

# New On DVD & Blu-Ray

**Pompeii** Paul W.S. Anderson directs this period disaster film centered on the story of a Pompeii gladiator who races to save his true love as Mount Vesuvius prepares to erupt in A.D.79. After rising out of slavery to become a gladiator, Milo (Kit Harrington) falls for radiant merchant's daughter Cassia (Emily Browning), who is being coerced into marrying a nefarious Roman Senator. Meanwhile, as the lava starts to flow, Milo must escape the arena and rescue Cassia before they are both turned to ash. CarrieAnne Moss, Adewa Akinnuoye-Agbaje, Jared Harris, and Kiefer Sutherland co-star. Sony

**Parts Per Billion** Led by a star-studded ensemble cast, Parts Per Billion tells the story of three couples forced to make life-defining decisions in the face of a biological catastrophe that threatens to destroy the human race. As the pandemic spreads and civilization is thrown into chaos, generations old and young must each make the ultimate decision that leaves us wondering: will love survive? Stars Frank Langella, Gena Rowlands, Rosario Dawson, Penn Badgley, Teresa Palmer and Josh Hartnett. Millennium Entertainment

**Bushido Man: Seven Deadly Battles**

**Martial Arts Movie Marathon:** Manchu Boxer, The Association, The Skyhawk, Dragon Tamers Manchu Boxer: A young martial artist joins a boxing tournament with vengeance on his mind. The Association: A male and female cop go undercover to sneak into an international ring of white slavers. The Skyhawk: Three martial artists in Thailand and take on a local crime boss and his thugs. Dragon Tamers: A Chinese martial artist student comes to Korea with the intention of challenging a Taekwondo master. He soon meets a group of people belonging to the several martial arts dojos which are localized in the area, and are being attack by a mysterious gang who intend to take control of the schools. Stars: Angela Mao, Sammo Hung, James Tien, Nora Maio, Carter Wong. Shout

**Yu-Gi-OH Season 5** Yugi and his friends Joey, Tristan, and Tea can't get enough of Duel Monsters, a new card game craze. Employing a variety of strange and fascinating creatures, the game draws players into battles beyond the wildest imagination. When Yugi's grandfather gives him an ancient Egyptian puzzle, he uncovers the secret that will forever change his life and his status in the game! This program contains each episode from season five of the YU-GI-OH series. Funimation

**Yu-Gi-OH Season 5 - Volume 1** After four seasons of searching for answers, Yugi finally uncovers the secrets of his ancient past! Through the magic of the three Egyptian God Cards, Yugi and his friends are suddenly transported 5,000 years back in time! Now they must battle the ultimate evil force to save the world from devastation, for if the past is destroyed, so is the future! This explosive release from the fantastical anime series YU-GI-OH! includes the first 18 episodes from the series' fifth season, following the story of Yugi, a timid boy whose life is forever changed when he's granted the power of his own powerful, dark self, who comes out whenever Yugi or his friends are threatened. Cinedigm

**Weekend at Bernie's** It sounded like a great weekend away at their boss Bernie's beachside pleasure palace. But when working stiffs Larry and Richard (McCarthy and Silverman) arrive to find a real stiff - their murdered boss - they're forced to concoct a crazy scheme to avoid being implicated and/or dead themselves! With Bernie propped up and his death effectively covered up, Richard and Larry's weekend getaway becomes exactly that as they dodge curious babes, a curtain of bullets and one confused hit man! Fox

**Gloria** A vibrant Chilean divorcée falls for a handsome ex-naval officer, but finds any chance for lasting happiness hinging on her willingness to confront a painful chapter from her past. In the wake of her divorce, 58-year-old Gloria (Paulina García) is determined to live her life to the fullest. Her children have all grown up and moved out, so rather than sit home alone, Gloria spends much of her time at local nightclubs and singles parties. Later, just when Gloria has started to realize that her active new lifestyle offers precious little emotional sustenance, she's swept off her feet by a dashing former naval officer in his sixties. Before long she's dreaming of a bright future with him. But true love never comes easy, and before Gloria can enjoy her twilight years with the man who makes her feel truly fulfilled, she must make peace with a harsh truth that could drive him away forever. Lionsgate

**Labor Day** Adapted from the novel of the same name by Joyce Maynard, stars Kate Winslet as Adele, an emotionally shaky single mom to Henry (Gattlin Griffith). As the twosome shop for clothes Henry will wear when he begins seventh grade after the long Labor Day weekend, the boy is accosted by Frank (Josh Brolin), an escaped convict with a bleeding wound on his stomach. Frank manipulates Adele into letting him hide out at their house, and soon the seemingly scary man shows a strong domestic side and, in just a few days, develops a deep bond with both Adele and Frank. Co-starring Brooke Smith, J.K. Simmons, and Tobey Maguire. Paramount

**Happy Days Season 5** Relive the original moment that Fonzie (Henry Winkler) rises to the challenge and "jumps the shark," leather jacket, swim trunks and all! Space creature Mork from Ork (guest star Robin Williams) visits the peaceful Cunningham household and newcomers Chachi (Scott Baio), Lori Beth (Lynda Goodfriend), and Leather Tuscadero (Suzi Quatro) take the stage for the first time. These 27 unforgettable episodes feature the whole gang, Richie (Ron Howard), Potsie (Anson Williams), Ralph (Donny Most) and all the good times that made Happy Days Season Five an iconic part of television history. Paramount/CBS

**Bushido Man: Seven Deadly Battles** A student of martial arts is on a quest to seek seven scrolls containing the fighting secrets of seven different disciplines: stick, knife, sword, kung fu, nunchaku, firearm, and special weapons. Along the way, he must learn his enemy's ways by what they eat, and bring both secrets and stories of his adventures home to his master. Featuring blistering martial arts, comedy, and food, Bushido Man will leave you with a taste for more than just action. Stars Mitsuki Yoga, Yoshiyuki Yamaguchi, Masanori Mimoto. Shout

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**The New Adventures of Superman Season 2 & 3** The New Adventures of Superman: Seasons 2 & 3 depicts the first time that Superman, his alter ego Clark Kent, and award-winning journalist Lois Lane will be seen in animated form since they were immortalized in short films during the 1940s. Produced by Filmation studios, this animated television series features 32 action-packed episodes that should not to be missed by fans and families alike. This release compiles all 32 episodes from the second and third seasons of the animated series The New Adventures Of Superman. Warner

**McLintock** The battle of the sexes goes into full throttle in this madcap Western. McLintock is a successful, hard-drinking, rabble-rousing cattle baron whose town is named in his honor. When Katherine, his estranged wife, arrives back in town to seek a divorce, they immediately lock horns and brawl like two alley cats -- often in public. Besides his hot-tempered wife, McLintock also has to contend with his daughter and her suitors, a confrontation between homesteaders and cattlemen, and the government's problems with the local Comanche. Paramount

**The Rogers & Hammerstein Collection Box Set** featuring six classic Rodgers and Hammerstein musicals: State Fair, Oklahoma, Carousel, The King And I, South Pacific, and The Sound Of Music. State Fair Good old-fashioned hometown pride is on exhibit in lavish Technicolor in this remake of the 1933 film, the only Rodgers and Hammerstein musical written directly for the silver screen. When the Frake family travels to the fair, Ma and Pa (Charles Winninger and Fay Bainter) enter contests while daughter Margy (Jeanne Crain) and son Wayne (Dick Haymes) both fall in love for the first time. STATE FAIR is attractively photographed and energized by the vibrant performances of the talented lead actors and actresses, but the high point of the film is the colorful hoopla and hullabaloo of the fair itself, a bustling nexus of strange, wonderful, and hilarious characters brought to life by the fine supporting cast. Songs from the Academy Award-nominated score include "It's a Grand Night for Singing," "That's For Me," and the Oscar-winning "It Might As Well Be Spring." Oklahoma Rodgers and Hammerstein's musical about a love triangle in the midst of the Oklahoma land rush is adapted to the screen featuring the enduring songs "People Will Say We're in Love," "Oh, What a Beautiful Mornin'," "Oklahoma!" and more. Shirley Jones' debut, this panoramic film was actually shot in Arizona! Academy Award Nominations: 4. Academy Awards: Best Sound Recording and Best Scoring of a Musical Picture. CAROUSEL Spectacular staging dots this widescreen deluxe Rodgers and Hammerstein musical as Gordon MacRae brings a blustery energy to the lead role of Billy Bigelow, a drifter and ne'er-do-well carnival barker. The troubled soul finally settles down with a good woman (Shirley Jones) but then gets stabbed to death while committing a robbery. Many years later, an angel offers the roustabout the chance to return to earth for just one day to makes things right for his unhappy wife and the daughter he never had the chance to meet. Based on the French play LILION by Ferenc Molnar, CAROUSEL ranks among the better Rodgers and Hammerstein musicals, making it a classic by any standard. To boot, the film's tale of love between Bigelow and wife Julie rivals that of any other 1950s musical. Songs from the outstanding score include "If I Loved You," "June Is Busting Out All Over," and "You'll Never Walk Alone." The King And I Rodgers and Hammerstein's Broadway musical, adapted from Margaret Landon's fact-based novel and the 1946 film ANNA AND THE KING OF SIAM, makes a spectacularly successful move to the silver screen in the Yul Brynner tour de force THE KING AND I. Brynner, reprising the role he'd polished to perfection on stage, plays the blustering, headstrong Siamese potentate who meets his match in the form of Anna Leonowens (Deborah Kerr), the prim and proper English widow he's hired to oversee the rearing of his huge, unruly flock of children. South Pacific Love blossoms on a paradisaical South Seas island during World War II in this splashy screen production of the hit Broadway musical. A Navy nurse falls for a French planter, an American lieutenant woos a fetching native girl and an assortment of sailors lust after female military personnel. All this amorous activity, with the attendant problems of interracial romance, provide fodder for the some of Rodger & Hammerstein's most famous and well-loved tunes, including "I'm Gonna Wash That Man Right Out of My Hair," "Bali Ha'i," and "Got to Be Taught to Hate." Sound Of Music is considered one of the greatest screen musicals ever made. Winner of five Academy Awards, including Best Picture and Best Director (Robert Wise), the film, based on a real family and their true events, tells the story of a young postulate, Maria (Julie Andrews), who, after proving too high-spirited for the Mother Abess and other nuns, is sent off to work as a governess to seven unruly children. The Von Trapp family is run, in military style, by the seemingly cold-hearted Captain Von Trapp (Christopher Plummer), a lonely widowed naval officer. Seeing how badly he and his children need companionship, he proposes to the Baroness Schraeder (Eleanor Parker), a calculating, mutual friend of beloved family friend Max Detweiler (Richard Haydn). It is the baroness who soon realizes that it's Maria--with her warmth and love for the children the captain really loves. It is nearly bliss for the newly formed family who loves to sing together--except for the cloud looming over their beloved Austrian horizon: Hitler is ascending to power, forcing Von Trapp to decide whether to join the Nazi party--which he loathes--or force his family to leave their home forever. One of the most memorable scores ever written (by Rodgers and Hammerstein) and breathtaking performances by Andrews, Plummer, and the seven children mark this classic as one of the world's most favorite films. Fox

**Eastern Bandits** Set during the Japanese invasion of China, a former soldier named Gao longs for revenge against the occupying forces in his country, but lacks the power to do so. He finally gets his chance, however, when he joins up with a fiercely loyal brotherhood of outlaw bandits led by a charismatic leader named Fang. With his new criminal family's mix of brute force, loyalty, and firepower, revenge could be within all of their grasps. Well Go

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**Rawhide Season Eight Final Season** Rowdy Yates (Clint Eastwood) is promoted to trail boss as the iconic Western with the classic theme song rides on into the sunset. This release brings together every episode from the eighth season of RAWHIDE, which would be the final run of shows for the popular series that followed the exploits of men driving cattle across the old west. The series gave Clint Eastwood his breakthrough role as Rowdy Yates. Paramount/CBS

**Great Expectations** A rising artist, flourishing with the help of a benefactor, falls fruitlessly in love with his wealthy childhood playmate, who has grown to be a beautiful coquette. But the nefarious influence of her eccentric, spiteful maiden aunt taints their relationship. A stylish, heavily romantic updating of the eponymous Dickens classic, staged in 1970s south Florida. Bancroft, as the "Miss Havisham" character, steals the show. Fox

**The Good Witch's Garden** Cassandra 'Cassie' Nightingale has settled into Middleton and is busy making a home of Grey House. Her boyfriend, Sheriff Jake Russell, and his kids are happy to have Cassie in the neighborhood, but she has yet to gain the trust of some people in town. Before long, a stranger rolls into town with papers entitling him to legal ownership of Grey House. Before she knows it, Cassie is left without a home and is convinced Middleton isn't where she belongs. Ultimately, everyone will learn holding on too tightly to something can make it more likely that thing will slip through your fingers.. Stars: Catherine Bell (Army Wives), Chris Potter (Hairspray), Rob Stewart, Matthew Knight, Hannah Endicott-Douglas, Peter MacNeill, Catherine Disher. Cinedigm

**Still Mine** An elderly New Brunswick man attempts to build a new home for his ailing wife, and gets caught up in bureaucratic red tape in this tender drama inspired by a true story. The son of a shipbuilder, 89-year-old Craig Morrison (James Cromwell) lives in rural St. Martins with his beloved wife Irene (Geneviève Bujold). Occasionally ornery yet always self-sufficient, the elderly farmer succeeded in keeping his traditional farm afloat even in the era of industrial agriculture. When Irene's memory starts to fade, however, Craig realizes that the large farmhouse they've shared for decades may no longer be suitable for them. Craig may be old, but he's still good with his hands, and before long he's begun construction on a cozy new home where they can spend their twilight years together. From the moment the first walls go up, however, meddlesome government inspector Rick (Jonathan Potts) seems determined to stop construction. Meanwhile, as Craig casually carries on with the project amidst a barrage of stop-work orders, Irene's condition grows progressively worse. If he's going to get the house built, he'll need to do it soon. Subsequently summoned into court for refusing to halt construction, a defiant Craig refuses to back down, even if it means going to jail before the house is finished. Fox

**Nikita: Season 4 Final Season** Framed for assassinating the U.S. president at the end of Season Three, Nikita is the world's most wanted woman. alone, on the run and trying to clear her name. When she unexpectedly reunites with her old team - ex-fiancee and mentor Michael, former protegee Alex, tech genius Seymour Birkhoff and ex-CIA analyst Ryan Fletcher - they struggle to heal past betrayals while attempting to take down their nemesis Amanda, discovering in the process a vast conspiracy that threatens a global catastrophe. With wild card Sam back on the scene, emotions run high and counterespionage runs deep as Nikita battles to be true to her mission. Stars international action star Maggie Q in the title role. Warner

**Barney: Happy Birthday Barney** When Barney's birthday arrives the kids throw him a special party with an extra special surprise: all of the people he loves! Riff worries that his homemade present isn't good enough - until Barney explains that sharing a gift from the heart is the best gift of all. When it's Layla's birthday, Barney and Layla use their imaginations to explore more about her family heritage. Come along for all of the birthday fun and surprises with Barney and his friends! The kids throw Barney a birthday party, but Riff worries that her homemade present won't be enough. In the process, everyone learns an important lesson about caring and friendship. Lionsgate

**Thomas & Friends: Railway Mischief Inders and Ashes!** There's trouble on the tracks for Thomas and his friends. Gordon and Cranky don't want to listen to Really Useful advice from Paxton and Kevin. Scruff, Winston and Stafford lose track of themselves, causing confusion and delay! Sometimes engines need a little help from their friends to chuff and puff Full Steam Ahead! The engines lose track of their delivery schedule when they elect not to take advice from their peers. Hit Entertainment

**Fargo** The Coen brothers' black comedy revolves around a crime orchestrated by a desperate, debt-ridden man--and its unexpected results. In dire need of money, Jerry Lundegaard comes up with a plan: Hire two thugs to kidnap his wife, Jean; make Jean's rich father shell out the ransom; and then use the money to pay off both the kidnapers and his creditors. But what appears to be the perfect crime goes seriously awry when the goons murder three people after abducting Jean. As a result, they soon have an intelligent--and very pregnant--police chief named Marge Gunderson investigating the clues they've carelessly left behind. The criminals must now collect the ransom before Marge puts all the pieces together... but that turns out to be a lot harder than they thought. Fox

The Bunker is a fictional war torn valor story of heroism, set in the uncharted lands of "The Ho Bo Woods" in southern Vietnam 1965. Following a bogus ghost hunt for a missing Special Forces unit lead by a man they call Ranger. Pvt. Johannes Schenke (Han), an engineer, attempts to save an alleged nVa (North Vietnamese Army) operative, a Vietnamese girl named Kim-Ly, along with his fellow comrades who have been captured by Ranger and his renegade Special Forces squad while operating out of an abandoned nVa bunker. Stars Ken Shamrock, Mike Brown, Jess Webe. Inception