

Palaye Royale and Van Wild Winners of the Bongo Boy TV's Indie Music Video Contest Spring 2015



MARCH 18, 2015— Bongo Boy TV is excited to announce the winners of their biggest Indie Music Video Contest offered through ReverbNation earlier this year. The winners are Las Vegas based Fashion-Art Rock band [Palaye Royale](#) and their music video “Get Higher” and from Nashville recording artist [Van Wild](#) with her music video “Cherry Tree”.

Watch the “Cherry Tree” video at <https://youtu.be/zuu7nMDICqg>

This six week contest sponsored by Steel Notes Magazine along with Bongo Boy Records reached well over 1.2 million independent artists through super high tech online platform offered by ReverbNation. Palaye Royale and Van Wild will have their music videos featured on The Bongo Boy Rock n’ Roll TV Show this Spring in two episodes.

Both music videos will be premiering later this month with National rotation coast to coast and also in New York City on April 4th 2015. BBTV distribute their TV show series on 32 TV channels with cable companies like NBCUniversal Comcast, Cablevision, Time Warner, FiOS, AT&T U-Verse, Suddenlink, Charter Cable and RCN Network Television. In cities like Nashville, TN, New York City, San Francisco, Portland and across states like New Jersey, Nevada, New Mexico, California, Tennessee, Maine, Florida, Oregon, and many others across the U.S. Viewers have said “watching Bongo Boy TV is like watching MTV when it was cool” a statement Bongo Boy TV is very thrilled with.

Palaye Royale is a Fashion-Art Rock band that is set apart by their artistry & integrity. They are “indie” in every sense of the word; completely “hands-on” from their words & musical arrangements as well as directing & producing their own music videos, to handling their own social media. The band’s look, feel and authentic style make them stand out while they remain true and pure to their music. **Palaye Royale’s** musical output is primarily based around the rock genre, with some classical influences. They independently released their second single, produced by David Bendeth at the House of Loud Studios, with the music video of ‘Get Higher’. The band consists of front-man Remington Leith, guitarist & organist Sebastian Danzig, and drummer Emerson Barrett. Reviewed as being, “One of the best indie rock bands you have to hear”. In a fan voted competition **Palaye Royale** was the first unsigned band to win MTV’s “Musical March Madness” 2014. MTV March Musical Madness – **Palaye Royale** Champions.

Palaye Royale is featured alongside their single, “Get Higher” in the 2014 worldwide commercial for the Samsung Galaxy Note. View the commercial at <https://youtu.be/2ByKyXftUA0>

[Van Wild](#) is a Southern Blues-Rock-Pop musical project by half Canadian, half American singer-songwriter Yasmine Van Wilt. In January she was selected as a Semi-Finalist for the Belk Southern Artist Showcase and performed for ReverbNation and the media at Nashville’s 12th & Porter. Her previous projects have reached #7 in the UK Music Week Charts, beating out Rihanna and Justin Bieber. She has been awarded by numerous organizations including Disney. Cherry Tree placed in the radio chart at #64 on the Activator charts with MediaBase and the music video is also on 150+ stations and in closed circuit TV loop at a number of stores (Macy’s, Steve Madden American Eagle, etc) and hotels (Four Seasons, Caesar’s Palace, etc). She has a Ph.D. in Creative Writing, is a published author and a classically trained actress and performance artist. Her work has been staged across the globe to critical acclaim.

Bongo Boy TV started in 2011 by BMI/Grammy member Gar Francis and musicologist Monique Grimme. They launched

successfully The Bongo Boy Rock n' Roll TV Show Series Presents Indie Music Videos from Around the World which spotlights independent artists and their music videos on Television. Bongo Boy TV is NOT web TV but REAL TELEVISION and is setting out to refresh and remake the indie music television experience by making it current and relevant to today's media savvy audiences. Bongo Boy TV is without soap operas and reality shows they bring your favorite indie band's music videos straight to your living rooms. Recently Go Indie TV Roku Channel has picked up the show series and now TV viewers can enjoy watching it through their Roku gizmo on any smart TV.

Steel Notes Magazine publishes a monthly national online magazine covering everything newsworthy in art, music, fashion, entertainment, & more. They present interviews, videos and photos with national recording artists, plus music, concert, movie, and book reviews. Also included in their magazine are regular monthly feature stories, local, national, and international spotlights, what's happening now, modeling, the weird and unusual... and much much more! Steel Notes Magazine reviewer Michael McKenna has been reviewing the Bongo Boy Rock n' Roll TV show series episodes and publishing his reviews in Steel Notes Magazine. Bongo Boy TV was thrilled to hear that Steel Notes Magazine wanted to partner up as a sponsor for this contest. Bongo Boy TV would like to thank everyone that submitted their great music videos and if you weren't selected as the winning video for this contest we still encourage each to stay in contact with us. Bongo Boy TV is here to support and bring Indie Music Videos to National TV.

Watch the winning music videos by **Palaye Royale** and **Van Wild** in the upcoming episodes of Bongo Boy Rock n' Roll TV Show series Presents Indie Music Videos From Around The World with other talented recording artists music videos from Isabel Rose, Ozonna, Deborah Henriksson, Rawboss, Sarantos and Waheed & the Resistance . Episode 1046 will premier later this month with Nationally rotation coast to coast and Episode 1048 will premier with New York City rotation on April 4th 2015.

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