# Ramayana announcement VIDEO: Did Ranbir Kapoor and Yash starrer impress audience?



ing up with what they saw some time back, and Nitesh Tiwari, you are to be blamed for this. What an announcement video! If the first 3minute glimpse of his magnum opus, the Ramayana, has this effect on the fans, then we are unsure

what the entire movie will do. Well, netizens have loved every and the internet is going gaga over it. Check out the tweets from fans after watching the clip of Ranbir Kapoor and Yash starrer.

Fan tweets after watching the Ramayana announcement video

One of the fans wrote, "That... Title card looks epic." Another fan cake

ramayana...Even Ranbir kapoor haven't revealed completely but what a charming this man had...perfect casting for this film." This was followed by tweets like,

"If we afford to have world class VFX, then our Ramayana and Mahabharata based films would be the top 10 best films in the world! Hope this is the beginning!!!", "Our

Truth!! Our History!! Looks EPIC already..", "First 3000cr film is loading", "Looks promising, excited Nitosh Timerila Page except" ing", "Looks promising, excited Nitesh Tiwari's Ramayana", "Biggest Movie Of All Time Loading Teaser Is Mind Blowing Epic".

The 3-minute announcement video released some time ago is beyond the imagination of any Bollywood buff. It serves as a powerful introduction to the project. It is awe-inspiring and has the ability to leave a lasting impression.

The chilling background score, offered by AR Rahman and Hans Zimmer, will elevate the experience of the audience to another level. In fact, it also offers the first glimpse of Ranbir Kapoor as Rama and Yash as Ravana, and we cannot get enough of it already. Ramayana release, It has been confirmed that the filming of the first part of the Ramayana is complete, with the second part scheduled to commence in August 2025. Part 1 is scheduled to release in Diwali 2026, and Part 2 is set to release in Diwali 2027. The meticulously crafted twopart saga is being made on a budget similar to many Hollywood biggies. The stakes are high, but the promos promise that the highest of expectations shall be met with ease.

## **Characters stuck in Conspiracy!**

In &TV's Happu Ki Ultan Paltan Happu Singh and Vibhuti Narayan Mishra have fallen victim to a conspiracy. About Happu Ki Ultan Paltan's upcoming track, Geetanjali Mishra aka Rajesh shares, "Bimlesh (Sapna Sikarwar) has gone to her mayka and taken up a new job, leaving Benni (Vishwanath Chatterjee) irritated and restless in her absence. Upset and emotional, he begins throwing tantrums, claiming that if Bimlesh doesn't return soon, he will start an affair with someone else. Desperate and frustrated, Benni confronts Happu Singh (Yogesh Tripathi), who reassures him with a bold promise that he will bring Bimlesh back. And if he fails, he is willing to change his name. Taking this promise quite literally, Benni gets an affidavit drafted declaring that Happu Singh will officially be renamed 'Tilchatta Singh' if he cannot bring Bimlesh back. This leaves Happu terrified, especially when Benni starts threatening Rajesh (Geetanjali Mishra) and her mother Awdheshhiya (Urmila Sharma), though neither of them budge. Katori Amma (Himani Shivpuri) warns that mere threats won't work, and real action is needed. Meanwhile, a quirky case lands at the police station involving a wife troubled by her tone-deaf husband. Sensing an opportunity, Happu convinces the



woman, Surili, to pretend to be Benni's love interest, hoping this act will save him from the dreaded name change. In return, Happu promises to scold her husband thoroughly. However, things take an unexpected turn when Happu learns that Surili's husband is the brother of the Police Commissioner (Kishore Bhanushali), and ten sions rise. Benni brings Surili home, but Awdheshhiya and Rajesh still don't react, though deep down, both are extremely nervous. The situation escalates so far that Benni decides to marry Surili! Despite everyone's reluctance, the wedding rituals begin. Just before the phere is about to take place, Surili's real husband and the Commissioner storm in and expose the entire act as a charade. Rajesh and Awdheshhiya finally uncover the truth. Furious, Benni whips out the affidavit and warns Happu that by morning, his name will officially be Tilchatta Singh. Just then, Benni receives a message from an unknown number, supposedly from Bimlesh, saying that she is on her way and

#### I think as a kid I was really attracted to the Superman family comics: James Gunn



Superman, DC Studios' first feature film to hit the big screen, soars into theaters worldwide this summer from Warner Bros. Pictures. In his signature style, James Gunn takes on the original Super Hero in the newly imagined DC universe with a singular blend of epic action, humor and heart, delivering a Superman who's driven by compassion and an inherent belief in the goodness of

When Superman is drawn into conflicts both abroad and at home, his actions to protect humankind are questioned, and his vulnerability allows tech billionaire and master deceiver Lex Luthor to leverage the opportunifor good. Will the Daily Planet's intrepid reporter Lois Lane, together with the aid of Metropolis's other metahumans and Superman's own four-legged companion, Krypto, be able to help Superman before Luthor can completely destroy him?

The film follows Superman's journey to reconcile his heritage as the Kryptonian Kal-El with his human upbringing as Clark Kent of Smallville, Kansas, and his selfless determination to use his power for good as humanity's protector. Guided by human kindness in a world that sees kindness as old-fashioned, he is the embodiment of truth, justice and a better tomorrow.

Ask the visionary James Gunn about when fell in love with the character Superman and he says, 'I've always liked Superman. I think as a kid I was really attracted to the Superman family comics, with Superman and Supergirl and Krypto and the whole gang. And I was a huge fan of the Richard Donner film as a child—the score and everything about it just kind of blew my mind. It was at a time when I was starting to become more aware of how important films were to me in my life, and that was different from how important films were to other people in their lives"

dual role Superman/Clark Kent, Rachel Brosnahan as Lois Lane and Nicholas Hoult as Lex Luthor. The film also stars Edi Gathegi, Anthony Carrigan, Nathan Fillion, Isabela Merced, Skyler Gisondo, Sara Sampaio, María Gabriela de Faría, Wendell Pierce, Alan Tudyk, Pruitt Taylor Vince and Neva

DC Studios Presents a Troll Court Entertainment/The Safran Company Production, A James Gunn Film, Superman, which will be in Cinemas and IMAX® in India on July 11, 2025, distributed by Warner Bros. Pictures.

## Box Office: War 2 Telugu states theatrical rights sold for Rs 90 crore, Hrithik Roshan and Jr NTR starrer acquired by Naga Vamsi rocketed ever since Jr NTR joined Hrithik Roshan and

most anticipated movies of 2025. The Hrithik Roshan and Jr NTR starrer is seen as a front-runner to emerge as the biggest grosser of the year. While the movie is still 5 weeks away from its release, it is making waves for its historic pre-release business.
War 2 locks the biggest deal for dubbed films in the Telugu states

Yash Raj Films has inked a landmark deal with Naga Vamsi's Sithara Entertainments for the distribution rights of War 2. Reportedly, the leading South film production and distribution company has acquired the Telugu rights of War 2 to distribute it across Andhra Pradesh



and Telangana at a staggering figure of Rs 90 crore minimum guarantee (MG). Interestingly, this is the biggest deal ever for a dubbed movie in the Tel-ugu states in the history of

Indian cinema. It includes theatrical distribution rights for all three versions- Hindi, Telugu, and

War 2 to have a wide release in Telugu states,

dubbed unlike other movies, Usually, YRF doesn't believe in selling their films outright; however, they are opting for a rare strategy for War 2. The hype around War 2 skythen, multiple leading players from the Southern film industries have approached Aditya Chopra to bag its distribution rights. Eventually, the deal get leaded with Sithern got locked with Sithara Entertainment, following multiple weeks of negotia-The makers believe that the Naga Vamsi company is the right contender to take War 2 to the grassroots of the Telugu heartland. Reportedly, the Ayan Mukerjī directorial will not be

treated like a regular

dubbed movie, but it will

be released in mass pock-

ets across APTS like a true-

blue local venture.

Kiara Advani. And since

## Kartik Aaryan and Sreeleela enjoy date night out together, what's brewing?

Kartik Aaryan and Sreeleela are starring together in Anurag Basu's upcoming movie. While the yetuntitled romantic film is still far from release, the two were spotted spending quality time together.

Kartik and Sreeleela enjoying a special dining out together, sparking dating rumors. In an exclusive video, Sreeleela can be seen getting out of her car and heading to a restaurant to enjoy a special dinner with her co-star, Kartik

While the actress donned a white, flowy, and comfy dress imprinted with red and pink flowers, Kartik kept it casual, wearing a black shirt and complementing it with a watch in his hand. The actor can be seen eating at the

Netizens started reacting to the video, quizzing whether they are



dating or it was just a regular meet-up. One user wrote, "I love them, they look cute together (with three red hearts)". Another commented, "Jodi Kamaal ki hai (with fire emoji)." A third user even named them as if they're

actually dating and commented, "Sreetik (with red heart emoticons).'

In another video, both actors can be seen sitting in their respective cars and heading back to their homes, amid the rain in the city.

While Sreeleela was smiling and waving at the shutterbugs, Kartik gave a serious look.

For the unversed, the duo is presently shooting for Anurag Basu's upcoming movie. Bankrolled by Bhushan Kumar, the untitled romantic drama is slated to release on Diwali 2025.

As Basu is currently busy with the promotions of Metro...In Dino, Kartik, and Sreeleela found some time together off-camera, and they enjoyed a dinner date.
On the work front, Kartik

Aaryan was last seen in Bhool Bhulaiyaa 3, which was a big success. Apart from his romantic movie with Anurag Basu and Sreeleela, the actor is also shooting for another rom-com under the direction of Sameer Vidwans, which stars Ananya Panday as his

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### Actors Share Their Most Unusual Chocolate Encounters!

For most of us, chocolate is a comforting, familiar treat, whether it's a bar of silky milk chocolate or a bite of rich, dark decadence. But an unexpected twist in flavour can turn an ordinary bite into an unforgettable experience. Embracing their adventurous taste buds, &TV actors Sonal Panwar (Malaika, Happu Ki Ultan Paltan) and Vidisha Srivastava (Anita, Bhabiji Ghar Par Hai) share their most unusual Chocolate encounters. Sonal Panwar essaying Malai-ka in Happu Ki Ultan Paltan recalls, "During a trip to Goa, I stumbled upon chilli-infused dark chocolate. At first, I wasn't sure what to expect, but the moment I tasted it, I was taken aback in the best way! The spicy kick from the chilli combined with the bitterness of dark chocolate created a strange yet strangely delightful sensation. It left me confused for a second, but then completely fascinated. I loved it so much that I ended up buying several bars to take home and share with friends, just to see their reactions! I have always had a sweet tooth, but that moment opened a whole new world of



flavours for me. Since then, I have started enjoying chocolates that offer something different, like sea salt caramel, lavender-infused truffles, or even paan-flavoured treats. It's exciting to see how creative and bold chocolatiers have become in recent years.'

Vidisha Srivastava essaying Anita Bhabi in Bhabiji Ğhar Par Hai shares, "While vacationing in Thailand, I came across a blue cheese truffle. At first, I thought it was a joke, cheese in chocolate? But curiosity got the betterof me, and I gave it a try. To my absolute surprise, the tanginess of the blue cheese blended beautifully with the rich, smooth chocolate. It felt more

like a gourmet experience than a dessert. That one bite changed how I look at chocolate. Of course, I still have a deep love for the classic milk chocolate, nutty plains, and silky ganache. But now, I am also drawn to the more daring combinations, think chocolate paired with bacon, wasabi, or even fresh basil. It's fascinating how versatile chocolate can be when you are willing to explore beyond the usual. These memorable moments remind us that sometimes the most delightful experiences come from stepping outside our comfort zones, even when it comes to something as universally loved as chocolate.