

Dee Dee Ramone exhibition comes to NYC for the first time ever!

**CELEBRATE THE LIFE, LEGACY AND ART OF RAMONES' FOUNDER
DEE DEE RAMONE AT THE HOTEL CHELSEA STOREFRONT GALLERY**

DECEMBER 10, 2014 – JANUARY 1, 2015

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(November 24, 2014 – New York, NY) - The **DEE DEE RAMONE EXHIBITION** will be held in Dee Dee's home turf of NYC for the first time ever at the **HOTEL CHELSEA STOREFRONT GALLERY (222 WEST 23RD STREET)**, from **DECEMBER 10TH, 2014 – JANUARY 1ST, 2015**. The launch of this exhibit will offer a preview of the soon-to-be-released **FENDER® DEE DEE RAMONE LIMITED EDITION SIGNATURE PRECISION BASS®** guitar, a tool used by the enigmatic Ramone to leave his indelible fingerprint on rock history for generations to come.

This historic exhibition sanctioned by the rock legends' own estate, will celebrate all of the facets of Dee Dee's long-lasting artistic legacy: a founding member of the Ramones, one of the most influential punk-rock bassists and primary, prolific songwriter of world famous group, as well as his work in the visual arts – proving that Dee Dee, who began painting more seriously in 1996, was an artist in every sense of the word. The breadth of Dee Dee's art and achievements is so wide that one of his paintings, to be featured in the exhibit, was recently showcased in a question on America's favorite quiz show *Jeopardy*.

Additionally, what makes this exhibition so incredibly unique is Dee Dee's history with the iconic **HOTEL CHELSEA**, which is not only a place he frequented, and at times lived in, but was also the setting for his 2001 novel *Chelsea Horror Hotel: A Novel*, as well as the focus of many works of art which will be on display in the exhibition. The legendary Hotel Chelsea has been home to generations of writers, artists, musicians, and bohemians and **CHELSEA**

HOTELS is continuing the dedication to its history and support of the arts through this exhibition.

In addition to featuring Dee Dee's art, writings and fashions, the Dee Dee Ramone exhibition will also include iconic photographs by the likes **OF BOB GRUEN, MICK ROCK, CHRIS STEIN (BLONDIE), ED PERLSTEIN, STEPHANIE CHERNIKOWSKI, KEITH GREEN** and more.

Previous exhibits of Dee Dee's work have been held **AT LA LUZ DE JESUS** and famed street artist **SHEPARD FAIREY'S SUBLIMINAL PROJECTS** galleries in Los Angeles, and is now being presented in New York for the first time.

ABOUT DEE DEE RAMONE

Recipient of a Grammy award for lifetime achievement, Dee Dee Ramone (born Douglas Glenn Colvin, Sept. 18, 1951 – June 5, 2002) was a founding member, and primary songwriter in the world famous Ramones. He was the bassist from their start in 1974 until leaving the band in 1989 to pursue a solo career and other endeavors. Dee Dee continued to write songs for the Ramones until they retired in 1996. Dee Dee's multi-faceted art included an ongoing series of paintings, some of which are prominently displayed at the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and museum in Cleveland. His pieces have sold in galleries all over the world for impressive amounts throughout his lifetime and only continue to escalate in value. Dee Dee's gravesite is located at the Hollywood Forever Cemetery in Los Angeles, CA.

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ABOUT CHELSEA HOTELS

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Since 1946, Fender has revolutionized music and culture as one of the world's leading musical instrument manufacturers, marketers, and distributors. Fender Musical Instruments Corporation (FMIC)—whose portfolio of owned and licensed brands includes Fender®, Squier®, Gretsch® guitars, Jackson®, EVH®, Charvel®, Bigsby®, and PreSonus® – follows a player-centric approach to crafting the highest-quality instruments and digital experiences across genres. Since 2015, Fender's digital arm has introduced a new ecosystem of products and interactive experiences to accompany players at every stage of their musical journey. This includes innovative apps and learning platforms designed to complement Fender guitars, amplifiers, effects pedals, accessories, and pro-audio gear, and inspire players through an immersive musical experience. FMIC is dedicated to unlocking the power of musical expression for all players, from beginners to history-making legends. In 2026, Fender celebrates 80 years of giving artists “wings to fly,” carrying on the vision of its founder, Leo Fender, and connecting players through a shared love of music.

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