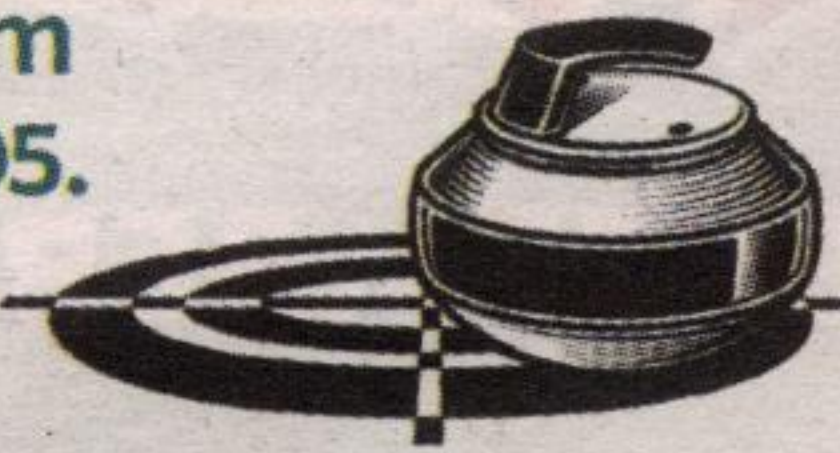


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GAME REVIEW BY DAVID TIERNEY (00760@MICROPLAY.CA)

Title: X-Men Legends 2: Rise of Apocalypse

Platform: Xbox, PS2, PC

ESRB Rating: T for Teen

Age Appropriateness: Comic book violence. Recommended age 10+

*Rise of Apocalypse* is the sequel to last year's *X-Men Legends*, a really fantastic action-RPG in the vein of *Diablo*. Your characters fight in a top-down perspective, gaining experience to train their stats and gain new powers, all while advancing a fairly simple plot. *X-Men Legends 2* starts off with the basic formula that made the original so great, changing only the things that needed to be changed, and turns out to be an even better game this time around.

Let's start with the parts that haven't changed: the graphics are the same excellent cell-shading, though a bit less muddy this time. The control scheme and basic gameplay are mostly the same, so any XML vets can jump right in. The biggest item on the improvements list is the power progression. Instead of each character having a set array of four active powers plus a dozen or so passive ones, they now have about ten active powers, four of which can be active at any time, leading to some tough decisions.

One of the interesting things about the sequel is its story and how it affects gameplay. The game begins with Apocalypse (read: Big Bad Guy) having launched a massive attack on the island of Genosha and kidnapped Professor X. The X-Men recruit the help of Magneto's Brotherhood to rescue him, and for the rest of the game, the X-Men and the Brotherhood work together to battle the larger threat. There are 15 characters to select from right from the start, running a nice mix of old X-Men favourites from the first game (with some of the duds like Beast taken out), new X-Men (my favourite addition is Sunfire... I love that guy!), and half a dozen Brotherhood members, including Magneto himself. The characters are more balanced this time around, with no character really overshadowing any other, and none approaching the dud-level of Beast and Jubilee from the last game. The fact that they're all available right at the start is good news for coop players.

Overall, *X-Men Legends 2* is a really satisfying, entertaining sequel that cleans up some of the first game's messes and innovates just enough to keep things fresh. Whether you're a comic fan or an action junkie, there's a lot here to love. My thanks go out to the developers for not trying to fix that which wasn't broken. Bravo!

Score: 4.5/5

Top 10 Rentals

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This week's Top Ten Movie Rentals brought to you by



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| 1. Longest Yard                     | 6. Mindhunters                         |
| 2. Robots                           | 7. Adventures of Sharkboy and Lavagirl |
| 3. Lords of Dogtown                 | 8. Crash                               |
| 4. Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy | 9. Monster in Law                      |
| 5. Fever Pitch                      | 10. Sahara                             |

**New Releases**  
**The Longest Yard**

Adam Sandler, Chris Rock, Burt Reynolds

Pro quarterback Paul Crewe and former college champion and coach Nate Scarboro are doing time in the same prison. Asked to put together a team of inmates to take on the guards, Crewe enlists the help of Scarboro to coach the inmates to victory in a football game "fixed" to tun out quite another way.

**Robots**

Robin Williams, Ewan McGregor, Halle Berry

After getting the chance to meet his childhood idol, Big Weld, an inventive robot discovers his idol has been switched by an evil replacement.

**Just Like Heaven**

Distinctly reminiscent of the nineteen eighties film *Ghost Dad*, this box office hit also stars a famous lead who is not physically present. David is a typical guy looking for an apartment in an overcrowded big city. When he finally finds the right apartment with a comfortable couch, he is convinced that nothing could go wrong. Like most apartment dwellers, David is mistaken when he soon finds out he has an unexpected roommate, Elizabeth (played by Reese Witherspoon). While both are convinced that there must be a mistake with the realtor, David soon finds out that Elizabeth is not your typical roommate.

Certain that Elizabeth is a ghost, David tries to get her to "cross over" to the other side. When this does not work, David is determined to understand his mysterious houseguest and goes to great

film review

BY LAURA SCHOFIELD

lengths to get help. Somewhere along the quest to understand Elizabeth's presence, David and Elizabeth's relationship blossoms into romance. Can they possibly figure out Elizabeth's past before it is too late for love?

Released by DreamWorks Distribution Company, *Just Like Heaven* is a romantic comedy film that is sweeter than candy. The implausible storyline makes the film even more attractive when the special effects help create Witherspoon's character of a spirit. Although the film is rated PG-13 for some sexual content, the majority of the movie provides clean entertainment that even younger film fanatics would enjoy.