Subject: Wreck It Ralph

Posted by it august on Sun, 04 Nov 2012 14:44:20 GMT

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So is there anyone else around this forum at all, and if so, do you have any thoughts on the movie or related?

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Subject: Re: Wreck It Ralph

Posted by CEG on Tue, 06 Nov 2012 17:09:43 GMT

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On Nov 4, 9:44 am, jt august <starsa...@att.net> wrote:

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Posted by it august on Sun, 11 Nov 2012 16:34:28 GMT

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## In article

<442013ad-4730-4826-9aa0-52e500736f04@4g2000yql.googlegroups.com>, CEG <m6onz5a@gmail.com> wrote:

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I saw it yesterday. For an old school / clasic gamer, this movie is terrific! Plenty of subtle references as well as the known ones. And the story has several twists to it, it has not been spelled out in the

publicity. And for all the publicity, there is still a lot of laughs not yet shown. It is a very good movie.

And do yourself a favor, stay to the very end of the credits. My family was the only people who stuck around to the very end, and it was worth it. Something any arcade game collector will appreciate.

jt

Subject: Re: Wreck It Ralph

Posted by Ikseitz on Thu, 29 Nov 2012 19:11:03 GMT

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In article <starsabre-AE04D7.10342811112012@news.solani.org>, jt august <starsabre@att.net> wrote:

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I finally saw it a couple weeks after it opened. I think I was too wrapped up in wondering if my speculation on the plot was correct to truly just enjoy it. I must say, though, that I was surprised by the villain reveal, then kicked myself for not seeing it coming.

Can't wait for the home release so I can watch that time lapse arcade sequence in slow motion and spot \*all\* the games.

Subject: Re: Wreck It Ralph

Posted by jt august on Tue, 11 Dec 2012 11:05:16 GMT

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In article <mq-dnR3Tva7aLirNnZ2dnUVZ\_gydnZ2d@posted.hiwaay2>, lkseitz@see.my.sig (Lee K. Seitz) wrote:

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Not to mention all the characters drifting about Game Central Station. Whi IS that giant star?

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