Subject: Nightmare Alley

Posted by Kusty on Mon, 06 Dec 2021 16:03:50 GMT

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It's got Oscar potential they say. I've liked the movies that the director Guillermo del Toro has made. This looks like a creepy psychological noir type of film. Right up my alley.

https://www.imdb.com/title/tt7740496/

Subject: Re: Nightmare Alley

Posted by LCallan on Tue, 07 Dec 2021 22:56:53 GMT

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I've heard that it's already out in some areas, like New York City, but it won't be in my neck of the woods until the 17th. I love Cate Blanchett and Bradley Cooper, so I'm really looking forward to this one. At least this movie sounds different from the same old stuff that movie studios keep putting out. I've seen enough remakes and hero movies to last for a lifetime.

Subject: Re: Nightmare Alley

Posted by Concorde on Wed, 08 Dec 2021 23:03:40 GMT

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That looks like a great movie. I'm an X-Files junkie and I love the Law and Order shows and this sounds like a cross of those.

Subject: Re: Nightmare Alley

Posted by LoveJB on Wed, 05 Jan 2022 18:01:16 GMT

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Awesome! I love these types of movies/television shows. It does look creepy, but I love movies that freak me out, make me think and keep me awake. I don't know the writer. I will add it to my must-see list.

Subject: Re: Nightmare Alley

Posted by LCallan on Thu, 06 Jan 2022 02:23:30 GMT

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Did you go see it, Rusty? I did, and I'm not sure how I feel about it. The show kept me guessing, and I felt immersed in each story, but I wish it had a different ending. What did you think?

Subject: Re: Nightmare Alley

Posted by Rusty on Thu, 06 Jan 2022 14:06:53 GMT

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I haven't been. With this Omicron variant being so easy to catch. I avoid those odds. Actually, I haven't been out to a movie in years now.

The critics sort of panned the movie. Saying it was too long and other nit picking they're prone to do. Good to hear you generally liked it. I've felt that way with other movies with their ending. Like No Country For Old Men. It just sort of pulled the rug out under you. Left you shrugging your shoulders. Otherwise a great movie.

Subject: Re: Nightmare Alley

Posted by Mica on Thu, 06 Jan 2022 21:18:03 GMT

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I did go see this and I thought it was good, not great. I was not impressed with the ending either. Any movie that has a bad ending leaves a bad taste in my mouth. I wonder if these writers know that their endings stink.

Subject: Re: Nightmare Alley

Posted by LCallan on Tue, 11 Jan 2022 19:58:32 GMT

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Rusty wrote on Thu, 06 January 2022 08:06l haven't been. With this Omicron variant being so easy to catch. I avoid those odds. Actually, I haven't been out to a movie in years now. Our drive-in theater was open through Jan. 1st, which was very nice. It's too bad that you don't live near one. The show wasn't the best, but being able to get out and see a movie made a real difference.

Subject: Re: Nightmare Alley

Posted by Rusty on Wed, 12 Jan 2022 15:31:13 GMT

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Not too many drive-ins left. They used to have heaters to mount on your window like the speakers. Do they do that where you live? Guess the movie wasn't one of the director's greater offerings. Pan's Labyrinth was my favorite.

Subject: Re: Nightmare Alley

Posted by LCallan on Tue, 18 Jan 2022 14:40:53 GMT

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I don't live in a particularly hot climate, but it was still in the 70s here in December. It didn't get

cold until last weekend. I've never seen Pan's Labyrinth, but it sounds interesting. I'll give it a look if it's on Netflix or Amazon Prime.

Subject: Re: Nightmare Alley

Posted by Trilling Me Softly on Sun, 27 Feb 2022 21:21:25 GMT

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Pan's Labyrinth is a cult classic. It's worth a watch. I don't know anyone who hated it. I still remember its music.

Well, Nightmare Alley is listed on HBO Max. The wife and I were considering signing up for the service just to see it, but I think we'll pass now.