

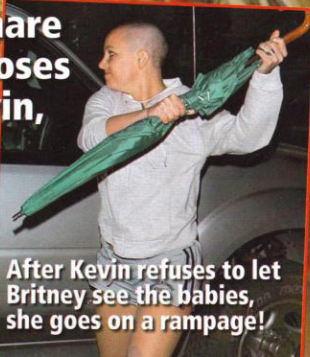
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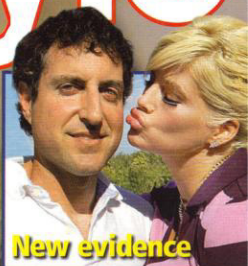
BREAKING NEWS

Friends worry Britney's **SUICIDAL**

Her worst nightmare comes true: She loses the babies to Kevin, and her mom takes his side!

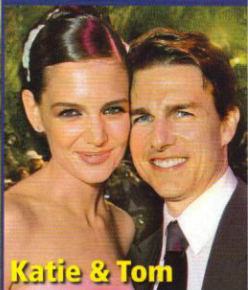


After Kevin refuses to let Britney see the babies, she goes on a rampage!



New evidence

Howard looks
GUILTY!



Katie & Tom

Did they both get
PLASTIC SURGERY?

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Kate & Owen's

Are they ready to take their romance to the next level?

"Kate sounds absolutely giddy over the two of them being back together," says a pal of the star, here making a splash on Feb. 21 in Australia.



Today indeed! On Feb. 21 in Australia's Byron Bay, Kate Hudson and Owen Wilson were the portrait of relaxed tourists enjoying a sunny afternoon. "They were holding hands and hugging, and Kate was rubbing Owen's back," says an eyewitness. It's no wonder their moods were so bright: "They're back together," confirms a Hudson family friend. "And I think Kate would like it to be exclusive."

It sure looked like she's getting her wish. Owen, 38, had joined Kate, 27, for Valentine's Day in Australia, where she'd been filming *Fool's Gold* since October. From accompanying her to the Feb. 17 wrap party to whisking her off on two getaways to Byron Bay, he was every bit the charmer. "They're irresistible to each other," says the family friend. "He's cool and hilarious, and she's



Aussie getaway

hot and hilarious. They're having a great time." Adds an insider, "Kate and Owen are 100 percent together and committed. They totally let their guard down in Australia."

What next?

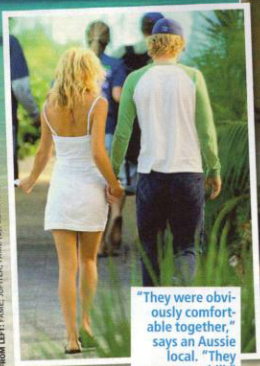
Of course, it still remains to be seen what the future holds for the duo, whose lovey-dovey reunion follows a three-month hiatus amid rumors that Owen wanted to remain an eternal bachelor. "Owen enjoys spending time with Kate," says the Hudson family friend.

One thing is for sure: If anyone's up to the job of making him settle down, it's her. Carolyn Bushong, author of *The Seven Dumbest Relationship Mistakes Smart People Make*, advises, "She should play it cool — enjoy him but don't push him." Game on!



Totally together!

On Feb. 21, the couple browsed at Santos, an organic food store in Byron Bay, and then shared a meal for two at Dish restaurant and raw bar.



FROM LEFT: FAME, JEFFREY; FAME (2); MENAGER

"They were obviously comfortable together," says an Aussie local. "They were very chill."



Owen popped by the *Fool's Gold* set to steal a smooch from Kate on Feb. 22.