

CONTACT:
Paul Horn
619.294.7681
cooljerk@cooljerk.com

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

DOC SPLATTER OMINOUS OMNIBUS to debut at San Diego Comic-Con International!

DOC SPLATTER OMINOUS OMNIBUS — the eagerly anticipated collection of DOC SPLATTER comic strips — will debut to the comic-reading masses at San Diego Comic-Con International July 23-26, 2009. DOC SPLATTER OMINOUS OMNIBUS is a handsome companion to 2007's COOL JERK VOL. 1: HODABEAST and 2008's COOL JERK VOL. 2: CHICKADOOWA in both design and hilarious content.

DOC SPLATTER OMINOUS OMNIBUS collects every "THE GORE SCORE by Doc Splatter" black-and-white comic strip, created by Paul Horn, 40. DOC SPLATTER was a fixture in the University of Nevada, Reno *Sagebrush* newspaper from 1988-1990. The comic — an advice column of the supernatural — encouraged readers to submit their own letters for THE DOC to answer in visual form. DOC SPLATTER garnered a cult following at UNR but abruptly left in 1990. DOC SPLATTER eventually returned in Horn's other comic, COOL JERK.

THE GORE SCORE single-handedly unites the worlds of comic strips, splatter movies and advice columns. Think "Ask Abby" with a chainsaw and fake blood. Many DOC SPLATTER strips — including some newer ones not in the OMNIBUS — can be found at the COOL JERK site, <http://www.cooljerk.com>.

DOC SPLATTER OMINOUS OMNIBUS collects more than 41 comic strips, all digitally remastered for print. A true omnibus, it also contains known scrap of DOC SPLATTER effluvia from 1988-2006 including photos, sketches, fashion tips, house ads, video karaoke (!) and more. Horn provides commentary for each strip and a comprehensive index. Foreword by pop-culture pundit, author and nerdlebrity Chris Gore. Color cover, black and white interior, 60 pages. The book retails for \$8. DOC SPLATTER OMINOUS OMNIBUS can be ordered on Horn's Web site at <http://www.cooljerk.com/cjstore.html>

Attendees of San Diego Comic-Con International can find Horn — and both of his books HODABEAST and CHICKADOOWA — at the COOL JERK table in the Small Press area, K10.

For more information, contact Paul Horn at 619.294.7681 or cooljerk@cooljerk.com

DOC SPLATTER OMINOUS OMNIBUS
Paul Horn
ISBN 978-1-4243-3785-9

#