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DON'T EVEN BOTHER trying to guess who goes auf Wiedersehen! The hit sci-fi/fantasy makeup competition show *Face Off* returns for Season 6 tonight by instantly throwing the contestants (like mannequin maker Tess Laeh, above) off their game and into a *Project Runway*—type battle involving models and a fashion show. "And it gets more unpredictable

from there," says host McKenzie Westmore. "The fans will be shocked by the outcome this season. The game keeps shifting in the craziest ways, and some seemingly surefire finalists really fall apart."

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Westmore, a fourth-generation member of Hollywood's famed makeup dynasty, says her Oscar-winning dad, Michael Westmore (Mask)—who mentors the Face Off contestants—can usually predict the winner by Episode 2. Not this time. "He was in a quandary right to the very end," she says. "And, trust me, it takes a lot to knock him off his feet." The winner gets \$100,000 plus a car and, very likely, a ticket to the big time. "Our contestants have gone on to work in the Spider-Man and Hunger Games films," Westmore says. "Cash is great, but, in this squirrelly business, nothing beats a job!"—ML

