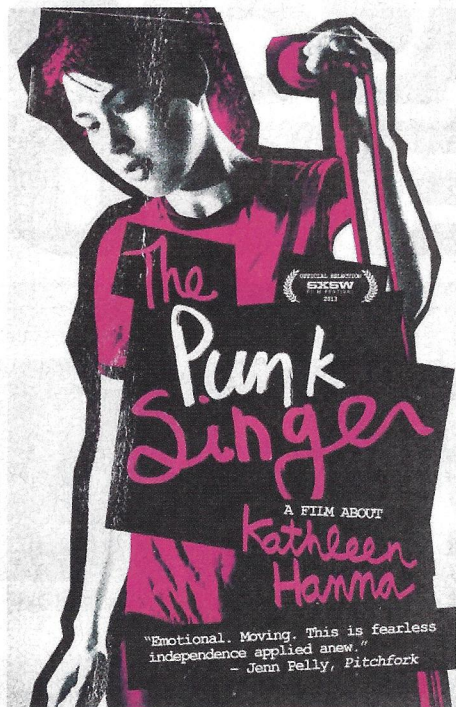


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IFC Films dropped *The Punk Singer* on DVD late last month. Through 20 years' worth of archival footage and interviews with those active and present on the scene during the 1990s riot grrrl movement, *The Punk Singer* tells the story of iconic feminist punk singer **Kathleen Hanna** of **Bikini Kill** and **Le Tigre**, who dropped out of the scene in 2005. Featured interviews include those



with Hanna's husband **Adam Horowitz** of the **Beastie Boys**, **Joan Jett**, **Kim Gordon** of **Sonic Youth** and actress/writer **Carrie Brownstein**. For further details, contact Michelle Wanat at Michelle.Wanat@SapkarPR.com.

Republic Records, a division of **Universal Music Group**, just dropped *The Walking Dead AMC Original Soundtrack Vol. 2* EP on iTunes and all digital retailers. The EP is the third installment of tracks from the popular



zombie television series. It features five new and unreleased songs inspired by and featured in the show: **Portugal. The Man's** "Heavy Games," **Sharon Van Etten's** "Serpents (Basement)," **Lee DeWyze's** "Blackbird Song," **A.C. Newman's** "Be Not So Fearful," and **Ben Nichols's** "This Old Death." Contact Kimberly.Harris@UMusic.com.

Punk In Africa, which dropped on DVD March 11, deserves a shout-out for relating a story rarely told of the multi-racial punk movement in the southern African countries of South Africa, Mozambique and Zimbabwe. Music and interviews from area artists including **Suck**, **Wild Youth**, **Safari Suits**, **Power Age**, **National Wake**, **KOOS**, **Kalahari Surfers**, the **Genuines**, **Hog Hoggidy Hog**, **Fuzigish**, **Sibling Rivalry**, **340ml**, **Panzer**, the **Rudimentals**, **Evicted**, **Sticky Antlers**,

Freak, **LYT**, **Jagwa Music**, **Fruits and Veggies** and **Swivel Foot** contribute to the film's illustration of punk subculture against a backdrop of political and economic upheaval. Directors **Keith Jones** and **Deon Maas** followed a timeline from the early 1970s to present day. Find out more about the film at <http://PunkInAfrica.com> or by contacting **Clint Weiler** at Clint@MVB2B.com.

On May 2, *For No Good Reason* starring **Johnny Depp** opens in L.A. to offer a look at life and art from the viewpoint **Ralph Steadman**, iconic 1970s British cartoonist best known for illustrating several of **Hunter S. Thompson's** articles and books including **Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas**. Steadman captured the times through his art the way **Thompson** captured it through writing. Director **Charlie Paul** collected footage and created animations over a 15-year period for the film, which features contributions from **Terry Gilliam**, **Richard E. Grant** and music from **Slash**, **All American Rejects**, **Jason Mraz**, **James Blake**, **Ed Harcourt** and **Crystal Castles**. For more information on the film, contact **Alexandra Glazer Meltzer** at AGlazer@BK-PR.com.

The Doors R-Evolution DVD, which dropped early this year through **Eagle Rock Entertainment**, is a critically acclaimed film that breaks outside the bounds of most documentaries on the **Doors** and combines the band's early television appearances with the band's own music films to illustrate their journey to a place of creative control. For further details, contact **Carol Kaye** at Carol@KayosProductions.com.

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Manchester, NH's **Geek Dynasty** seeks expert geeks including "fanboys, trivia goons, techies, nerds and those that make this world work" to discuss television, movies, comics,