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ATTENZIONE: Questo messaggio arriva da un mittente ESTERNO al Gruppo Mediaset. Verifica l'indirizzo mittente prima di rispondere o aprire eventuali allegati e link.

Hello dear friends,

We hope this finds you well!

If we have not already setup a meeting during the Marche du film, we would be happy to do so --- We have an exciting lineup to debut for the debut of the new company, and will be stationed at the **Mondrian Hotel, Bengali entrance, 2nd floor.**

For any meetings requests, screenplay/link requests, pricing, availabilities, etc., please do not hesitate to reach out.

We have an additional announcement coming later this week.

NEW FOR CANNES:



THE PUNISHING

Logline: In search of a cure for a terminal disease, a desperate couple visits a mystical healer in Iceland. But when the treatment miraculously appears to work, they realize it comes at a terrifying cost.

Cast: John Boyega ("The Force Awakens"), Cara Delevingne ("Carnival Row," "Valerian")

Producer: Steven Schneider ("Paranormal Activity"), Roy Lee ("Weapons")

Delivery: Estimated Q4, 2026

Country of Origin: United Kingdom

PROMO REEL DURING CANNES



THE WATCHTOWER:

RAY, a burned-out repairman fixing one last roadside billboard, witnesses a gangland execution at the base of the giant sign. The once tranquil night descends into murder and chaos, with our unlikely hero trapped eighty feet in the air atop it, while the cold-blooded killers methodically stalk him below, hell-bent on tying up all loose ends...

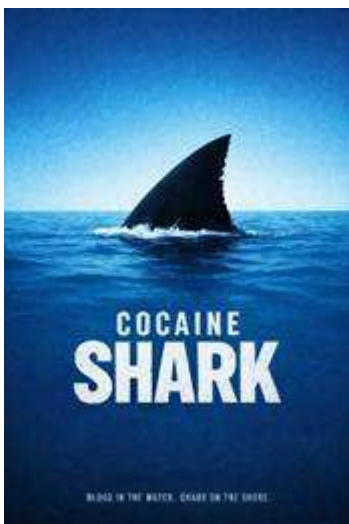
Director: Vaughn Stein ("Terminal") ("The Canyon")

Cast: Kiefer Sutherland ("24")

Filming: August 2026

Country of Origin: United Kingdom

Production Company: Gemstone Films ("Just Play Dead" "Dirty Angels")



COCAINE SHARK

Shark/Thriller: A drug lord's empire unravels when a massive cocaine-fueled great white shark terrorizes the Mediterranean, forcing an unlikely alliance between activists, law enforcement, and criminals to hunt down the relentless beast before it wreaks havoc on a tropical island festival.

Cast: Ezra Miller ("The Flash")

Filming: July 2026, Malta

U.S. Distribution: Lionsgate (theatrical)

VFX/Post: Tunnel Post (“Fall”)

Director: Eamon O’Rourke (“Asking For It”)



OUT OF THE ASHES:

Action/Thriller: In a post-apocalyptic world decimated by a mysterious pandemic wiping out nearly all women, a former soldier and his young daughter must evade a gang of ruthless marauders eager to exploit her.

Director: Steven C Miller ("Line of Fire" "Werewolves")

Cast: Aaron Eckhart ("The Dark Knight")

Filming: June, 2026

Estimated Delivery Date: Q1, 2027



KRINGLES

Action/Comedy A family moves to quiet suburbia and discovers their next-door neighbors, the “Kringles” celebrate Christmas year-round. When their young son falls under the Kringles' spell, the father uncovers a sinister plot, and he teams up with a rogue, badass Santa to rescue his wife and child in an explosive Christmas showdown

Cast: Rob Riggle (“21 Jump Street” “The Hangover”), Ron Livingston (“Office Space”), Rachel Bilson (“The O.C.”)

Director: Kevin Lewis (“Willy’s Wonderland”)

Filming: NOW IN PRODUCTION

Estimated Delivery: Q4 2026



ABOVE THE BREAK:

Shark/Thriller: In a small surf town on edge after a fatal shark attack, a grieving teen struggles to rebuild his life- until he's forced into a fight for survival that could save his family and the town he never wanted to call home.

Cast: Cuba Gooding Jr. ("Jerry Maguire"), Reggie Lee ("Grimm" series)

Delivery: Estimated Quarter 3, 2026

PROMO REEL DURING CANNES



FAIRYTALE OF NEW YORK:

Comedy/Drama: A bittersweet Christmas Eve unfolds as a long-married couple grapples with love, betrayal, and the shifting dynamics of family, confronting their past and uncertain future amidst the chaos of absence and temptation

Cast: Simon Pegg ("Mission Impossible" franchise), Alice Eve ("Star Trek Into Darkness")

Director: Jamie Adams

Status: Post-Production- PROMO REEL DURING CANNES

Delivery: Estimated Q4 2026

Country of Origin: United Kingdom



GREEN RIVER KILLER

True Crime/Thriller: Based on a true crime, two detectives in the early '80s Pacific Northwest pursue a killer who hides in plain sight, forcing them into a deadly clash between justice and obsession.

Director: Johnny Tabor

Cast: David Arquette (“Scream” franchise, Nick Stahl (“Sin City”)

Status: Post-Production, Delivery Q2 2026

Deadline Announcement: <https://deadline.com/2025/11/david-arquette-green-river-killer-movie-gary-ridgway-1236607647/>

Promo Reel:

<https://vimeo.com/1157220556?share=copy&fl=sv&fe=cj>

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THREE PEOPLE IN THE WOODS

Horror/Thriller: After kidnapping the man who killed their daughter in a drunk driving accident, a grieving couple retreats deep into the woods to kill him, only to stumble into the home of a serial killer. They are forced to confront true evil and the monstrous weight of their own grief.

Director: Joshua Caldwell (“Mending the Line,” “Infamous”) and written by Nick Scadura, a BlckLst Recommends writer. The script itself was a BlckLst Recommend.

Cast: **Jim Gaffigan** (“Chappaquiddick”), **Henry Thomas** (“E.T.” Haunting of Hill House”)

Status: Post-Production
Estimated Delivery: Q3, 2026

THREE PEOPLE IN THE WOODS TRAILER

<https://vimeo.com/1176318390>

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CRCL9:

Psychological thriller: Inspired by real events, an American woman studying in Europe is targeted by an online stalking game. As the situation becomes increasingly dangerous, she starts playing the game herself in an attempt to outwit her stalker.

Director: M. Axilleas

Executive Producer: Chris Weitz ("Star Wars: Rogue One")

Cast: Thea Sofie Loch Naess ("The Ugly Stepsister")

Deadline Announcement: <https://deadline.com/2025/07/thea-sofie-loch-naess-to-star-crcl9-chris-weitz-depth-of-field-1236457996/>

CRCL9 [2026 TRAILER]

<https://vimeo.com/1182079690>



KAITLYN'S CHANCE

Family/Animal: To save her family's farm a young woman must overcome her fear and compete in a horse jumping competition, riding the very horse that led to her accident and subsequent disability one year before.

Director: Ben Demaree

Cast: Jaime King ("My Bloody Valentine"), Sean Patrick Flannery ("Boondock Saints")

Status: Post-Production

Estimated Delivery: Q2, 2026

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TRAILER COMING SOON

TELEVISION SERIES:



THE PENDRAGON CYCLE

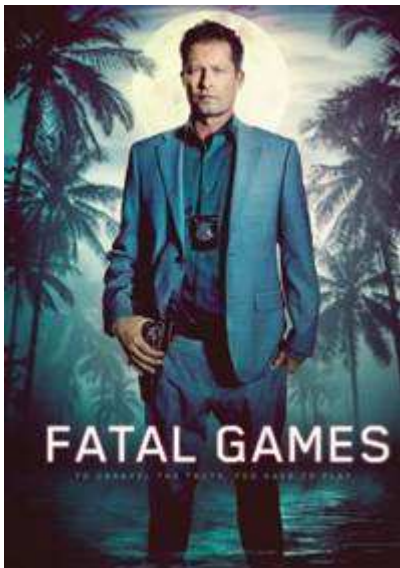
Fantasy/Adventure: A retelling of the Arthurian legend set in a Roman-occupied Britain where barbarian invaders threaten to lay claim to the island based on the novels by Stephen R. Lawhead.

[PROJECT DECK](#)

pw: PEND2025

TRAILER: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RkmT-kZIHNU>

7 EPISODES (60 MINUTES) COMPLETED



Fatal Games

Logline: A group of lifelong friends gather for a special event in a secluded retreat home, during the celebrations a murder mystery game is played, and someone ends up dead for real. Secrets and betrayals begin to unravel amongst the group as they figure out which one among them has sinister motives.

Cast: Til Schweiger ("Inglorious Basterds"), Emma Kotos ("Ride or Die")

7 Episodes X 30 minutes

Trailer:

<https://vimeo.com/showcase/11485370?video=1039074727>

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All the best,
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