

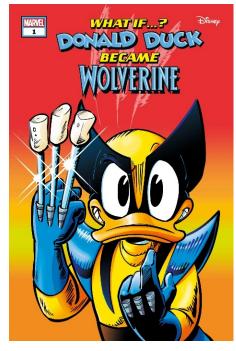
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#### Peep Show #15

(By Joe Matt & Friends) [Fantagraphics Books, Inc.]

And all of the other July 2024 comics, inside!

Plus... What If Donald Duck Became Wolverine? (By Barbeiri & Perissinotto) [Marvel Comics]



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#### **Band of Bards**

**Ignis Quadrant #1 (of 5):** Montana Bones is a hard-drinking, foul-mouthed gunslinger who has seen more bad days than good. His penchant for helping people somehow always seems to end with him getting his ass kicked on every planet he visits. But he has no idea the mess he's gotten himself into when a local gangster, and a brilliant scientist with amnesia, wander into his local watering hole. Written by Evan Carothers with art from Jezreel Rojales. 44 pages for \$6.99

#### **Black Mask Studios**

How To Steal An Election (Before Someone Else Does) #1 (of 3): Roxanne Bronner is newlv elected а Congresswoman taking a longshot swing in the Presidential Primary, but her campaign is derailed by a doxxing of her secret past as teenage cam girl. Abandoned by her campaign team and kicked out of the Democratic Primary, Roxanne seeks help from a chaoticanarchic old frenemy: hustler extraordinaire Beebee Ghraib, who guides Roxanne to launch a raucous, no-holdsbarred third party campaign-but what starts as a burn-it-all-down revenge spree escalates into a wild odyssey of seizing Democracy from politicians' cold dead hands. Written by Matteo Pizzolo with art from Elisa Pocetta. 36 pages for \$4.99

#### **Boom! Studios**

Hello Darkness #1: A brand new ongoing anthology series featuring the best in modern Horror, Fantasy, and Mystery, not





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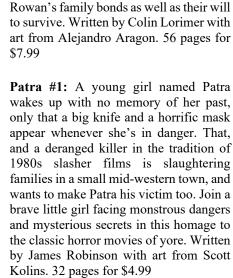
to mention the darkest stories yet from a murderer's row of world class creators including Garth Ennis, Becky Cloonan, James Tynion IV, Brian Azzarello, John Arcudi, Sas Milledge, and SO MANY more! Everything from primal fears to modern political horrors will be explored, in the classic style of *Creepy* and *Eerie* and the contemporary chills of *Black Mirror*. 48 pages for \$5.99

Sea Magic #1 (of 6): Falling in love with a pirate is the last thing that Lolo expected as a teenage siren, but before she can steel herself, an apprentice swashbuckler named Jewelle steals her heart. Such an unlikely romance comes with dire consequences, and Lolo must lure victims—and her parents have chosen a tragic target for her. Will Lolo and Jewelle find happiness? Written by Tee Franklin with art from Paul Kellam. 32 pages for \$4.99

#### **Dark Horse**

Gilt Frame #1: Orphaned as a boy, Sam was taken in by his Aunt Merry who has an eccentric taste for antiques and travel. Together, Sam and Merry have solved some of the most notorious murders in the world. True to form, their Parisian vacation is cut short when they stumble upon a murder scene so bizarre that only a raging psychopath could have produced it. They have to wrestle with jewel thieves, art forgers, gun-runners, a lost puppy, and a master French detective, who may just solve the crime before they do... Written by Matt & Margie Kindt with art from Matt. 64 pages for \$9.99

Midst: Address Unknown #1: When their ramshackle postal ship crashes on a mysterious new landmass, siblings Rowan and Ogden have to make the best of it. Adventurous Ogden convinces reluctant Rowan to make a fresh start in the strange



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dangers that will challenge Ogden and

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#### **DC Entertainment**

Absolute Power #1: The combined might of Failsafe and the Brainiac Queen has at last given Amanda Waller the ability to steal the metahuman abilities of every hero and villain on planet Earth. As chaos erupts in the streets and a massive misinformation campaign sways public opinion to her side, the founder of the Suicide Squad methodically targets each superhero dynasty one at a time, starting with Superman. But even in this darkest of hours, a resistance is forming... and Batman is out for vengeance. Written by

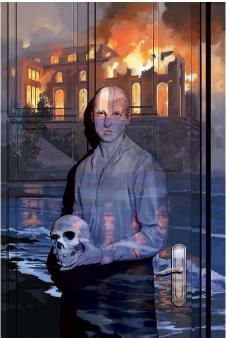


Mark Waid with art from Dan Mora. 40 pages for \$4.99

Absolute Power: Ground Zero #1: This special oversize issue brings Waller's total dominance to the doorsteps of the world's nest heroes, using the combined might of Failsafe, Brainiac Queen, and the Suicide Squad to do it. Writing from Mark Waid, Joshua Williamson, Nicole Maines and Zdarsky with art from Melnikov, Skylar Patridge and V Ken Marion. 48 pages for \$4.99

Absolute Power: Origins #1: The tale of how one woman lost everything she held dear...powerless beneath the forces of senseless acts of chaos. The path of vengeance would bring her to two simple words that would change her life—and the lives of the entire DCU—forever: NEVER AGAIN. Written by John Ridley with art from Alitha Martinez. 32 pages for \$3.99

Absolute Power: Task Force VII #1 (of 7): With the assault on Metropolis's heroes complete, Amanda Waller's latest living weapon, the Last Son, sets his sights on the other most powerful supers in the DCU...the Marvel Family! Will their combined powers be enough to survive this terrifying threat? A biweekly series as told from the point of view of the Trinity of Evil. Written by Leah Williams with art from Caitlin Yarsky. 32 pages for \$3.99 Nice House By the Sea #1 (of 12): No one who was invited to the House knew Max—but she knew each and every one of them. Masters of their fields, titans of industry and knowledge, they all represented the best and brightest of humanity. So when Max whispered to each of them the truth of what they deserved—to be saved from disaster, to carry on the ame of civilization in a paradise built just for them—they all leaped at the chance. Why not? Why



shouldn't they be the ones to live forever? Isn't it their destiny to survive the culling of the lesser herd? Wouldn't being named the future of humanity be...nice? 48 pages for \$4.99

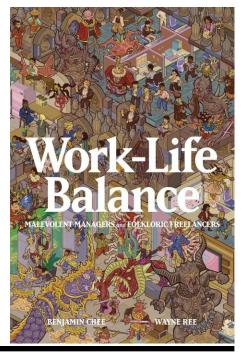
This Land Is Our Land: A Blue Beetle Story: Jaime Reyes is an ordinary high school student in El Paso, Texas, with a deep love for his family, culture, and home. But lately he's begun to realize that he and his border community are being used as pawns in an increasingly toxic immigration debate. His problems get even more complicated when he finds an odd bug-like artifact while stargazing. He starts feeling a little different—like there's another voice in his head pushing him towards his most base instincts. And to make matters worse, he's been having surreal dreams that show him that the true threat El Paso faces isn't "illegal aliens," but actual aliens known as the Reach. In fact, according to his dreams, Jaime is



meant to pave the way for the Reach's impending invasion... Written by Julio Anto with art from Jacoby Salcedo. 208 pages for \$16.99

#### **Difference Engine**

Work Life Balance: Malevolent Managers & Folkloric Freelancers: When a menacing multinational arrives on our shores, familiar creatures like pontianaks, manananggals, raksasis, and ba jiao guis are forced out of their jobs. Some give in and sign up for mundane corporate life—but others would rather fight than join the broken-spirited hordes

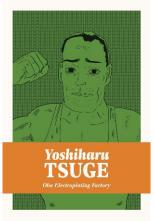


of the (desk)bound. Benjamin Chee's comics and Wayne Rée's prose intertwine in this collection to bring you Southeast Asian mythology in an even more familiar setting: the realm of dead-end work, glass ceilings, and truly hellish bosses. 192 pages for \$20

#### **Drawn & Quarterly**

**Oba Electroplating Factory:** The fourth of seven planned volumes of Yoshiharu Tsuge's complete works, and he just keeps getting better. Glimpses of the artist reflecting upon his life, his work, and his contemporaries pepper the narrative

landscape: a wife teases her husband about а former fling on a trip to the hot springs, а young cartoonist is aghast at the cavalier conduct of his supposed betters, and imperfect



men must grapple with the discomfort of their own honesty. Tsuge's stories are studies in staging nature, working to evoke stillness and movement in such a way that renders his chosen setting a character all on its own. 272 pages for \$29.95

#### Dynamite

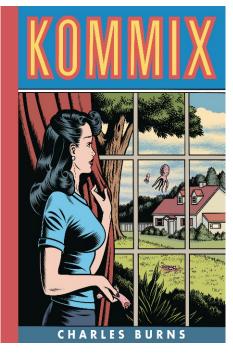
**The Powerpuff Girls #1:** The girlies are back and they are basically exactly what you remember! Hooray!! Written by Kelly



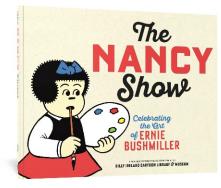
Thompson with art from Paulina Ganucheau. 32 pages for \$4.99

#### **Fantagraphics**

**Kommix:** Charles Burns drew 80 covers for comics you never knew you wanted, but will never get to read. Still—dope art is dope art. 80 pages for \$24.99



The Nancy Show: A companion catalogue of original art, memorabilia, and more from "The Nancy Show," a 2024 exhibition honoring Ernie Bushmiller at the Billy Ireland Cartoon Library & Museum. This book includes reproductions from the museum show, including over 100 pieces of original



artwork, with special bonus material. Edited by Peter Maresca & Brian Walker. 152 pages for \$22.99

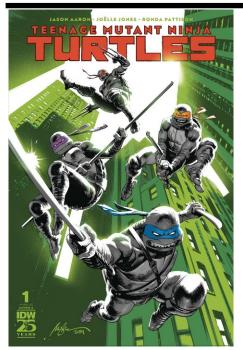
**Peepshow #15:** When cartoonist Joe Matt unexpectedly passed away in 2023 at the age of sixty, it appeared that any hope of seeing new work from the master cartoonist would die with him. Notoriously slow, Matt had been working on a new issue for 17 years – since the previous issue was published in 2006. After his death, it was discovered that the entire issue was complete aside from four uninked pages. Thanks to Matt's cartoonist friends, Peepshow #15 will finally see print, and it's an event worthy of celebration. Detailing his move to Los Angeles in 2003 to pursue an ill-fated HBO series, Peepshow #15 is Joe Matt at his Joe Mattiest. 36 pages for \$6.99

#### Humanoids

What We Wished For GN: On the night a mysterious comet passes overhead, a group of kids encounter a supernatural being who promises to grant them one wish each, but they take too long and the comet passes. 35 years later, the comet returns...and their wishes begin to come true. What We Wished For is an extraordinary exploration of the sweeping concerns of our time-gender and sexuality, isolation, technology, power, polarization-filtered through a funhouse mirror of magical realism and experienced through deeply relatable characters whose desires, foibles, and failings are nothing compared to their heart-wrenching humanity. Written & drawn by Ilias Kyriazis. 136 pages for \$22.99



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#### IDW

**Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles:** The Turtles have all left New York to pursue their own interests, but there are forces gathering that will pull them back together—whether the bad guys like it or not. First up: Raphael! But why is everyone's favorite brawler in prison?! When a surprise attack behind bars puts Raph's position in jeopardy, he needs to figure out how to get out of jail and warn his brothers that trouble is coming. If you fell off years ago, consider jumping back in with Jason Aaron coming on with art from Joelle Jones. 32 pages for \$4.99

#### **Image Comics**

**The Domain #1 (of 5):** When three best friends discover a crashed UFO, they also



discover technology that gives them incredible abilities! But there's a catch: only one of them can use the powers at a time! Can their friendship survive the power's temptation? In the pages of Zdarsky's Eisner-winning series, PUBLIC DOMAIN, Syd Dallas and the team at Dallas Comics reimagine their classic character THE DOMAIN for a new audience. Written by Chip Zdarsky with art from Rachael Stott. 24 pages for \$3.99

**Free Agents #1:** A team of young veterans have fought every day of their existence and won a terrible victory. Now they're stranded on Earth, free agents for the first time. But when relics from their long war appear, threatening their chance at better lives, their greatest battle begins. They've fought for a million planets. Can they fight to save their own souls? Written by Kurt Busiek & Fabian Nicieza with art from Stephen Mooney & Triona Farrell. 48 pages for \$3.99



**Spawn Kills Every Spawn #1 (of 5):** What happens when you find out you're not the only Hellspawn? What if you also find out you're not the coolest Hellspawn? Easy—you kill them all! Written by John Layman with art from Rob Duenas. 24 pages for \$2.99

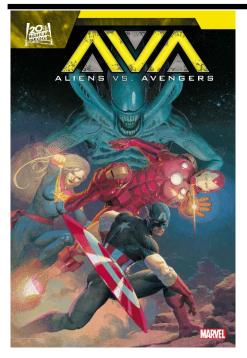
Witchblade #1: New York City Police Detective Sara Pezzini's life was forever fractured by her father's murder. Cold, cunning, and hellbent on revenge, Sara now stalks a vicious criminal cabal beneath the city, where an ancient power collides and transforms her into something wild, magnificent, and beyond her darkest imaginings. Written by Marguerite Bennett with art from Giuseppe Cafaro & Arif Prianto. 48 pages for \$4.99

#### **Mad Cave**

Flash Gordon #1 : Flash awakes on a secret prison planet somewhere in the galaxy. Upon learning that Dale Arden is the subject of an assassination plot, he's forced to break out and make his way across the galaxy to save her. Along the way, he encounters old friends, new threats, and a greater mystery surrounding who is pulling the strings of this universe. The first exciting issue in an all-new ongoing series! Written by Jeremy Adams with art from Will Conrad. 28 pages for \$4.99

The Last Wardens #1 (of 6): With an alcoholic father and a hole in her wallet, Danielle Pryer's life in the rustic town of Bleakwood goes from bad to worse when her long-lost brother, Bruce, returns from the Vietnam War. While Bruce is being plagued by a mysterious and monstrous mutation, he is also being hunted by an incompetent team of paranormal misfits, which leads to Bleakwood quickly becoming ground zero of a supernatural battle that forces Danielle to choose between everything she holds dear and the fate of the world as a whole. Written by Elliot Sperl & Amit Tishler with art from Rui Silveira. 28 pages for \$4.99





#### Marvel

Aliens vs. Avengers #1 (of 4): Avengers. Xenomorphs. Jonathan Hickman. Esad Ribic. This is likely all some of you will need to know to sign up for this, which is a good thing as this is all of the information Marvel's solicits gave us. Aside from it being \$7.99 for 48 pages.

X-titles: From the ashes a new beginning (again)! The Age of Krakoa is over, and a line-wide X-Men reboot begins this month: Cyclops and Beast are in Alaska,

rebuilding from the ground up in X-Men #1, by Jed Mackay and Ryan Stegman; in Geoffrey Thorne and Marcus To's X-Force Forge assembles a black ops team to work for mutantkind from the shadows. though how stealthy the team will be with Deadpool guest-starring is open to question; five young mutants lay the foundations for the future of their community in NYX #1, from writers Collin Kelly & Jackson Lanzing and artist Francesco Mortarino; and Jean Grey's solo adventures kick off at the edge of a black hole threatening the universe in Stephanie Phillips and Alessandro Miracolo's Phoenix #1. All ongoing, all \$4.99 for these 40-page issues (except X-Men, which is a buck more).

Wolverine: he's the best there is at what he does and on this, his 50th anniversary, he's all over the place: Chris Claremont returns to finally (FINALLY!) tell the tale of Logan's mysterious Australian mission in Wolverine: Deep Cut #1 (of 4) (art by Edgar Salazar); Jim Zub and Ramon F. Bachs make a bold attempt to summarize Logan's byzantine history in the one-shot Life of Wolverine #1: and Luca Barbieri and Giada Perissinotto answer the question which all of us have lost sleep struggling with: What If ...? Donald Duck Became Wolverine? These books are \$3.99 for 32 pages; Life of Wolverine is \$4.99 for 40 pages.

carnage climaxes across a mess of tie-ins and minis. And yet the event doesn't end without some parting one-shots: **Werewolf By Night: Blood Hunt #1** sees the titular lycanthrope changed, repowered, and challenged like never before in a tale by Jason Loo and Adam Gorham; and Banner's quest intersects with the vampire infestation in the forgotten town of Old Tuscon in Philip Kennedy Johnson/Danny Earls' Hulk: **Blood Hunt #1.** \$4.99 for 32 & 40 pages, respectively.

Namor #1 (of 8): Jason Aaron promises to do for Sub-Mariner what he did for Punisher: deliver an epic that will change the character's foundations for all time. Namor is happily cooling his winged heels in a jail cell on the surface, content to be free of the oceans. But a pitched battle by seven kings for the throne of Atlantis threatens to bring him back in and seal his fate for good. Art by Paul Davidson and Alex Lins; \$4.99 for 40 pages.



Black Widow: Venomous #1. One-shot. One event ends, and the next (VENOM WAR!) waits in the wings. This here prelude to that latter event catches up with Natasha Romanoff as she attempts to figure out the slinky, shadowy symbiote bonded to her. Erica Schultz writes; Lucioa Vecchio draws; you pay \$4.99 for 40 pages of spy/symbiote hijinks.





**Blood Hunt**: Marvel's sanguinary, subsonly event concludes this month, and the

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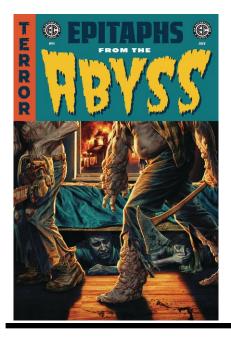
**Biker Mice From Mars #1:** Best friends Throttle Modo and Vinnie were just three motorcycle-riding mice who called Mars home and have always been bad to the bone. But when the ruthless Plutarkians

stage a mass invasion to strip their planet of its precious resources. their antiauthoritar ian streak is going to turn into a fullblow n insurgency. Only the Biker Mice from Mars



can prevent the mass destruction of Earth's neighbor, and the freedom of our entire solar system may just hang in the balance. Written by Melissa Flores with art from Francis Portela. 32pages for \$4.99

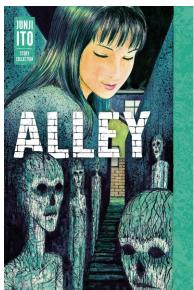
**Epitaphs From the Abyss #1:** The most notorious name in horror comics is back! From the publisher that drove Tales from the Crypt, Vault of Horror, Haunt of Fear, and many more into the depraved hearts of an unsuspecting world, the immortal EC COMICS returns with its first ALL-NEW series in nearly 70 years! Writing from Brian Azzarello, Chris Condon, J. Holtham, and Stephanie Phillips, realized into bloody reality by artists Jorge Fornes, Phil Hester, Peter Krause, and more. What



the Comics Code Authority couldn't kill has only made it stronger...40 pages for \$4.99

#### Viz

Alley: More short stories from the master. Every night, a young man hears children playing outside his boarding house—but the alley below his window is fenced off from the world. Then, when a young woman's family starts acting strangely at the same time she begins having bizarre dreams, she decides to stay with her aunt, but the town she heads for has neither addresses nor roads... Also, an all-youcan-eat ice cream bus that's more sinister than sweet! Written & drawn by Junji Ito. 344 pages for \$25



**Gogo Monster:** Third grader Yuki Tachibana lives in two worlds. In one world, he is a loner ridiculed by his classmates and reprimanded by his teachers for telling stories of supernatural beings that only he can see. In the other world, the supernatural beings vie for power with

malevolent spirits who bring chaos into the school, the students' lives, and nature itself. Written & drawn by the other master, Таіуо Matsumoto. 456 pages for \$40



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