

Sameera Reddy Calls Aakhri Sawal A 'Fearless' Comeback: 'I Didn't Step Back Into Films To Play It Safe'



Sanjay Dutt's *Aakhri Sawal* is among the upcoming films drawing attention ahead of its release. The makers recently unveiled the teaser on the occasion of Hanuman Jayanti, offering a glimpse into the history of the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh.

The film also marks Sameera Reddy's return to screen, and she has spoken about being part of the project.

Sameera Reddy shared about her comeback with *Aakhri Sawal*. She said, "I didn't step back into films to play it safe and *Aakhri Sawal* is far from comfortable. My understanding of RSS was limited and largely shaped by half-knowledge, but after reading the script, I realised how much of it didn't add up. That realisation stayed with me. This isn't a film that reassures you - it unsettles you, challenges your beliefs, and pushes you to question what you've always accepted. I wanted my return to stand for something fearless, something that sparks debate and this does exactly that."

Aakhri Sawal is directed by National Award-winning filmmaker Abhijeet Mohan Warang. Presented by Nikhil Nanda, the film is produced by Nikhil Nanda and Sanjay Dutt, and co-produced by Puneet Nanda, Dr. Deepak Singh, Gaurav Dubey, and Ujjwal Anand. The story, screenplay, and dialogues are written by Utkarsh Naithani. The film is set to release in cinemas on 8th May 2026.

Aakhri Sawal is based on the history of the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh, which was founded in 1925 by Keshav Baliram Hedgewar. The film centres around a key meeting that is said to have influenced the course of events, while also looking at themes of service and aspects of India's socio-political landscape. Apart from Sanjay Dutt, the film features Amit Sadh, Namashi Chakraborty, Sameera Reddy, Tridha Choudhury and Neetu Chandra. It is directed by National Award-winning filmmaker Abhijeet Mohan Warang, known for his Marathi film *Picasso*.

Salman Khan And Nayanthara's Film With Vamshi Paidipally Goes On Floors With Pooja Ceremony, Video Out

The much-awaited collaboration between Salman Khan and Nayanthara has officially gone on floors. Directed by Vamshi Paidipally, the untitled film was launched with a traditional pooja ceremony in Mumbai, marking the beginning of what is expected to be a major pan-India cinematic venture.

The makers shared the first video of holding a grand pooja ceremony. Salman Khan and Nayanthara were seen attending the pooja. The film was launched with a pooja ceremony in Mumbai. This is the first time that Vamshi Paidipally is directing Bollywood superstar Salman Khan, he has delivered several blockbuster hits, including *Yevadu* (2014), *Oopiri* (2016), *Maharshi* (2019), and *Varisu* (2023).

Recently, the makers announced that Nayanthara will be seen in the lead role. In the caption, the makers called Nayanthara "queen" and expressed that the upcoming project is "something truly special". "The Queen Arrives The epitome of versatility and excellence @nayanthara joins #SalmanKhanVamshiPaidipallyFilm. It's an honour to have You on board for something truly special that's underway," they wrote.

Salman Khan's work front

Meanwhile, Salman Khan is also tied up with the final touch-ups for his upcoming film *Maatrubhumi*, formerly titled *Battle of Galwan*. As per a Mid-day report, "At this stage, after making the necessary changes, the team is trying to understand what would be the next steps to ensure its smooth release. No department, whether the Ministry of Defence, the Army, or the CBFC, has seen the film yet." The source further added that while the writers have not rewritten the entire film from scratch, "Now, the makers have shifted the film's focus to family and relationships, making it a human drama. That said, a bit of the war portions have been retained. But if you remove references to China and Galwan, what is the conflict about? That's the central question they're grappling with."

Earlier, the film was slated to release in April 2026. However, due to several changes, the makers decided



to cancel the April release. It was later rumoured that the film might arrive in theatres in May 2026, but with the latest revisions, that now seems unlikely. The team is yet to announce a new release date.

Nayanthara's work front

The actress will be next seen in a romantic film, *Hi*, with Kavin. Recently, the makers released teaser of first song titled, *Kannakuzhiya*. The song was released on April 21. Speaking with *Cinema Vikatan*, director Vishnu Edavan said, "I really love feel-good films. I've always wanted to make movies like *Yaaradi Nee Mohini* and *Santosh Subramaniam*, and *Hi* is in that style. I wrote this story with Nayanthara in mind and as soon as she heard it, she agreed to act. She also suggested keeping the title simple. So we chose the title *Hi*, a word that is closely connected to the story."

Don 3: Ranveer Singh Agrees To Return Rs 10 Cr; Haryanvi Actor Divyanka Sirohi's Last Post Goes Viral

In a big development in the fight involving Ranveer Singh and Farhan Akhtar ever since the former's exit from *Don 3*, it has now been reported that the Dhurandhar star has taken a major step to end the controversy. As reported by the *Free Press Journal*, Ranveer has agreed to return his signing amount, which was reportedly around ₹10 crore. Not just this, the actor has also reportedly promised to give Akhtar's Excel Entertainment a 'stake' in his next film, which is tentatively being referred to as *Pralaay*. However, details about the percentage of the stakes have not been disclosed as of now.

Haryanvi actor Divyanka Sirohi has passed away at the age of 30 after reportedly suffering a heart attack. The news has drawn attention not only for her sudden death but also for an old Instagram post of hers that is now circulating widely online.

For more updates: 'Shiva, Take Me With You': Haryanvi Actor Divyanka Sirohi's Last Instagram Post Viral After Her Death At 30

Aishwarya Rai and Abhishek Bachchan recently celebrated their 19th wedding anniversary, and now, the actor has opened up about his love story with the global icon. Abhishek Bachchan got candid about when he met Aishwarya and when he finally felt that there were sparks between the two. He mentioned that he thinks he found his soulmate in Aishwarya.

For more updates: Abhishek Bachchan Has 'Big Plans' With Aishwarya Rai For 20th Anniversary: 'Our Marriage Has Been A Dream'

The song, *Sarke Chunar*, from upcoming Kannada film, *KD: The Devil*, featuring Nora Fatehi was banned last month following in-

tense social media backlash over its lyrics laced with sexual innuendos. The AICWA, in its letter to CBFC chairman Prasoon Joshi, demanded an FIR against the makers. Despite a summon, Nora failed to appear before the NCW on April 6. She has been given a final opportunity to be present for the next hearing on April 27. In a video statement, she had clarified that the Hindi version of the track was not approved by her, urging viewers not to hold her responsible. Lyricist Raqueeb Alam had stated that he only translated the lyrics from Kannada and that Prem, the director, wrote the original song.

Khatron Ke Khiladi 15: Ex-Contestants Nia Sharma, Jasmin Bhasin To Rejoin Show? | Exclusive

Khatron Ke Khiladi 15: It is not a secret that Rohit Shetty's much-loved stunt-based reality show, *Khatron Ke Khiladi*, is soon returning with season 15. While everyone is eager to know who will be participating in the show this year, *News18 Showsha* has now exclusively learnt that the makers are also planning a big twist. An insider close to the show has told us that some of the former contestants are also likely to return in *KKK 15*.

Reportedly, the team has already approached Karan Wahi, Nia Sharma and Jasmin Bhasin. While Karan was previously seen in *Khatron Ke Khiladi* season 8, Nia was the winner of the same season. On the other hand, Jasmin was seen in *KKK 9*. Besides these, Mr Faisu aka Faisal Shaikh, who was the runner-up of *KKK 12*, has also been approached to rejoin the show.

Rohit Shetty confirmed *Khatron Ke Khiladi 15* in November last year when he graced the *Bigg Boss Weekend Ka Vaar*. Back then, he had announced that the next season of *Khatron Ke Khiladi* was very much happening. Confirming the new season, Shetty had said, "The audience was upset that we couldn't bring a season this year, but next year the show is returning."

In February 2026, Colors TV officially announced *Khatron Ke Khiladi* season 15. The announcement came through a striking AI-generated promo that signals the show's comeback in signature larger-than-life style. Hosted once again by Rohit Shetty, the stunt-based reality series will air on Colors TV, though the premiere date is yet to be revealed.

In addition to its television broadcast, *Khatron Ke Khiladi 15* will also be available for streaming on JioHotstar, giving audiences the option to watch the show across platforms.



While no name has been officially confirmed as of now, reportedly Gaurav Khanna, Samarth Jurel and Farrhana Bhatt have been approached for *Khatron Ke Khiladi 15*.



Sonal Chauhan's got a wardrobe that will blow your mind, especially when it comes to her off-screen style which is both bold and classy.