



Stars of the recent action hit, "Stealth", Josh Lucas and Jessica Biel are two of the hottest new faces in Hollywood. Both blessed with the gorgeous gene, they are also developing into fine actors capable of carrying a film with talent, charm and that rare "movie-star quality".



Mach Two



"We tried to make a film that was playful and fun at its core but also had some solid realistic sensibility to what we were attempting to do."

JOSH LUCAS

Lucas said of this experience, "I have done a lot of films that are very good but people have not seen. A film like 'Undertow' is a great example. 'Stealth' is a vehicle to have a big action film that is a rollercoaster ride. Audiences will sit down in a theater and have ninety minutes of fun."

The actors all had to go through a virtual boot-camp to prepare for this film. "For me, it was three weeks of solid military training". Lucas continues, "I had some amazing teachers. I did some weapon training with a Special Forces commander in Australia."

Jessica Biel laments that she's lost all her muscles since wrapping the film, "I'm so small now, and it's very disappointing." She says that the strict diet was the key to getting in such great shape for the film. "It just kind of leans you up and slims you down and takes that little layer of fat, skin, water-weight right off your body."

On working with the special effects, Lucas says, "I was speaking dialogue with nothing, no images around me. It was an entire blue room." The film is not just a war film but it is also about the dangers of relying too much on technology. Lucas jokingly worries, "If they can beat us at chess who knows what else is next."



Josh Lucas and Jessica Biel may be flying under the radar in this film, but neither one of them will be able to hide for the next few years as they are surely leading the way for the next generation of Hollywood stars.



STEALTH ★★★

Directed by Rob Cohen
Starring: Josh Lucas,
Jessica Biel & Jamie Foxx
Rated - 12A
121 Minutes

Combine "Top Gun", "Firefox" and "Behind Enemy Lines" and you get a highly implausible, but nonetheless entertaining, action film. Josh Lucas, Jessica Biel and last year's Oscar winner, Jamie Foxx, team up to deliver "Stealth", a popcorn action adventure that will leave you exhausted from adrenaline rush. This 2005 film, about a rogue stealth fighter jet on a killing spree flies onto DVD shelves on January 23rd. It is easy to watch and will hold up in repeat viewings. It is a DVD worth staying in for on a Saturday night when the pizza arrives and the beers are cold.