Tig Notaro's Professor
Blastoff Podcast tackles all sorts of scientific subjects with her two co-hosts on this brain-

The Battle of amfAR, directed by Rob Epstein and Jeffrey Friedman

> In this riveting HBO documentary, premiering December 2, viewers are taken back to the dawn of the AIDS crisis, when two powerful women-Dr. Mathilde Krim and Hollywood icon Elizabeth Taylor-joined forces to create America's first research foundation to fight the deadly disease.



Universally beloved comedian Tig Notaro teasing weekly show. You'll have a giggle fit while you listen to their goofy takes on everything from the meaning of dreams to religious science, to Punky Brewster.

A Mary Christmas, by Mary J. Blige

up to be equally badass, featuring diverse

Goulding, Patti Smith, Santigold, and more.

tracks from Sia, Christina Aguilera, Lorde, Ellie

It's hard to believe R&B/soul diva Mary J. Blige has never released a collection of holiday songs before. Now she's making up for lost time with a deluxe edition "'ZinePak" that includes not only her brand new Christmas music, but also a 64-page magazine full of interviews, family photos, recipes, and custom gift-tag stickers to make the season even more Mary.



Shoot the Arrow: A Portrait of The World Famous *BOB* by Amy Touchette

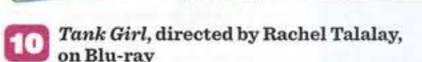
Photographer Amy Touchette spent four years heavily documenting neo-burlesque superstar The World Famous *BOB* for this stunning art book published by Un-Gyve Press. It also features a harrowing and ultimately heroic biography of the performer, in her own words.

The Garden, by the Shondes If you only buy one album this year that combines

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elements of riot grrrl, klezmer, and power pop, make it this one. The band's name may be the Yiddish word for "shame," but the Shondes are surely holding their heads high after this release.





Based on a British comic with a massive cult following, this girl-powered sci-fi romp from 1995 is finally getting the Blu-ray treatment. Bonus features include audio commentary, interviews with director Rachel Talalay and star Lori Petty, a featurette, and more.

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Lizzo's "Batches & Cookies" video (featuring Sophia Eris)

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By Emily Rems

If anyone deserves the kind of insta-fame that only a runaway YouTube hit can provide, it's Lizzo and co., for this infectious jam off her new album LIZZOBANGERS. Here at BUST HQ, we can't stop hitting "replay."



The Unofficial GIRLS Guide to New York, by Judy Gelman and Peter Zheutlin Intrepid travelers inspired by the hipster haunts in Lena Dunham's awesome HBO show will want to pre-game for season three with this guidebook to all the cafes, clubs, and

Bettie Page Reveals All, directed by Mark Mori

In interviews conducted throughout the last 10 years of her life (before her death in 2008), '50s pinup queen Bettie Page provides the narration for this first-ever authorized neighborhoods she made famous. documentary of her tumultuous career. Opens November 29.



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