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Peter Jackson reveals everything you need to know about the hottest movie of the year

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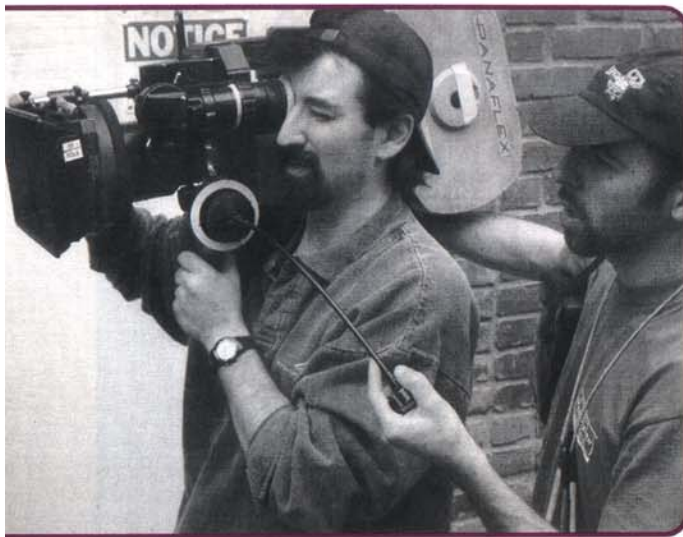
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ON THE DVD...

Son of Ghostbusters

You won't see the scene where the freshly deceased goldfish travels through the white tunnel and winds up in goldfish heaven—complete with a giant fish bowl filled to the brim with tasty fish food—in Jason Reitman's hilarious short film *Gulp*. That's because all four fish actors lived to see the end of production. The dead-goldfish scene was scripted and shot in anticipation of at least one unlucky fish meeting his maker during the shoot, but when that didn't happen, and no one on the shoot could find it in themselves to off one of the suckers, the "heaven" scene was cut. Still, check out this great short film by the son of one of Hollywood's most prolific comedy film producer/directors, Ivan Reitman (*Animal House*, *Stripes*, *Ghostbusters*). *Gulp*, a part of the Ford Focus In Film series, proves that comedic talent runs deep in this family's veins.



Where Stephen King Meets Oliver Stone

\$100 cockroaches (including transportation, handler fee and SAG scale) were out of the question for filmmaker Jay Holben as he shot *Paranoid*, a 7-minute short film in this month's Spotlight Section based on a poem by Stephen King. So he settled for a pair of dung beetles found shacking up alongside horse manure in a local park. Ten complicated takes later (picture, if you will, a dolly on a collision course with a beetle), he had 3 seconds of film that creepily round out this dark, atmospheric piece. A lot of work? Sure, but that was nothing compared to Holben's attempts at getting permission to release it. Check out the film and then hear Holben's tales of making it in his alternate commentary track.



Your Spidey Sense Should Be Tingling

What are the secrets of the Hollywood effects masters at ADI, the team that handled effects not only on the *Tremors* films and *Alien* sequels, but also on next year's *Spider Man*? Find out in our exclusive special effects interview as we take you deep inside their studio.



Also on this month's DVD:

- Trailers from the best new films and DVD releases including *Lord of the Rings*, *The Grinch* and *Swordfish*.
- Hot new music videos from Barenaked Ladies, New Order, Enya and k.d. lang.
- Our feature presentation of the full-length fun family film *Young Hearts Unlimited*, starring Corbin Bernsen and Lesley-Anne Down.

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