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## ASK NOT HOW I GOT MY JFK COIF

**Rob Lowe** (I would give us the lowdown on how he got his **John F. Kennedy** coiffure to play the President in "Killing Kennedy." "There's a lot of hair technology going on there, in case you didn't notice," he told us at the Beverly Hilton Hotel as he promoted the upcoming NatGeo TV movie. "You used to see him in black and white, but when you see it in color, he's almost ginger-haired. So my whole look is sort of dialled in, but I'm keeping it secret as to how I did it.")

**Katrina Bowden** brightens the **M** **Misoni** is for **Music** party at **Le Bain & Rooftop** at **The Standard**.



## THE FORD IS WITH HIM

**Harrison Ford** didn't make it down to the Slipper Room where his son **Malcolm Ford's** band, **The Dough Rollers**, played Thursday night — but the rocker's mom, "E.T.," screenwriter **Melissa Mathison**, got star treatment at the lower **East Side** show. "Hey, my mom's here," the studly singer called out to the crowd. "Everybody has to buy her a drink!" The band — which also includes guitarist **Jack Byrne**, the son of **Ellen Barkin** and **Gabriel Byrne** — kicked out tunes and knocked back shots of Bronx-distilled **Tirado Gold Dark**.

# Big game Hunter for 'Wendy'

**WE THOUGHT** **Wendy Williams** called the shots on her show — but turns out her husband is pulling the strings.

On "The **Wendy Williams Show**," she is a strong, confident woman who isn't afraid of saying exactly what's on her mind — even if it's dissing **Ben-yoned**. But off camera, her husband, **Kevin Hunter**, is the real boss, our source says.

"Kevin makes all the decisions and has become more and more controlling as the show has become a success," one show insider tells **Confidential**. "He insists that all show questions be run by him."

Hunter has had **Williams** change her cell phone number so she is not as accessible to the many staffers on the show.

"He's also hired her a new driver, who reports to him," says our source.

Both **Williams** and **Hunter** (above), who formed the production company **Wendy Williams Productions** together, serve as executive producers on the show, which has been on the air since 2008.

Things have gotten so intense at the show that producers have been warned that all scripts must go to **Hunter** before **Williams** can even read them. And **Hunter** must approve all the ideas for segments and celebrity guest bookings.

"Wendy is smart. No one can understand why she does not tell him to f— off," adds our source. "He is making everyone's lives miserable and is causing problems on an otherwise great show."

Our source adds that when **Williams** made her Broadway debut in "Chicago" this month, he sorted through all the cards and gifts sent to the show and gave her just a portion of them.

"He thinks she is being bothered and thinks he's looking out for her, but **Wendy** loves her fans," says our insider.

**Hunter** has taken heat for cheating on **Williams** — though she later publicly forgave him — and allegedly propositioning an employee on his wife's

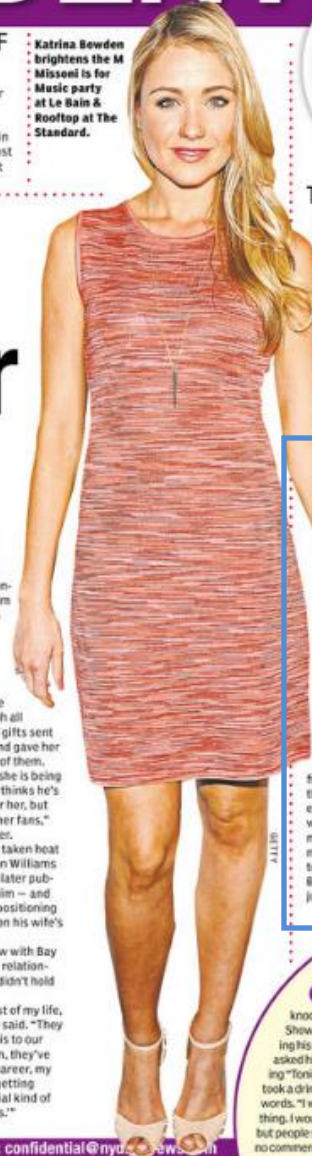
old radio show.

Once asked during an interview with **Bay Area** radio station **94.9** about her relationship with her husband, **Williams** didn't hold back.

"People will always, for the rest of my life, throw darts at my situation," she said. "They will throw — and we explained this to our son — they will throw them at him, they've thrown them at me in my entire career, my husband. He knew what he was getting involved with, but it takes a special kind of man to be with a 'Wendy Williams.'"



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## HE'S UNTITLED TO HIS OPINION

**Rosario Dawson** (above, in **West Village** with her mom and fans) has a theory on why **Chris Rock** keeps changing the name of their upcoming film, now shooting in the city and called the "Untitled **Chris Rock** Movie." "Apparently men change their mind more than women do: I read this recently. When we make a decision, we stick with it, and men change their mind a lot," Dawson told **Confidential** at the **Watermark Bar**, cooping on Wednesday. "I play a journalist!"

## CONAN DOES ATTACKS EVASION

**Conan O'Brien** is still bitter that **Jay Leno** knocked him off his "Tonight Show" perch — although he's biting his tongue. When **Confidential** asked his thoughts on **Leno's** pending "Tonight Show" departure, he took a drink and was careful with his words. "I will say I'm happy doing my thing. I would say... no one says 'no comment' anymore but people should say 'no comment' more often. I love no comment. Let's have more 'no comment,'" he said.



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