

Palash Muchhal cheers for fiancée Smriti Mandhana after India’s historic Women’s World Cup victory



Indian women's cricket made history by winning their maiden ICC Women's World Cup 2025, and fans got a glimpse of personal celebrations too. Smriti Mandhana, vice-captain of the Indian team, shared the moment of joy with her fiancé, Palash Muchhal, after India defeated South Africa at DY Patil Stadium in Navi Mumbai on November 2. Palash, an Indian music composer, filmmaker, and former actor, posted photos from the celebration on Instagram, capturing the couple's joyful moment with the World Cup trophy.

In the pictures, Palash Muchhal can be seen holding the glittering trophy while Smriti Mandhana stands in front of it, wrapped in the Indian flag, beaming with happiness. Palash captioned the post with a heartfelt note, "Sabse aage hai hum Hindustani," which res-

onated with fans across social media. Observant fans also noticed a special detail: Palash's tattoo on his left hand that reads "SM 18," reflecting Smriti's initials and jersey number.

The couple's chemistry quickly caught attention online. Fans flooded the post with comments celebrating both India's historic victory and the love story of Smriti Mandhana and Palash Muchhal. One fan wrote, "Asli trophy to Palash ne jeeti hain," while another humorously commented, "Shaadi ki mehendi ke rasam start ho gaya, World Cup trophy ki mehendi ka rang char gayi ab byass palash ke name ki mehendi ka rang charna baaki hain." Palash's post comes days after he shared another Instagram photo congratulating Team India following their win against Australia, where Smriti and other

players were seen celebrating the nail-biting finish.

Reports confirm that Smriti Mandhana and Palash Muchhal are set to marry later this month in Sangli, Maharashtra as per Times of India. According to Palash, during a recent State Press Club event, he said, "She will soon become the daughter-in-law of Indore... that is all I want to say. I have given you the headline." The couple, who started dating in 2019, made their relationship Instagram official last year. Their wedding celebrations are scheduled to kick off on November 20 in Sangli.

Palash Muchhal, who is the younger brother of singer Palak Muchhal, has composed music for several Bollywood films. Currently, he is directing his film Raju Bajewala, starring Avika Gor and Chandan Roy.

Alpha: Not Christmas 2025, but Alia Bhatt and Sharvari starrer to hit screens on April 17, 2026



Alia Bhatt and Sharvari starrer spy actioner, Alpha, was initially speculated to release during Christmas 2025. However, it seems that fans will have to wait a bit longer to see the movie in theaters.

According to a YRF spokesperson, the spy action entertainer has been postponed due to pending visual effects work. The makers have now opted to release the film on April 17, 2026.

Speaking about the postponement, the spokesperson explained that Alpha is an extremely special film for the team, and they want to present it in its most cinematic form. They mentioned that the VFX work is taking longer than initially expected, and the makers do not want to leave any stone un-

turned in creating a theatrical experience that audiences can truly cherish. Therefore, the film will now be released on April 17, 2026.

Meanwhile, a trade source clarified the reason behind postponing the theatrical release from December 2025 to April 2026. The source stated that the Alpha team wants to deliver the best possible version of the film for audiences to enjoy.

According to them, the VFX team has been under considerable pressure due to unrealistic timelines, which made the earlier schedule difficult to achieve. They added that the delay is solely due to the pending visual effects work and not because of the crowded release window extending from Avatar to the end of January 2026. Hence, the team decided to release Alpha

in April instead of any time before that.

Alpha is an upcoming spy action thriller marking the seventh installment in the YRF Spy Universe. Directed by Shiv Rawail, the movie is expected to explore the story of two fierce agents, with Alia Bhatt and Sharvari in the lead roles. Featuring Bobby Deol and Anil Kapoor in pivotal roles, the film was earlier expected to release around Christmas 2025.

Previously, the YRF Spy Universe was expanded with War 2, starring Hrithik Roshan and Jr NTR. Directed by Ayan Mukerji, the film serves as a sequel to War (2019). Its post-credits scene introduced Bobby as an unnamed character, who is set to serve as the prime antagonist in Alpha.



Ever since she won the Miss Teen contest in 2009, the tall and lisso m Urvashi Rautela has been a role model for young girls who want to be complimented for their sartorial finesse.

Ssunita Ahuja reacts to Govinda’s alleged affair with Marathi actress: ‘This is not the age to do all of this’

Amid ongoing rumours of trouble in her marriage, Ssunita Ahuja has finally addressed the speculation surrounding her husband Govinda's alleged affair. Speaking on Paras S Chhabra's Abraa Kaa Dabra Show, Ssunita said she will only believe what she sees with her own eyes. "I have said this many times to the media that I have also heard it. But, till the moment I don't see him with my own eyes or catch him red-handed, I can't declare anything. I have heard that it's a Marathi actress," she stated.

For months, whispers about Govinda and Ssunita Ahuja's relationship have circulated on social media, suggesting a split and the involvement of a third person. Ssunita addressed these rumours openly, reiterating her stance on truthfulness. "Till the time I don't open my mouth, don't trust anything. I have even told the media that I will always say the truth because I don't lie," she said.

Ssunita also spoke about her personal achievements and financial independence. "It's going really well. I got the YouTube silver button within four months of vlogging. A woman should stand up on her own. It gives another level of happiness to earn your own money. Your husband gives



money, but he will give once after asking 10 times. Your own earning is your own," she explained.

She also joked about her living arrangements with Govinda, revealing that she currently resides in a four-bedroom house with their children, Tina and Yashvardhan, while Govinda stays elsewhere. She added that the house was small for them and jokingly asked Govinda to buy

her a bigger five-bedroom house, and joked there would be consequences if he didn't.

Addressing family dynamics, Ssunita confirmed that her long public fallout with nephew Krushna Abhishek is behind them. "I have no fight with any kid now, both of them are my own children, and they are the sweetest. This is not the age to fight with each other now. Krishna was brought up by me,

most of his childhood. I have forgotten about everything now. I just want all the kids to be happy and smiling together. I want Aarti to become a mother soon, she comes home to tie rakhi to Yash," she said.

Govinda and Ssunita married in 1987 but kept it secret until their daughter Tina was born in 1989. They have been considered one of Bollywood's long-standing couples.

Abhishek Bajaj’s ex-wife Akanksha Jindal breaks silence on their past, says ‘repeating history with 21-year-old’

Bigg Boss 19 drama has now spilled outside the house as Abhishek Bajaj's ex-wife, Akanksha Jindal, has publicly accused the actor of dishonesty and manipulation. Abhishek, who is currently a contestant in the reality show, has become the center of controversy after Akanksha broke her silence on social media.

Following a Weekend Ka Vaar episode hosted by Salman Khan, where the host hinted that Abhishek's ex-wife might speak about him outside the house, Akanksha posted a video clip on her Instagram story exposing him. She wrote, "He only pretends to be nice and says exactly what people want to hear. He's been hiding facts his entire life – that's the real reason we got divorced. He's hurt me and other women too."

Akanksha also accused Abhishek of lying on national television. She added, "He doesn't even hesitate before lying in front of Salman sir. Lying about real age, and marital status shows what a big liar he is! Gaslighting the audience on national TV. Abhishek's pattern never changed for 15 years, he's been playing the same game. Even inside the house, he's repeating history with a 21-year-old (Ashnoor Kaur). Clearly, shame isn't in his vocabulary."

She clarified that her intentions were not for revenge but to reveal the truth. "I'm not here for drama or revenge – I just want the truth to come out, the same way all of you freely talk about any contestant," she said.

During the Weekend Ka Vaar episode,



Salman Khan confronted Abhishek about comments made by contestants Tanya and Farrhana regarding his ex-wife. Salman said, "Tanya and Farrhana joked about your ex and you didn't deal with it, rather, you went to teacher Ashnoor and shared it with her." Abhishek responded, "She's a social parasite, has no values and integrity. I was a kid and fallen in love for the first time."

Akanksha also addressed rumors about their separation timeline. While some netizens

claimed the couple separated in 2020, she clarified that their actual separation was on August 18, 2023. She criticized trolls who accused her of bringing up old issues, insisting that the matter was recent.

Abhishek Bajaj's close bond with Ashnoor Kaur inside the Bigg Boss house has further fueled speculation. Akanksha's revelations have sparked a heated debate among viewers, with many questioning Abhishek's behaviour both inside and outside the show.