

John Wells Productions

# Weekly Newsletter



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### Industry News

California Politics: Will Lawmakers Give Hollywood a Big New Perk? (The Los Angeles Times)

Content Spending 2023: WBD, NBCU Projected to Reduce Expenses (Variety VIP+)

AB InBev Launches Entertainment Studio With Producer Michael Sugar (Business Insider)

Netflix Vows to Decarbonize its Global Productions: 'That's Our Main Goal in the Next Couple of Years' (Variety)

## Film

'Eternal Sunshine' Producer Reveals 'Chaotic' Filming Led Original Editor to Have a 'Nervous Breakdown' (IndieWire)

'John Wick: Chapter 4' Hitting Record Opening Day For Franchise At \$30M+, On Way To \$70M+ Weekend – Friday Midday Box Office Update (*Deadline*)

Apple Could Be Making Its Own Billion-Dollar Push Into Theatrical Movies (IndieWire)

## Television

"Daisy Jones & the Six" and the Commodification of Free-Spirited Women (The New Yorker)

Inside TV Writers' Fight to Keep Their Shows From Disappearing (Rolling Stone)

## In Other News

The Age of AI Has Begun (Gates Notes)

Cool People Accidentally Saved America's Feet (The Atlantic)

Jay-Z Is Now a \$2.5 Billion Business, Man (Variety)

Ireland Asks: What if Artists Could Ditch Their Day Jobs? (The New York Times)