

'JOHN COULD PERSUADE ME TO HAVE KIDS'

I'm A Celebrity's 2015 winner, Vicky Pattison, gives us the goss on her new beau, John Noble, and why he might be the one to change her mind on having children...

Six months ago, a very single Vicky Pattison was playing the field, jetting around Italy's Amalfi Coast with celebrity pal Ferne McCann after a string of failed romances. But what a difference half a year makes. When we catch up for a chat with the ex-*Geordie Shore* star about her Mini V Nutrition range, despite feeling under the weather, she's got a certain sparkle in her eyes. And it's all down to her new beau, businessman John Noble.

'I'm so happy in my life, personally and professionally, and everything is

going so well. I'm in a very good place,' she smiles. When we spoke to Vicky last year, she told us she'd sworn off having children and, while she appears to be sticking to her guns, telling us, 'I definitely don't think [having children] is for me yet,' she admits that her boyfriend of three months might just be the one to persuade her otherwise. 'If there was ever a man to do it, it would be John,' she smiles. Aww. It's nice to finally see the 29-year-old settled down, as she hasn't always been so lucky in love.

In 2013, she ended her engagement to fellow *Geordie Shore* star Ricci Guarnaccio, 30. The couple had had a tumultuous 15-month relationship. She then began

dating former *TOWIE* star Kirk Norcross, 28, before moving onto *Celebs Go Dating's* Stephen Bear, 27, in 2015, who is now thought to be seeing Vic's former *GS* co-star, Charlotte Crosby, 26. More recently, Vicky enjoyed brief romances with reality TV hunks Spencer Matthews, 27, and Mario Falcone, 28, last year and, in July, another of her exes, James Morgan, 34, was jailed for burgling a friend's house while on a cocaine binge. Whoa, that's a lot to take in!

LOVE IS IN THE AIR... However, as the brunette beauty opens up about her new northern man, it sounds like she's put the years of troubled relationships well and truly behind her. So what makes John different to the others? 'He's very mature and kind, and he loves me for me,' she explains, blushing. 'He doesn't want to be famous, and he doesn't need my money. John is very successful, and is confident in his own right - he's a man! That's a feeling I've never been familiar with before. I love him so much.'

And it's not only Vicky who's been bowled over by John - she tells us he's earned her mum Caroll's seal of approval, too. She reveals, 'My mum approving of him is a big thing. She's always held her tongue, but a level of



SOME OF THE MEN IN VICKY'S PAST

disapproval and disgust about my questionable taste in men has always been apparent. 'She sent a really lovely message to me and my younger sister, Laura, who is getting married next year, saying, "I'm so happy my two girls have found such lovely men to make them happy."' And it sounds like Vicky has scored some future-daughter-in-law points with John's mum, too. 'She's so lovely,' Vicky smiles. 'When I was in the *Jungle*, she'd text John saying, "Vicky looks lovely, doesn't she?"'



Jungle-mate Spencer turned out not to be The One

A ROMANTIC BREAK IS ON THE HORIZON It might be early days for the lovebirds, but Vicky tells us they've already got a couples' holiday planned. She smiles, 'We're looking at going to Dubai next month. It'd be nice for us to go somewhere and just chill out and drink cocktails.' For now, the reality TV star is focused on maintaining her newly toned figure, but she has no plans to start training with the boy. 'It's just not something you want to do initially, because you want to be seen as a sexy siren!' she laughs. The curvy TV star recently uploaded a video to prove she hadn't been doctoring her photos to look skinnier. Although she admits the negative comments over her body are always 'frustrating', she refuses to

let it get to her. She tells us, 'I want to inspire. I'm a normal person - I fall off the wagon, I love a drink, I gain weight and I lose weight. I want people to say, "If she can do it, so can I."' 'To train, I do a combination of weights, spinning and boxing three times a week for 20 to 45 minutes. 'I also drink my Mini V shakes - they're a perfect post-gym protein hit to help you stay fit while you're on the go.'

Grace Henry

The Vicky Pattison Mini V Nutrition product range and on-demand fitness & lifestyle service is available from minivnutrition.com



John's nothing like Vicky's previous boyfriends



Crowning glory: she was 2015's Queen of the Jungle

The training's paid off: Vicky shows off her hot bod

PICTURES: GOFFPHOTOS.COM, PLANETPHOTOS, REX, XPOSURE