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Shane Warne: Far from burnt out

The babe, the 'tan', the Bollywood song. He has it all going on in India

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While Warne's hair is looking rather bounteous these days, his foundation looks like it needs a bit of work. Well tanned, Shane.

What is this man up to? I'm talking about 41-year-old sportsman Shane Warne, who's currently in India playing his last of four Indian Premier League (IPL) seasons.

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Since retiring from international cricket four years ago, the spinner's been cooking up a storm in the subcontinent.

Firstly, Warne's been the successful captain of Shilpa Shetty's mercurial Rajasthan Royals (IPL) team for four years, taking them to the champion's podium at the first IPL in 2008 and finding himself currently joint-third on the wicket-takers' list in 2011.

The Aussie has also imported from Down Under an affordable, limited edition series of men's sports T-shirts called *Spinners by Shane Warne*. These have been specially designed for the Indian cricket season and are available exclusively at Reliance Trends stores.

With no small thanks to Twitter, Warne has also hooked, officially, the ultimate Indo-phile celebrity girlfriend: Ms Elizabeth Hurley.

And, this is the funniest part, he's got his own Bollywood-style theme song called "King of Spin." [Download it to believe it](#) dude.

Is he the coolest captain Australian cricket never had?

Spinners by Shane Warne available at Reliance Trends, Ramdas Nayak Road, Santosh Nagar, Bandra (W); +91 (0)22 2641 5082

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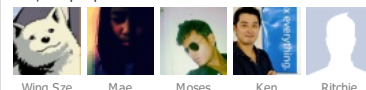
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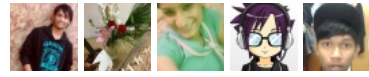


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