

Vijay's film continues its STABLE run amid DC, Spider-Man Brand New Day release



Jana Nayagan box office collection day 18: Thalapathy Vijay's Jana Nayagan picked up pace at the box office on its third Sunday. After a relatively slow Saturday, the film saw a healthy jump in collections, giving its third weekend a much-needed boost.

According to Sacnilk, Jana Nayagan earned an estimated Rs 3.60 crore India net on Day 18. The film had collected Rs 2.55 crore on Saturday, marking a 41.2% rise in Sunday's earnings.

The film recorded these collections across 2,148 shows. With the latest numbers, its total India net collection has reached Rs 192.30 crore, while its India gross stands at Rs 224.03 crore.

The Vijay-starrer added another Rs 10 lakh from overseas markets on

Day 18, taking its overseas gross collection to Rs 93.15 crore. With its India and international earnings combined, Jana Nayagan has now reached a worldwide gross of Rs 317.18 crore.

Tamil Nadu remained the film's strongest market, contributing Rs 3.53 crore in gross collections on Sunday. Karnataka added Rs 20 lakh, while Kerala contributed Rs 8 lakh. Andhra Pradesh and Telangana together added Rs 1 lakh, with the rest of India contributing another Rs 29 lakh. This took the film's total India gross for Day 18 to Rs 4.11 crore.

The Tamil version continued to account for the bulk of the film's earnings. It collected Rs 3.35 crore net on Day 18. The Tamil version recorded an overall occupancy of 50.96%.

Morning shows registered 34.85% occupancy. The Hindi version earned Rs 25 lakh net and recorded an overall occupancy of 20.65%.

Directed by H Vinoth, Jana Nayagan stars Vijay as Vetri Kondan, a former police officer who takes responsibility for helping Viji, played by Mamitha Baiju. Viji is a young woman struggling with the emotional impact of a traumatic past. Vetri promises to help her overcome her fears and achieve her dream of becoming a soldier. Bobby Deol plays the antagonist John Himler, and he comes into India with ideas to cause unrest and push for a civil war-type situation. In its third Sunday, there's been a noticeable uptick in collections, while Jana Nayagan keeps up a dependable run at the box office.

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Arun Matheswaran's DC picked up pace at the box office on Sunday. The Tamil action drama, starring Lokesh Kanagaraj and Wamiqa Gabbi, recorded a healthy jump in collections on its third day, giving the film a strong finish to its opening weekend.

According to Sacnilk, DC earned an estimated Rs 9.55 crore net in India on Sunday. The film had collected Rs 7 crore on Saturday, meaning its Day 3 earnings grew by around 36.4%. The film was screened across 4,639 shows in India and recorded an overall occupancy of 40.1%.

With Sunday's collection added, DC has earned Rs 20.95 crore net in India so far. Its India gross collection currently stands at Rs 24.11 crore.

The film opened with Rs 4.40 crore

on Friday before rising to Rs 7 crore on Saturday. Sunday brought another significant jump, taking its three-day India net collection to Rs 20.95 crore.

Tamil version leads the way The Tamil version continued to be the biggest contributor to the film's earnings. It collected Rs 6.60 crore on Sunday from 2,101 shows, recording an overall occupancy of 58%.

The Telugu version earned Rs 2.30 crore from 1,207 shows, while the Hindi version added Rs 65 lakh from 1,331 shows. The Tamil version recorded its highest occupancy during afternoon shows at 80.38%. Morning shows registered 50.54% occupancy, while evening and night shows recorded 65.92% and 68.54%, respectively.

The Telugu version recorded an

overall occupancy of 44.50%. Morning shows had 28.60% occupancy, while afternoon, evening and night shows recorded 42.80%, 49.90% and 49.90%, respectively.

DC also performed well across several Indian markets on Day 3. Tamil Nadu contributed Rs 3.30 crore in gross collections, while Kerala added Rs 2.50 crore.

Andhra Pradesh and Telangana together contributed Rs 2.75 crore, followed by Karnataka with Rs 1.60 crore. The rest of India added another Rs 85 lakh, taking the film's Day 3 India gross to Rs 11 crore.

The film also earned Rs 2.25 crore from overseas markets on Day 3, taking its cumulative overseas gross to Rs 7.75 crore. With its India and overseas earnings combined, DC has reached a worldwide gross collection of Rs 31.86 crore.

Preity Zinta clears air on Aamir Khan viral video, says 'I have a lot of love and respect for him'

Preity Zinta has reacted to a viral paparazzi video that sparked rumours about her equation with Aamir Khan. A clip from the promotions of their upcoming film Batwara 1947 showed Preity walking past Aamir without interacting with him. The video was shared with a caption suggesting that she had ignored the actor. Preity has now cleared the air and said there was no awkwardness between them.

The video was recorded during a promotional appearance in Mumbai. In the clip, Preity is seen stepping out of her vanity van and asking the photographers where she needed to go. After they showed her the direction, she quickly walked away.

Aamir Khan could be seen standing near his vanity van at the same time. The two actors did not interact in the short clip. A paparazzi account later shared the video with the caption, "Oh no, Preity Zinta ignored Aamir Khan?"

The video soon started getting attention online, with some people wondering if there was tension between the two actors. Preity decided to respond directly to the post and explained what had actually happened.

She wrote, "This kind of clickbait content is not cool. I didn't see Aamir as I was in a rush to shoot some shots inside and then catch a flight for Batwara 1947 promotions. Next time, please don't expect me to stop and take pictures if your intent is to promote any kind of negativity! I have a LOT of love & respect



for Aamir, so this is not in good taste (sic)."

Her clarification made it clear that there was no issue between the two actors. Preity also made it clear that she did not appreciate the negative angle given to the short video.

Preity Zinta returns to films after eight years

Batwara 1947 is a special film for Preity as it marks her return to the big screen after an eight-year gap. She was last seen in Bhaiaji Superhit, which released in 2018.

The actress is now busy promoting the period drama along with the rest of the cast.

Aamir Khan has also produced the film under the banner of Aamir Khan Productions.

Directed by Rajkumar Santoshi, Batwara 1947 is set in Lahore against the backdrop of the Partition of India. The film stars Preity Zinta, Sunny Deol, Shabana Azmi, Ali Fazal, Karan Deol, Abhimanyu Singh, Kanikka Kapur and Khushi Hajare. Aamir Khan is backing the project as a producer, while Preity plays a key role in the story. The film is scheduled to release in theatres on August 14. Fans are now waiting to see Preity back on the big screen after her long break.

Lock Upp 2 Winner Shreya Kalra REVEALS why she is saying NO to Salman Khan's Bigg Boss 20

Shreya Kalra finally responded to all the buzz about her possibly joining Bigg Boss and she's not holding back. After her intense journey on Lock Upp 2, she's pretty clear she's not jumping into another reality show anytime soon.

She's still soaking in the excitement from her Lock Upp 2 win, but fans keep asking if she'll enter the Bigg Boss house next. Shreya has shut down all those rumors. In a voice note on Instagram, she explained she's not up for another reality show as a contestant.

Lock Upp 2 took a toll on her, and she described it as 'mentally exhausting,' joking that she'd "just come out of a mental asylum." Honestly, fans shouldn't expect to see her competing on Salman Khan's show for now.

Still, Shreya isn't closing the door on reality TV altogether. She'd love to return, but only in a different role, maybe hosting, mentoring, or even being a gang leader. She's open to



those opportunities, just not as a contestant. On the personal front, fans are curious about her relationship and marriage plans. Shreya's not getting married right away, but she hints she already knows who

she wants to share her life with.

Shreya Kalra and Rishabh Jaiswal are focusing on their careers for now. She teased that if Rishabh ever gifts her a solitaire diamond, she'll definitely

say yes.

After her big win on Lock Upp 2, Shreya took home the trophy and a Rs 1 crore cash prize. Shivangi Joshi finished as first runner-up, and Yogesh Rawat landed in third place.

Disha clearly has a thing for bling and we aren't complaining because she's slaying her shimmery co-ord set.