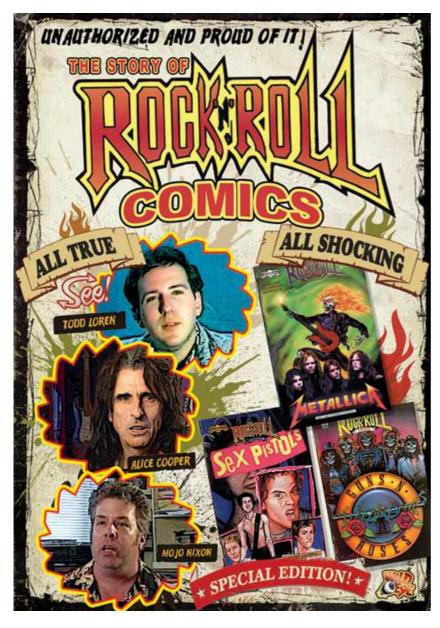


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The Story Of Rock 'N' Roll Comics: NYC DVD Release Party, Theatrical Screening, and more



The Story Of Rock 'N' Roll Comics is coming to NYC for a multi-event celebration of the DVD release on April 24...

On April 23, Forbidden Planet (840 Broadway, NYC) will host a release party/artists signing from 6:00pm to 8:00pm. Original *Rock 'n' Roll Comics* artists will be in attendance signing old issues of *RnR Comics*, trade paperbacks, DVDs, etc. Original copies of the actual comics will be randomly given away to attendees. Artists confirmed include Jay Allen Sanford, Spike Steffenhagen, and Robert V. Conte. Also in attendance will be director Ilko Davidov, doing a Q&A session and signing DVDs.

Following the release party, Cinema Village (22 East 12th Street, NYC) will host a screening of the film at 9:00pm. It will be followed by a Q&A with the director and artists. Free copies of the DVD will be given away to random attendees at the theater.

Then on April 28 and 29, Nitehawk Cinema (136 Metropolitan Avenue – Brooklyn, NY 11249) will host a "Rock N Roll Comics" brunch at 12:00pm. The brunch includes food, drinks and a screening of the film, followed by a special Q&A session with cast and crew.

The Story Of Rock 'N' Roll Comics charts the short and controversial life of publisher Todd Loren, whose scandalous series of unauthorized comic book biographies of rock stars enraged and sometimes charmed his subjects, provoked numerous lawsuit threats from the likes of Bon Jovi, Guns N Roses and Skid Row, and eventually led to a landmark First Amendment case, all before he was savagely murdered in 1992.

This documentary mixes animation and eerie home video of Todd Loren along with interviews and commentary that reflect the range of opinions regarding his cultural legacy – Including firsthand accounts from many of the artists and writers who were inspired and exploited by Loren, all peppered with insights from both the Rock & Roll and comic book communities from such luminaries as Alice Cooper, Gary Groth, Ian Shirley, Mojo Nixon and more.

Details:

- * S.R.P.: \$19.99
- * Running Time: 80 minutes
- * Features: Over two hours of bonus features, extended interviews, TV news clips, commercials, trailers and a *Revolution Comics/Rock 'N' Roll Comics* cover art gallery. Liner notes from *Rock 'N' Roll Comics* co-creator Jay Allen Sanford, as well as from rock critic Rob O'Connor.
- * Release Date: April 24, 2012

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