



**MEAN GIRLS (2004) +
MEAN GIRLS (2024)**
(4K Ultra HD Blu-ray)
Paramount Home Ent.

Put on your sweatpants and get ready for a totally grool double feature, as the world celebrates 20 years of trying to make fetch happen as the original, wickedly funny *Mean Girls* arrives. Released in theatres on April 30, 2004, *Mean Girls* became an audience and critical hit. After living in Africa with her zoologist parents, Cady Heron (Lindsay Lohan) must brave the wilds of high school where she is taken under the wing of the popular girls, The Plastics, led by the cool and cruel Regina George (Rachel McAdams). What follows is a treasure trove of sharp, witty humor that defined a generation and inspired countless catchphrases, a hit Broadway musical, and a new twist on the tale in 2024. Co-starring and written by Tina Fey, and featuring Amanda Seyfried, Lacey Chabert, Lizzy Caplan, Daniel Franzese, and Amy Poehler, *Mean Girls* is nothing short of a pop culture phenomenon and an iconic classic. Fey's brilliantly satirical and eminently quotable screenplay brought to life with hilarious performances by the exceptional cast made the film a pop culture sensation that continues to earn new fans 20 years after its theatrical debut. This special 20th anniversary release comes in a collectible hot pink case with a limited-edition sleeve featuring the infamous Burn Book and includes a brand-new featurette entitled "Mean Girls: Class of '04."

In addition to the 20th anniversary release detailed above, *Mean Girls (2024)*, this year's new twist on the modern classic from Fey, and includes more than 30 minutes of bonus content and a sing-along version featuring lyrics to select songs from the film. The comedic mind of Fey presents a new twist on the modern classic *Mean Girls*. New student Cady Heron is welcomed into the top of the social food chain by the elite group of popular girls called "The Plastics," ruled by the conniving queen bee Regina George. However, when Cady makes the major misstep of falling for Regina's ex-boyfriend Aaron Samuels, she finds herself prey in Regina's crosshairs. As Cady sets to take down the group's apex predator with the help of her outcast friends Janis and Damian, she must learn how.

**MEAN GUNS -
SPECIAL EDITION (Blu-ray)**
MVD Reunited Collection

The world's most dangerous criminals are summoned to a new prison on the eve before its grand opening by Moon (Ice-T), the ruthless leader of the world's most powerful crime syndicate. Chaos ensues when weapons and ammunition are passed around and the group, including Lou (Christopher Lambert) begin their fight to survive. The last three men standing by midnight have been promised \$10,000,000 in cash by Moon, who watches from his surveillance camera as gunfire and bodies fly. Rivalries develop

between friends and the lines of loyalty are crossed as each criminal attempts to outwit, outrun and outlive the other in the action-packed game of elimination.

**FOGHAT - SLOW RIDE: LIVE
IN CONCERT**
(Blu-ray)

Cleopatra Entertainment
Foghat - Slow Ride: Live in Concert gives us undistilled Foghat, recorded and filmed live over two months in Texas in 1999, shortly before front man Dave Peverett's premature death at the age of 56. The power and drive of these classic songs come ringing through and are a celebration of Foghat's vision and talent, many years since the band exploded onto the world in 1970. Track list features: Drivin' Wheel - Somebody's Been Sleepin' in My Bed - Stone Blue - It Hurts Me Too - Rock Your House - Sweet Home Chicago - Angel of Mercy - Fool for The City - I Just Want to Make Love to You, and ends with the title track *Slow Ride*.

**GOODBYE UNCLE TOM -
4-DISC LIMITED EDITION**
(4K Ultra HD)
Blue Underground

The film considered too shocking for the world! Written, edited, produced and directed by Gualtiero Jacopetti and Franco Prosperi, this epic recreation of the American slave trade atrocities was both condemned as depraved exploitation and acclaimed as an unprecedented cry of Black anguish and rage. *The Detroit Chronicle* hailed it as 'a graphic, moving, nerve-paralyzing film.' Legendary film critic Pauline Kael called it 'the most specific and rabid indictment of the race war.' It became one of the most reviled and misunderstood films of its time. Five decades cannot diminish *Goodbye Uncle Tom's* impact or quiet its controversy as it has become even more relevant today! In 1971, distributors forced the filmmakers to completely re-cut the film and radically re-write its extreme narration, removing more than 13 minutes of race-war politics and inserting alternate scenes. Now more than 50 years later, both versions of *Goodbye Uncle Tom* can finally be seen in brand-new restorations.

AGONIE (DVD)
IndiePix Films

A female university student is savagely murdered. Her head, torso and limbs are found discarded in various dumpsters around Vienna. There is no apparent motive for the crime. Christian is a quiet young man studying law who works part time at the concession counter of a nearby movie theater. Alex is an image-conscious aspiring boxer and rapper who just returned from the military. Either could have committed this grisly act of rage and violence, but which one is responsible? In this probing character study based on actual events, first-time director David Clay Diaz explores the mind of a killer in a "brave breakout drama" that features "brilliant young performers, struggling against an invisible antagonist of expectation and desire"

The time has come, the walrus said,

TO TALK OF MANY THINGS of shoes and ships and sealing wax of cabbages and kings

by Sal Giarratani

**TAKE YOURSELF DOWN TO
BILL ASH'S THIS SATURDAY**



If you like good music, you better take yourself down to Bill Ash's on Revere Beach this Saturday night. Because on stage will be Take Me Down. Dominic Petrosino says this is one electrifying band. Don't miss out on some great listening and dancing to music. This is an OVER 21 EVENT from 9:00 p.m. until 1:00 a.m. I'll be there and so should you.

**GOING McBALLISTIC
IN FLORIDA**

A Florida McDonald's customer choked, slugged, pistol-whipped and shot off the pinky of another customer all because he didn't get sauce with his order. The culprit was charged with a number of offenses after the wild fast-food rage back on April 16th.

Apparently, the guy was ticked off when he didn't get his sauce, walked up to the drive-up window and began screaming at the employee. All this over some missing sauce?

RATS GET

THE MUNCHIES, TOO

America isn't just going to the dogs; it appears it is going to the rats too. The New Orleans Police Department (NOPD) has been complaining they can't stop rats, yes, those dirty rats, who've taken over the Evidence Room. It seems these rats are eating up all the marijuana being held in custody for upcoming criminal cases still under investigation. Yeap, the whole world is going to pot.

THE BUCK STOPPED

WITH HER?

According to the state Comptroller's Office, then Suffolk County D.A. Rachael Rollins was in charge of spending in the district attorney's office.

Rollins was in charge of the office's state-issued P-card and its use. Reportedly, during her time as a county district attorney, she used her taxpayer-funded Bank of America credit card on fancy dinners from New York City to Boston and beyond. She was reportedly responsible for overseeing credit card use. The Comptroller's office issues guidelines but they are just guidelines.

Rollins moved on from the district attorney's office and was then appointed U.S. Attorney here in Massachusetts where she remained until resigning

CLEANING UP THE EAST BOSTON GREENWAY TOGETHER



Michelle Moon, State Representative Adrian Madaro, Rocco and Meghan Naas were part of the community-wide effort last Saturday, April 20th

The Friends of the Mary Ellen Greenway hosted a Clean Up day to celebrate Earth Day with Eastie Gals on Saturday, April 20th. The event was sponsored by the Friends of the Mary Ellen Greenway and Eastie Gals.

For more information on the Mary Ellen Greenway, please visit www.maryellenwelchgreenway.org

**RIGHT HERE IN
GREATER BOSTON**

after getting caught up in a possible ethics violation scandal. She lost her law license last May 19 and recently was reinstated by the Board of Bar Overseers to practice law in Massachusetts once again.

She is now working for Roxbury Community College in a part-time \$80,000 surely no-heavy lifting job. I am sure it was a nation-wide search in which the community college picked the most qualified applicant, right? No wait, we're talking Massachusetts here, I think the job search wasn't that extensive, the net most probably pretty small. What say you out there?

**SMOKEY ROBINSON IS
STILL SINGING NEW STUFF**

Over the weekend, I was listening to SIRIUS XM-74 to Smokey's Soul Town and heard one of Smokey's newest songs "How You Make Me Feel?" and it has all the makings of another future Classic R&B hit. He's still got that voice that killed it back in the day.

**A GASTRONOMIC HIKE
AT THE PUMPS**

Across the nation in California in one Silicon Valley town, motorists are now forking over \$7 per gallon for fuel. The eye-popping price was found at a Chevron gas station in Menlo Park, CA. Filling up a 20-gallon tank would cost nearly \$150 OUCH!

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
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(781) 865-4000

Docket No. M124C0343CA
In the Matter of
DAVONTE JORRELL BAKER

CITATION ON
PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by Davonte Jorrell Baker of Malden, MA requesting that the court enter a Decree changing his name to D.J. Jorrell Baker.

IMPORTANT NOTICE
Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at: Middlesex Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of May 07, 2024. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.

Witness, HON. TERRI L. KLUG CAFAZZO,
First Justice of this Court

Date: April 09, 2024
Tara E. DeCristoforo, Register of Probate
Run Date: 04/26/2024

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Estate of
ANITA M. ABBIS
Date of Death: December 17, 2023

**INFORMAL PROBATE
PUBLICATION NOTICE**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Shirley Marotta of Westborough, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate. Shirley Marotta of Westborough, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court; but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

Run date: 04/26/2024

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