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## “Movie: The World to Come”

From Swedish filmmaker Mona Fastvold (“The Sleepwalker,” “The Childhood of a Leader”) comes this 2020 drama set in the mid-19th century America, where two farmers’ wives (Katherine Waterston, Vanessa Kirby) find themselves drawn to each other amid the hardship and isolation of the coastal frontier. Casey Affleck and Christopher Abbott are also in the cast.



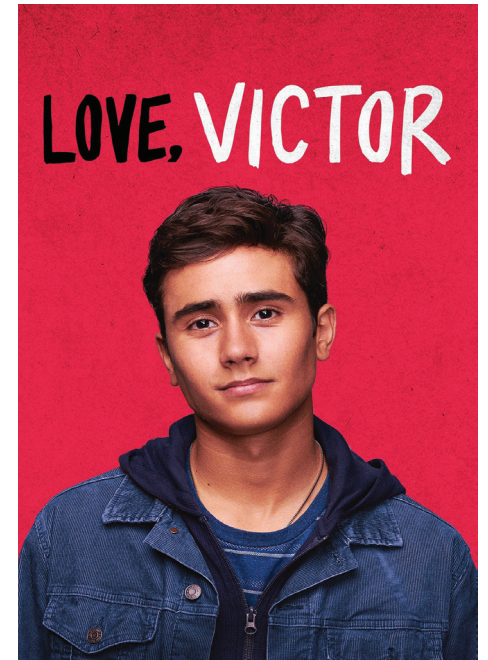
## “Movie: The Mountain Between Us”

Director Hany Abu-Assad’s 2017 survival drama stars Idris Elba and Kate Winslet as a neurosurgeon and a journalist who board a small private plane to Salt Lake City after their original flights are grounded by a storm. Unfortunately, their fragile aircraft crashes in the vast expanse of Utah’s High Uintas Wilderness. Beau Bridges and Dermot Mulroney are also in the cast.



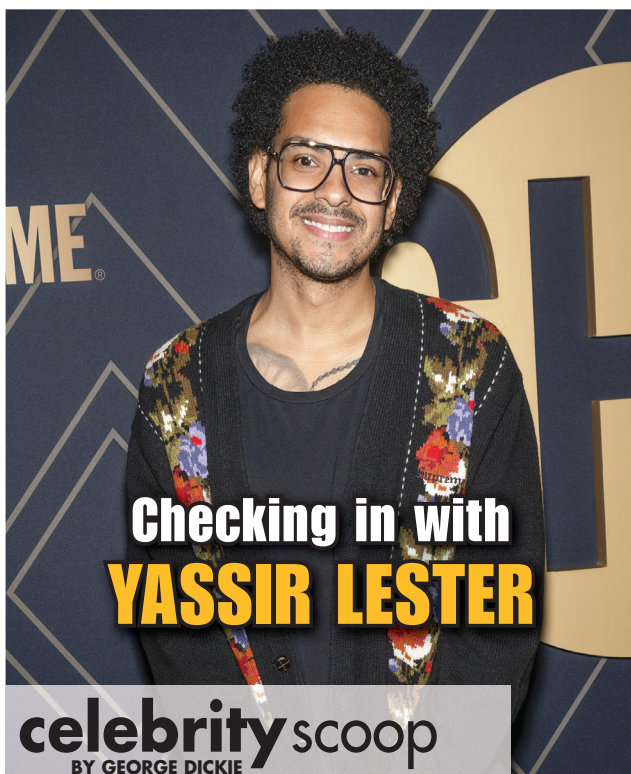
## “Madagascar: A Little Wild”

Season 2 of this animated series continues to follow the early years of the Madagascar heroes Alex the Lion, Marty the Zebra, Melman the Giraffe and Gloria the Hippo, as they grow up in a rescue habitat at the Central Park Zoo. Tucker Chandler, Amir O’Neil, Luke Lowe and Shaylin Becton head the voice cast. (ORIGINAL)



## “Love, Victor”

The coming-of-age drama returns for its sophomore round with a resolution to the Season 1 cliffhanger that left off with Victor Salazar (Michael Cimino) finally coming out to his conservative parents. He must deal with not only their reactions but also that of his heart-broken ex-girlfriend Mia (Rachel Naomi Hilson) while also experiencing the joy of his relationship with Benji (George Sear). (ORIGINAL)



Yassir Lester considers himself a writer and stand-up comic who happens to get nice acting jobs working with talented people. Not an actor, per se.

But he knows he’s got a good thing going. In co-starring in two current series – as trader Yassir in Season 3 of the Sunday Showtime comedy “Black Monday” (on which he also serves as a writer) and providing the voice of Yangzi in Season 2 of Fox’s animated Monday sitcom “Duncanville” – the 36-year-old Georgia native stays busy year-round and gets to count the likes of Don Cheadle, Amy Poehler, Regina Hall, Rashida Jones, Casey Wilson, Paul Scheer and Andrew Rannells as his colleagues.

“I keep getting thrown into these situations where it’s not just everyone on this show is new,” Lester explains. “It’s people who are super-famous and established and then I have to run and catch up with them, essentially, or try my hardest. ... Just all these people who are just so good and are in it for real and know their voice and know their timing and have done this. And here’s me just putting on a goofy little (voice) hoping it works out.”

“Black Monday,” in particular, gives him ample opportunity to stretch his comedy muscles both as a writer and an actor. Creators Jordan Cahan and David Caspe assembled a cast capable of going off script and doing

considerable improv, which plays into Lester’s background as a stand-up – someone who can think on his feet and be funny off the cuff.

“You’d be shocked how bad of a joke writer you could be and get away with it solely with performance,” Lester says. “And acting is literally just performance. And I’m not a phenomenal actor but I can perform well enough to convince people that I’m OK. And that all comes from stand-up comedy.”

**Name:** Yassir Lester

**Birth date:** June 22, 1984

**Birthplace:** Miami

**Family ties:** Raised in Marietta, Ga., by a single mother

**TV credits include:** “My Super-Overactive Imagination,” “After the Party,” “Key and Peele,” “Literally Can’t Even,” “Girls,” “Making History,” “Champions,” “The Mindy Project,” “Brooklyn Nine-Nine,” “United We Fall,” “black-ish,” “I Am Frenchie”

**Movie credits:** “The Bet” (2016)

**Writing credits:** “The Late Night Fix With Yassir Lester,” “Mr. Pickes,” “The Carmichael Show,” “Girls,” “Black Monday,” “Loudermilk,” “Earth to Ned,” “Kenan”