

Sonakshi Sinha-Zaheer Iqbal wedding: Couple beams with happiness as they pose with friends in new PIC

Bollywood actress Sonakshi Sinha is all set to get married to her boyfriend Zaheer Iqbal today. Wedding celebrations are in full swing, with Sonakshi's residence adorned with lights for the occasion. Recently, new photos from her Mehendi ceremony have emerged online, showcasing the actress and Zaheer posing for the camera.



"Hearts filled with love & happiness @aslisona @iamzahero We are soo soo happy for you both."

Earlier, the couple's friend Jafer Ali Munshi posted a photo from the mehendi ceremony on his Instagram story. In the picture, the couple is captured

posing with their extensive group of friends. The caption expressed excitement, stating, "Sooooo excited & Sona is now 'officially' in the Bandstand Bldg A clan!"

"She is not converting and that is for sure. Theirs is a union of hearts and religion has no role to play whatsoever. I believe in humanity. God is called Bhagwan by Hindus and Allah by Muslims. But at the end of the day, we are all human beings," he said.

Meanwhile, on the professional front, Sonakshi Sinha was last seen in Sanjay Leela Bhansali's debut web series, Heeramandi: The Diamond Bazaar. She is set to appear in the film Kakuda alongside Riteish Deshmukh.

Sonakshi and Zaheer have been rumored to be in a relationship since 2020. They co-starred in the 2022 film Double XL and appeared together in the music video Jodi Blockbuster last year. Currently, they are collaborating on the project Tu Hai Meri Kiran.

Alia, Deepika and Kiara become the top three Bollywood actresses in India's most valuable celebrities list



A new report by financial and risk advisory firm Kroll reveals a shake-up in the top ranks of India's most valuable celebrities. Alia Bhatt, Deepika Padukone and Kiara Advani have become the top three actresses to make their mark in India's most valuable celebrities list 2023.

The report, titled "Celebrity Brand Valuation Report 2023: Brands, Business, Bollywood" shows Alia Bhatt at number five with a brand value of \$101.1 million, and Deepika Padukone at number six with \$96 million. Both actresses saw slight dips from their 2022 rankings.

The biggest story, however, is Kiara Advani, who was ranked 16th in 2022, skyrocketed to 12th in 2023 with a brand value of \$60 million. This impressive rise highlights her growing influence in the Indian market. The report also delves into celebrity endorsement trends. It found that the top 25 celebrities endorsed over 300 brands across various sectors in the past year, with a significant increase in both TV and digital endorsements. This suggests a growing role for celebrities in shaping consumer choices. Overall, the Kroll report paints a picture of a dynamic Indian celebrity landscape, with established stars like Alia Bhatt, Deepika Padukone and Kiara Advani making their mark.

Sara Ali Khan recalls being sued for Rs 5 crore over clashing dates for Kedarnath and Simmba, details below

Saif Ali Khan and Amrita Singh's daughter, Sara Ali Khan, bagged the lead roles in two movies while entering Bollywood. While Sara started her career with Abhishek Kapoor's Kedarnath in 2018, she also starred in Rohit Shetty's film Simmba the same month that year.



In an interview with Middy, Sara Ali Khan revealed that she got sued for Rs 5 crore over the date clash between Kedarnath and Simmba in 2018. The actress recalled that she had initially signed Kedarnath; however, the co-producers of Abhishek Kapoor's directorial backed out during the filming. After this, she signed Simmba.

nervous because I didn't have Rs 5 crore," she added.

Sara Ali Khan further shared that the matter was settled between the directors, Rohit Shetty and Abhishek Kapoor, out of court, and the actress split her time to shoot both Kedarnath and Simmba. The Kedarnath actress remembered the situation, saying, "My grandfather, my mother's father was dying in Delhi, and Ibrahim was in school, my mom was in Delhi, and I was served a vakalatnama at home, and I was like, 'Now what do I do with this?' I didn't understand."

Sara sent her management team to the court as her shoot was scheduled at the time. When talking about Kedarnath director Abhishek Kapoor, the actress said he "had his reasons." Later, Rohit Shetty met Abhishek Kapoor, and the Simmba director agreed to give the Kedarnath makers three days to shoot. Sara managed to travel from Hyderabad to Mumbai to shoot both films simultaneously.

Devashish Makhija speaks about television premiere of 'Joram'

What is the story of Joram?

Joram is two things. On its surface, it's a survival thriller. It's a man on the run, trying to keep his baby alive when many people from the state and from the system, from his past, want to see him dead. But at the inner layer, The story is really about India and where we've arrived 75 years since independence. It's about all the things we've gotten wrong, all the things we need to think about, all the things that have caused fractures between the urban and the rural India, all the things that we need to think about and we need to repair and we need to question and we need to find solutions for if we need to have a sustainable idea of India. So Joram is all of these things.



daughter who is called Joram. So that is the emotional core of the story of father and a daughter.

A father doing everything in his capacity to keep his daughter alive, to not let any harm befall her and through that we've tried to question what we are leaving behind for the next generation. The way we are destroying this earth and nature and everything that is, every idea that is sustainable, we are going against it. What is this legacy and what will the generations that come after us, how will they hold us accountable for this? So the father really is us and how desperately we want to protect our future, our child, our next generation. How do we find a sustainable way forward for our little Jorams?

Kind of future projects coming from me. I am trying to set up many films simultaneously. I have spent all these years where my films weren't getting made, spend them writing endless scripts with all kinds of motifs and ideas that question our country, question our social politics, question all the wrong decisions we've made, all the injustices, all the inequalities. So I'm just trying to set up many of them simultaneously, but it's not in my hands. So I'm just doing a whole lot of things hopefully they'll all find their way into the world. Don't miss the world television premiere of 'Joram' on &explorHD on June 22nd at 9 pm. Tune in for an unforgettable journey into the heart of uncertainty and the resilience of the human spirit.

I've been working around these politics and around the questions of development and the sustainability of our choices and the environment and the Adivasi. I've been trying to understand that really complex scenario where the state and industry and urban dwellers like myself need or desire minerals and elements from the earth that the Adivasi owns or the Adivasis lived on for thousands of years and how they get displaced to fulfill our needs and our understanding and idea of what we call development.

A question about the child and the challenges of the father...

At the heart of this survival thriller is a father on the run with his three-month-old

Bollywood Unrolls the Mat: Actresses celebrate Yoga Day with Fitness and Philosophy



On International Yoga Day, the world united for a common purpose - to celebrate the ancient practice of yoga and its profound impact on well-being. This year's theme was 'Yoga for Self and Society' and leading the charge from India were our very own Bollywood divas, who are not only known for their on-screen grace but also for their dedication to holistic fitness.

during her journey in Bollywood, embracing it as a tool for stress management and vitality. She often shares her yoga routines with fans, encouraging them to explore its healing potential.

Kiara Advani begins her mornings with a dedicated yoga session, emphasizing on asanas that enhance flexibility and mindfulness. For her, yoga isn't just a physical exercise but a means to align mind, body, and spirit.

Ananya Panday incorporates yoga to stay energized and grounded amidst her rising stardom. The practice not only boosts her physical strength but also nurtures a sense of inner harmony.

Kareena Kapoor Khan, known for her dedication to fitness, has long championed yoga as a cornerstone of her routine. Her journey into motherhood strengthened her belief in yoga's ability to nurture both physical and mental resilience.

Diana Penty turns to yoga for its rejuvenating effects, especially after hectic shoots. The practice helps her maintain balance and restore energy levels, crucial in her demanding profession.

Alia Bhatt finds solace in yoga's ability to center her amidst her busy schedule. The calming effects of yoga helps her in self-discovery, maintain focus and equilibrium, essential in her dynamic career.

Kubbra Sait embraces yoga's inclusive philosophy, emphasizing its accessibility to people of all ages and backgrounds. Her journey with yoga underscores its universal appeal in fostering well-being.

Shilpa Shetty, a longstanding advocate of yoga, has popularized its practice through her fitness ventures. Her expertise extends beyond physical postures to include pranayama and meditation, advocating a holistic lifestyle.

Shamita Shetty incorporates yoga into her daily regimen, crediting it for her resilience and endurance. The practice aligns with her pursuit of a balanced lifestyle, essential in maintaining her vitality.

Deepika Padukone advocates yoga as a holistic practice that promotes overall well-being. Her disciplined approach to yoga reflects her belief in its transformative power, both physically and emotionally.

From Kiara's powerful poses to Kareena's mindful practice, Alia's self-exploration to Deepika's stress management, Bollywood's leading ladies are a testament to the versatility and transformative power of yoga. Beyond the glamour and spotlight, their commitment to yoga reflects a deeper journey towards self-discovery and well-being. So, this Yoga Day, take inspiration from these stars, unroll your mat, and embark on your own journey towards a healthier, happier you.

Sudoku-2326

8	5		3	6	1			
6	7		9	4	2			
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Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column, and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating a digit. Please see example given below.

The solution to each day's puzzle will be published the following day, along with the next puzzle. Each puzzle has only one solution.

Result: Sudoku-2325

6	3	7	2	1	5	4	8	9
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3	6	8	5	9	7	1	4	2
7	2	9	4	8	1	6	5	3
4	1	5	6	3	2	8	9	7
5	7	6	8	2	9	3	1	4
8	4	2	1	6	3	9	7	5
1	9	3	7	5	4	2	6	8

CROSSWORD - 243

1	2	3	4	5					
6									
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- Across**
1. Measure the depth of water - 5
 4. Having a sharp taste like lemon - 4
 6. Showing no regard - 10
 7. A spot not easily removed - 5
 9. A trench - 5
 13. Having the form of a triangle - 10
 14. Free from disease - 4
 15. A duplicate - 5

- Down**
1. Not mixed - 4
 2. Compelling immediate action - 6
 3. To weary by dullness - 4
 4. Divide into parts - 5
 5. Dried sap from a tree - 5
 8. An ornamental band worn on the arm - 6
 9. The language of the Netherlands - 5
 10. To pursue in order to seize - 5
 11. Of a particular age
 12. Vivacity - 4

Solution- 242

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A				R			S	
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I	S	L	E	T			C	
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G	R	A	B				A	
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