

CRUISE CONTROL Poor Tom Cruise - all he wanted was to eat his dinner in peace when he docked at the five-star Forza Mare hotel in Montenegro in 2012 and asked management to clear out all the guests. The manager politely declined, and the actor was forced to enjoy his seafood feast on his yacht instead. Oh, the indignity.



As if they'd press their own elevator buttons

h celebrities, they're just like us, we hear you say. They put their trousers on one leg atatime, and eat, sleep and use the loo like the rest of humankind, right? Wrong. In fact, famous people are a special species of superhumanthe kind that gets away with the most batshit crazy demands one could ever make up, sending an entourage of minions flying hither and thither to

satisfy their every whim. And if they don't get their way? You'd better believe they'll wail like newborn babies until they do.

Listen, we love them for it, but there's no denying that some celebs take the notion of divadom and strap a rocket launcher to it - decreeing a list of demands that truly are out of this world.

Take a gander at this exacting lot and then tell us again that they're arejustlikeus...

ISTHAT ALL-WHITE WITH YOU?

superstar is on tour, she

asks for her water to be

chilled to 21°C and served

through \$900 titanium

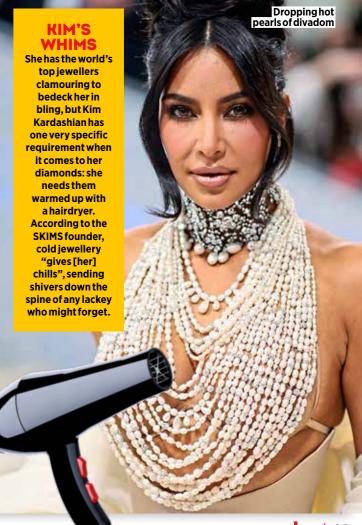
straws. At least she's

saving on plastic, if

not expenses.

She's the antithesis of easygoing (we've seen the docu), so it's unsurprising that J-Lo has some demands - including an all-white dressing room. Dannii Minogue, who appeared on *Top* Of The Pops with Jen in the '90s claimed, "I was told everything had to be white, including the sofa." She even alleged J-Lo refused to perform if her request wasn't met.









their reality show playing on

loop, and (on an unrelated

note) gumballs. Sounds like a

 $stress-inducing\,space\,to\,us,\\$

but whatever works.









THE HOUSE THAT PRINCE BUILT

In perhaps the most staggering diva demand to date, Prince reportedly asked the owner of the 02 Arena to build him a luxury five-bedroom home near the venue in 2007. And in his 2004 rider, the late pop star requested that "all items in the dressing room must be covered by clear plastic until uncovered by the main artist", insisting it was "absolutely necessary".

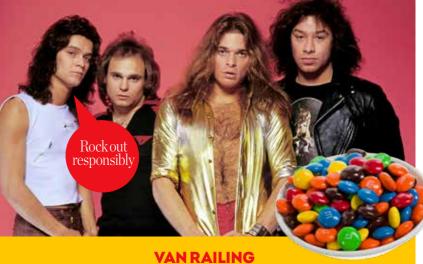


any delays due to

traffic." Good luck

playing in London...





Rockers Van Halen had one non-negotiable: that all brown M&Ms be removed from any of the candy on their rider, and if they weren't, they'd cancel their gig. OTT? Not quite. In fact, it was a genius move, ensuring stagehands paid attention to the band's contract in full, specifically when it came to health and safety requirements.

Water diva



According to insiders, **Julia Roberts demands** four gallons of Evian water per day while filming, no matter where she is in the world. And no, she doesn't even drink it, using it instead to wash those famous locks of hers. But wouldn't Perrier work better for fizzy sorry, frizzy - hair?