

Valentine

ON THE SCENE

With Valentine's Day here, doesn't life just feel like one big rom-com? Well, no, not really, so we thought we'd get some love hearts fluttering on the gay scene by asking some of the top DJs, promoters and trannies in town who they're in love with. Time to get gooey!



Steve Pitron

Who would be your celebrity Valentine and why?

Naomi aka Jiggy. She is an amazing cook and I'm sure she'd prepare the perfect dinner for me. She also has excellent taste and is a seasoned shopper - so I'm sure I'd come out of it with a tasty gift too. And if she was busy, I'd pick Pavel Novotny. He looks like he'd be good company.

Who would be your London gay scene Valentine and why?

The DJ/producer/promoter/cook/comedy genius that is Dave Cross. He's always held a candle for me - which I have continually tried to extinguish over the years, but, as it's Valentines Day...no touching though.

Who is your real life Valentine?

My boyfriend Celso.



Simon Kilner

Who would be your celebrity Valentine and why?

Can I have two? At the same time? Well I hate to be obvious and clichéd but Ben Cohen would be my first choice. The guy is fit as a butcher's dog and apparently a very nice chap too. I could play out all my porn style locker room fantasies. The second guy would be that bloke from Avatar (Sam Worthington), the lead, pwhooooar. I even quite fancied him when he was a blue Navi. Is that wrong?

Who would be your London gay scene Valentine and why?

My scene Valentine is Luke Howard. There might not be much romance but there's a whole lotta love between us. He's a very special friend and has a very good heart.

Who's your real life Valentine?

My real life Valentine would be Anthony Crank. He's handsome, smart, talented and rough around the edges - all I go for in a bloke. I could snog him for hours, and sometimes do.

What would be your dream Valentine date?

Obviously a private jet to somewhere nice, a fabulous meal, and then a night in some spa hotel would do the trick. But I'm a simple guy really, so a take-away, a bottle of vino and some heartfelt cuddles on the sofa would do me just as well.



Timberlina

Who would be your celebrity Valentine and why?

Currently it would be Zach Galifianakis, because of his beard. Or maybe Josh Rogan for a little something different. I could put one in each pocket!

Who is your real life Valentine?

Officially? Mr Timberlina of course. He's sitting next to me right now. Corduroy-wearing civil servants do it for me everytime!

What would be your dream Valentine date?

Well, we're on a giant environmentally friendly Hermès yacht at dusk just off the coast of somewhere exotic. Vanessa Paradis has taken the kids and Johnny Depp is cooking scallops and getting up to tomfoolery with Zach Galifianakis, who's preparing oysters on an open BBQ. I'm hanging there with James Gandolfini talking about Rogaine while Mr Timberlina makes ice cold negronis. The boys come over, we down the seafood and then untie Josh Rogan who's been kept below deck in a fridge covered in chocolate. The sun goes down. Need I go on?

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