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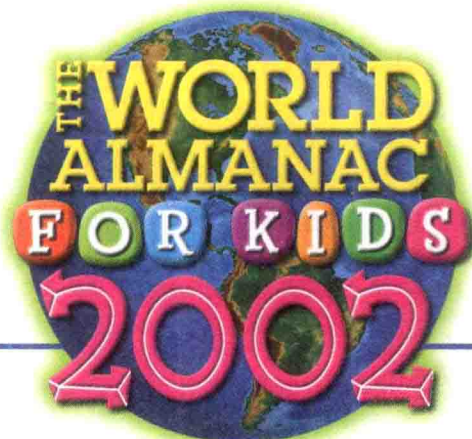
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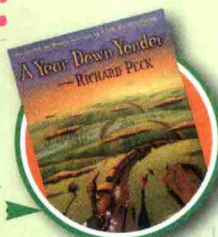
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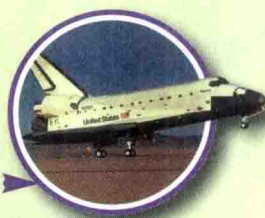
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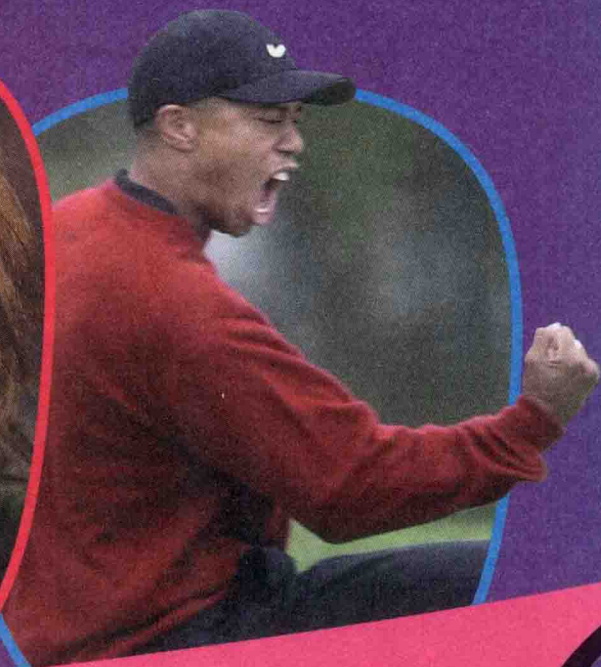
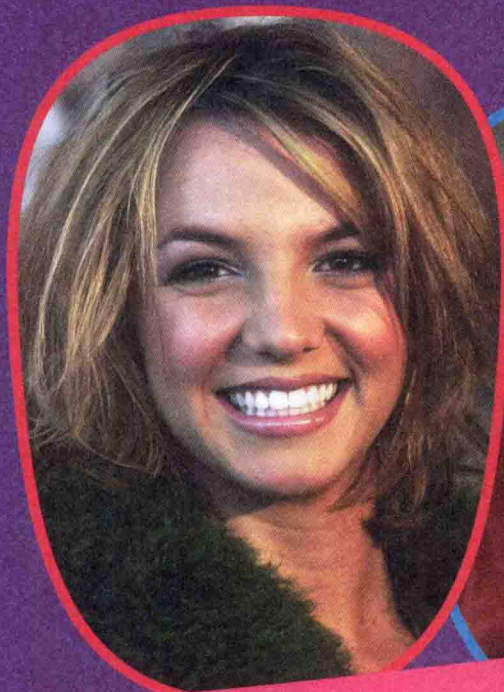
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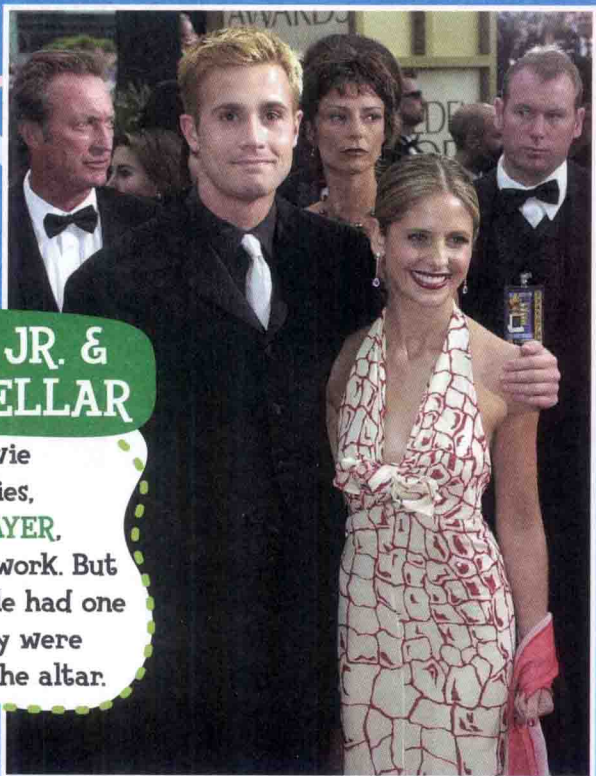


Drew BARRYMORE
& **Tom** GREEN

Are they or aren't they married? That question about movie stars Drew and Tom had their fans guessing in 2001.

Freddie PRINZE JR. & Sarah Michelle GELLAR

He may be headed for movie superstardom. Her TV series, **BUFFY THE VAMPIRE SLAYER**, was headed for a new network. But Freddie and Sarah Michelle had one direction in common. They were engaged and headed for the altar.



Julia ROBERTS & Benjamin BRATT

Julia Roberts, winner of the Oscar for best actress in 2001, flashes her famous smile as she attends a movie premiere with her boyfriend, actor Benjamin Bratt.

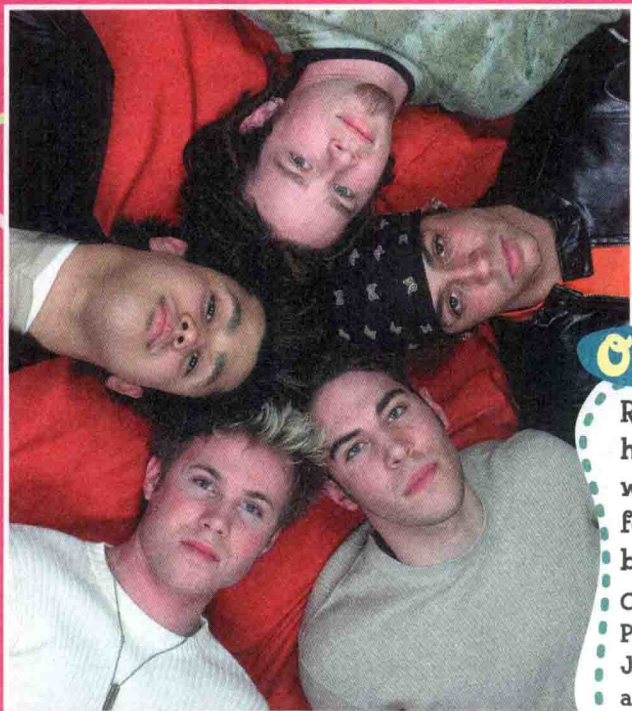
OH SO POPULAR



Destiny's CHILD

This girl group released **SURVIVOR** in 2001 and headlined MTV's **TRL** tour. Lead singer Beyoncé, 19 years old when the album hit the stores, cowrote almost all of its tracks.

From left: Kelly Rowland, Beyoncé Knowles, and Michelle Williams.



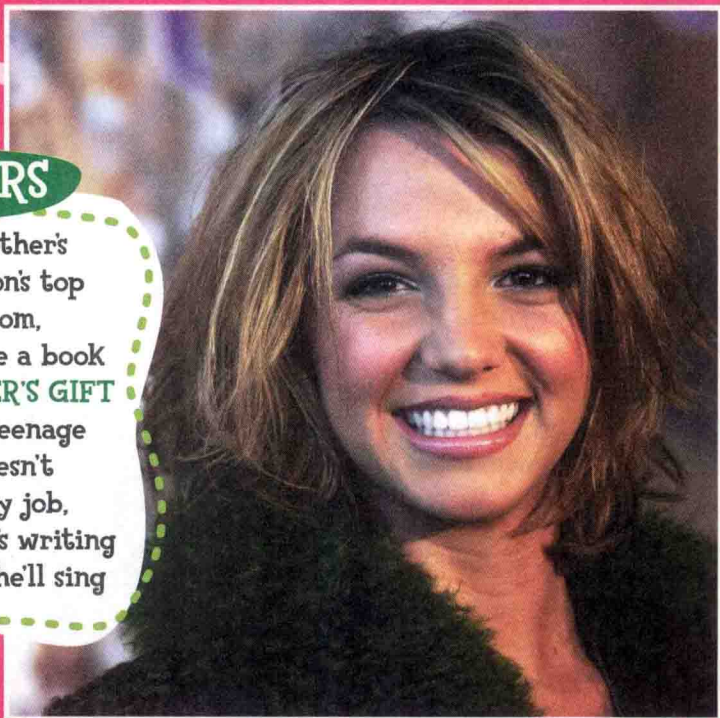
O-TOWN

Reality TV shows have been hot. One of the more unusual was **MAKING THE BAND**. It followed the formation of a boy band, O-Town.

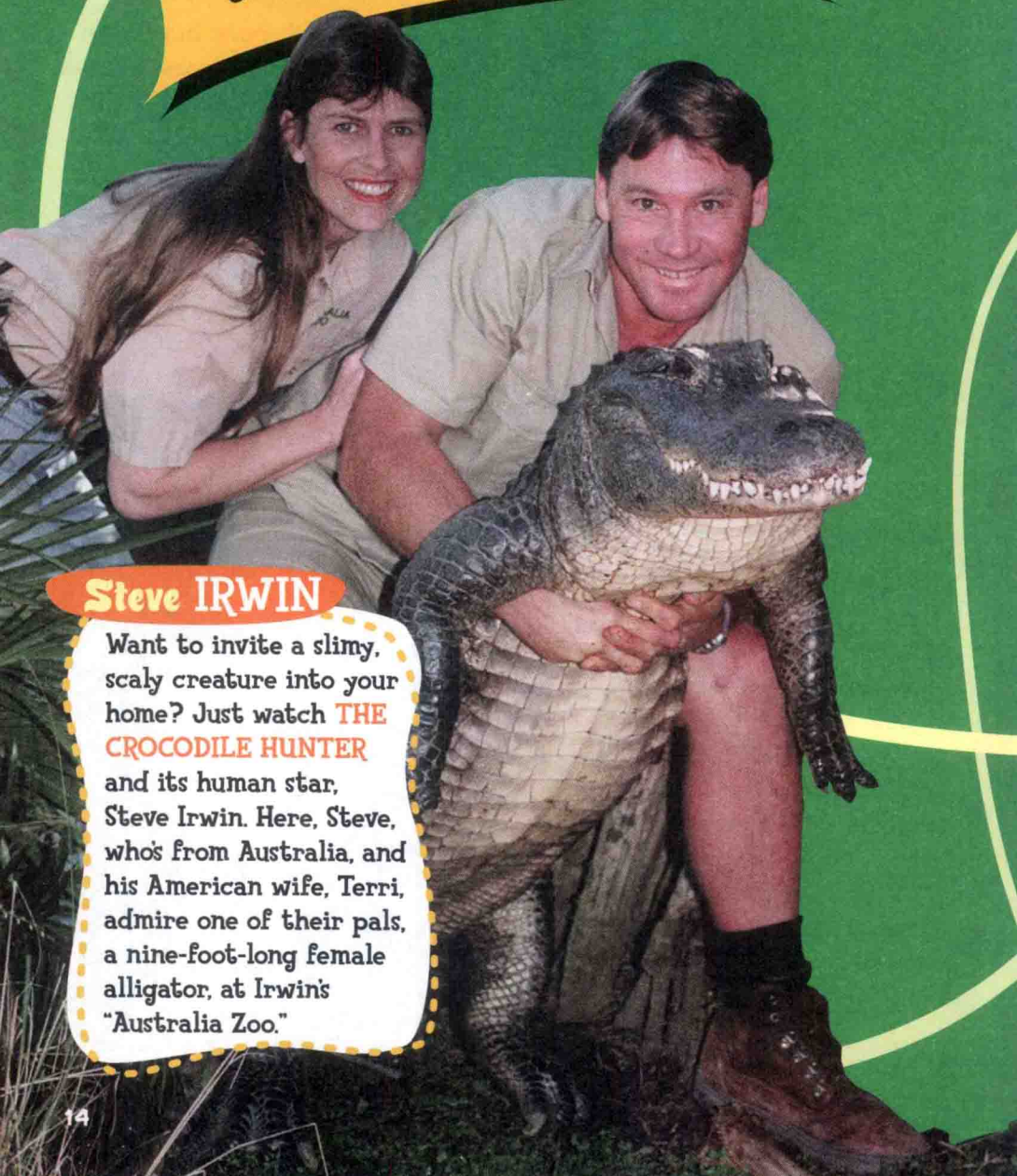
Clockwise from bottom left: Ashley Parker Angel, Erik Michael Estrada, Jacob Underwood, Trevor Penick, and Dan Miller.

Britney SPEARS

Just in time for Mother's Day 2001, the nation's top pop star and her mom, Lynne Spears, wrote a book together. **A MOTHER'S GIFT** was published for teenage readers. Britney doesn't plan to quit her day job, though. In fact, she's writing some of the songs she'll sing on her next CD.



TV TERRIFIC

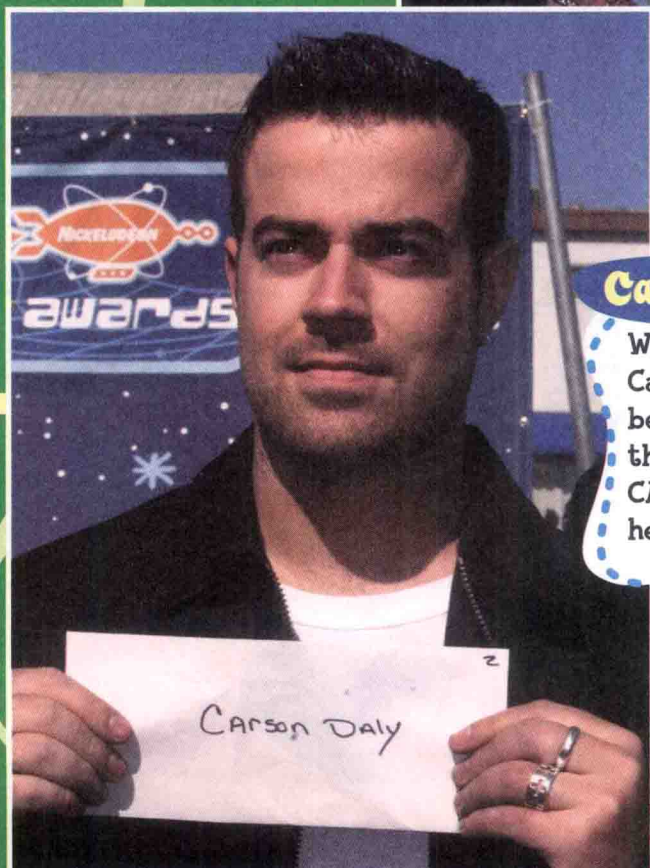


Steve IRWIN

Want to invite a slimy, scaly creature into your home? Just watch **THE CROCODILE HUNTER** and its human star, Steve Irwin. Here, Steve, who's from Australia, and his American wife, Terri, admire one of their pals, a nine-foot-long female alligator, at Irwin's "Australia Zoo."

Amanda BYNES

Amanda, the star of **ALL THAT** and **THE AMANDA SHOW**, won Nickelodeon's Kids' Choice Award as favorite TV actress in 2000. In her first movie, she plays costar Frankie Muniz's best friend.



Carson DALY

While attending college, Carson thought about becoming a priest. Instead, the native of Santa Monica, CA, became a radio DJ. Now he's the host of **MTV LIVE**.

TEEN POWER



Olsen twins

Teens Mary-Kate (left) and Ashley have their own Web site, magazine, books, videos, fashion dolls, TV series, and movies. They sing, too—on sing-along CDs and a Christmas album, **MARY-KATE AND ASHLEY'S COOL YULE.**