



**THE GUYVER – LIMITED COLLECTOR'S EDITION**  
(4K Ultra HD + Blu-ray + CD Soundtrack)  
**Unearthed Classics**

Unearthed Films brings the Sci-Fi/Fantasy classic *The Guyver*, starring Mark Hamill, to Limited Collector's Edition 4K UHD and Collector's Edition Blu-ray for the first time. Each edition features a new 4K restoration packed with bonus materials. When college student Sean Barker (Jack Armstrong) finds the Guyver, an alien device that transforms him into a cyborg fighting machine, he inadvertently makes himself a target of the evil Chronos Corporation, who will stop at nothing to get the Guyver back, including kidnapping Sean's girlfriend Mizuki (Vivian Wu). Sean's only hope is a mysterious CIA agent named Max Reed (Hamill). Together they fight to save Mizuki, keep the Guyver out of Chronos' hands and stop their ultimate goal of world domination. The Guyver is an epic superhero action adventure that you won't soon forget. The 4K UHD + Blu-ray + CD Soundtrack Limited Collector's Edition includes new commentary with co-directors Screaming Mad George and Steve Wang, a new interview with producer Brian Yuzna and co-director Screaming Mad George, outtakes with commentary by co-directors Screaming Mad George and Steve Wang, a new gag reel, a new production and artwork gallery, an alternate title sequence, trailers, and The Guyver soundtrack, composed by Matthew Morse. The Blu-ray Collector's Edition includes new commentary, a new interview with producer Brian Yuzna and co-director Screaming Mad George, outtakes with commentary by co-directors Screaming Mad George and Steve Wang, a new gag reel, a new production and artwork gallery, an alternate title sequence, and trailers.

**KINDRED (DVD)**  
**IndiePix Films**

Adrian Russell Wills and Gillian Moody have been best friends for more than two decades. When they first met while making a short film, these kindred spirits felt an undeniable connection. Both were aboriginal children adopted by white families in Sydney's northern suburbs — and, later in life, they each shared similar desires to reconnect with their bloodlines. In this moving documentary, Wills and Moody — both documentarians themselves, turned the cameras on themselves — and poignantly recount their emotional searches for love and belonging, providing a deeply personal journey into isolation and identity for two individual who continue to navigate the complexities of living in two different worlds.

**SHERLOCK HOLMES/SHERLOCK HOLMES AND THE DEADLY NECKLACE**  
(Blu-ray)  
**Severin Films**

Having first portrayed the legendary detective for Hammer Films in 1959, Peter Cushing

enthusiastically returned to the role of Sherlock Holmes for this 1968 BBC television series co-starring Nigel Stock as Dr. Watson. Though most of the shows were forever lost, these six surviving episodes — including the two-part *The Hound of The Baskervilles* adapted by award-winning playwright Hugh Leonard — showcase Cushing at his elementary best, with guest stars that include Madge Ryan, Ann Bell, Nick Tate and Gary Raymond. This definitive presentation of *Sherlock Holmes* — which also includes the classic cases *A Study in Scarlet*, *The Blue Carbuncle*, *The Boscombe Valley Mystery* and *The Sign of Four* — is now restored from BBC tape protection masters. **SHERLOCK HOLMES AND THE DEADLY NECKLACE:** Shortly after their hit collaboration on *The Hound of The Baskervilles*, Christopher Lee and director Terence Fisher, returned to Holmesiana for Lee's sole feature film portrayal of the world's greatest detective. Shot in Berlin with Hammer regular Thorley Walters as Dr. Watson, Lee considered it to be "one of the best things I've ever done because I tried to play Holmes really as he was written — as a very intolerant, argumentative, difficult man." Senta Berger and Ivan Desney co-star in this 1962 West German-French-Italian co-production produced by Artur Brauner from a screenplay by Curt Siodmak and based on Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's *Valley Of Fear*.

**HOMEWORK (Blu-ray)**  
**Unearthed Classics**

*Homework* follows Tommy (Michael Morgan), a young "rock star" who is also a virgin. As he tries to lose his virginity to local high school girls, a classmate's mother (Joan Collins) decides to make a man of him. The story unfolds through the promiscuous, funny, and sometimes touching life of the young high schooler. By the end of Tommy's senior year, he's ready to take on the world.

**THE INSPECTOR WEARS SKIRTS 3 / THE INSPECTOR WEARS SKIRTS 4**  
(Blu-ray)  
**88 Films**

Inspector Kan (Stanley Fung), now married to Madame Wu (Sibelle Hu), has been instructed to train the Banshee Squad Members after Madame Wu goes into semi-retirement. For their next mission, the Squad is assigned to go undercover into a Casino Ship to nab a group of thieves responsible for stolen law enforcement and military weapons. **THE INSPECTOR WEARS SKIRTS 4** To save the Hong Kong Police Force's Banshee Squad from becoming defunct, the struggling new squad members seek the help of former officers Amy (Sandra Ng Kwan Yue), now a divorced mom with a young kid, and May (Kara Hui), now partially mentally-unstable, to help them with their training regiment, led by Madame Yang (Cynthia Khan). Their police skills are put to the test when they are ordered to nab a band of brutal thugs in the city.

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

**ZUMIX SUMMER CONCERT SERIES 2024**

The ZUMIX Summer Concert series is back again. It all happens at Piers Park on Sundays from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Free for All ages with ZUMIX youth openers. Steve Snyder and Don't be Denied brings its brand of rock on July 14 and then for the rest of the summer it's going to be Brazilian, Funk, Jazz and Latino closing out the summer concert series on August 25.

**ZUMIX WALK FOR MUSIC JULY 14TH**

Learn more about the WALK and sign up to fundraise at [zumix.org/donate/walk-for-music](http://zumix.org/donate/walk-for-music).

**FATHER DAN MAHONEY, RIP**

I have known Father Dan Mahoney since 1968 when he showed up at St. Francis de Sales parish in Charlestown way up on Bunker Hill Street towering over the entire neighborhood. Back then, I lived on Pearl Street and I was 20 years old. I would eventually move back to East Somerville again before returning to the Town in 1975 where I ended up on Winthrop Street across from Engine 50.

Shortly after returning, Father Mahoney was named pastor of St. Francis de Sales and remained so until his retirement in June 2022.

He passed away on June 11th and last week I went over to pay my respects to a great priest who I had been friends with for more than 50 years. I will miss him as well so many others who were lucky enough to know him and be counseled by him. With all the negative news back over 20 years ago, Catholics in Charlestown had one special priest who knew why God put him on this earth. I would also be remiss not to mention his more than 50 years as a chaplain of the Boston Fire Department.

**SACRED HEART / EASTIE SUMMER COOKOUT**

Mark it down now. Sunday, August 25th, from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Games, raffles and more. Stop by the rectory or see one of the ushers after Mass. **NEWEST POLLING ON BIDEN NOT LOOKING GOOD**

After that train wreck by Biden at the podium during his debate with former President Trump, a staggering 82 percent

of those polled believe he needs to drop out of the race before Trump wins in a landslide. The Democrats are supposed to be the party of the people and not the party trying to pull the wool over the people's eyes.

**CAUGHT UP WITH TONY V AT THE PARADE**



John E. Powers with Tony V  
(Photo by Sal Giarratani)

During the Bunker Hill Day Parade over in Charlestown, I marched with John E. Powers III who is running this year for Suffolk Clerk of Courts (civil division). While marching up Monument Avenue, I spotted my old friend Tony V, a great stand-up guy I introduced to Powers and snapped a photo of the two. Too bad Steve Sweeney wasn't around. That would have been even a better photo!

## Bocce & Biscotti on the Greenway

by Sal Giarratani



Regina Marchi, Debra Cave, Meghan Naas, and Joe Ciampa

The Friends of the Mary Ellen Welch Greenway held a Bocce & Biscotti Night on Friday, June 7th. The bocce courts are located on the Greenway in Bremen Street Park, behind the YMCA.

Friend and neighbors took turns, playing in 4 teams. Team Captains Frank Gerardi and Enzo Leone instructed players throughout the night and managed the score board.

The Friends of the Mary Ellen Welch Greenway will host more Bocce nights, in hopes to turn it into a league. For those interested in playing on your own, you may "rent" bocce sets, rake and broom at the YMCA during normal business hours at no cost.

The Friends thank Massport for the bocce court upkeep and maintenance, complete rehab and the YMCA for their



Katie Calandriello takes a shot

partnership. By the way, this was my first bocce game in 20 years, the last time I played, it was over at the Bocce court in the North End. Back then, I thought bocce was "Italian Bowling" until an old player set me straight and he beat me too. That guy played bocce like he was the Babe Ruth of Bocce.

Check out the website for more information at [maryellen-welchgreenway.org](http://maryellen-welchgreenway.org)



Frank Gerardi making sure the court is up to par



Sal G (far left)