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THE FAMILY-FRIENDLY
ACTION ADVENTURE
KUNG-FU COMEDY

ADVENTURES OF JOHNNY TAO

COMES TO DVD JULY 29!

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

MIAMI, FL, May 13, 2008 – MTI Home Video, the leading independent home entertainment studio, will next release **ADVENTURES OF JOHNNY TAO** on DVD on July 29. Directed by former *Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtle,* Kenn Scott, this family-friendly action adventure comedy features computer generated effects by Richard Kidd (*The Matrix, Titanic* and *Chronicles of Narnia*) and high-flying action sequences produced by Marcus Young (*Elektra* and *XXX: State of the Union*).

The film stars Matthew Twining (*The Frightening, One Life to Live*), 5-Time Extreme Martial Arts Champion Matt Mullins (*Kamen Rider: Dragon Knight*), Chris Yen (*Black Rose Academy*), Kelly Perine (*The Drew Carey Show, Under One Roof*), Lindsay Parker (*Flowers in the Attic*), Marianne Muellerleile (*Thank You For Not Smoking, The Terminator*), Michael Gregory (*SWAT, Total Recall*), with James Hong (*Balls of Fury, Bladerunner*) and Jason London (*Dazed and Confused, Too Wong Foo...*).

A Kung Fu Fable... Johnny Dow (Twining) struggles to make a living at his small town gas station by charging motorists to see the electric guitar used by his late father (London), a one-hit-rock and roll wonder. Legend has it that the Guitar, carved in the shape of a dragon's head, was made in part from an ancient spear his father found in the crater of a shooting star. When Johnny's friend, Eddie (Mullins), stumbles upon the other half of the spear he releases an ancient demon that takes over his body, hungry for power and destruction. Mika (Yen), a beautiful Chinese warrior who holds the secret to fighting Eddie and his army of kung-fu, sugar-craving warriors, reveals to Johnny that the only way to stop the evil spirit is to use the first half of the spear - the dragon on Johnny's guitar! Together, Johnny and Mika set out to fight Eddie and his army, reunite the two halves of the spear, restore peace to the town, and - of course - save the world!

The DVD will be shown in 16:9 widescreen format, with 5.1 Dolby digital surround sound, filmmakers commentary, "An Adventure in the Making: The Making of Adventures of Johnny Tao," deleted scenes, music video, interactive menus, scene selection, trailers, and optional Spanish subtitles.

UPC:	039414521122	DVD:	$24.95 SRP
RATED:	PG-13	RUNNING TIME:	90 minutes
GENRE:	Action Adventure	PREMIERES:	DVD
STREET:	July 29, 2008	PREORDER:	July 1, 2008
Year:	2007		

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