

I'm a Celebrity 2025: Emotional Finale Crowns New King of the Jungle

The 2025 season of *I'm a Celebrity... Get Me Out of Here!* concluded with an emotional and highly anticipated finale, ultimately crowning YouTuber **Angryginge**—real name **Morgan Burtwistle**—as the official King of the Jungle. The final three contestants battled through grueling trials, heartfelt moments, and intense public voting before the nation chose its winner.

The top three consisted of:

- **Morgan “Angryginge” Burtwistle** – YouTuber (Winner)
- **Tom Read Wilson** – *Celebs Go Dating* host (Runner-up)
- **Shona McGarty** – Actor, *EastEnders* alum (Third place)

The finale delivered everything fans expect from the long-running reality series: emotional confessions, lighthearted chaos, and unforgettable final challenges.

Angryginge Named the 2025 King of the Jungle

After surviving weeks in the Australian outback, Angryginge secured the crown in a climactic moment broadcast live. Looking both stunned and overjoyed, he admitted the show had been far tougher than he imagined.

“No one warned me how hard this would be,” he said during his post-elimination interview. “But I’m so glad I pushed through. I wouldn’t change it for the world.”

His authenticity, humor, and down-to-earth attitude won him a massive fan base throughout the season, ultimately helping him clinch the win.

Shona McGarty Finishes Third and Reflects on Her Journey

Shona McGarty, known for her long-running role on *EastEnders*, was announced as the third-place finisher. During her exit interview, she reflected on her time in camp and highlighted her unlikely but heartfelt connection with fellow contestant and rapper **Aitch**.

McGarty revealed she felt protective over him despite his confident public persona.

“When he arrived, he had that big rapper energy, but I could see he was nervous underneath,” she explained. “We come from similar backgrounds, so I naturally felt like a big sister and wanted to make sure he was okay.”

She also addressed her brief—and controversial—stint as camp leader, joking about her short-lived “reign,” which collapsed after the infamous “butter incident.” Laughing as Ant & Dec brought it up, she said, “I saw my moment and took it! Was it worth it? Yes!”

She hinted that she wasn’t solely responsible, teasing: “I thought maybe Alex forgot to tell me the butter was in the trunk. She had the salt and pepper... Meanwhile, Ginge got away with murder!”

Tom Read Wilson Takes Second Place After a Standout Performance

Charming *Celebs Go Dating* personality Tom Read Wilson claimed second place, endearing himself to audiences with his graceful demeanor, poetic flair, and surprising toughness during challenges. His overwhelming positivity made him a beloved finalist.

Tom and Ginge shared a warm moment during the final episode, showcasing the camaraderie that defined much of this season.

The Final Bushtucker Trials: A Grueling Fight to the Finish

The finale featured three custom-designed Bushtucker Trials—one for each finalist—each designed to push them to their limits.

Shona’s Trial: “Rat Race”

Shona was the first to face her trial. Strapped inside a small, restrictive box, she had eight minutes to retrieve four stars using only her mouth. She was surrounded by rats, bugs, and

other critters, creating one of the most physically and psychologically demanding challenges of the series.

Despite the intense conditions, she kept calm and completed her trial with determination.

Tom's Trial: "Bushtucker Bonanza"

Tom's culinary challenge had viewers cringing—and cheering—as he confronted some of the most stomach-churning dishes ever featured on the show.

The menu included:

- A fermented duck egg paired with a scorpion
- Camel brain
- Pig vagina
- A huntsman spider

In a moment that even Ant & Dec couldn't believe, Tom consumed the entire fermented egg in one gulp. Ant reacted instantly:

"Oh! That's a first! Twenty-five years and no one's ever swallowed it whole!"

Tom passed all four dishes, securing his stars with quiet determination and trademark elegance.

Ginge's Trial: "Helmets of Hell"

The final trial belonged to Angryginge, who faced four separate "helmets" filled with escalating horrors:

1. **Mealworms and toads**
2. **Crickets, cockroaches, and lizards**
3. **Scorpions and snakes**
4. **Rats and spiders**—the latter being Ginge's greatest fear

Despite moments of visible terror, he powered through and earned all four stars, winning the desserts and drinks for the final feast.

A Well-Earned Final Feast: What Each Finalist Ate

The final meal is a beloved tradition, and the three celebrities savored every bite.

Drinks of Choice

- **Shona:** Diet Coke
- **Ginge:** Classic Coca-Cola
- **Tom:** A celebratory coupe of champagne

Starters

- Shona: Prawns pil pil
- Ginge: Double cheeseburger and chips
- Tom: Smoked salmon

Main Courses

- Shona: Boiled bacon and cabbage
- Ginge: Pepperoni pizza *and* chicken tenders
- Tom: Venison with red wine jus, dauphinoise potatoes, and broad beans

Desserts

- Shona: Chocolate fudge cake with double cream
- Tom: Chocolate fudge cake
- Ginge: Carrot cake

The three stars enjoyed a well-deserved moment of comfort after weeks of minimal rations and high-pressure challenges.

Shock Elimination Ahead of the Finale: Aitch Leaves the Jungle

The biggest surprise of the weekend came when rapper **Aitch**, previously a frontrunner to win, was eliminated. He took his exit with good humor and grace.

“I love Shona to death,” he said. “If she wins, she deserves it. Same with Tom—what a legend. But that crown really needs to head back to Manchester, so my vote is Ginge.”

His friendship with Shona became one of the most talked-about dynamics of the season, sparking fan speculation and numerous memes across social media.

Why Angryginge Won the Nation’s Heart

Fans celebrated Angryginge’s win across social platforms, praising:

- His honesty
- His unexpected vulnerability
- His hilarious commentary
- His ability to stay grounded under pressure
- His evolution from nervous newcomer to strong competitor

His journey resonated with viewers, making his crowning moment feel earned and heartfelt.

A Memorable Season Comes to a Close

With its blend of humor, drama, emotional depth, and unforgettable challenges, *I’m a Celebrity 2025* delivered one of the strongest seasons in recent years. The finale served as a fitting

conclusion, leaving audiences with new fan favorites, iconic moments, and a new King of the Jungle.