Subject: Episodes Begin Running on Retro-TV this Week Posted by Chris \"Sampo\&q on Sun, 29 Jun 2014 16:28:59 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Subject: Re: Episodes Begin Running on Retro-TV this Week Posted by Salvatore on Mon, 30 Jun 2014 21:16:20 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

On 2014-06-29, Chris "Sampo" Cornell <msampo@aol.com> wrote:

- > Removed from the list are: Space Mutiny, Time Chasers, Overdrawn at the
- > Memory Bank and Merlin's Shop of Mystical Wonders.

That's a disappointment. "Space Mutiny" is arguably the best Mike-era episode. The riffs literally started from the first opening credit and didn't stop until the very last end credit, and the DVD (pulled in 2010) included an introduction from Mike himself.

- > As somebody on Twitter said "I don't have an affiliate in my area and I
- > have all the episodes, but it's just nice to know that somewhere,
- > somebody is showing MST3K on TV.

Ever since Amazon Prime started charging for the MST3K episodes I've been looking for a place to (legitimately) watch them for free. I'll have to break out a UHF antenna to pick up that station, but thanks.

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Subject: Re: Episodes Begin Running on Retro-TV this Week Posted by eichlerSPAMBGONE2 on Mon, 14 Jul 2014 10:36:34 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Subject: Re: Episodes Begin Running on Retro-TV this Week Posted by eichlerSPAMBGONE2 on Wed, 30 Jul 2014 01:30:42 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

On Sun, 29 Jun 2014 12:28:59 -0400, "Chris \"Sampo\" Cornell" <msampo@aol.com> wrote:

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- > on Saturdays, starting July 5.

> 211- First Spaceship On Venus

Did anyone else watch this, and if so was the audio really weird? During the movie, they had the riffing entirely in the left channel and the movie's audio entirely in the right channel. The host segments were similarly odd, with some characters on one side of the audio spectrum and others on the other side. Nothing at all in the middle.

Was the episode originally broadcast on Comedy Central that way?

-- Bob "Bice" Eichler

Subject: Re: Episodes Begin Running on Retro-TV this Week Posted by weary flake on Wed, 30 Jul 2014 17:08:50 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

On 2014-07-30 01:30:42 +0000, Bice said:

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Posted by eichlerSPAMBGONE2 on Wed, 30 Jul 2014 21:13:09 GMT

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It's all the way through. The movie segments have the riffing entirely in the left channel and the movie soundtrack entirely in the right channel. The host segments have Joel, Crow and Servo's voices entirely in the left channel and everything else (Magic Voice, background sounds, etc) entirely in the right channel.

It's really odd, and makes the episode somewhat difficult to watch. I wonder how it ended up that way.

For what it's worth, I just checked the recording of Cave Dwellers that recorded last weekend and it has normal audio.

-- Bob