

Keeping Track

Soap-hopper Andrea Evans is taking to the stage

Play Time

It was back in 2011 that Andrea Evans last appeared on *THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL* as Amber's scheming mom, Tawny. At the time, she'd been secretly battling breast cancer in real life. Now, she's happy to announce that she's five years cancer-free and on the path to maintaining her health. "I just ran my first 5K," says the actress, who also once played *THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS*' Patty. "I run 12 to 16 miles a week."

Funny Lady

It's a good thing Evans has that kind of stamina, because she's also doing the play *Dinner At Home Between Deaths* three days a week. "I play the much-divorced sister of a woman who is married to a Bernie Madoff type," Evans relates. "It's an extremely dysfunc-

Catch Evans in the world premiere of *Dinner At Home Between Deaths* at the Odyssey Theatre in Los Angeles. The black comedy runs weekends through May 8. For reservations and information, call (323) 960-4429 or visit www.plays411.com/dinner.

ing in theater is something I'm really going to enjoy."

Making Movie Magic

The actress can also be seen in *Hit List*, a film that recently received US distribution

tional family — we are all horrible people, so it's just rolling good fun!"

The similarities between Kat and most of Evans' numerous soap roles isn't lost on the actress. "I play a lot of [scheming socialites], so it is right up my alley," she acknowledges. "Be-



The Bold & The Beautiful

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"Adrienne is one of my favorite TV daughters," offers Evans, pictured with real-life daughter, too. "I was at her baby shower."

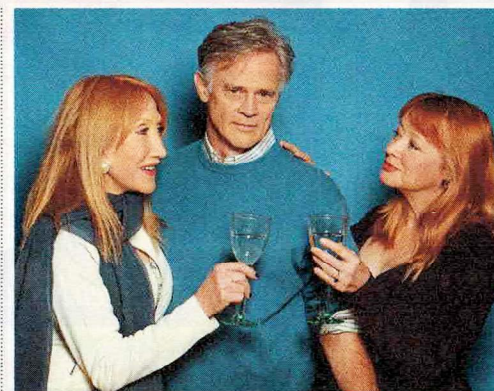
through Redbox. "It's an action movie, but it's also a bit of a romantic comedy," she says of the tale about a young woman who finds love on-line, only to have her anger management issues come to light. "I play her mother [an ex-beauty queen]."

Evans enjoyed working with the film's producer/director, Minh Collins, so much that she's teamed up with him to start a production company. "We've already shot the trailer for an independent series," Evans reveals. "Plus, we have a couple of films that we've optioned."

"I'm A Gym Mom"

In her free time, the performer enjoys watching the light of her life, daughter Kylie, excel in competitive gymnastics and hosts the annual Wiggle Waggle Walk for the Pasadena Humane Society to support animal rescue. But she's interested in bringing Tawny back to *B&B* someday, too. "I'd love the

The Young & The Restless



MICHAEL LAMONT

"My character runs a charity, and she's much-married and much-divorced," Evans says of her role in *Dinner At Home Between Deaths*. "Do you see a pattern to some of the people I play?"

opportunity to flesh her out a little bit because I think she has a lot of possibilities," Evans suggests. "I think Adrienne [Frantz; ex-Amber] and I would both embrace that." ■

— Kelli M. Larson

COMING ATTRACTION

Another daytimer shines on the big screen

Frank Grillo (*Hart, GUIDING LIGHT*) reprises his role of vengeful HYDRA operative Brock Rumlow (aka Crossbones) in *Captain America: Civil War*. Might the skilled marksman and expert street fighter be the instigator for the war between Cap and former ally Iron Man? Find out when the movie opens Friday, May 6.



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