

Celebrity Couple Adam Brody & Leighton Meester Joke About 'Seth and Blair Days'



By [Marissa Donovan](#)

Television stars Adam Brody and Leighton Meester find humor in their fans excitement. According to [ETonline.com](#), Meester shared that the concept of their characters coming together in real life doesn't excite them, but are happy *Gossip Girl* and *The O.C.* fans can gush over it. The [celebrity couple](#) had a quiet celebrity wedding in 2014 and now have a celebrity baby daughter named Arlo. Since the shows have ended, the two have moved on to different projects and are also involved in charity work.

This celebrity couple is well-known due to their time on two hit TV shows. What are some ways your profession can affect your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Your relationship with your partner and your profession can sometimes collide. Here are some changes you can expect when your profession and relationship take over your life:

1. People will have expectations of your relationship status:

There's certain expectations your friends and co-workers will have once you are in a relationship. They will expect to see your partner at events or most likely ask about the relationship you have. You and your partner can decide whether or not you would like to keep your relationship private or not.

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2. Scheduling can become hectic: Finding time between your next [date night](#) and your next project can be tricky! As much as you would like to keep your work and relationship separate, communicating to each other what's happening at work can make scheduling easier.

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3. You become an optimist at work: The two parts of your life coming together can actually make for a positive outlook! Getting a bonus can mean that you and your partner can invest in a new home. You could also take the [vacation](#) you've both

wanted. Having a relationship can make you motivation to get through a long day as well.

Does this celebrity couple excited you? Are you a fan of *Gossip Girl* or *The O.C.*? Let us know in the comments!

7 Celebrity Couples Who Gave Us Major Relationship Goals



By [Katie Gray](#)

What's not to love when it comes to our favorite [celebrity couples](#)? They make us smile, they go on fun romantic getaways,

and they get lavish gifts. Some of them even write songs for each other! They always dazzle on the red carpet and thank their lovers in their acceptance speeches when they win awards. [Celebrity relationships](#) can give us all major relationship goals. We can look to our favorite stars for relationship and [dating advice](#).

Cupid has the top 7 celebrity couples who gave us major relationship goals:

1. Chrissy Teigen & John Legend: This celebrity couple keeps it real, which is why we love them! It was hard not to be moved by musician John Legend's "All Of Me," which contained beautiful lyrics with a touching music video involving his wife, supermodel, Chrissy Teigen. She has a new cookbook out, and they have even posted videos together on Thanksgiving cooking and having fun.

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2. Blake Lively & Ryan Reynolds: You know you love them, xoxo! That *Gossip Girl* saying is true in terms of this celebrity relationship. Blake Lively and Ryan Reynolds made everybody happy when they got married, and now they are the proud parents of a baby girl. Too cute! They give us major relationship goals by the way they balance their professional and personal lives. They make it look effortless!

3. Faith Hill & Tim McGraw: These country superstars have been married for years! Their duet "I Need You" is a moving devotion of their unconditional love for one another. They are not only talented singers, but they are also wonderful parents and humble human beings. They have made their celebrity marriage work for decades. Props to them!

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4. Leighton Meester & Adam Brody: It's only natural that actors Leighton Meester and Adam Brody would wind up together! Leighton starred on *Gossip Girl* which revolved around rich prep school teens on the Upper East Side of Manhattan, while Adam starred on *The O.C.*, which was about wealthy teenagers in Orange County, California. The shows were created by the same man, Josh Schwartz, so I guess you could say this love was from coast to coast! They keep a low key profile, which gives us major relationship goals. Their wedding and the birth of their baby has been kept very quiet.

5. Taylor Swift & Calvin Harris: Music is love, and love is music! Singing superstar Taylor Swift and DJ boyfriend Calvin Harris, show us what a genuine relationship should look like. They always have so much fun together and truly enjoy one another's company. It's the best when two people who have a shared passion (music) can come together and share true love.

6. Mila Kunis & Ashton Kutcher: We love, love, love when our favorite on-screen couples become a *real* couple. This is true of one of America's favorite couples, Mila Kunis and Ashton Kutcher. Their characters dated on their smash hit show *That 70's Show*. Now, they have an adorable daughter and are working on being great parents – major relationship goal points in our book!

7. Goldie Hawn & Kurt Russell: One of the longest lasting celebrity couples in Hollywood has to be Goldie Hawn and Kurt Russell. These iconic actors are legends, but what is also rewarding is their pure relationship. They show us that relationships are not easy, but you can make them work if you don't give up.

What celebrity couples give you major relationship goals? Share with us below!

Celebrity Couples Who Broke Up and Still Worked Together



By [Courtney Omernick](#)

Relationships and love can be complicated, and so can the break-ups. However, it can be even more awkward when a celebrity relationship turns into a celebrity break-up, and the two parties still have to work together.

Below are a few celebrity couples

that broke up but still had to work together.

1. Chad Michael Murray and Sophia Bush: This celebrity couple not only broke up, but they went through a celebrity divorce. Even though they split, they still had to work together on the hit show, *One Tree Hill*.

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2. [Ben Affleck](#) and [Gwyneth Paltrow](#): These two dated in the late 90s and costarred in the film, *Shakespeare in Love* together. However, even after they broke up, they went on to co-star in the chick flick, *Bounce*.

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3. Adam Brody and Rachel Bilson: This celebrity relationship lasted for three years, but sadly ended in 2006. However, the celebrity exes still had to work together on the set of *The O.C.*

What are some other celebrity couples that broke up but still worked together? Share in the comments section below!

Celebrity Couple Predictions: Leighton Meester, Sofia

Vergara and Taylor Swift



By [Shoshi](#)

The latest celebrity news has been filled with juicy relationship gossip, including a [celebrity pregnancy](#) announcement, a famous couple prepping for their celebrity wedding, and a singer finally settling down. Check out my predictions for the three celebrity couples below and find out what's next in their relationships and love lives!

Latest Celebrity News About Three Celebrity Couples

Leighton Meester and Adam Brody: It was recently announced that Leighton Meester and Adam Brody are expecting their first

celebrity baby together, sending *Gossip Girl* and *The O.C.* fans into a tizzy. I predict that their little bundle of joy will be a very cute baby, though one doesn't have to be a psychic to see that.

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I have to admit that I see something in their celebrity marriage that says that this famous couple won't be together for the long haul – that's something that I've noticed since they first got married. What I see could also be a rough patch down the road that leads to a little time apart; they may find their way back to each other. Only time will reveal the outcome of this relationship and love!

This celebrity couple has let it be known that they want a bunch of kids, and I see four children circling Meester. Once this baby comes, it's possible that the actress will focus on being a mother for a while – a bummer to her fans but a bonus to her baby.

Sofia Vergara and Joe Manganiello: I can't help but still give this famous couple the side eye. For some reason, I keep seeing Vergara and Manganiello thrown together for publicity purposes. My psychic juices say "staged." While they make one dynamite-looking couple, there is something that is a bit off about them. Their body language doesn't read like a couple crazy in love. Maybe the need for companionship is what brought them together.

Now, Vergara is saying that she would like to have celebrity babies with Manganiello, even though she previously said that having more kids was not a priority. I don't see any more kids in her future, at least not any that she'll give birth to. Until Vergara and Manganiello walk down the aisle together, I can't see them as a serious pair. If they do go through with it, their celebrity marriage will be short-lived. May they

prove me wrong! I do wish them the best.

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Taylor Swift and Calvin Harris: I love to see [Taylor Swift](#) stepping out with her new man, DJ and music producer Calvin Harris. They make a nice-looking couple. Harris is known for being a bit of a playboy, but it looks like things are progressing well with the songstress. Cheating rumors have surfaced over the past few days – and they won't be the last ones. We can expect more gossip and women throwing themselves at Harris because they want to cause trouble between him and Swift.

When I first saw them together, I didn't see this relationship lasting for more than a few minutes, but it looks like the tide has turned. In fact, it seems like it could go longer than most of Swift's romances. As you probably know, the singer's past relationships have lasted for about ten minutes, and people have often wondered why she can't seem to keep a man around. I see Swift and Harris in a relationship for about a year and a half to two years. I don't see wedding bells, but you can expect for Swift to write nice songs about her new guy.

For more information on Shoshi, click [here](#).

What celebrity couples do you want to see predictions for next? Tell us in the comments below!

Celebrity News: Leighton Meester Says She's Never Been Dumped



By Meranda Yslas

Actress Leighton Meester shared her latest celebrity news that isn't too difficult to believe: she's never experienced a [celebrity break-up](#)! The *Gossip Girl* star explains, "I've never been dumped I guess, but I've been hurt." Hopefully the fear of experiencing a split has gone since tying the knot with her husband actor Adam Brody. According to [E! Online](#), the two celebrated their celebrity wedding back in February 2014 and remain madly in love. Since then Meester has been focusing a lot of her attention on her friends and family. She shares, "My values have shifted greatly in terms of what I find

important. It's my family, my friends and having a personal life. Those are the things that need nurturing."

This piece of celebrity news makes us jealous! How can you prepare for a big break-up if you've never been dumped before?

Cupid's Advice:

Although the latest celebrity news shows that some people don't experience being dumped, that's normally not the case. Break-ups hurt and if you're not prepared for them, they can catch you off guard. Here are some relationship tips to prepare yourself for a split:

1. Remember your hobbies: If your life has become centered around your beau, it may be time to pick up some of your old hobbies that you left in your past. Join a book club, start hiking again, or volunteer. It's important to make sure you still have a life if one day your relationship ends.

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2. Spend time with your friends: Sometimes when you're involved in a relationship, you sacrifice time with your friends. Make sure to keep contact with them and maintain a good relationship because they'll be the ones ready to offer you shoulder to cry on.

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3. Parents know best: As cheesy as it sounds, sometimes picking up the phone and talking to your mom is all you need.

She probably has been though a lot more than you and she always has the best advice to give.

What love advice can you share to those who never experienced a break-up? Share below.

Their Lips are Sealed: 5 Celebrity Couples That Kept a Secret



by Molly Jacob

What's juicier than a best kept secret? Sometimes we like to keep things to ourselves, and celebrities are no different. With all the celebrity gossip that follows anything anyone famous does, we don't blame people in Hollywood relationships who like to keep their lips sealed.

From secret baby daddies to secret weddings, see what celebrity couples have kept a secret!

1. Hilarie Burton and Jeffrey Dean Morgan: The *One Tree Hill* star not only managed to keep her relationship with *Grey's Anatomy* actor Jeffrey Dean Morgan a secret, but also a baby bump! Burton and Morgan's relationship apparently moved along very quickly in 2009, so no one knew they were together (but this celebrity couple has stayed together ever since). Because she managed to avoid the spotlight after finding out she was pregnant, fans were shocked to find out she was expecting. In March 2010, she gave birth to their son, Augustus. She continued to be tight-lipped about the birth and name of her son until months later, even as the celebrity gossip swirled around them.

2. Leighton Meester and Adam Brody: These two lovebirds kept their romance a secret! A source revealed in February 2013 that the two were dating, and they had been close ever since working together in 2011 on the set of the film *The Oranges*. In November 2013, a source confirmed that the duo had gotten secretly married. This news came out only three months after their engagement went public, something else they were super secretive about. Being in a Hollywood relationship often comes with a lot of gossip and speculation, so these two probably wanted to keep their relationship as drama-free as possible.

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3. Jude Law and Samantha Burke: Although these two aren't a celebrity couple anymore, this duo kept a secret back in 2008. Law, known for his scandalous affairs, had a secret, brief fling with model and aspiring actress Samantha Burke. She found out she was pregnant soon after, and conducted a DNA test to determine that Law was the father. Burke gave birth to Sophia, their baby girl, in September of 2009. Although he is no longer in their lives, Law did make a statement in 2009 that he would be supportive of both mother and daughter.

4. Ryan Reynolds and Blake Lively: This Hollywood relationship also seemingly came out of somewhere. Reynolds and Lively married at a secret and private wedding ceremony in 2012 even before publicly confirming their relationship or announcing an engagement. Even more interesting: this was not Reynolds' first secret wedding. He and Scarlet Johansson got married in secret at a Canadian resort in 2008.

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5. Alison Brie and Dave Franco: The *21 Jump Street* star and *Mad Men* actress also apparently like to keep their love from any celebrity gossip mills. Everyone was shocked to find out last spring that the two had been dating for two years. While *Neighbors* fans all over the world received this news with heartbreaking despair, others were surprised they had kept their relationship under wraps for so long.

What other celebrity couples do you know that have kept a secret? Share below!

Leighton Meester Says “Stupid” Split Inspired New Album



By Amanda Boyer

Gossip Girl alum turned singer Leighton Meester performed songs from her new album on Tuesday, Oct. 14 in NYC at the Apple store. After the performance, according to USMagazine.com, Meester spoke about her inspiration for the album and why it's entitled "Heartstrings." She explained that a past split she had when she was 25 years old or younger inspired one of her soon-to-be hit singles.

How can you turn heartbreak into a positive?

Cupid's Advice:

Heartbreak is one of the most painful things you can experience, but it's also something you can make into a positive in your life. Cupid has some tips:

1. Vent: Find a friend that you can be one hundred percent yourself around. Sit down with them and just talk about how you feel. This will help you find pros and cons and be able to get everything out, and as an added bonus, it will bring you closer to your friend.

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2. Distract yourself: Now that you aren't tied to attending events just because your partners wants you to go, you'll find some extra time on your hands. Find a new hobby or interest. Outside of distracting you from heartbreak, it may open up new friendships and relationships for you.

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3. Channel your hurt into art: If you're a creative person, sometimes heartbreak transcends itself into art, whether that means sculpture, drawing, painting, writing or music. Use what you're feeling to your advantage and create something beautiful out of it.

Have another way to turn your heartbreak around? Comment below!

Leighton Meester and Adam Brody Walk First Post-Wedding Red Carpet



By Shannon Seibert

Leighton Meester and her new hubby, Adam Brody, made their first red carpet appearance together since their secret wedding at the Tony Awards June 8th. The glowing couple looked magnificent at Radio City Music Hall. Meester dressed immaculately in white and was arm in arm all night with her supportive man, according to UsMagazine.com

What are some ways to support your partner's career?

Cupid's Advice:

A relationship is similar to a business partnership. There are strengths and weaknesses that both people bring to the table, and together, both parties become one. Cupid has some ways to support your partner in his or her career:

1. Ask for frequent updates: By having interest in your partner's career, it demonstrates your efforts to support what they are passionate about. If there is something weighing on their heart in the workplace, you are supposed to represent a safe haven where they can come to when they need advice or a shoulder to lean on. Ask questions about the projects they're working on, or clients they have and try to understand what your honey is doing on a day to day basis. Even make suggestions when he asks for a creative edge. This can also create a stronger bond for you and your love through the ability to connect on career interests.

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2. Attend work related events: Like Meester and Brody, show the world how strong you are as a unit by being a united front. Attending work related events may or may not be interesting to you but it'll mean the world to your partner. A company party or a fundraiser is a great place to socialize with your man's coworkers. As his leading lady, you are the foundation to his passions, and number one supporter of his goals. Wow his bosses with your winning smile, and adoration for your love, showing that you support everything that he is about, and in turn, your sweetheart will do the same for you.

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3. Make sacrifices when needed: Relationships are hard enough, trying to make two lives into one, so sometimes sacrifices are inevitable. If your love's job requires him to move to a different city, or work long hours, try being

accommodating to his needs. If this promotion will open doors for him, don't be the one to stand in the way. Love always finds a way to make things work, no matter the circumstances. Stay strong in your faith of your relationship and everything will work out in the end.

What are some ways you support your man? Share with us in the comments below!

Leighton Meester and Adam Brody Secretly Marry



By Brittany Stubbs

Not even three months since the news of Leighton Meester and Adam Brody's engagement, the couple are officially married! The lovebirds tied the knot in a super-secret wedding, confirms multiple sources to UsMagazine.com. While the news of the nuptial came as a surprise to most, the twosome has always kept their private lives pretty quiet, neither commenting on their romance publicly. Although they've both had past relationships, neither of the stars have been previously married.

What are some perks to having a secret wedding?

Cupid's Advice:

While it's often fun to celebrate life's biggest moments with all your friends and family, sometimes all you need is that one person. Cupid has advantages to having a secret wedding:

1. Less work: When planning a secret wedding, you don't have to worry about a ton of save the dates, invites, and RSVPs. While this might seem like a huge deal, these formalities require more time, money, and stress than they seem.

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2. Keeps the ceremony focused: While planning a wedding, couples often get caught up worrying about ridiculous details and lose site of the real point of the ceremony: celebrating their love and commitment to one another. By having a secret wedding and not constantly discussing the plans and details with the rest of the world, you're less likely to lose site of what is important.

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3. More romantic: There's something so exciting and special about a secret romance. While technology today allows us to share every thought, moment, and meal we have, it is so romantic to have one aspect of your life kept between you and

your love.

Would you consider having a secret wedding? Share why or why not below.

Leighton Meester and Adam Brody Are Engaged!



By Brittany Stubbs

Cue the wedding bells, Leighton Meester and Adam Brody are engaged to be married, a source confirmed to UsMagazine.com. After less than a year of dating, Wonderwall was first to

announce the unexpected wedding news for this private couple. Although the *Gossip Girl* and *O.C.* star have rarely commented on their relationship in the past, they have been spotted together at a handful of low-key appearances around Hollywood this year. These lovebirds not only have plans for the chapel, but will be working together in the upcoming comedy *Life Partners*.

What are some ways to make your proposal a surprise?

Cupid's Advice:

There is nothing more exciting than the moment you decide to spend the rest of your life with someone. Making the moment a surprise instead of something she's expected and been building up will make it all the more special!

1. Don't drop any hints: Avoid mentioning things that might arouse her suspicions. Talking about the big night or romantic weekend you've been planning for the two of you is just building her expectations. Also, stay clear of comments like "when we're married" or "hold off on deciding if you should renew your lease" is just obvious.

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2. Tell as few people as possible: Despite how loyal your family and friends may be, it's hard to keep such exciting news in. This is especially true when it comes to her friends. Girlfriends tell each other everything; even if they're not sharing the news, it's usually easy to tell when one of them has something on their mind. So unless her friends are actually involved in details of the proposal, let her be as surprised as your girlfriend.

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3. Avoid the cliches: Romantic getaways, five star

restaurants, and big Valentine's Day plans are fabulous, but they're usually a giveaway that something big is about to come. Surprise her by taking her somewhere unexpected. Maybe you tell her you're just having to run a quick errand while the two of you are on your way home. Maybe you just surprise her at work to see if she wants to grab lunch and instead, take her to whatever you have planned. Think out of the box and get creative!

What are ways you think to make your proposal a surprise? Share your thoughts below.

New Couple: Adam Brody and Leighton Meester Are Secretly Dating!





By Andrea Surujnauth

According to UsMagazine.com, Adam Brody and Leighton Meester have been secretly dating for weeks! Brody, who used to play Seth Cohen on WB's *The O.C.*, costarred in *The Oranges* with Meester. A source told *UsMagazine.com* that the two were close and friendly while on set. The source went on to say that the pair have been hanging out quite a bit since then although they managed to stay out of the public eye. Apparently these love birds even went to Bangkok together. Meester, who is best known for portraying Blair Waldorf in *Gossip Girl* previously dated Aaron Himelstein but the two broke up during the holidays.

What are some reasons to keep your relationship out of the public eye?

Cupid's Advice:

When you're in a relationship you're so happy that you want to yell to everyone that your dating someone amazing. So why do some choose to keep their relationship under wraps? Cupid is

here to tell you why staying on the down low may be a good choice...at least at first anyway:

1. Publicity adds pressure: When a relationship is new, it tends to be very delicate. Keeping your relationship under the radar will help avoid strain that being public may bring. Having your relationship out in public is having it open for people to judge every aspect of it. It might be better to make sure that the relationship is strong enough to handle these pressures before letting everyone in on your new found love.

2. Making sure that it will last: You don't want to tell everyone about your relationship and then have it end a month later. It can be very embarrassing and depressing when someone asks you about your relationship a few weeks after you make it public and you are forced to admit that it is over. Keeping things quiet about your relationship at first will give you time to make sure you and your new beau are compatible enough to maintain a long term relationship.

3. Jealousy: Keeping your new relationship under wraps can help avoid jealousy issues from exs or others. Waiting until you get to know your sweetheart better before opening your relationship up to the world will help to avoid issues from jealous outsiders.

What are your reasons for keeping your relationship out of the public eye? Comment below and let us know!

The Upcoming Movie 'The

Oranges' Will Have You Laughing Hysterically



By Nicole Weintraub

Love is in the air this fall as Leighton Meester graces the big screen. In the new film *The Oranges*, Meester plays a 24-year old college student who is coming home for the first time in five years for Thanksgiving. Her family is thrown when her mother catches her sneaking off to be with none other than sexy Mr. Walling (*House* star Hugh Laurie) who happens to be Meester's parents' best friend! The two start a relationship that throws both families for a loop in this comedic drama. Watch as both families struggle to deal with mixed feelings and awkward scenarios that they never thought they would find themselves dealing with when this movie hits the theaters on

October 5.

Should you see it: Obviously! With a cast like this, you'd be crazy not to see this one in theatres. Sexy and mysterious Hugh Laurie gets steamy on screen with *Gossip Girl*'s Leighton Meester. Plus, Adam Brody plays Hugh Laurie's son. With a cast like this, *The Oranges* is surely a movie to see.

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Who to take: This type of movie has a little something for everyone. Go with a group of your friends for a girls' night out, go as a movie date with your partner. You can even go with your parents and laugh over the absurdity of dating one of their best friends.

In the film, Meester and Laurie fall for one another much to the dismay of everyone around them. Never expecting to fall for one another, the two begin to sneak around at first for fear of their families finding out. Eventually, the truth comes out and both families have a difficult time grasping the concept of the two dating. Meester's parents are torn between defending their daughter's honor and hearing out their best friend. Laurie's wife is reeling from her recent divorce and the fact that her estranged husband is dating their best friends' younger daughter. One of the biggest concepts to grasp is the huge age gap between the two lovebirds. We have all had a crush on an older individual, but many of us have not pursued it.

What do you do when your parents don't approve of your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Getting the parental approval is one of the most difficult aspects of a new relationship. Here are some tips on what to

do when you don't get the approval:

1. Don't sweat it: It's not the worst thing in the world if your parents do not automatically approve whom you are dating. They may want to get to know your partner first before making any judgments. No one is going to be good enough for you in your parents' eyes.

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2. Family bonding time: One of the biggest reasons as to why parents do not approve is because they know nothing about your partner. Schedule some family bonding time whether it is game night or Sunday dinner so that they can get to know how serious your relationship really is.

3. Talk about it: Be open and honest with your parents and your partner. Make sure your partner is on their best behavior and ask your parents to be open-minded since you truly care about your partner.

Have your parents ever disapproved of your relationship? What did you do? Share with us in the comments below!

**‘The Romantics’ Starring
Katie Holmes, Anna Paquin,
Elijah Wood & More**





By [Jessica DeRubbo](#)

Interested in seeing a love story that transcends the rom com genre by breathing new life into it with a unique plot and A-list actors? Eager to settle into a theater seat with buttery popcorn in your lap and your girlfriends giggling by your side? *The Romantics*, which premieres today, September 10, may be just what you need. Based on the novel by producer/writer/director Galt Niederhoffer, *The Romantics* is directed by its original novelist and follows the story of seven close friends, all members of the same college clique, as they get together to watch two of their own get married. Lila (Anna Paquin), the bride, and Laura (Katie Holmes), the maid of honor, have long been coveting for Tom (Josh Duhamel), the groom. In fact, Laura is his former lover. As if this heated love triangle doesn't create enough tension and drama already, the drunken group of friends takes a late-night swim the day before the wedding and return without the groom. Ominous weather is looming overhead, and the night is sure to be eventful.



Want some solid reasons as to why you should start making your way over to the movie theater?

Check out what these reviews had to say:

1. “*The Romantics* gets much of the female chitchat right, from catty asides to sisterly chase-fights in bare feet,” says *Time Out New York*’s Joshua Rothkopf.
2. “Replete with unconventional music choices, hand-held camerawork, and a rather simple, yet dramatic and funny plot, the film balances itself out with its share of hits and misses,” says [Limité Magazine’s](#) Daniel Quitério.
3. “So one enjoys *Romantics* for the genre trappings – the inebriated toasts, feverish gossiping, unexpected trysts, the de rigueur wedding dress snafu and bright lines that cut through the mood of sentimentality and nostalgia,” says the [Hollywood Reporter](#)’s Kirk Honeycutt.

Other notable actors and actresses in the film include Adam Brody, Malin Akerman, Elijah Wood, Diana Agron, Jeremy Strong, Rebecca Lawrence and Candice Bergen.

Release date: September 10, 2010