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## Editorial

Dear Subscriber,

Please see below our listings for this week.

You can see that there has been a drop in the number of listings this week because of Easter and Passover.

However the good news is that features in development are up substantially over the same period last year and hence we are predicting a jump in films entering pre-production in the coming weeks.

The staff here at USA Production News send you our best wishes of the season and wish you good luck in your search for new projects.

Sincerely,

Linda Klein

VP, Customer Services

## Productions

**Project:** American Pastoral  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Drama  
**Location:** Pittsburgh  
**Start Date:** Apr 19, 2013  
**Cast:** Mandy Patinkin  
**Director:** Fisher Stevens  
**Producers:** Gary Lucchesi [Email address available to subscribers only](#) , Sidney Kimmel, Tom Rosenberg  
**BTL:** UPM: Harvey Waldman [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Insurgent Media, Lakeshore Entertainment, Sidney Kimmel Entertainment

**Project:** **Beneath**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Thriller  
**Location:** Los Angeles  
**Start Date:** May 2013  
**Director:** Ben Ketai  
**Producers:** Austin Reading, Kelly Wagner, Nick Phillips [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Sean Gowrie [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Liquid Theory, Revolver Pictures

**Project:** **Bone Tomahawk**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** Active Development  
**Genre:** Horror, Western  
**Location:** New Mexico  
**Start Date:** June 2013  
**Cast:** Kurt Russell, Peter Sarsgaard, Richard Jenkins, Timothy Olyphant  
**Director:** S. Craig Zahler  
**Producers:** Aimee Shieh, Ben Cosgrove, Clay Floren [Email address available to subscribers only](#), Dallas Sonnier, Jack Heller  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Bruce Wayne Gillies [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** 2929 Productions, Caliber Media Co., Floren Shieh Productions

**Project:** **Careful What You Wish For**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Thriller  
**Location:** Charlotte, N. Carolina  
**Start Date:** Apr 22, 2013  
**Cast:** Nick Jonas, Isabel Lucas, Dermot Mulroney  
**Director:** Elizabeth Allen  
**Producers:** Ashok Amritraj, Bradley Gallo [Email address available to subscribers only](#), Kevin Scott Frakes, Kirk D'Amico, Michael Helfant,  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Manu Gargi [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Hyde Park Entertainment, Myriad Pictures, Troika Pictures [Email address available to subscribers only](#)

**Project:** **Draft Day**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Comedy  
**Location:** Cleveland, OH  
**Start Date:** May 2013  
**Cast:** Kevin Costner  
**Director:** Ivan Reitman  
**Producers:** Ali Bell [Email address available to subscribers only](#), Ivan Reitman, Joe Medjuk, Tom Pollock [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Summit Entertainment, The Montecito Picture Company  
**Studio:** Lionsgate Films

**Project:** **Girls**  
**Type:** Episodic  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Comedy  
**Location:** New York  
**Start Date:** Apr 15, 2013  
**Cast:** Lena Dunham, Allison Williams, Adam Driver  
**Director:** Various  
**Producers:** Bruce Eric Kaplan, Jenni Konner, Judd Apatow, Lena Dunham  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Ilene S. Landress [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Apatow Productions, Half A Yogurt Productions, LLC [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Studio:** 20th Century Fox Television  
**Network:** HBO Inc

**Project:** **How To Catch a Monster**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Fantasy  
**Location:** Detroit, MI  
**Start Date:** May 6, 0013  
**Cast:** Christina Hendricks, Matt Smith, Eva Mendes, Saoirse Ronan  
**Director:** Ryan Gosling  
**Producers:** Adam Siegel, David Lancaster, Marc Platt, Michael Litvak [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Jeffrey Stott [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Bold Films, Marc Platt Productions, Phantasma, Sierra Affinity

**Project:** **Invertigo**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Science Fiction  
**Location:** New York & Budapest  
**Start Date:** Summer 2013  
**Director:** D.J. Caruso  
**Producers:** Bradley Cramp, Andy Davis, Daniel Bobker, Ehren Kruger, Emily Berger, Neal H. Moritz  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Andy Davis [Email address available to subscribers only](#) UPM: Debra James [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Original Film [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Studio:** Sony Pictures Entertainment

**Project:** **Kirstie's New Show**  
**Type:** Comedy Pilot  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Comedy  
**Location:** Los Angeles  
**Start Date:** Jun 19, 2013  
**Cast:** Kirstie Alley, Rhea Perlman, Michael Richards, Gilles Marini  
**Director:** Various  
**Producers:** Jason Weinberg, Keith Cox, Kristie Alley, Marco Pennette  
**BTL:** LP/UPM: Melanie Patterson [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Borderline Amazing Productions, Untitled Entertainment [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Network:** TV Land

**Project:** **Low Winter Sun**  
**Type:** Episodic  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Drama  
**Location:** Detroit  
**Start Date:** Apr 22, 2013  
**Cast:** Mark Strong, Lennie James  
**Director:** Various  
**Producers:** W: Chris Mundy; P: Charles Carroll, Greg Brenman, Jeremy Gold  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Charles Carroll [Email address available to subscribers only](#); UPM: Jeanne M. Caliendo [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Endemol Studios, Michigan Sun Productions, LLC, Tiger Aspect [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Studio:** AMC Studios  
**Network:** AMC TV Network

**Project:** **Mississippi Grind**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** Active Development  
**Genre:** Drama  
**Location:** New Orleans  
**Start Date:** Summer 2013  
**Cast:** Jake Gyllenhaal  
**Director:** Anna Boden, Ryan Fleck  
**Producers:** Jake Gyllenhaal, Jamie Patricof, John Leshner, Lynette Howell [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Carrie Fix [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Electric City Entertainment, Panarama Media

**Project:** **Once Upon a Time Mad Hatter Spinoff**  
**Type:** Episodic Pilot  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Fantasy  
**Location:** Vancouver  
**Start Date:** Summer 2013  
**Director:** TBD  
**Producers:** W: Adam Horowitz, Edward Kitsis, Damon Lindelof, Jane Espenson, Liz Tigelaar, Steve Pearlman, Zack Estrin  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Kathy Gilroy [Email address available to subscribers only](#) UPM: Dennis Swartman [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Studio:** ABC Studios [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Network:** ABC Television Network

**Project:** **Party Mall**  
**Type:** Comedy Pilot  
**Status:** Active Development  
**Genre:** Comedy  
**Location:** Los Angeles  
**Start Date:** May 21, 2013  
**Director:** TBA  
**Producers:** Jennifer Joyce, Michael Goldman, Nick Cannon  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Cathy Anne Cambria [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** N'credible Entertainment  
**Network:** NBC

**Project:** **Sacrifice**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Drama  
**Location:** Houston TX  
**Start Date:** Apr 13, 2013  
**Director:** Michael Cohn  
**Producers:** Jeanine Rohn [Email address available to subscribers only](#), Joseph Semense, Nina Yang Bongiovi [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Belltower Entertainment, Jigsaw Pictures, Juntobox Films, Significant Productions

**Project:** **Tammy**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Comedy  
**Location:** Wilmington, NC  
**Start Date:** May 6, 2013  
**Cast:** Melissa McCarthy, Susan Sarandon, Marc Duplass  
**Director:** Ben Falcone, Melissa McCarthy  
**Producers:** Adam McKay, Ben Falcone, Chris Henchy, Kevin Messick, Melissa McCarthy, Will Farrell  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Rob Cowan [Email address available to subscribers only](#) UPM: Chris Bromley [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Gary Sanchez Productions  
**Studio:** New Line Cinema

**Project:** **The Judge**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Drama  
**Location:** New Orleans, New York & Boston  
**Start Date:** Jun 1, 2013  
**Cast:** Robert Downey Jr., Robert Duvall, Dax Shepard  
**Producers:** David Dobkin, David Gambino, Jeff Kleeman, Robert Downey Jr., Susan Downey  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Herb Gains, Production Supervisor: Sarah Flamm  
**Prod. Co.:** Big Kid Pictures, Team Downey [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Big Kid Pictures, Team Downey  
**Studio:** Warner Bros. Pictures

**Project:** **The Keeping Room**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Drama  
**Location:** Romania  
**Start Date:** May 2013  
**Cast:** Chloe Grace Moretz, Olivia Wilde, Hailee Steinfeld  
**Director:** Daniel Barber  
**Producers:** David McFadzean, Gary Gilbert, Jordan Horowitz, Judd Payne [Email address available to subscribers only](#), Matt Williams,  
**Prod. Co.:** Anonymous Content, Gilbert Films [Email address available to subscribers only](#), Wind Dancer Films

**Project:** **Untitled Gerard Depardieu Project**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** PrePro  
**Genre:** Drama  
**Location:** New York  
**Start Date:** Apr 15, 2013  
**Cast:** Gerard Depardieu, Jacqueline Bisset  
**Producers:** Adam Folk [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** Bullet Pictures [Email address available to subscribers only](#)

**Project:** **Vacation**  
**Type:** Feature Film  
**Status:** Active Development  
**Genre:** Comedy  
**Location:** Atlanta & NM  
**Start Date:** Jun 17, 2013  
**Cast:** Ed Helms, Chevy Chase, Christina Applegate  
**Director:** John Francis Daley/John Goldstein  
**Producers:** David Dobkin, Jeff Kleeman  
**BTL:** Line Prod: Nan Morales [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Prod. Co.:** A Very Good Production, Big Kid Pictures, David Dobkin Productions [Email address available to subscribers only](#)  
**Studio:** New Line Cinema

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