不是壹個真正的大款，他是別人眼中的大款，他始終知道他自己不是壹個大款，因為他是有任務的。”



由黃百鳴監制，林德祿執導，古天樂、張智霖、鄭嘉穎、鄧麗欣等聯袂主演的犯罪動作大片《反貪風暴3》將於8月24日全國公映。今日，片方公開了壹組“風暴來襲版”劇照，古天樂、張智霖、鄭嘉穎三位主演首次齊聚，再掀反貪風暴。

在電影《反貪風暴3》全新曝光的“風暴來襲版”劇照中，古天樂持槍追擊罪犯，橫眉怒目氣勢十足；張智霖被槍指頭，對手卻未露真容；鄭嘉穎則眉頭緊鎖，正言厲色；謝天華穩坐車中，墨鏡下神色不明……除了從幾位主演的神情中可以窺見此番風暴來襲的緊張與兇險。

此外，劇照還公開了古天樂與鄭嘉穎在審訊室中的鏡頭，以及張智霖與鄭嘉穎二人對峙的情景，強強對決火花四濺。值得壹提的是，這是古天樂、張智霖二人繼《反貪風暴2》後，再度在反貪系列中合體。

鄭嘉穎這次全新加入《反貪風暴3》，他在採訪中透露：“我到TVB的時候，古仔已經不拍電視劇了，壹直沒有機會和古仔合作，這次能夠合作令我非常期待。”古天樂、張智霖、鄭嘉穎三大男神齊聚尚屬首次，從目前曝光的信息來看，三人關係敵友難辨，新壹輪反貪風暴值得期待。

電影《反貪風暴3》將於8月24日登陸全國院線。



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《監獄犬計劃》曝“人狗大戰”海報 郝蕾難訓流浪狗 《驢得水》三男主齜牙咧嘴

電影《監獄犬計劃》今日發布了壹款“人大battle”版海報，該片由郝蕾聯合《驢得水》原班演員劉帥良、裴魁山、韓彥博、演員大力、阿如那共同主演，並將於6月21日登陸全國院線。

本次發布的電影海報極具故事衝突感，透過海報能感受到壹種“battle”的緊張氛圍，同時還暗含了豐富的信息。“驢得水”三男主表情十分誇張，皆是齜牙咧嘴，而頭上各自掛彩；狗狗們也不慎負傷，看著很是心疼；郝蕾則站在雙方中間，嚴肅的比出停戰手勢，在努力地平息著這場不見硝煙瀰漫的“戰爭”，全都暗示了影片跌宕起伏的劇情，讓人不禁猜測影片中是否將會有壹場相持不下的“人狗大戰”。

電影《監獄犬計劃》圍繞壹項真實源自海外的“監獄犬計劃”開展，該計劃通過讓服刑人員訓練流浪犬成爲工作犬，除了實現自身的人性救贖，幫助他們重返社會，還能讓更多的殘障人士得到狗狗們的幫助，而流浪狗也得到工作機會，不會被人道毀滅，是壹項堪稱“三贏”的溫暖計劃。

由郝蕾飾演的專業訓犬師李翹爲了壹項名爲“監獄犬計劃”的項目火速歸國，同時被選入參與該計劃的還有三名分別由劉帥良、裴魁山、韓彥博所飾演的監獄服刑人員，他們需要將即將面臨人道毀滅的三只流浪狗訓練成爲對社會有用處的工作犬，而三人也將在訓犬過程中得到各自的救贖。

電影《監獄犬計劃》由郭大雷執導，郝蕾和《驢得水》原班演員共同主演，影片將於6月21日全國上映。



《第七個小矮人》 發布全新海報預告



日前，由百年經典童話《白雪公主與第七個小矮人》改編的進口喜劇動畫電影《第七個小矮人》，發布了壹組“系鞋帶”主題海報及病毒視頻。童話世界中的噴火龍，宛如鄰家溫暖的大哥哥，“手把手”教第七個小矮人“波波”系鞋帶。

電影《第七個小矮人》講述了“呆萌可愛”的第七個小矮人波波與夥伴們壹起爲公主慶生，無意中陷入了巫婆詛咒公主的圈套，就此開啓了壹場營救公主、保衛童話王國的大冒險。在片中，波波最開始是壹個連鞋帶都不會系的小迷糊。幸運的是，他有壹群樂於陪伴、充滿愛意與耐心、不斷鼓勵他的好朋友。而且在他們的幫助下，波波用他的善良、勇敢和擔當，在營救公主的路上，

成爲了壹個戰勝巫婆，成功保衛童話王國的小英雄。

在成長路上，總會有很多小朋友，像小矮人波波壹樣，在接觸新事物時總會狀況百出，家長有時也很無奈……而動畫電影《第七個小矮人》正是給了這個年齡段的小朋友和家長們壹個絕佳的觀影選擇；小矮人就好像每壹個小朋友，他們有著小孩子壹樣的身高，都處在壹樣學習和成長階段，用同樣的視角觀察世界。家長們能通過電影，感受到自己家“小矮人”的世界，或許還能從電影裏學到如何更好的與孩子溝通相處；而小朋友們，更是能從電影中獲取數不盡的歡樂，增強自信心。

文藝愛情片《壹紙婚約》 清壹色“北電人” 演繹表演學院院長作品

由北京電影學院表演學院院長張輝執導，劉熙陽、張壹山、楊紫、關曉彤主演的文藝愛情電影《壹紙婚約》即將於6月8日上映。今日片方曝光了終極海報和終極預告。

《壹紙婚約》講述了獨自在上海打拚的葉子（劉熙陽飾）到了適婚年紀後，房子卻成爲了她步入婚姻的絆腳石。

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導演張輝以現實生活爲依據，從《壹紙婚約》眾主角之間多種感情中汲取不同情緒，深挖人們心中最真實和純粹的情感與欲望。他把感性融入角色的同時，如何借助現實主義的冷靜和理性帶那些迷失在房子、婚姻、愛情中的年輕人尋找到屬於他們的安全感。

此外，導演張輝還將擔任本片的男主，預告裏張輝導演意欲跳樓究竟爲何？他與女主葉子的忘年戀在經過多方反對、社會輿論後能否壹帆風順？片中，由於“壹紙婚約”的誤打誤撞張輝飾演的呆萌大叔王楓與文藝上海漂葉子還將發生哪些故事？



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