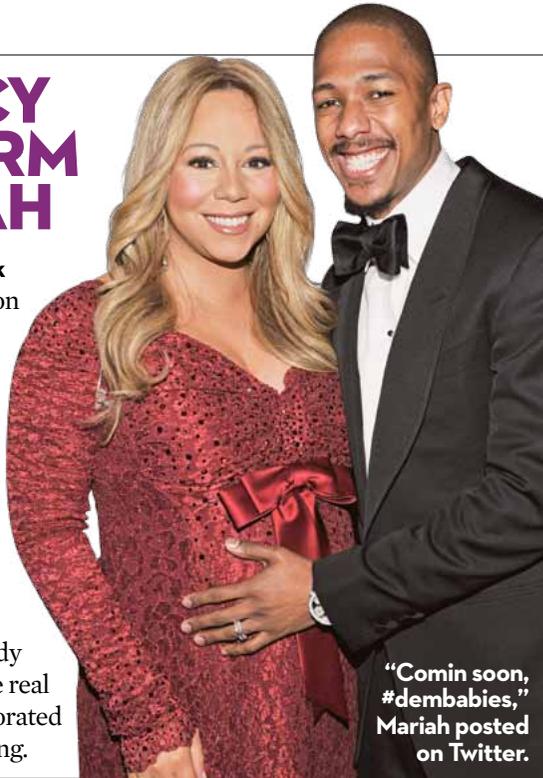


# PREGNANCY FALSE ALARM FOR MARIAH

**Mariah Carey** and husband **Nick Cannon** rushed to the hospital on March 27 — her 42nd birthday — after she experienced contractions she thought signaled the imminent arrival of her twins, a boy and a girl. It proved to be a false alarm, and Mariah returned home the same day. She later posted a note on Twitter saying, “We have a few more weeks 2 go but- wow!!! ) so ready already!” And to prepare for the real event, the next day Mariah decorated her belly with a butterfly drawing.



“Comin soon, #dembabies,” Mariah posted on Twitter.

# BRET SUES THE TONY AWARDS

Ever since **Bret Michaels** got hit in the head by a piece of scenery at the 2009 Tony Awards, the Poison singer says in a lawsuit filed on March 25, he has experienced pain and suffering and a brain hemorrhage that nearly killed him. Now, he wants the Tonys and CBS, which broadcast the show, to pay him an unspecified amount of money to make up for his trauma.



Bret



# ROYAL WEDDING COUNTDOWN

Follow all the latest royal wedding buzz with **OK!** magazine's **Eloise Parker**, who'll be reporting live from London on April 29



Prince William's “low-profile” bachelor party was organized by his brother, Prince Harry.

## HARRY'S GOT WEDDING FEVER, TOO

Although best man **Prince Harry** was expected to be the chief troublemaker at the royal bachelor party, an insider tells **OK!** the younger prince was more preoccupied with texting his on-off girlfriend, Zimbabwean-born heiress **Chelsy Davy**. “Many close friends think that he might propose to her if he can win her over within the next couple of years,” adds the source. We're ready when you are, Harry!



She's playing it cool, but friends say Harry's still smitten with Chelsy.

## INSIDE WILLIAM'S BACHELOR PARTY

Instead of a Vegas-style blowout, **Prince William's** bachelor party was a low-key affair with 20 close pals at Lodge Farm in Norfolk, an estate two hours outside of London. “They went clay-pigeon shooting and quad biking before enjoying a venison supper,” an insider tells **OK!** Later, the boys “kicked back drinking bourbon” until the early hours. It all sounds a bit tame, but that didn't stop the boys from ensuring that what happens in Norfolk stays in Norfolk. “Everyone had to sign a secrecy statement,” shares the insider.

## MAKE YOUR OWN ROYAL WEDDING CAKE



Check out **Darren's** easy chocolate biscuit cake recipe at [okmagazine.com/royalweddingcountdown](http://okmagazine.com/royalweddingcountdown)

Cake lovers, take note! Will and **Kate Middleton** have revealed the sweet treats they'll be serving at their April 29 reception. In addition to pastry chef Fiona Cairns' traditional British fruit cake, the couple will dish up a giant, chocolate biscuit cake adapted from royal chef Darren McGrady's recipe. “[It's] **Her Majesty the Queen's** favorite afternoon tea cake,” says McGrady, who served it for Will's visits with the queen. He details the recipe in his book, *Eating Royally* (\$25; [theroyalchef.com](http://theroyalchef.com)).

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