



A new title from **Black Uhuru** with **Sly & Robbie**, called *Dubbin' It Live*, is coming to the DVD market June 6 through **Music Video Distributors**. During the late 80's and 90's, Sly & Robbie focused on studio work and revolutionized Jamaican music by turning Reggae into Dancehall. They introduced such acts as **Chaka Demus & Pliers**, **Beenie Man** and **Elephant Man**, produced **Simply Red**, **the Fugees**, and **Sting**, and released records such as the Grammy winner *Friends*.

After 10 years away from touring, Sly & Robbie reunited with Black Uhuru to push the boundaries of Jamaican music. This DVD captures an unedited, uncut, entire June 1002 concert in Nyon, Switzerland at the **Paleo Festival**. It can be ordered exclusively at www.musicvideodistributors.com.

Meanwhile, **MVD** and **Moistboyz** have announced the home viewing release of *Moistboyz - Live Jihad* for North American distribution on DVD. This notorious 18-song set, filmed and recorded at Bowery Ballroom in NYC on September 10, 2005, features material found on all four of **Moistboyz** records.

Formed in 1994 and comprised of songwriter/guitarist **Mickey Moist** (a.k.a. **Dean Ween**) and lyri-

cist/frontman **Dickie Moist**, the Moistboyz here present their anti-P.C. worldview punctuated by subversive humor in one intense punk-metal performance on their very first DVD. Order it directly from www.musicvideodistributors.com, or for more information, contact **Clint Weiler** at MVD, 1-800-888-0486 ext. 115.

There's a new **Son Volt** DVD coming soon, titled *Live: 6 String Belief*, that captures the band in



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rock & roll mode, unleashing roaring guitars and stabbing drum beats. **Jay Farrar's** typically erudite lyrics ring true on a huge set list that spans his entire career from **Uncle Tupelo** to the gorgeous piano-tinged "The World Waits For You." For further information about this upcoming item, visit www.shorefire.com/artists/sonvolt.

Following on the heels of the *Sleeper Cell* soundtrack CD, **Showtime** releases a special edition DVD box set of their **Golden Globe**-nominated original series. The album, co-produced by **Nona Hendryx** and **Paul Haslinger**, contains six songs by written Haslinger, the Emmy- and Grammy-nominated producer/musician/composer. Hendryx performs on three, marking her first new music in 10 years.

The former **Labelle** member helms her own **Rhythmbank Entertainment** where she discovers and mentors new talent. She wrote 11 songs for **off-Broadway** play *Blue*, which starred **Phylicia Rashad**, and new to theaters is the feature film titled *Preaching To The Choir*, for which Hendryx composed the score, co-wrote songs with **M1** (Dead Prez) and **Razhell** (the Roots), and wrote an Afro-gospel song "Run and Tell Jesus," performed with **The Broadway Inspirational Voices**.

Hendrix also appears in the film in a cameo role beside **Labelle** bandmate **Patti LaBelle**, starring in the film as a choir director. For additional information, contact **ISL Public Relations**, 212-541-7595.

Songrunner Entertainment, industry veteran **Mason Cooper's** new music supervision and music rights management company, has kicked off operations by supervising film and television projects including *The Sensation of Sight* starring Oscar-nominee **David Strathairn**; *All In* starring **Michael Madsen**; and *CMT Greatest Moments: Shania Twain*.

Songrunner is set to begin music supervision for two additional **CMT** network specials, as well as a feature film that recently commenced filming in New Orleans. For additional information, contact **Mason Cooper** at 818-470-1018 or visit www.songrunner.com.

A capacity house filled the Beverly Hills Ballroom in the **Beverly Hilton Hotel** for the **Academy of Magical Arts Awards Show & Banquet**, presented in association with Hollywood's historic **Magic Castle**. The evening included performances by the world's greatest magicians, award presentations, and a Certificate of Congratulations presented by **John Brady** from the office of **Mayor Antonio R. Villaraigosa**.

A musical performance came from Oscar-winning composer and lyricist, **Richard M. Sherman** and singer **Nicholas Manelick**, and a



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moving tribute to American serviceman and women introduced by **Buzz Aldrin**, with a musical segment performed by **Deborah Gibson**.

These awards are presented each year by the **AMA's** Board of Trustees. The Academy was created in the pages of *GENII The Conjuror's Magazine* by its former editor and publisher, **William W. Larsen, Sr.**, in 1952. For more information, contact **Steve Moyer**, 818-784-7027.

Hank Sinatra Presents the Songwriters Series TV show is offering its programs through its website, www.songwritersseries.com. The series is gearing up for its third season and has its first distributor, the **Austin Music Network**. The new distribution is the result of the sponsorship by the new start-up, online radio station, **TexasRadio1.com**, as a television component to their internet radio broadcast.

Hank Sinatra Presents the Songwriters Series features songwriters performing live in an intimate outdoor production setting. *The Songwriters Series* season runs from March to November with live concerts each month. For more details and to view the show, log on to www.songwritersseries.com.

Penthouse TV is looking for an in-house composer to create original music tracks for a variety of broadcast, mobile and Web-based projects. The ideal candidate will be proficient in **Apple GarageBand**, **Logic** and/or comparable software. Interested parties are invited to send three samples in MP3 format to penthousetvresumes@gmail.com. Samples should be no longer than one minute each and should be in these three styles: sexy, rebellious and funky.

JustEnough has launched a new streaming video service to