

star spotting

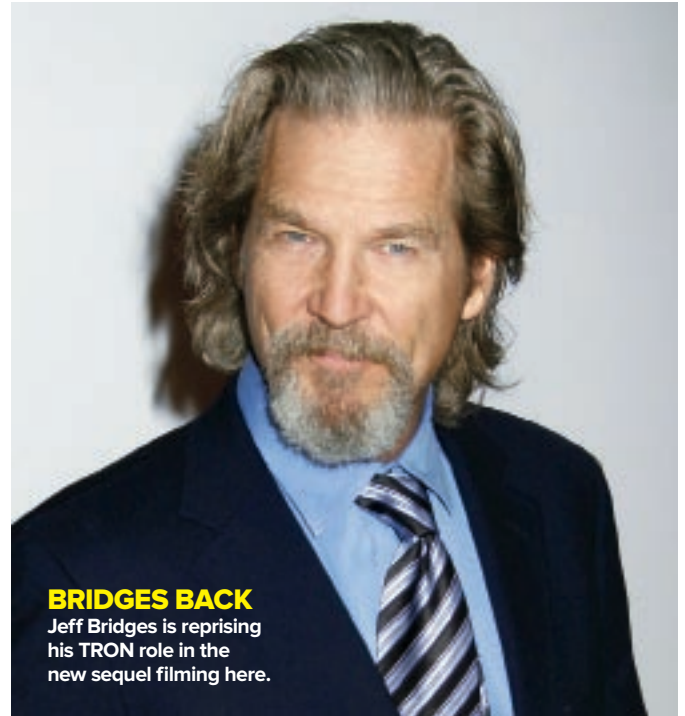
See who's making the scene in B.C.

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SOUTHERN BELLE

Reese Witherspoon is rumoured to be heading to B.C. to work on a new romantic comedy.



BRIDGES BACK

Jeff Bridges is reprising his TRON role in the new sequel filming here.

It looks as if A-lister **Reese Witherspoon** will soon be headed our way to star in a new big-budget comedy. Rumour has it *This Means War* will be filmed here in the coming weeks, with *Star Trek* leading man **Chris Pine** and Vancouver's own **Seth Rogen** co-starring. The plot centres on two life-long buddies who wage an epic battle against one another after they both fall in love with the same woman.

Rogen just spent several months here shooting a still-untitled comedy with **Anna Kendrick** (*Up in the Air*) and **Anjelica Huston**.

Yet another feature that wrapped filming here several months ago is back in town for reshoots. *TRON: Legacy*, the sequel to the groundbreaking early '80s sci-fi classic, stars the legendary **Jeff Bridges**, who of course picked up a Best Actor Oscar this year for *Crazy Heart*. Cast and crew have been filming new scenes downtown, and Bridges is expected to be back in town for at least a few days of work. The new *TRON* also features another star from the 1982 original, **Bruce Boxleitner**.

Veteran local actor Andrew Airlie has found



LUCKY LOCAL Vancouver actor Andrew Airlie is enjoying plenty of work, including a role in the new Seth Rogen movie.

himself lucky enough to be juggling several gigs lately. Airlie has just finished work on that previously mentioned untitled Seth Rogen movie and a new teen series for The CW called *Hellcats*, which stars **Aly Michalka** (*Bandslam*) and is scheduled to debut this fall. He's also managed to make regular

appearances in two other Vancouver-made shows, *Reaper* and *Defying Gravity*. Airlie, who hails from Scotland, has been acting for 20 years, with many of his roles coming locally. ■

When not spotting celebrities, Darren Parkman co-hosts *The Travel Guys* on Shaw TV.

SPOTTED ON THE TOWN

- Actress **Erin Karpluk** (*Being Erica*) at the Westin Bayshore Hotel downtown.
- Psych star **James Roday** at the Vancouver airport.
- Actor **Lou Diamond Phillips** (*Stargate Universe*) walking on Robson Street.