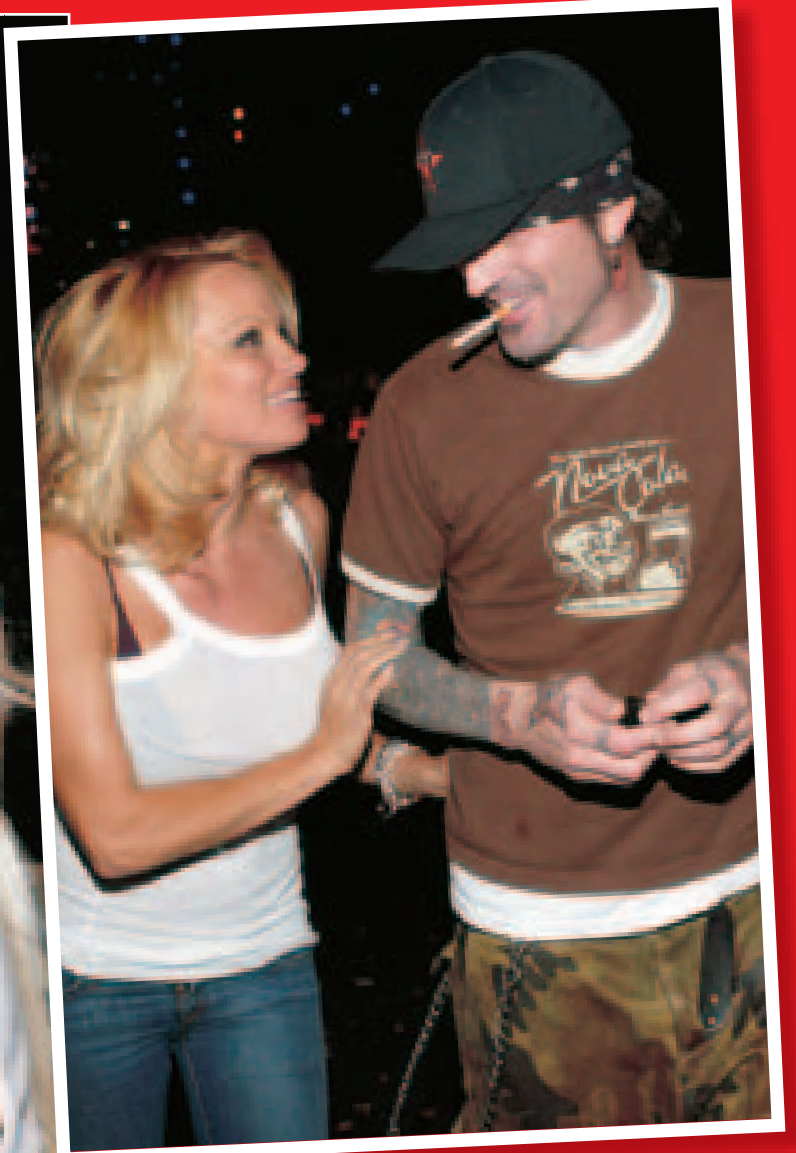


'TOMMY WAS THE GREATEST LOVE OF MY LIFE!'

PAMELA ANDERSON

OK! MIDDLE EAST TALKS EXCLUSIVELY TO THE BLONDE BOMBSHELL ABOUT TURNING 41 AND MARRYING AGAIN



Left and inset: It was Pamela's first visit to the region. Her ex-hubby, Tommy Lee performed in Dubai last year.

The *Baywatch* star recently flew to Abu Dhabi and auctioned off a dinner with herself to raise money to support Make-A-Wish (a charity for children with life-threatening illnesses). A mystery Emirati businessman paid Dhs230,000 to dine with the star at Embassy, in the Emirates Palace Hotel. The mum-of-two, who lives between Malibu and Hollywood, came here with her two sons, Brandon Thomas, 12, and Dylan Jagger, 10, plus a film crew who are taping her new reality show, which will be aired later this year. The model/actress said, "It will be a spontaneous show. It's much easier for me to film this way...I'm an exhibitionist anyway so I don't mind." Looking sexy in a beige figure-hugging shirtdress, Pamela, 40, chatted exclusively to us as she walked to her hotel suite...

Welcome to the UAE. Can you tell us more about what you are doing here...

I've been supporting Make-A-Wish ever since my *Baywatch* days and so when I heard they were opening a branch in the UAE, I was thrilled to come here as a goodwill ambassador. Montell [Jordan] also came out for the same cause. He was just telling me he thinks that the UAE is one of the sexiest places in the world right now. My sons are here with me too. They're having a great time – they've been running around on the beach and they went jet-skiing.

What kind of mum are you?

I'm a soccer mum! I love hanging out with my boys. Every so often I do the safety patrol at their school...I even wear the neon vest!

Your third marriage to Rick Salomon only lasted five months. Will you get married again?

Oh gee. I probably will, right?

Who has been the greatest love of your life?

My children. Tommy's up there too. Yeah, he was probably the biggest love I've ever had.

We met him when he was in Dubai last year. What kind of father is he?

He's good and really fun. Very loud.

You're a PETA activist and yet you used to wear Ugg boots...was that one of your most embarrassing moments?

Yes! I didn't initially realise they were made from



sheepskin! I used to have them by the door and I wore them to take my kids to school or walk my dog on the beach. I'd never be seen in them again!

Who is your favourite designer?

I love Stella McCartney. I have every non-leather shoe she has ever cobbled!

You mentioned on your blog that you are taking homeopathic medicine for your Hepatitis C. How are you feeling these days?

Great. Every time I get tested, my doctor says that I keep getting healthier and healthier. I take this stuff regularly and it really works.

You turn 41 next month. What's your secret to looking so young?

Good hair and make-up [Laughs]. My vegetarian diet also helps I guess.

How will you spend your birthday?

I'm not sure yet. I like attention every other day of the year but not on my birthday! I don't like throwing parties for myself; I only like doing it for other people. I will probably just relax with my kids. They will make it a fun day!

Lastly, do you have any wishes?

That everyone treats animals kindly.



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Inset: Pamela with fellow Make-A-Wish supporter Montell Jordan who is best known for his hit single *This is How We Do It*.