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ANSWERS

1. Voicing Homer Simpson
2. John Wayne
3. Ben Affleck and Matt Damon
4. Terence Stamp
5. Ioan Gruffudd
6. Bernard Miles
7. Don Gilet
8. Charlie Sheen
9. Tom Holland
10. Michael Sheen
11. Kirk Douglas
12. Run Fatboy Run

FUN FACTS

1. 🎤 Dan Castellaneta also voices Grandpa, Barney and Krusty — basically half of Springfield on a busy day.
2. 🏈 John Wayne's nickname came from his early football days — long before he became Hollywood's toughest cowboy.
3. 🏆 *Good Will Hunting* won Damon and Affleck an Oscar for Best Original Screenplay — beating far more "serious" contenders.
4. 🎬 Terence Stamp's booming delivery made "Kneel before Zod" one of cinema's most quotable villain moments.
5. ⚓ Hornblower turned Ioan Gruffudd into a full-blown TV heart-throb — swords, uniforms and all.
6. 🎭 Bernard Miles founded the Mermaid Theatre to showcase bold, modern productions — not exactly a safe bet in the 1950s.
7. 🌴 Don Gilet became the first Black lead detective in *Death in Paradise* — bringing a fresh energy to the sun-soaked series.
8. 🍺 Charlie Sheen's exit led to one of TV's most expensive cast changes — Kutcher reportedly earned millions per episode.
9. 🕸️ Tom Holland managed to keep his engagement surprisingly quiet — impressive for someone who literally hangs off buildings for a living.
10. 🎬 Michael Sheen once joked he's played so many real people that he's "running out of famous Welshmen to portray."
11. 🎬 Kirk Douglas starred in Hollywood classics across seven decades — and was still sharp as ever past 100.
12. 🏃 Run Fatboy Run features Simon Pegg doing a full London marathon — proving comedy actors really do suffer for their art.



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