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MAMA'S GOT A BRAND NEW BAG

TODAY'S MOTHERS
HAVE A FRESH
APPROACH TO STYLE

THE SILENT EPIDEMIC

TEEN SUICIDE
IS ON THE RISE
NATIONWIDE –
AND IN SOUTH
FLORIDA

TOP DOGS

PET THERAPY STORIES
PROVE THAT SOME
ANGELS HAVE FUR

KID-TESTED & PARENT- APPROVED

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"The Big Bang Theory" Star and Mom
Mayim Bialik Shares Her Take On Parenting



Miles Teller (left) and Joseph Hill (right) on the set of the film 'Arms and the Dudes' in Miami.

NEW HOLLYWOOD FILM MADE IN MIAMI

Miami is about to make an appearance on the big screen with "Arms and the Dudes," a crime-comedy film about two Miami arms dealers, Elfrain Drenault and Elred Packard, who land a \$300 million government contract to arm America's allies in Afghanistan. It's based on a true story as chronicled in a 2011 *Rolling Stone* article and the book "Arms and the Dudes: How Three Schemers from Miami Beach Became the Most Unlikely Gunrunners in History," released this June — both by reporter Guy Lawson.

"Arms" is being directed by Todd Phillips and stars Joseph Hill and Miles Teller as "the dudes," who reportedly first met at Beth Israel Congregation, the largest Orthodox synagogue in Miami Beach. The film shot on location in Miami for several weeks this spring, in addition to filming in Bucharest and Los Angeles. "Arms" — co-produced by Phillips and actor Bradley Cooper as part of their new production deal with Warner Bros. Pictures — is set to hit theaters in 2016.

OVERHEARD

“When you’re sequestered like that, you’re bonding in dog years. It happens really fast.”

— *Wellington resident Ryan Beckert describing his experience with other male contestants on "The Bachelorette"*

Source: The Palm Beach Post

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BOCA'S RANKING AS FLORIDA'S BEST TOWN TO LIVE IN, according to Niche Rankings

HITS THE SPOT

South Floridians can't get enough of their fancy movie theaters, and Shovel Cinema is proof of that. Located at the Promenade in Coconut Creek, Shovel recently unveiled a new restaurant concept developed with David Burke Group, the acclaimed hospitality group helmed by celebrity chef and restaurateur David Burke. Trippy features inventive American cuisine that can be enjoyed in-theater or in the contemporary café, which is accented with wood-paneled walls and kitschy kitchen memorabilia.

Executive Chef Matt O'Neil dishes up such signatures as Tuna Tartare Wontons, Duck Confit Banh Mi, BT Lobster Roll and more. And the bar is just as creative, offering modern cocktails inspired by famous movies, such as "From Russia With Love" and "A Clockwork Mango."

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