

NEWS

**WHOA, NELLY!**  
Geffen Records' singer/songwriter Nelly Furtado has released her new, Timbaland-produced album *Loose*, which we can only hope she is after seeing her current PR photo.



PHOTO BY ANTHONY MANDLER

**KISS THE CURE**

Rhino Records revisits The Cure at its mid-'80s peak by bringing together three of the band's classic albums: *The Top*, *The Head on the Door* and *Kiss Me, Kiss Me, Kiss Me*. Each is remastered and comes with a second disc of rare and unreleased bonus material, as well as booklets featuring track-by-track commentary. The package also includes complete lyrics, vintage photographs and personal pictures and memorabilia from Robert Smith's private archives. —T.F.



PHOTO BY TOM FARRELL

**WHEN BROKEN SAINTS GO MARCHING IN**

*Broken Saints* is the first animated epic of the Internet generation. This innovative fantasy-horror series was created specifically for the Web, using Flash animation to bring its comic book-style storytelling to life with cinematic flair and suspenseful sound design. The four-disc, special-edition DVD collects all 12 hours of the groundbreaking saga and has more than three hours of behind-the-scenes features and tons of Easter eggs.

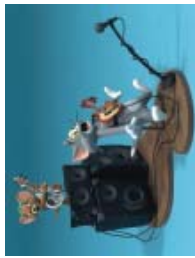
The moody but compelling story follows four troubled souls from the far corners of the globe. A cynical computer hacker, a Muslim mercenary, an aging Japanese priest and a mysterious orphan girl are drawn together—and into a deadly worldwide conspiracy—by their apocalyptic visions of the future. Naturally, it's up to them to save the world.

With digitally remastered graphics and audio, plus new voice-overs from top talents in the field, the visually stunning and spiritually probing narrative is even more spectacular on DVD. This universally acclaimed extravaganza is sure to impress any anime or sci-fi fans on your list this holiday season. From Fox Home Entertainment. —K.W.



**ROCK CATS**

McFarlane Toys pays homage to Hanna-Barbara's unforgettable dueling misfits Tom and Jerry with a rock 'n' roll-themed action figure set that would make a fine gift for cartoon fans and collectors alike. The series also includes finely detailed action collectibles from *The Flintstones*, *Quick Draw McGraw* and *Hong Kong Phooey*. —K.V.



**GIANT VILLAGE**

LOS ANGELES, August 5, 2006

Giant Village made summertime Los Angeles even hotter with one of the biggest events to hit North America in '06. Beneath massive skyscrapers, four blocks of downtown served as the venue for the night, with stages and music everywhere. Headlining the festivities were Paul Oakenfold, John Digweed, Deep Dish, Crystal Method (pictured above), Christopher Lawrence and 19 other D.J.s. It was a memorable, one-of-a-kind bash that had to be personally experienced to be believed. —R.B.



PHOTOS BY RICK BRENES

DVD REVIEWS

SIX AWESOME STOCKING STUFFERS

**THE DUDESONS**  
*Rhino*  
*The Dudesons Movie*

From the icy reaches of Finland come the wild and crazy Dudesons, four bersek buddies who redefine lunacy. For fans of Jackass and *Viva La Bam*, the Dudesons will have you howling as they suffer for their extreme-sport-and-mayhem lifestyle. —T.F.



**VARIOUS**  
*Bastards of Young*  
*Art & Industry*

This two-disc celebration of the "emo" scene goes onstage and behind the scenes with fan-friendly DIY groups like Thursday, Jimmy Eat World, Taking Back Sunday, Fall Out Boy and many more. Bonus features include over 90 minutes of extended interviews with band members and over an hour of complete live performances. —K.W.



**SAM KINSON**  
*In Your Face Pack*  
*Genius*

This four-DVD box set offers some of the late comic's greatest concerts and specials, including "Outlaws of Comedy," "Breaking the Rules" and "Family Entertainment Hour." The fourth bonus disc is a collection of some of Sam's hilarious home movies, including an eventual trip to Hawaii. —K.V.



**VARIOUS**  
*Put the Needle on the Record*  
*MVD*

Director Jason Rem's award-winning documentary shines a new and revealing light on the evolution of the DJ in pop music. Filmed primarily at the Winter Music Con (attended by 20,000 electronic heads) with global footage as well. Tons of interviews and live shots. The best of its genre. —T.F.



**NICK CANNON**  
*Wild 'N' Out: The Illest Improv*  
*MTV Home Entertainment*

Hip comedian Nick Cannon had us in stitches with his unabashed, in-yo-face digs at some of rap's finest with his former MTV show. You can recapture all of his clever street comedy from the first season, packed with ten episodes and extras. —T.F.



**BEAVIS AND BUTT-HEAD**  
*The Mike Judge Collection*  
*Volume 2*  
*MTV/Paramount*

This latest *Beavis and Butt-Head* release gathers up 40 episodes handpicked by Judge (17 of which have never been on DVD before). Extras include 13 music videos intercut with 8&8 commentary, a documentary, promos, montages and more! And look for *Volume 3* on the shelves as well. —K.V.

