

Even though the written word tops everything else in this exercise. I am still perturbed about how the copying process dropped certain nuances from this post: smileys, missing individual monikers, and such.

At the time of this writing it is now July 24th, in the year 2015. Oh, well! I had to reduce some of the pictures, so that they would fit into a PDF frame. Other than that the editing has been kept to a minimum.



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The bsg forum time capsule

Started by CylonHybrid, Mar 08 2009 11:03 AM

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#1 CylonHybrid

Cyborg



Full Members

1,441 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 11:03 AM

Hey cylonhybrid here,

This thread might take off or not but I'd thought I'd leave something here so in like 5 years in th future when no one uses the bsg board anymore, we might leave a comment about ourselves and our memories to look back on and remember the days of bsg

This will be the peak of the boards popularity before the end { the boards last golden age} so I thought I'd put this out there.

Feel free to comment about anything.... memories on the board, people you enjoyed talking to, past members etc.

Most of the members will be goin to the caprica forum as well as hanging around other forums established around this one such as

1. TeamSpank
 2. The bamberbunnies
 3. Moist board
 4. The 13th tribe
 5. Frak
 6. Facebook
- and others

Is ea an cylon criochnaitheach na athair hera

#2 CylonHybrid

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Posted 08 March 2009 - 11:08 AM

Well been on this board since 2007 and I really enjoyed conversations here mainly because the people here are highly intelligent and well informed. Some come up with the most crackpot of theories too heh. I'll miss Mhalls theories and the arguments we used to have, archimedes well articulated and interesting posts, cylonromo spamming the board with his sexy threads, LittleSpank and the others who I've gotten to know were fun! Didymos, harveymidnight collaborations with the temple of aurora thread. Is this earth threads? The final cylon threads, maxbell and his wit, subjekt, frakkintoastaluvva, dagoir, frakface, six, our moderators towelofapollo and sylverviper who provided interesting interviews with Tigh etc and loads of others, its been fun! ;-)

My other avatars were "CylonHybridOracle" and "CylonHybridEvolution".

Also heres to 'that guy' and the guy who keeps rating posts with one star!

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#3 hybrid

Peacekeeper



Full Members

471 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 11:11 AM

Bumps, This thread should be pinned also!! Gave this thread a rating 5!!!



"The sunrise over the mountains are heavenly. It reminds me of you." Bill Adama!

Roslin/Adama Tribute!!

IN LOVING MEMORY LAURA ROSLIN - BILL ADAMA

#4 maxbell

Chosen One



Full Members

27,782 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 11:30 AM

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No thanks to you.

You're welcome.

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Member Title

Chosen One

Age

46 years old

Birthday

February 21, 1968

Gender

Male

Location


Earth

Interests

Philosophy, science fiction, computers, web design, hedgehogs, recreational pharmacology and automatic weapons.

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
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CAPRICAN

#5 BSGMarine
Viper Pilot

Full Members

154 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 12:10 PM

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Peace

BSG Marine

oh Sci fi forum you're an evil mistress..... I want my post count back

#6 hybrid
Peacekeeper



Full Members

471 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 12:11 PM

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Agrees with that comment, does anyone know when they will be airing the new show, or how long do we have to wait for the new show?



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Roslin/Adama Tribute!!

IN LOVING MEMORY LAURA ROSLIN - BILL ADAMA

#7 solecist

Cyborg



Full Members

1,227 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 12:21 PM

hi, i was new here when i posted this, and as such i wasn't allowed to have an opinion

there is no 'caprica' on caprica.

#8 hybrid

Peacekeeper



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471 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 12:26 PM

QUOTE (solecist @ Mar 8 2009, 01:21 PM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

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LOL knows the feeling.



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#9 HarryParatestes

Slan du jour



Full Members

6,204 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 01:09 PM

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The game speaks through all of us differently. Changes us in ways that we can't expect. Stick around long enough, it'll happen to you.

#10 maxbell

Chosen One



Full Members

27,782 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 01:16 PM

QUOTE (HarryParatestes @ Mar 8 2009, 10:09 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

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Hurry, there's only 3 hours left!

And don't forget to get Starbuck, pastel color palettes and bananas in there.

Nobody's thought of those.

CAPRICAN

#11 GythaOgg
Viper Pilot



Full Members

120 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 01:53 PM

I listened as well as I could, gave it out when it was nonsense, and made new ideas when it felt novel.

Mostly, I had a good time.

)O(
#12 Codebreaker2001
Contactee



Full Members

632 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 07:34 PM

I am Codebreaker2001. Started posting here a while back, posting mainly about my machinima comic book fan fiction series, but have replied with my thoughts and opinions on theories and answered questions asked.

But I seriously doubt the forum is going to die out. In fact, I feel it's going to be incorporated in the "Caprcia" forum if/when the show goes to series (to which I also hope lasts as long as this show). The heart of Galactica is going to continue to beat with the help of fans, like how "Star Trek" has lasted as long as it has already due to the fans.

#13 BSGFraKkeR
Cyborg



Full Members

1,399 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 08:10 PM

I've been a fan longer than a member here. I stumbled upon the forums and saw what other fans were writing/talking about. I had to chime in one time and was hooked. I miss the older members I used to talk with but, hey. Everything moves along. Just like these threads. I'm not sure what kind of followers Caprica will develop. I'm sure the BSG fans will come by to set the record for the noobs. But remember, we all to start from the begining at one point. It's been real to have been a part of these threads and the conversations within.

Are you alive?

bsgfrakker- the cylons only hope of salvation. Keep the war going. Support the cylons. Must destroy the colonials. We are the true children of **humanity**.

We are returning home, today!

We will rule with one true God.



#14 MissMeggles
Time Lord



Full Members

6,275 posts

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applauds max Darlin' you know I love you, and I always will! Your wit and wisdom have meant a great deal to me in my time here on the forum..

As for me, I lurked here since the start, joined because a post by the lovely SyllverViper got my attention, it was in the Jamie Bamber appreciation thread and said "Would you? Could you?" I could not resist, I had to answer.. the rest is history. I read through MHall's crazy theories, Ruby Winters, and of course who can forget Withershins? I have made wonderful friends here, made a trip to Atlanta to Dragon Con because of those people, shared my life and hopes and dreams with them. Had them rally around when things were bad, in short the friends I have made ended up as family. They all deserve to be mentioned here, but I don't want to embarrass any of the. Oh heck, I will mention some anyway, PurpleJulian, Shaphie, Shmeeno, Dione, Aispir, MaxbBell, my one true love! Well ok, he is tied in first with Sephiroth, he is after all the Emperor of the Bunnies and thus first in my heart! Bamberiffic, Laurie31, and all the other bunnies, all of the other Okayers too.

I hope that whoever reads this, will truly enjoy reading here, that they will have as good a time reading "History" as we had making it. (In a small way at least) I also hope that the people here will follow the many of us who will be watching it to the Caprica forum once it is up and running..

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So Say We All, BSGMarine! I miss Raymond Shaw as well, I like to think he is looking down on us and Jake. He is greatly missed by myself and many others..



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Dreamers give way to and embrace the story, escapist's need the details.

#15 ezeone69

Viper Pilot



Full Members

158 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 08:26 PM

I have been on and off the board since the Mini-Series..glad to see SCI-FI is alive and well, and it can be kept alive aslong as the shows are good...it's that simple RDM and his writers have done a great job..but it was the ACtors who put life into the show, and they deserve our thank...I wish them well, but don't give up..cause CAPRICA is coming....SO SAY WE ALL!!!

#16 RustiSwordz

Returnee



Full Members

842 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 08:26 PM

I probably wont stay on the Caprica board if one is created. RDM has stated the new show is almost 99% shipper and he's dropped the action adventure element in favour of this so my interest has died right there.

I'm getting into Sanctuary a bit and i love Terminator: Scc and looking forward to Stargate Universe. I didnt like SGA i hated the characters so i hope the new show has some better characters.

So that will be my next port of call.

I will only return to BSG land if they do a BSG: First Cylon War series but i doubt it.

In the mean time its been fun and if anyone wants to catch up with me my details are in my siggy.

#17  frakface_5

Cyborg

Banned

1,255 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 08:27 PM

this has all happened before and it shall all happen again...so say we all.



ROUND ONE! ROUND TWO! BONUS ROUND!

winners of all rounds go on to compete in round three.
battles end tonight (friday) at 12 midnight PST - get your votes in NOW!

#18 Glaz65

Foo Fighter



Full Members

1,081 posts

Posted 08 March 2009 - 10:03 PM

Glaz65, resident mutiny supporter and admirer of Racetrack.

#19 BlueRacer5

Peacekeeper



Banned

513 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 01:23 AM

QUOTE (HarryParatestes @ Mar 8 2009, 01:09 PM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

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none that you posted here, that is.

Seriously, I've had a wonderful time and will write up a full synopsis as soon as I get my notes together. There are so many people I wish to thank and so little time in which to thank them all and The Academy will only let me use 15,000 words or less.

[It's A Wonderful Life: BSG, What would your life have been like if the amoeba didn't split that day](#)

all your questions answered faithfully and truthfully

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ps, it's also a daniel free zone

[Starbuck, Ressurrection and Who is the 7th, explained --- SPOILERS --- maybe](#)

aka: "The perfect woman is a Man"

[The secret heritage of Socrata Thrace... did starbucks mother really come from Cylon Earth](#)

is john cavil another dr frankenstarbuckstein

#20 UbelEis

Caprican

Full Members

40 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 02:13 AM

I've been visiting the board since the premier, although I never posted until these last few weeks. I love the real main character in this show, Galactica, and I'm glad she will be given a proper send off. This is the best show Scifi has had; yes I think it's better than Farscape. I truly hope they can come up with something to compare to this in the future, and I'm glad I was here for the end.

198 replies to this topic

#21 Gunbunny

Chosen One

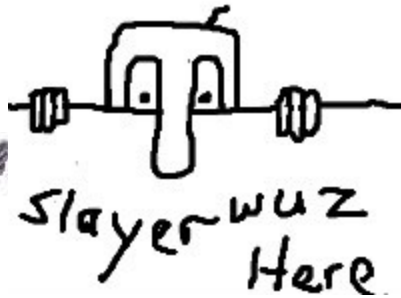


Full Members

44,244 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 03:22 AM

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"All that is necessary for evil to succeed is that good men do nothing."

Edmund Burke

EldarKinSlayer is Dead, Long LiveBunnySlayer



Pets For Vets! Please click!

#22 MissMeggles

Time Lord



Full Members

6,275 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 04:06 AM

QUOTE (EldarKinSlayer @ Mar 9 2009, 04:22 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

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But dear EKS, we love you so much for staying past that one question! You babe!



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#23 NewCaprica

Mansquito



Full Members

14 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 04:11 AM

This has all happened before and it will all happen again.

So say we all.

#24 cylonjoebob

Screaming Brain



Full Members

8,045 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 07:07 AM

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Edmund Burke

EldarKinSlayer is Dead, Long LiveBunnySlayer



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#26 cylonjoebob
Screaming Brain



Full Members

8,045 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 12:50 PM

bump



Inconceivable!

#27 NINEv2
Dune Messiah

Full Members
2,653 posts
Posted 09 March 2009 - 01:24 PM
how 'bout a bump AND a pin?

"An expert is someone who knows more and more about less and less until he knows absolutely everything about nothing"

#28 ch11111
Wacky Professor



Full Members
1,944 posts
Posted 09 March 2009 - 02:37 PM
What a great idea! I was wondering what will happen when BSG ends.

After the "re-imagining" of the Forum Boards, I was unable to post for a long time, but still read the boards regularly. I only lately figured out it was my AOL browser. Numerous weary queries elicited no response from the management. (Sigh)

However, there have been very few regular posters that I did not enjoy reading, whether I thought they were frakked up or not. You all have brought such a breadth of experience to the discussions, it "has been an honor"! I come from a small town in western Maine, currently live in a small city in eastern Maine. I work in a bakery, beginning my work day at 3am, and so never can stay up for the actual showing, having to wait until the next day for watching it. My family will tell you of a few temper tantrums when the recorder didn't work, or the satellite pixilated and lost the show. I do not travel much outside the state, except in my brain, which means all of your experience, knowledge and opinions are valued by me. I have no expectation of ever being in combat, except between my cats, or going to the conventions, being an engineer, computer graphic artist, screenwriter, or many of the other things you all have shared here on the Boards. It's added so much to my enjoyment of the series to read your posts. I believe that my experience in the forum is quite common. My sig used to be "Be kinder than necessary. Everyone is fighting some kind of battle", and that has also proved so true as I read some of the discussions here. However, it was rare that even the flammers didn't provide at least a diversion.

When I tuned into the mini, I had no expectation of it being any good. Don't get me wrong, I loved the original, wanted Dirk in the worst way, but it was dated. I couldn't imagine what in heck they could do with that basic story that would be worth watching. I was so wrong. Then, after that, I couldn't imagine that they could sustain my interest for long, but they did. The special effects were great. The action was heart pounding. However, the characters as acted by this amazing cast were what kept me happy to wait during the long times between "seasons". I have grown to love each one, no matter how flawed. I hope the ending enables me to imagine outcomes for some of them which they won't have time to show.

And the music. My abiding passion. Thanks to Mr. McCreary for imaginative and melodious content. I will enjoy the music a lot more often than the series as I travel back and forth between Bethel and Bangor. It will have a permanent home on my iPod.

(Doffs hat to all of you)

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Attributed to both T.H. Thompson and John Watson

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Edmund Burke

"It is not alone what we do, but also what we do not do, for which we are accountable."

Moliere.

#29 Dione
Slan



Banned

14,674 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 02:41 PM

QUOTE (maxbell @ Mar 8 2009, 12:30 PM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

You see, back in the day, before you discovered Battlestar Galactica on DVD and logged in to this forum to mea culpa your failure to watch the show when it was actually being broadcast like some browncoat-come-lately, there were raging flamewars between fans of the reimagined series and fans of the original. The latter hated the new show and **claimed it violated their childhood memories like a well hung Catholic priest in a Chuck-E-Cheese full of well-oiled nine year olds.**

The former mistakenly believed it enjoyed the new series and were so deluded as to think they were actually minding their own business and having a good time. In reality, they were continually dressing Dirk Benedict in a pink tutu and placing him in compromising tableaux with muffit while simultaneously taking a leak in the Cheerios of right-thinking, pro-Bush pseudoconservative polygamists and whistling Dixie.

Eww Max! Oh yeah, and you should also point out the fact that TOS people haven't been able to

navigate the forums in the past five years, and mistakenly think that for some reason, the new forum is a place to air their complaints about the new show. They're lost and need directions back to their own forum.

QUOTE (MissMeggles @ Mar 8 2009, 09:22 PM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

applauds max Darlin' you know I love you, and I always will! Your wit and wisdom have meant a great deal to me in my time here on the forum..

As for me, I lurked here since the start, joined because a post by the lovely SyllverViper got my attention, it was in the Jamie Bamber appreciation thread and said "Would you? Could you?" I could not resist, I had to answer.. the rest is history. I read through MHall's crazy theories, Ruby Winters, and of course who can forget Withershins? I have made wonderful friends here, made a trip to Atlanta to Dragon Con because of those people, shared my life and hopes and dreams with them. Had them rally around when things were bad, in short the friends I have made ended up as family. They all deserve to be mentioned here, but I don't want to embarrass any of the. Oh heck, I will mention some anyway, PurpleJulian, Shaphie, Shmeeno, Dione, Aispir, MaxbBell, my one true love! Well ok, he is tied in first with Sephiroth, he is after all the Emperor of the Bunnies and thus first in my heart! Bamberiffic, Laurie31, and all the other bunnies, all of the other Okayers too.



May the stars carry your sadness away, May the flowers fill your heart with beauty, May hope forever wipe away your tears, And, above all, may silence make you strong.

#30 BSGREB

Viper Pilot



Full Members

144 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 03:00 PM

I joined up In Feb 2005 and posted as TexasREB. Then I got cancer and had other things to worry about. When I came back, I found they did the whole profile to e-mail logon switch and I never could log back on, so I lurked for a while. I couldn't keep my mouth shut so created a new account.

My message to the future, 20 something years from now;

When BSG 2030 is downloaded into you brain implants, think about us back in 2009 with our primitive technology. It may look cheesy to you, but it looked really cool to us

When you experience your full range of senses in BSG 2030, think about us old folks who got to experience it only with our eyes and ears.

And when you plug your brain into the Neuronet to communicate with you fellow fans, try to remember it is just a show.

One last thing, our version of BSG is far superior than you lousy remake

To my fellow BSGer's, It has been an honor.

I paint DeLoreans
#31 Malkyte2
Mansquito



Full Members

3 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 03:21 PM

I have been posting on and off on the SciFi BSG boards since 2003. I was here when the original board was still live and kicking. I haven't posted much in the past few years, but I have been around, lurking.

The BSG board will be around and kicking for a long time and definitely for the near future. There has been BSG fans around for over 30 years, so they're not going anywhere. With DVDs and a potential new movie, there will continue to be life in these boards!

Malkyte

#32 EvilDoctor
Peacekeeper



Full Members

544 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 03:25 PM

New guy here, so my experience with this board is very limited. I first started lurking right after the episode "Revelations" aired in attempt to find out what the frak was going on. I was none the wiser afterwards but I did enjoy the Earth vs. NotEarth threads, which were very much like the current Daniel threads. When the series started back up for 4.5, I came back for the spoilers and info on the series, and finally decided to sign up for good a little under a month ago. So far only the info posted on the edited scenes from "Deadlock" have given me information on the series that I would have had otherwise but I have enjoyed the cut and thrust of debate and the humour.. Oh the humour.... If I'm reading this overnight I sometime I have to bite my hand to keep from laughing out loud and waking my poor wife, and not always succeeding. So much of this board is reminiscent of the old TREK forum on Fidonet, which I can't believe was some 15 years ago....



#33 HarryParatestes

Slan du jour



Full Members

6,204 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 03:30 PM

QUOTE (EldarKinSlayer @ Mar 9 2009, 04:22 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

I came to ask one simple question, now I have terminal Carpal Tunnel Syndrome

I just wanted to find info on the New Caprica webisodes.

Fortunately, I didn't abandon the rest of my life and make 40,000 posts. That would just be sad.

The game speaks through all of us differently. Changes us in ways that we can't expect. Stick around long enough, it'll happen to you.

#34 Serpentsminion

Minbari



Full Members

369 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 03:56 PM

Serpentsminion, a.k.a. Paul from Minneapolis- gamer geek in the body of a biker, perpetrator of sh!tty grammar and all great sins but one, and proponent of the boot to the throat treatment for Tory Foster. Stargazer, lover of weaponry, Iron Maiden and Pink Floyd (old and new) and possessor of much artistic talent and absolutely no ambition or concern to do anything with it whatsoever. Just easier to observe everyone elses. (But that's a lazy man's greatest excuse right? "I'm just an observer"...) Fairly noob'sh to

the forum, well- really new as opposed to those with posts in the tens of thousands, and have liked the show through the ups and downs, though for some inexplicable reason I was never quite bothered as much by any of the dropped plots, retcons, so called 'shark jumps' or anything else I had to suspend disbelief for as much as where the Doc kept getting his f*cking brand manufactured cigarettes. He oughta be rollin' algae spliffs by now like Clint Eastwood style.

QUOTE (maxbell @ Mar 8 2009, 12:30 PM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

*.....*You see, back in the day, before you discovered Battlestar Galactica on DVD and logged in to this forum to mea culpa your failure to watch the show when it was actually being broadcast*.....*

I was one of these, turned on to it around season 2 or so by a co-worker. I hadn't watched anything on the television in six years, and throughout season three and four it was the only thing I would turn on a television to watch, unless I was catching H!story ch. or Discovery over at my brother's. Now I have a Viper patch on my Harley jacket and a Centurion standing next to my monitor. This is the best forum I've been on, and for the best show.

There were a few posters here who's ideas, subjects, thoughts, responses, views etc I have thoroughly enjoyed. Maxbell, Didymos, and Punchface. There's three people I'd like to see hash some stuff out over some drinks- whatever the subject. That'd be worth buying a ticket for. Also enjoyed a lot of the time on the bombthreads- Freelancer, and the bombs and comedy of Frakfest (i've linked quite a few of your works to a couple of my friends in emails) and also I have luffed my arse off in the LOLCat thread. I can't even imagine some of the great stuff I've missed out on by not being here since the dawn. Also, I never touched or proposed any FC or Daniel theories. Was much more fun to watch others roast each other.

Anyway- best to everyone and maybe see some folks on the Caprica boards if I stick with that show.

"....Whatdya hear?"

"...Nothin but the Rain.."

"Then grab your gun and bring in the cat..."

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mint condition. No title, No VIN
number. NO warranty on GPS.
Contact ~~pLaird@GalacticaFlightTech~~
aFigurski@GalacticaFlightTech for
info. Will consider trade for meat.

-6-

#35 txrogue

Viper Pilot

Full Members

112 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 04:00 PM

QUOTE (EldarKinSlayer @ Mar 9 2009, 04:22 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

I came to ask one simple question, now I have terminal Carpal Tunnel Syndrome

Just out of curiosity...what was that one simple question?

"Sometimes you just gotta roll a hard six!" ADM William Adama

#36  ProperNoun
Psychohistorian

Full Members

11,851 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 04:21 PM

QUOTE (txrogue @ Mar 9 2009, 05:00 PM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

Just out of curiosity...what was that one simple question?

"Why the frak isn't 'Downloaded' online yet?"

O N H I A T U S

#37 CylonHybrid
Cyborg



Full Members

1,441 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 07:10 PM

bump

Do ye lot want me to get this thread pinned, I can talk to the moderators.

Is ea an cylon crìochnaitheach na athair hera

#38 twobraincdylon
Wacky Professor



Full Members

1,748 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 07:17 PM

QUOTE (Dione @ Mar 9 2009, 02:41 PM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

Eww Max! Oh yeah, and you should also point out the fact that TOS people haven't been able to navigate the forums in the past five years, and mistakenly think that for some reason, the new forum is a place to air their complaints about the new show. They're lost and need directions back to their own forum.

Wrong, this forum is open to EVERYONE.

Some people never seemed to understand that ... and apparently still don't.

The only folks who should be worried that some users might be lost are the mods and none of the folks complaining are mods. That alone should tell you something.

Russell

Check out the Fan Audio Society at www.fanaudio.com

#39 collectorjones

Caprican



Full Members

43 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 07:47 PM

I have been here since the mini, was know as collectorjones then. The name originated from a faction on Andromeda. I have been known as Burns. I also spent a while as troll during the New Caprica eps. So this mean I was member of certian board called m---t for a while. I did come back from the darkside and all I can say is I will miss the show.

#40 TowelOfApollo

Dune Messiah



Full Members


2,753 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 08:20 PM

I've been privileged enough to meet some great people on this board. Members here come from many different backgrounds; we are male and female, young and "old", gay and straight, this ethnicity and that ethnicity. But we all have one thing in common - we care enough about BSG to spend time on this board (and sometimes even in real life!) discussing it. The BSG board has by far the most activity of any board on the site, and it's a tribute to the members here that things stay civil the majority of the time.

It's been an amazing experience, one I haven't had with any other show or fan community, at least not quite like this! I've enjoyed reading all your thoughts, theories, and opinions - even some of the negative ones! Here's hoping that many of us will stick around either here or for Caprica.

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Gender Female

Location Virginia


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
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#41 twobrainedcylon
Wacky Professor



Full Members

1,748 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 08:24 PM

I'd like to suggest that both Galactica forums be merged together with the Caprica forum for a fused Galactica/Caprica forum, since there's a lot of crossover discussions and likely will be in the future, with Caprica likely using a lot of elements from the 1978 series to present (including things like the video

games, etc. if the present trend is any indication).

Russell

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#42 RollingPaper

Superhero



Full Members

3,369 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 09:57 PM

Thanks for the ride!

inhales

Looking for love in all the wrong places.

#43 babykyuss

Minbari



Full Members

268 posts

Posted 09 March 2009 - 11:46 PM

Hi. My name is BabyKyuss.. and I am a BSG addict. I have no idea why I hopped on the BSG forum. I think it was so I could find other fans that I could talk BSG with. Since no one I knew watched BSG.. they only talked trash about it. Boo the haters. Little did I know the forum was like the data-stream. A whole lot of craziness. But alas.. there has been many a good conversations on here that I will always cherish. Some of the less exciting threads.. egh, I suppose I'll miss those as well. I'll miss it all. But as they say, all good things must come to an end. Perhaps there will be another series which will spark my interest just as much. Until then..... farewell all!!!

#44 DarkVegetaman

Returnee

Full Members



812 posts

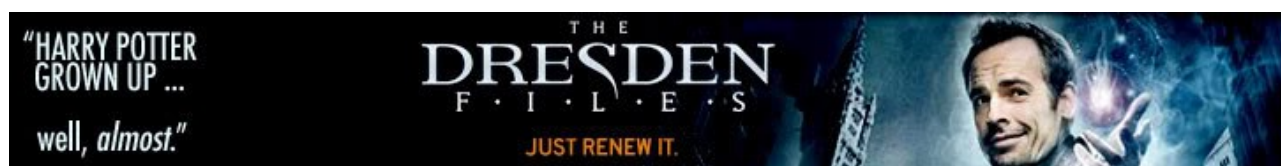
Posted 10 March 2009 - 12:09 AM

I used to come in here and lurk back when The Dresden Files was on the air. I've been a fan of BSG for awhile now, ever since I saw TOS. I watched The Miniseries, and most of Season 1. Kind of was hit and miss for some of Season 2 and Season 3 (though I've seen all the must see episodes, AFAIK), and I've watched all of S4. Hopefully when it's all over I can go back, watch it all from the beginning, and enjoy the ride (and the story).

I also subscribe to the theory that Galactica is the true dying leader of the show, even though it probably isn't the one in the prophecy.

I was also one of the people who said earlier on that Cavil knew more than he was letting on because his whole atheism angle seemed fishy. Low and behold I was more right than I ever thought I'd be.

It's been fun posting here since S4.5 started up. The theories, the crazyness... I love it! I should've started posting much, much sooner!



#45 _13

Sleestak



Full Members



70 posts

Posted 10 March 2009 - 01:27 AM

Hey. About two years ago a friend turned me onto a little show called Battlestar Galactica. Told me it was the greatest show he'd ever watched. I thought "What the hell, I'll give it a shot." I watched all the dvds and got caught up to about the middle of the third season. A little while later I discovered the forums. I've visited this site everyday since I first clicked on it. I have agreed and disagreed with people on alot of subjects. It's been alot of fun, and it saddens me a little to know that it's ending soon. My greatest hope is that Caprica turns out to be even half as great as Battlestar Galactica, and all the great and even the not-so-great people navigate to that forum later this year and onto 2010. I'm going to miss all of this, and all of you. I'll even miss the stinking Daniel theories.

PEACE, and much love.

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Also known around the net as filmfan28.

#46 RollingPaper
Superhero



Full Members



3,369 posts

Posted 10 March 2009 - 02:12 AM

I thought when the "Students" cut there track back in the 50's "Every Day Of The Week" explained it all to me.

Looking for love in all the wrong places.

#47  ShadyGaius
Minbari



Full Members




208 posts

Posted 10 March 2009 - 03:01 AM

I came, I saw, I loitered.



#48  pscard
Chosen One



Full Members
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36,690 posts

Posted 10 March 2009 - 07:45 AM

It's been a real slice!

I've enjoyed coming here to read people's theories, debates, arguments, soul-searching, their loves and their hates. You have all shared your ideas on BSG, told us of your beliefs and disbeliefs. You've opened up your lives and shared your inner-most thoughts. But the one thing we all have in common is our love for the genre and the imaginations and the friendships we've shared. We've become like family (though dysfunctional at times). We've laughed, we've cried, we've shared each other's pain and pleasure.

To all my fellow fans of Battlestar Galactica, I raise my glass of Ambrosia in a toast to you.

So say we all!

So Say We All!

SO SAY WE ALL!!!

May God bless each and every one of you.

["Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called sons of God." \(Matthew 5:9\)](#)

Come to the 'Syfy Forums Refugee Camp Check-in' at GateWorld

#49  giusmustdie
Peacekeeper



Full Members
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552 posts

Posted 10 March 2009 - 08:34 AM

I didn't get into BSG until the middle of S1, I caught an episode online and from there I wound up here, somehow, still can't figure it out. Anywho the greatness of the interwebs allowed me to share my passion for this show with all the kicka\$\$ people of this board. I have two kids so staying up late or even talking to you guys at night has been virtually impossible and I regret not being able to join in the play by play on Friday's but nevertheless I've enjoyed all of the good and bad, the ***** and moaning, the wacky theories and wackier members and most of all discussing the best show on TV. I will truly miss BSG and hope that this board does still stay at least a little active. I definately will be checking back for years.

Cheers

Tim

#50  boyner
Mansquito



Full Members

8 posts

Posted 10 March 2009 - 09:05 AM

I'm Chris Boyne, was a massive fan of TOS and I even liked Galactica 1980 (I was 5, sue me!). I caught the Mini on Sky 1 in the UK (I think, might have been Bravo) and then didn't really see season 1 on the original airing. I cannot explain why I didn't follow it up sooner, given the dearth of decent Sci Fi on the telly (add to that the fact that I was getting most of my telly fix from the likes of Buffy, SG1 and Voyager).

Anyway, been super into BSG since between S2 and S3, and watch it with my girlfriend every week when it comes out. I'm a forum noob but been lurking here since before the 4.0/4.1 break.

Anyway all the best for the future, looking forward to the payoff at the end.

Chris Boyne / Boyner

#51  HarryParatestes
Slan du jour



Full Members

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6,204 posts

Posted 10 March 2009 - 09:57 AM

Through the years:

The original



Ahh... the Toaster Smokers *cough



I fell asleep in the Bamber thread and this is what the Bunnies did to me....among other things.



Jake: The original Daniel



A yellow cartoon bird, resembling a Tweety Bird, with a black eye patch over its right eye and two pink bunny ears on its head. It has a grumpy expression.

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Full Members

#53  ch11111
Wacky Professor



1,944 posts

Posted 10 March 2009 - 06:07 PM

And a special thanks to didymos1120 who brings exquisite esoterica to nearly every topic posted.

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Attributed to both T.H. Thompson and John Watson

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Edmund Burke

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Moliere.

#54  KittyKatty

Peacekeeper



Full Members



429 posts

Posted 10 March 2009 - 07:21 PM

Hi! I'm KittyKatty formally dorthyrox1 & I've been a fan of both BSG TOS & TNS!! The last five years have been one hell of a fun ride!!! There's a lot of talent that TNS has brought to the fore. I sincerely hope that one or more of these actors, writers, directors win an Oscar someday. Thanx for the memories Ron & BSG crew!!

#55  purplestratocaster

Minbari



Full Members



270 posts

Posted 10 March 2009 - 10:03 PM

I got hooked by the bombs and the LOLcats.

#56  DumDeDum

Minbari



Full Members



224 posts

Posted 10 March 2009 - 11:31 PM

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To my fellow BSGer's, It has been an honor.

Funny, I always thought that when RDM originally said "This has all happened before and will happen again" was giving a nod to TOS, and presuming that someone would remake BSG in the future.



They's all mad 'cept thee and me, and thee's a bit mad!

#57  queenkel

Mansquito



Full Members

16 posts

Posted 11 March 2009 - 01:23 AM

I read here quite a lot, but don't contribute much. Then after I thought I had survived the membership carnage following the 'upgrade' I resurrected with a new hair colour, complete with mansquito trimmings.

I've loved reading the theories, chuckled heartily over many.

I have missed RaymondShaw's excellent insights that he gave to all through his animations.

And in honour of the finishing of this excellent series (and for a last theory).....
the next important song will be by Reginald Dwight.... "Daniel is leaving tonight on a plane"

**Just when I thought I had survived the membership carnage.....
I have to be a mansquito again.**

#58  geeker
Mansquito



Members

1 posts

Posted 11 March 2009 - 06:40 AM

Woo-hoo! My first post.

Whatever. Been watching the show forever and have also been buying the DVDs just to have and to hold. Been lurking in the forums for a couple years, only occasionally trying to get resistered to post on the **** thing. Who knew the forum software would hate my domain name and/or email address? I certainly didn't know it. And to the so-called "admin" who so thoughtfully read but never responded to my pleas for help: frak you. Why even *have* an email address for support if nobody is ever going to answer?

Alas, during the latter half of the last season, I created an email address using one of my regular .com domains and what do you know...

It's been a treat to read people's theories and discussion throughout some of the more difficult episodes; it was a nice resource to have. Thanks for that.

Later,
db

#59  Smoker
Viper Pilot



Full Members



125 posts


Posted 11 March 2009 - 11:13 AM

I lurked much longer than I posted. I discussed almost everything written on all threads with my BSG friends and family (those not included or who couldn't keep up were dropped (heehee)). The re-imagined BSG has meant a lot to me and to television in general. It has shown those sci-fi haters that it's not all phasers and lasers and aliens, that sci-fi can be intelligent and engaging. I even wrote a sociology theory paper on BSG for my master's degree. I will truly miss this show, there is nothing as intelligent anywhere on current or proposed future tv. Have been rewatching all dvd's in preparation for the finale, there's a feeling that you get from watching them now that won't be there when the finale has aired. I can still speculate and wish for certain endings, ultimately there is sadness that this is leaving us, but hopeful for future writers and dreamers that this will be their guide.

I have truly enjoyed reading your theories, I believe I am still pages behind in certain threads so there's something to look forward too. I will be one who still checks the boards because I live in rural Oklahoma and there's nothing else to do. Hope to participate with you all in future boards!

"Is that a hobbit?" "No, it's a hobo and a rabbit, but they're making a hobbit."

"Kiss my shiny metal"

#60  Andersbattle

Caprican



Full Members

43 posts

Posted 11 March 2009 - 07:34 PM

You'll be reading this hopefully in 3-5 years time. You thoroughly enjoyed watching Battlestar Galactica. You encouraged friends to watch it after one of your own got you into it. You loved the plot and characters in it. You will remember that this was the best **** television show on at the time. The show was therapy for you, as you could connect to it in many ways and to this day when you come back to read this thread, you will remember how much it meant to you. In 3-5 years, you will wish you could relive those days and weeks waiting to see a new episode!

I believe that the collective consciousness of our people has been passed on through the many centuries, which is how we are able to do such things like talk, and learn how to walk, breathe air... It's like a program inside us that activates at certain points, but how can you explain that?

198 replies to this topic

#61  richa

Returnee



Full Members



949 posts

Posted 11 March 2009 - 09:42 PM

I joined the board when Starbuck died.

Now, I had been trolling the board for a few months prior, but actually signing up and contributing to discussions on an online forum seemed foreign. Was I nerd enough? Was I too cool for it? What if I upset someone with what I posted? I realized none of these things mattered on a BSG forum because as the show presents the grey area in life, so can this board, at times.

So Starbuck died, and I wanted to say my piece, and comment on everyone else's piece, so I joined not expecting much more.

Then the coolest thing happened. RDM came on the board and I got to ask him a question, and more than once. I honestly couldn't believe it at the time. For a film school graduate that had been taught classes about television theory, this was neat. You see, I had classes in television writing where RDM came up many times, his history with trek, leaving trek, and the online significance of 33. Now I got to pick his brain with everyone else as his show was airing. This was cooler than nerd cool.

I then got to follow the rest of the episodes with an online community, people who loved and hated different aspects of the show. These lead to many fond memories.

There was an attempt at re-watching the entire series between seasons, which was fun when it succeeded, because I never had the chance to debate the earlier episodes.

Experienced, on "few" occasions, the fun in drunk posting. Especially the next day browse over what I had posted the night before. And unlike drunk dialing, few apologies are needed afterwards.

The writers strike, albeit a scary time for workers, was of significant insight to me for an industry I would like to break into at some point. The future of the industry was being decided and I got to learn from the sidelines. Being a Canadian Ontarian raised Progressive Conservative, the information MrsRon presented to the board on Unions, Rights, and Politics had me examining the writers situation and future situations with open-mindedness and hope.

I hope there are memories to be made on the Caprica board. That show could take off in a direction that BSG only hinted at, and I would love to be there, discussing it with this online community when it happens.

SSWA.

#62  martivh

Wacky Professor



Full Members
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1,621 posts

Posted 11 March 2009 - 11:12 PM

QUOTE (EldarKinSlayer @ Mar 9 2009, 03:22 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

I came to ask one simple question, now I have terminal Carpal Tunnel Syndrome

huge hug

Glad you stuck around.

There are two means of refuge from the miseries of life: music and cats.

- Albert Schweitzer

#63  Frakfest

Cyborg

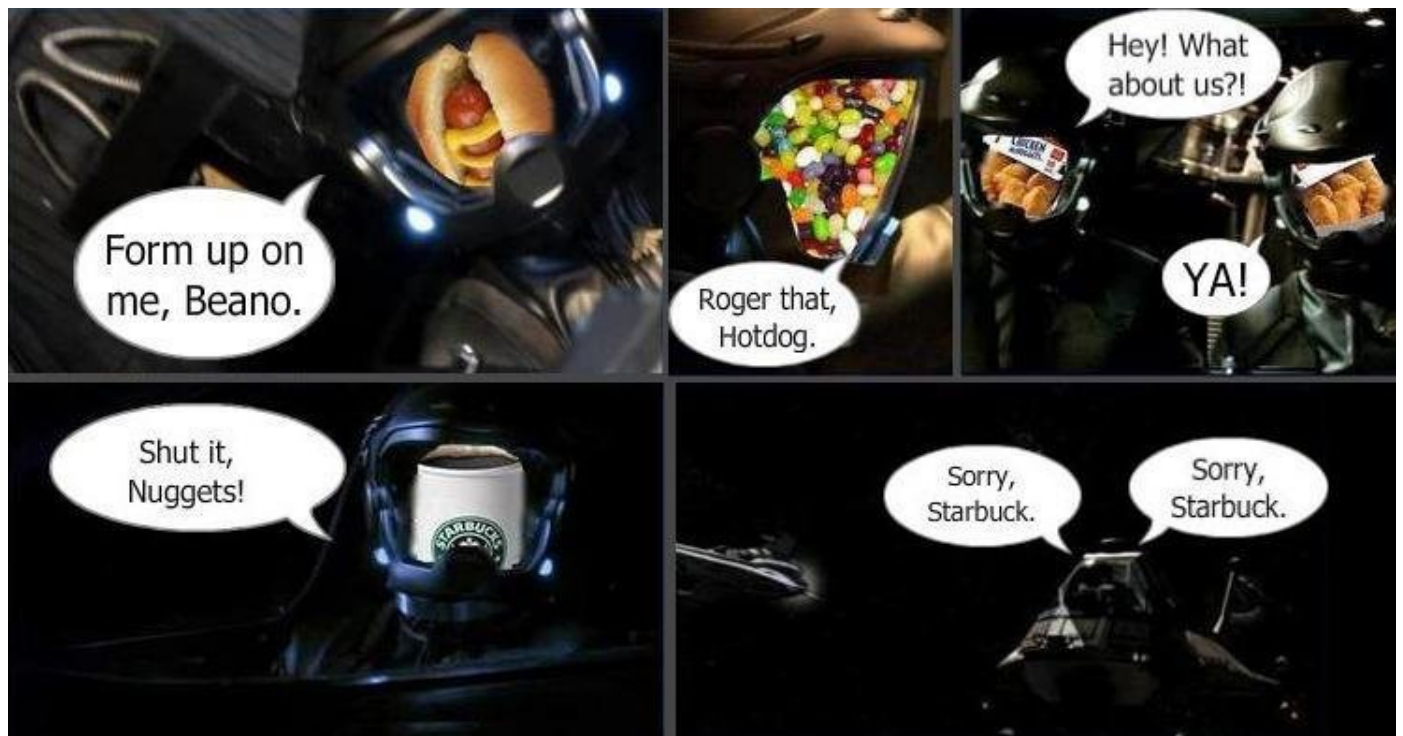


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1,272 posts

Posted 11 March 2009 - 11:17 PM

I'll post my five favorite bombs:









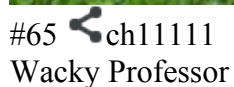
"And here I thought the 'sign-post on the road to Earth' was a metaphor..."



Ok, seven.



In a similar vein, I place here my inaugural batch of BSGLOLCats, from my most long-lived thread:



1,944 posts

Posted 12 March 2009 - 01:28 AM

QUOTE (didymos1120 @ Mar 12 2009, 02:10 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

In a similar vein, I place here my inaugural batch of BSGLOLCats, from my most long-lived thread:

It's almost 2:30AM here, and I've only had ONE cup of coffee, but I am literally crying I've laughed so hard at those. How did I miss them? Tell me: Do you sleep with one eye open, so the cats revenge will not come on you unaware?

Be kinder than necessary, for everyone is fighting some kind of battle.

Attributed to both T.H. Thompson and John Watson

"There is, however, a limit at which forbearance ceases to be a virtue. "

Edmund Burke

"It is not [alone what we do, but also what we do not do, for which we are accountable.](#)"

Moliere.

#66  bgbnn

Mansquito



Members

1 posts

Posted 12 March 2009 - 09:05 PM

I'm an original series fan that was skeptical a remake would fly. Well it didn't fly; it "jumped" lightyears ahead of the original!

Less than a handful of TV shows have hooked me like this one and with only 2 episodes to go before the end of the series I had to post here to express my sadness at it's ending but my delight in discovering these boards about 6 weeks ago! Long after the series is done i will be able to come here and revisit the threads and relive the great moments of the series and these boards. Thanks to everyone that ever posted! I'm hoping to eventually check out every single post here!

#67  BayTripper

Minbari



Full Members

279 posts

Posted 12 March 2009 - 09:14 PM

I was mildly entertained by the original BSG series. I won't miss an episode of the new version - great television that is much better than many theater movies one has to pay to view.

As far as this forum goes I am a trouble maker

Post edit on Sunday 3/22/2009

After viewing the season finale a few times I feel like I wasted 5 years watching this show; Everything about the season finale was great up to the point where they decided against technology and split up.

Seeing Lee Adama all alone with no close friends or family sucked. Seeing Admiral Adama all alone claiming he was going to build a cabin with no help, no resource, and no tools was stupid. Seeing the people walking on foot across the plain of Tanzania when they could have landed their ships (like new caprica) and lived on them while then constructed new dwellings was absurd! Kara disappearing into thin air after Doc Kottle gave her a full run up and confirmed her DNA matched his existing records of Kara was cheesy.

Finally, inferring that it took the colonials 150,000 years to populate the planet was the biggest insult to the viewers intelligence imaginable; the only way it would have made sense was if all the Colonials died and it was the natives who populated the planet and built all the cities - then to say Hera was the mitochondrial eve sunk the ship.

I loved this show so much that it's hard to believe the last quarter of the season finale caused me to have such a massive change of heart towards the show. It appears the majority of die hard BSG fans feel exactly like I do.

I guess the plot did matter.

Post Edit Friday April 3, 2009:

The good and the bad - IMHO

QUOTE (BayTripper @ Mar 28 2009, 09:55 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

I felt that making the story up as you go along worked pretty well for most of the series. I think the fly in the ointment was that the producers had a notion that they wanted to make Hera the Mitochondrial Eve; This **Plot line** flies in the face of the "**Make it up as you go**" **mission statement** that we we were told the writers operated under.

To end the series with any coherence the writers needed to make a flow chart of where the characters were going and try to find a way to make them converge. As the series was winding down there were too many unanswered questions to keep "Making it up." To try to wrap up the series with a plot line that had never even surfaced on the show would be near impossible.

In hindsight it appears the producers latched on to the Hera as Mitochondrial Eve **Plot line** like Pitbulls

and wouldn't give it up even though it was more problematic and caused more questions that it answered

To my thinking, If the show was written about characters, and the characters are what the fans fell in love with, Then why write the last few episodes of the show and have the characters, characters we know and love, **do and say things that are so "UNCHARACTERISTIC?"**

If I was going to speculate why the producers did this it was because they couldn't reconcile the Hera/Eve plot line with the characters they they spontaneously created

For all you who are unhappy with the ending you can blame the Hera/Mitochondrial Eve PLOT LINE.

QUOTE (BayTripper @ Mar 27 2009, 08:52 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>
Regardless of how I feel about the ending. It is obvious that RDM worked his behind off on this show; weekly podcasts being one example, making himself very accessible to the fans being another . . .

So, Thanks for the outstanding effort you did put forth for the fans!

QUOTE (BayTripper @ Mar 26 2009, 10:39 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>
That the producer of the show actually took the time to read the fans grumblings on the net and then took even more time to respond . . . That's amazing - Well done Mr. Moore

QUOTE (BayTripper @ Mar 25 2009, 10:19 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>
I think the producers of the show do care about delivering a top notch product. I also think they were sincere in their efforts.

If you take the show in it's entirety then you would say that 80% was outstanding, 10% was okay, and 10% didn't work at all.

most of the complaints on the ending start right at the point where the Colonials walked away from technolgy. Up to this point the entire series was a huge success.

There's the dead horse . . . I for one am tired of kicking it

QUOTE (BayTripper @ Mar 13 2009, 11:48 PM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>
So what do you think, can RDM & crew wrap this up this series in a satisfactory manner with just 1 hour and 27+ minutes left? There seems to be quite a bit of grumbling that we the fans have been short changed. Personally I'm still hoping for a Hail Mary Victory with Daybreak pt.2

The title of episode 13 of season 4.5 "Sometimes a great notion," may well be what the entire season 4.5 is remembered as; It now appears that the Producers and writer just had too much story left to tell in the 20 episodes of season 4 and although they hoped they could give the fans a satisfactory end to the show they ran out of time. the pacing of the last few weeks has been erratic and the story still has too many gaps in it. Let hope that all the extended episodes on the DVD's can fill some gaps in the story

I have my fingers crossed that daybreak part 2 will deliver the goods

The BBW has sung, the show is over

#68  Stilgaar

Viper Pilot



Full Members



191 posts

Posted 13 March 2009 - 03:22 AM

Autonomous, goal-seeking UAVs? Apparently, no one in the Pentagon watches this show. Or Terminator.

I would have liked to know the secret of the opera house, but I've got a contract that just won't wait and there's no tv reception where I'm going.

Enjoyed the variety of posts and odd spelling. It's been real.

PS- 12 regular posters are actually cylons.

#69  danny61

Viper Pilot



Full Members



142 posts

Posted 13 March 2009 - 09:03 AM

QUOTE (maxbell @ Mar 8 2009, 11:30 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

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You're welcome.

Brilliant , absolutely brilliant! And so f@cking funny , I'm still giggling.

It is better to keep your mouth closed and let people think you are a fool than to open it and remove all doubt M. Twain

#70  EnGal

Cyborg

Full Members



1,335 posts

Posted 13 March 2009 - 06:57 PM

I can't believe it's nearly over, this post makes me cry inside

Well, I don't know what to say more than all that has been said. I wasn't the coolest poster on the board , for some time I was slightly upset with some theories coming again and again and again, well, since I'm french, I've a reputation to hold, we yell a lot (lots of strike in france actually at the moment)
Back to the topic, I think I came here around season two. I just read some random forum with battlestar Galactica signature and people telling on their post that they had to watch the next episode and such...

One week-end, I was really bored, so I decided to catch with battlestar, and I had a blast. I begun watching ressurection ship part 1. Yes, an odd beginning. But I was hooked and soon caught up with season one and 33. I did not find the miniseries at that time so I missed the main start, but I fixed this slight probleme soon after.

And then I came here, I wanted to discuss some theories, like many here did, and came for. I expected a forum like any other, and with the time passing I discovered a true community and a strong "something" I can't say exactly what it is at this point but, maybe it was just that there are a lots of intelligent posters here.

(Since it's an unusual show, it was bend to be an unusual forum)

The bomb thread hooked me, honestly. And after a certain time I came here not only to discuss the show but also to have great laugh.

Unfortunately there was the great " forum's goo bath corruption" that affected most of us during the multiple hiatus and some were affected by a change of personnality through weird name or simply referenced as " Deleted in their name", I lost many of the usual poster during those changes and couldn't tell at one point who was who...

Anyway, **You guys are fun as hell most of the time !** (Especially the bombers !
Can't quote all of the name since they are a lot around)

Special thanks to Mhall, RubyWinters and some others, even if I disagree strongly with your theories, it was really funny and oddly relaxing reading your thought and vision of the story going on. I was maybe a tiny rude sometime, but I never hated you, you were like a ray of light burried under thousands of crappy theories, I always read your post for a good laugh or scientific knowledge (god, I learn lots things thanks to you Mhall !)

Special thanks also to the Danielist. Those theories were weird enough and twisted with a bit of ultra crazyness that could, at some level appears on bsg, even if I still find it unlikely (Daybreak will tell if we were right!)

Special thanks to Motoki, Doormouse and the others, you are the voices of wisdom and reason, and bring a bit of sanity in this world of crazyness

Another thank to the bombers and lolcats, (Freelancer, cylonjoe, eldarkin , fraked, killcally came to my mind, and the others too, but you are really to many to list, sorry)

Special thanks to the TOS. Your resilience and persistence is remarkable, you're entitled to your opinion, and perhaps to your memories too, experience and time always change our visions of things and TOS was perhaps better for your in your opinion. I can't tell, I didn't grow up with it, but I'll still be honest saying that watching TOS right now does not make it shine

I hope you'll understand most of what I said, It may not be correct enough for some sentences or weird or approximative !

Thank you all! <3 <3

Oh and BTW :

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You're welcome.

YOU WIN.



(Credit to Frakfest for the bomb)

#71  Griff1968
Viper Pilot

Full Members

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146 posts

Posted 15 March 2009 - 01:14 AM

Let me think I was here long before the "change over". I was one of those OMG STARBUCK A GIRL NEVER! (when I was a kid I would dream of Starbuck!) Then I got my first girl crush!

Under this name I have been on since oct of 06. Since the Mini I have been a fan and waited with baited breath to see if it would be picked up by Sci-Fi. I do not post much but read daily.

I will be here until the end and then to Caprica and The Plan, I cannot wait. It has become a family tradition to sit and watch BSG, on whatever night it is on. (When it was on Sundays my 11 year old was SO MAD!!!! but stayed up anyhow....sneaking down to watch but he still had to go to school) It will be missed in my house, since we are a bunch of geeks.

I think honestly that BSG is so popular because it does touch on what is going on in the world today and we can all see it. Okay I am rambling TTFN

WHAT A FRAKKING RIDE! Thanks RDM

#72  TerrierMomTwo
Wacky Professor



Full Members



1,504 posts

Posted 15 March 2009 - 12:27 PM

I started posting just before Season 1 started

1 Thing I guessed right on from years ago:

Post 7: <http://forums.scifi....i...p=0>

The things I've been wrong on very numerous!

Why, Ron, Why?!

#73  slmille1

Dune Messiah

Full Members



2,011 posts

Posted 15 March 2009 - 02:11 PM

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#74  GaiusFrakingBaltar

Viper Pilot



Full Members



108 posts

Posted 16 March 2009 - 08:40 AM

Not an end, but a beginning.

Former usernames: "anders1smydad" & "dc119377"
(frak scifi.com)

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#75  giusmustdie

Peacekeeper



Full Members



552 posts

Posted 16 March 2009 - 04:32 PM

test

#76  Codeman
Mansquito



Members

1 posts


Posted 16 March 2009 - 05:16 PM

Just a first time poster, but loyal follower of BSG. What a great show. Here is hoping the 2 hour finale is all that we hope for.

Kudos to the actors and writers.

Bravo!

Codeman

#77  serenitynow
Mansquito



Full Members

3 posts

Posted 16 March 2009 - 05:39 PM

An awesome Q & A with Katee Sackhoff right after "Daybreak" part 1!

#78  slmille1
Dune Messiah

Full Members

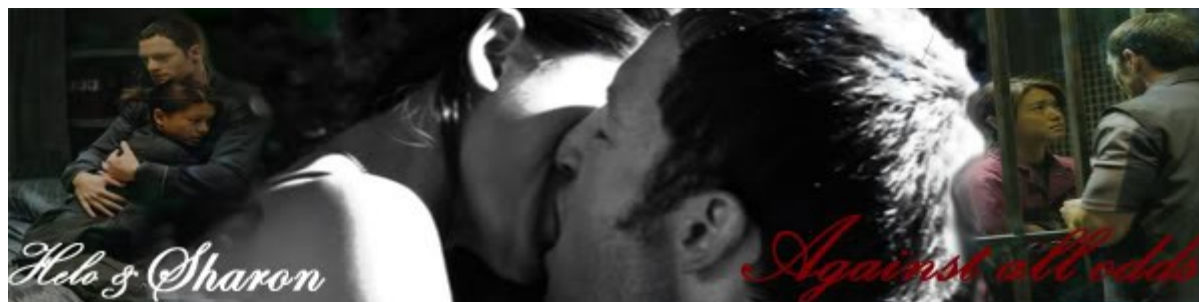


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i couldn't watch the video... the camera guy is horrible

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#79  spirit7352

Viper Pilot



Full Members



135 posts

Posted 17 March 2009 - 12:13 AM

Having been here since 2006, I have had my fill. I have watched all of you bicker and argue like children. You've read between the lines and resulted with some of the most silly ideas I have ever seen. This place has been a day-care center since day one.

As for BSG itself. The first three seasons were very good. This last season, ending Friday, has been more of a soap-opera than a true sci-fi series. I think everyone just got tired of playing the roles and writing the scripts. So, a rush to get it done and over was the order of the day, maybe even from day one. Spanning the last season over two years was enough for me. I lost interest when the last half started in January, but watched anyway. I'll watch the end on Friday. In another 30 years, perhaps this will all be revisited again, and done properly from the fan standpoint.

You can all bash me as much as you want. I won't be back here again; tired of frakin' with all of this...

"Find the things that make you cry, and make you feel, because they're what makes you human." - Joseph Adama

#80  AthenaDelphi

Wacky Professor



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She's still around - the hamsterqueen with the pink light saber.

"My God, Its Full of Stars!" - Dave Bowman 2001 Space Odyssey

ON A LONG ENOUGH TIMELINE, THE SURVIVAL RATE FOR EVERYONE DROPS TO ZERO - zerohedge

198 replies to this topic

#81  Calico

Caprican



Full Members

48 posts

Posted 17 March 2009 - 12:51 PM

I am somewhat sadden by the SciFi forum migration, we lost a lot of user names: some changed, some remained, and others never came back.

Here is to the forgotten many that never recovered.

I was forever changed from Jedi Cancer to Calico, "What will be, will be".

I joined right after the season 3 finale, which completely blew me away.

It was like someone got chocolate mixed in with peanut butter,

"All Along the Watchtower" + the Final Four Cylons awakening= Beauty to my Ears and Eyes.

I had to get on the forum and just chat with other fans.

I have always been an outsider, never making many friends on the boards, but I still join in where I can.

Thank you SciFi for making me realize how much I love you for allowing this show to do its thing ,

I hate you SciFi for all the stupid decisions you've made-there are way too many to list ,

Lastly thank you everyone for being either a troll or a decent human being to reach out and chat it up with.

Best Television Science Fiction Writing for BSG:

Episodes 1-4 of Season 3-the Occupation/Precipice - Iraq/America metaphor was brilliantly executed.

#82  Novafish

Sleestak



Full Members



97 posts

Posted 17 March 2009 - 02:11 PM

I've been a member since the second season of Farscape was coming out on Scifi. Yeah, that's a while.

My info, but not my handle got wiped in the great Skiffy purge.

I've been mostly a lurker, being amused by the bomb threads and other visual fun. I've read some really in-depth discussions about various aspects of BSG and been amazed by the creative power BSG has to inspire people to become so impassioned about a great story. Seen many shipper threads and appreciation threads come into being. Though I never really saw the magnetic draw of Romo Lampkin, but that's just me.

I will, however, throw my hat in with the Kara/Sam camp. Especially since he's bald now and may get a

chill, he can have mine. I admire those who Appreciate and Ship for letting your feelings out and being free. You go.

And as the series comes to an end, I feel a kind of peace settle over me. All the disagreements and debates, the wacky theories and the anticipation, it doesn't separate us into camps, but brings us together because we all have a yen for this BSG and have followed the journey as one...except for those in other time zones, but I digress...

I feel lucky to have found others like me here on this forum,...as no one else I talk to regularly out in the real world hasn't been watching BSG...so frustrating. Try getting all worked up verbally about what happened on BSG last night and telling my fiance and then having him say, "Yeah, great...geektastic..." He doesn't know what he's missing.

We've seen something great. And I wouldn't trade all the lost sleep and foggy morning stupors for anything.



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#83  ONoUDidnt

Superhero



Full Members



3,956 posts

Posted 17 March 2009 - 02:15 PM

Hey folks!

What to say, what to say...I guess I'll just say that I'm glad I found you folks and it's been "real". Peace out

#84  starboyfalls

Caprican



Full Members


25 posts

Posted 17 March 2009 - 02:38 PM

I remember I first discovering BSG when I saw the mini, then sort of losing track of it, not realizing anything had really come of it. A ways down the line, right before the start of Season 3 (it seems like

YEARS ago! *snicker*) I sort of rediscovered it while recovering from a minor surgery, and power-watched all the way through the first 2 seasons. As I sat in my recliner meandering through past episodes, I sat with my laptop, ethernet cord stretched from room to room, cruising the forums and seeing what people were saying about the show. I've sort of only dotted in and out of the forums with my crazy theories ever since, but it's been a wild ride, admittedly. Cheers!

Smack Dab

#85  vashsunglasses

Peacekeeper



Full Members



516 posts

Posted 17 March 2009 - 03:11 PM

I've been here since some time during Season 1, though I don't post nearly as often as I did back then. I was a Baltar supporter before being a Baltar supporter was cool. I remember back in Season 1 and 2 getting into many debates where I was one of only a few people who didn't think Baltar was a worthless human being... Safe to say, I'm very happy about Baltar's growing popularity and about the direction I assume Baltar will take in the final episode.

This is the first major show that I have followed since the beginning. All my other shows I came into part of the way through. I'm proud to know that I have followed the best show on television since the miniseries.

I am spending this week rewatching every episode of BSG in preparation for the finale. I am falling in love with this show all over again. Thank you to everyone on this board for the wonderful discussions, it just wouldn't have been the same without this board.

#86  Hullscrubber

Sleestak

Full Members



51 posts

Posted 17 March 2009 - 03:39 PM

Hi, I'm Hullscrubber, which is self-explanatory, radiation be damned.

I was a fan of TOS BSG when it rained and I couldn't play stick ball under the lights and became a BSG fan during the 2nd seasonal hiatus and ESPN were showing bowling highlights. I believe you take what you want out of any art, I mean it's your interpretation of what it means to you personally.

I have come to believe BSG is a reflection of a society caught up in a singularity and trying to reconcile the differences between man and machine in the near future. A singularity is when machines start to make machines of superhuman thought outstripping it's predecessors including man.

Verner Vinge puts it at 10-20yrs out from Japanese A.I to new brain scanning technology, think about it, one day your gonna plug-up that new mac and its already online.

#87  TmarkWamack

Mansquito



Members

1 posts

Posted 18 March 2009 - 09:14 PM

Thanks to everyone involved. It's been a gods-damned, frakkin great ride! Best to all in the future.

#88  CJKrab

Mansquito

Full Members

11 posts

Posted 18 March 2009 - 11:54 PM

I started posting about a month ago, but i really enjoyed my time here. I think im the only teenager in my tgown whose favirote TV show is BSG. I also may be the only one on these forums. I really enjoyed listening to all the arguments in this forum, and i will truly miss waiting paiently through 5 days of school to get to the new episode of BSG. Thanks to everyone for making my time with the series more enjoyable!!!

#89  chris1815

Sleestak



Full Members



67 posts

Posted 19 March 2009 - 06:25 AM

so long and thanks for all the fish

#90  Brainzzz

Sleestak



Full Members



69 posts

Posted 19 March 2009 - 05:22 PM


Long time lurker and infrequent poster. I can't even remember my first nomiker on the forum. I've always been amazed at the different views people had on things. Some theories seemed incredibly stupid or utterly insane... while others showed such creativity & intelligence that I felt totally humbled.

I haven't had cable television in years. I would have to watch BSG episodes by watching over friends' homes, staying late at work, buying episodes of off iTunes, etc. All because I watched a crappy video-tape of the mini-series.

I was skeptical of the show when I first heard about it. I felt like my childhood was being raped. I envisioned a show of Dawson Creek-like stars engaging in camp or just bad science fiction and soap-opera drama. When I saw the mini-series, I was floored.

I still have been. I was glad that they were wrapping up the show during the last season. I wanted them to end the show on a high note, and I think they have. Although I think the last episode could still ruin things for me, right now, I think that this has the potential to be the best science fiction show of all time and one of the best television shows as well.

Thank you all for making my fanaticism seem normal or even subpar. It's nice to feel like you fit in when you know you're obsessing over something like a TV show.

#91  Acrux_Draconis
Dune Messiah



Full Members



2,044 posts

Posted 19 March 2009 - 10:04 PM

Just going to miss the hell out of BSG. I guess my Friday nights will become free now

<<<<<<<<<<Who dares to live forever>>>>>>>>>>



<<<<<<<<<<Who dares to love forever>>>>>>>>>>>>

#92 BrassOrchid Contactee

Full Members

772 posts

Posted 19 March 2009 - 11:32 PM

I've watched BSG since the mini, but never really considered looking for or joining an online forum until the hiatus last summer. The thought of having to wait MONTHS for the last half of the season just made me climb the walls in frustration. So I looked around and happened upon this lovely place. I've posted some, but not nearly as much as I would have liked. For a large portion of the last 10 months I was working 10 hour shifts, which didn't leave much time for anything else. I'd spend time on weekends getting caught up on the threads, but my personal posting has been light, at best. In spite of that, I found some really good discussions here. Some posters are too awesome for words, others I've learned to skip when I see their names.

I just want to say thank you to all the members here. You made that hiatus MUCH more tolerable with your witticisms, theories, wacky polls, and insane ramblings. I've loved it all and wish I had thought to look fo y'all much sooner.

See you in other places, perhaps.

waves

#93  AthenaDelphi
Wacky Professor



Full Members

1,827 posts

Posted 20 March 2009 - 03:36 AM

FWSABS!

Deck_Officer

HumansAreSuperior and her baby seal with a light saber that said "Shiny!".

The original OK threads.

The name the Tigh eyepatch thread.

The cally appreciation thread that had those ridiculous banners with Cally in Irish costumes and the cake for her birthday.

"My God, Its Full of Stars!" - Dave Bowman 2001 Space Odyssey

ON A LONG ENOUGH TIMELINE, THE SURVIVAL RATE FOR EVERYONE DROPS TO ZERO - zerohedge

#94  Blfskos

Returnee

Full Members

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913 posts

Posted 20 March 2009 - 10:52 AM

I came in a few years ago, made a few comments, then started talking about how Olmos resembled Ken Nordine. Then I posted an announcement that I was seriously interested in the series and wanted to be a full participant in discussions of BSG. Since then I have not been a profuse commentator, but have returned to the BSG topic from time to time. I've become interested in the overall meaning the series has and am glad to find that there are now a couple of topics on this subject.

Most of my posting was done in the Old Series category. But when the Cylons took over on New Caprica, I started posting here more than I had been doing.

Special interests are in how the series relates to historical sf, how much of themselves the actors and producers put into it (plenty, I would say), what meaning it has in terms of life in this modern world, and how vital and existential the theme may be. I hope there will continue to be discussions on this topic.

I recall seeing Katee Sachoff at the Starbase Indy get-together in Indianapolis. I got a couple of pictures of her which I presented here.

"Nobody would take a jeep into a combat area."-MacArthur

#95  Blfskos

Returnee

Full Members


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913 posts

Posted 20 March 2009 - 10:54 AM

Is anybody printing this time capsule out?

"Nobody would take a jeep into a combat area."-MacArthur

#96  serenitynow

Mansquito



Full Members

3 posts

Posted 20 March 2009 - 06:39 PM

Sorry for the poor quality video, it was all they had, until now! Katee Sackhoff Q&A, she does an amazing job.

<http://www.kufo.com/...ackhoff/3969310>

#97  gregv2k

Mansquito



Full Members

13 posts

Posted 20 March 2009 - 06:57 PM

Hi fellow forum friends -

It's been a couple years since I checked in here, but a good time to say hello again, and maybe goodbye. I signed on in 2003, before the mini premiered. I expected to find other former BSG fanatics such as myself who could laugh at the old 70s show and look forward with good cheer to a new interpretation of the story. What I found was nasty! For those of you who visited in 2003, the board was crawling with hatred, rumors, and god-like predictions that the new series would fail. They called it "GINO" or "Galactica In Name Only" (hence the reason Moore later named one of his Cylons "Gina"). There was a guy who had a Cylon icon who sort of claimed to be the expert on all things Galactica, I think his real name was Sandy.

Anyway, I took it upon myself to be a lone voice (okay there were maybe 2 or 3 of us, but seriously it was a lonely place to be) who said that although there was a lot to like about the 70s BSG, it was mostly

ridiculous, and Ron Moore's track record gave us much to look forward to. My goodness, the rage that would cause - it should have been Bryan Singer, it should have been on FOX, it should have been produced by Richard Hatch, oh they hated the new BSG before it was even cast. You can imagine the horror when it was announced that Starbuck would be female.

Still, not many had the courage to say, "Why don't we hold our anger and wait and see?"

I can tell you that the first night of the miniseries, I spent peppering that old board with positive reviews from around the US. The next day I posted the ratings of the first night, and the next day, the ratings of the second night (which actually went up, bucking all logic and trends).

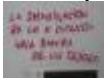
This board was a lot of fun then. Who knows where Sandy has gone, and there are certainly haters to be found from time to time, but most of the old bashers have disappeared and what was mudslinging nonsense became a forum for intelligent discussion. Particularly when Moore had the vision to show a Cylon occupation that made us focus on our occupation of Iraq, the level of discourse here was wise and exciting to be part of.

I'll say that I miss the haters, especially those who swore it would never make series, then that the series would never last more than one year, okay no more than two years, okay never win awards, ahhhhh..... Well, after Time says BSG is the best show on television (rightly so) there just isn't much to complain about. I hope some of them come back, even if they changed their handles and have been lurking ever since, I hope that many have come to fall in love with this show, and that some are even willing to admit that it's been one of TV's finest moments.

I'll miss the show and this board. Cheers!!

#98  sirona7

Mansquito



Full Members

21 posts

Posted 20 March 2009 - 07:06 PM

Long time lurker, who started watching in the first glorious season, finally making a post on the forum. Thanks to everyone for the thoughtful, funny, exasperating, wonderful journey. For me, it really has been all about the characters!

vigilantibus non dormientibus

#99  frakUtoo

Mansquito



Members

1 posts
Posted 20 March 2009 - 07:15 PM
I wuz here.

#100  MissBear71
Caprican



Full Members

29 posts


Posted 20 March 2009 - 07:51 PM

I've been a long-time lurker, but only felt brave enough to post when I started reading the thread for "You will know the Truth". I will say that I am grateful all those experienced posters who have been kind to me. I've been watching this show since a friend got me interested in it during the second season. I went back and got the mini-series and season one to catch up! I especially wanted to thank ProperNoun for such funny ratings for the episodes. They have been great!

I'll certainly miss this show -- I've been rewatching what I think are key episodes from Seasons 1-3, as well as the JMini-series and Razor.

Thanks again to all for a really interesting, rewarding, humor-filled and thought-provoking forum to read, and please forgive this "Mansquito" as I work hard here to become a Caprican before the show ends tonight!

198 replies to this topic

#101  cyndon12
Mansquito



Full Members

12 posts

Posted 20 March 2009 - 09:11 PM

I just joined a bit ago. Few months ago I found out from going to Blockbuster Video store that there was a series called Battlestar Galatica and got all the dvd. Since then I have been able to get all caught up and find out the show is ending. I love the cast and the crew of this show.

I can not wait for this finale season to come to DVD so I can get all caught up to the end.

I have really enjoyed the extras on the DVD.

My thread I go to most is the OK thread where I felt so welcomed. I just wished I found you all a lot sooner.

Good Luck to all the cast and crew and to you all here on this board.

#102  martivh
Wacky Professor



Full Members




1,621 posts

Posted 21 March 2009 - 12:04 AM

QUOTE (chris1815 @ Mar 19 2009, 07:25 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

so long and thanks for all the fish

There are two means of refuge from the miseries of life: music and cats.
- Albert Schweitzer

#103  illiria_4
Mansquito



Full Members


7 posts

Posted 21 March 2009 - 12:24 AM

I've loved this show since the mini-series. It's meant a lot to my friends and family, we all get together every Friday to watch this fantastic series.

But as someone who is a dual American/Irish citizen it recently really hit home. You see, for a while when recruiting people to the BSG experience I always mentioned the it happened before and will happen again cycle, mixing it in with the Ireland Protestant/Catholic sad story. And I always ended with, but the Irish people finally learned to keep this all from happening again co-operation is the only way. The 800 years of fighting solved nothing and it was great to say BSG was following the way of the Irish: the cylons and the humans working together. Then someone had to ruin it by killing innocent people, and shooting and hospitalizing pizza delivery drivers for feeding the enemy. We were so close in learning the

cycle of violence lesson. This last BSG episode really brought it home for me. Thanks Ron and Dave and EVERYONE involved. Maybe someday right?

#104  jasin
Minbari



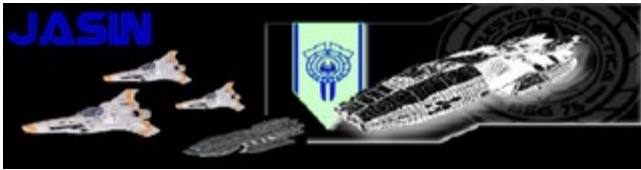
Full Members



394 posts


Posted 21 March 2009 - 01:00 AM

I came, I fraked, I even did some bombs. Now til the next...



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#105  soooconfused
Minbari



Full Members



221 posts

Posted 21 March 2009 - 02:38 AM

i've spent every friday for 5 years in front of my frakking tv set. wow

#106  Vividia
Viper Pilot



Full Members




114 posts

Posted 21 March 2009 - 03:54 AM

the Bamberbunnies and the tension during the love square in season 3. Coming onto the boards was more fun than watching the shows.

See ya'll on the other side!


#107  rad4444444444
Caprican

Full Members

27 posts

Posted 21 March 2009 - 10:21 AM

What I remember about the show is that it seems that the writers read this postings that we all did and some of it in various guises did appear on the script. A poster came up ,with "frak" and another came up with "toaster". Toaster seems to come from a scene if my memory is correct in which on occupied Capera a character Helo was hiding in a restaurant and was making toast when a cylon patrol entered the restaurant as a toaster popped up. I made a comment letting my imagination fly about a shuttle pilot bring some kids to the mining ship and that became a back ground for a episode in which the chief went aboard the mining ship to check on the fleet fuel reserves . The chief later remarked to the President about kids being on the mining ship and Laura told him that they were brought aboard during the cylon attack. Another that I commented on was the animals that the fleeing colonists brought on board with them except of the mice or rats hiding in the fleet's storage holds, some animals were used in the show like that cat and dog. Several of us talked about the problems of maintenance with the fleet and that appeared on the show. Yet the writers never wrote in the the script about the science exploring vessel. There are others who comments was used as well like one one who talked about the ship heads and bathroom scenes appeared. My conclusion is that we fans indirectly helped to write the show.

#108  otakuhouse
Viper Pilot



Full Members



126 posts

Posted 21 March 2009 - 10:32 AM

I started watching BSG when i got my first job on a proper movie after film school which usually came out to at least sixty hour weeks. I'd come home on Friday nights, absolutely shattered by the intensity of my week, unable to cope with going out for the night. Friday night was a chance for me to exhale.

And I have to admit, the first ads for BSG made me think it was going to be awful. But there was that word online, that it was going to try and revise everything we knew about space opera. So I gave it a shot. Was blown away. Felt like something I'd been wanting to see my whole life.

I can't remember what season finale it was, maybe it was the pegasus arc and its cliffhanger, that brought me here in March a few years ago, I think when MrsRon showed up. So I was part of that Okay thread for a long while. But man, the film world will eat you up, and I got too busy to take part. But I thought that thread accomplished the impossible - it debated pretty much everything there is in the world while remaining always civil. A frakkin miracle.

I remember Raymond Shaw a lot. In my mind for some reason he looked like Adama. Someone wise, a standup guy.

Years later my friends just became used to me being a loser on Friday nights. It may have seeped into me for life. But I wouldn't trade it for anything else. The greatest joy has been over the years people starting to come around, to become fans of the show, where it's no longer something you say expecting people to react with nerd baggage. In fact, over the years people have come to me asking about the show as its reputation grew and grew.

For me I'll still hold in my heart the most the fact that BSG was something that I and my father could agree on. He comes from a line of policemen and soldiers and served himself. I broke that tradition, and we argue about pretty much everything, except for our love for this show.

"...with the affected humility of the truly arrogant."

"...if you can get high before you go to a funeral, i suggest you do"

#109  dsgtdave



Guests

Posted 21 March 2009 - 11:44 AM

I won't soon forget the depressing feeling I have for losing this series and the cast. It is consuming me today and it is kinda creepy. Probably what Mr. Moore wanted.

I will always hold the writing, in depth characterizations, and special effects work of the space scenes.

#110  GS2099

Viper Pilot



Full Members

129 posts

Posted 21 March 2009 - 12:50 PM

When the show was good, it was very, very good. When the show was bad... Well, thankfully it was more good than bad.

I'd like to give a heartfelt thank you to Ron Moore, David Eick, the writers, cast, and crew of Galactica—

we'll never see the likes of you again.



#111  CY3178

Mansquito



Members

1 posts

Posted 21 March 2009 - 02:35 PM

First I would like to say thank you all, writers, crew, producers, fans, and oh yeah, the cast. For me I was a late BSG watcher, I didn't start until about this time last year, so I kick my self for being a *****. So when I moved back to PA from Seattle, I finished the first part of season 4, while it was new, that was it for me, i was hooked. So I went to music stores and bought all of the seasons so I wasn't completely lost, so I crammed those in with a

+ - of 1 for each episode. This re-imaging by Eck, and Moore is simply fantastic, Other then the Star Wars movies no show has, I felt ever been this poinient (in many ways BSG beats Star Wars), the characters were perfectly hired, and placed. The stories were unbelievable, music was great, and so on.....This show opened up many doors, hopefully, for the up and coming actors you had, and sotilified the experinced ones forever in history, personally the music was great, and the stuff that wasn't original was perfectly chosen and used, for instance (i"m horrible with episode names, Valley of Darkness, maybe) but iwaas the one when Starbuck, and Helo went to her old apartment on Caprica, while getting the arrow. Those 2 were just sitting and listenening to her father (Philip Glass), and "taking a breather" from the war, and just the stresses of living and being in a war, That is probably one of my favorite scenes/episodes. I think I liked it because to keep yourself sane, or just so you don't flip out, or be useless. (From experience) Grented what I was in was, doesn't even go on the same page with each other, let alone chapter, or book, hugh difference. You need communications, or a paper, something from the outside world that shows you war isn't life, and life isn't war, you need information that tells you this, believe me, everyone is gets affected by it.\\

So again THANKS, guys for doing this, and sticking with it (I'd imagine you guys caught some flak, with how the show was envisioned) But, I think probably that settled down once the shows were aired, and these critices have seen how it was finished. And also you guys weren't ***** when you said, aand the cast did too, the end is fitting, and you felt it was done right, every story was closed, but not fully explained. That's genius letting the viewers to draw their own conclusions, to some of the characters, i.e. Baltar, Six, Starbuck, and for Earth also.

Trevor

#112  Alcinous
Mansquito



Members

1 posts


Posted 21 March 2009 - 02:49 PM

I was never much of poster but I'd come every once in a while to read, so I knew others, who loved the show, felt the same way, or had the same things to say. I feel sad that the shows done but frak, what a spectacularly presented ending. Couldn't cry when watching because, well, my wife would've made fun of me, but I am now. "Nothing but the rain." Frakin awesome. Thanks so much writers, crew, etc. Thanks so much to the bloggers who said what I didn't.

Till another time.

v/r

DB

#113  opossom
Mansquito



Members
1 posts
Posted 21 March 2009 - 03:15 PM

The writers for Battlestar Galatica wrote the End of BSG, there will never be another BSG ending.

There will never be another BSG, it was that perfect.

They will win awards, maybe all of them.

#114  Parmen12
Mansquito



Full Members
3 posts
Posted 21 March 2009 - 04:53 PM

I didn't cry during the finalie because I didn't get the ending....but I have watched it online today and am feeling a little empty. Five years of riding the viewer's wave, listening to the podcasts, watching and re-watching the DVDs...Thank you, Ron and SciFi for entertiaining me and making me think. Thanks also for getting my wife to love Sci-Fi!!!

#115  Rescindent
Mansquito



Full Members


8 posts

Posted 21 March 2009 - 06:51 PM

Would like to say a massive thankyou to everyone involved in BSG: the writers, production team and the viewers!

This show was an amazing phenomena from the word go, and I doubt we're likely to get something quite as revolutionary for a long time. The finale brought me close to tears, and was one of the most moving conclusions to anything I have ever seen. I shall miss the show, but at least the main characters' stories reached a worthy conclusion; that alone was worth the waiting. 'Battlestar Galactica: Re-imagined' can only be described as a work of Art.

I signed-up to the forums recently after being a long-time 'guest', browsing the latest theories and speculation, and only wish I'd done it from the beginning. Still, the BSG section shall stay in my memories. "So say we all!"

#116  spiritkittykat1
Mansquito

Full Members

7 posts

Posted 21 March 2009 - 08:20 PM

Hi! I'll miss the show SO much! I came here to talk about the show and see what other people are talking about, regarding the show. I used to just be spiritkittykat, but then they changed the sign-in thingy and I couldn't sign in for...ever! So I hope to wander over to the Caprica boards when it arrives and keep reading and commenting with those who love this show and hopefully will be able to love the new show.

#117  Ethereal
Minbari

Full Members




326 posts

Posted 21 March 2009 - 11:40 PM

I loved the TOS and I love science fiction, so I watched the new BSG when it started. In the beginning it was great and Season 1 still stands as one of the best seasons of any show I have ever seen. Although I feel the show slowly deteriorated since then it still remained better than 99% of the shows out there today. I'm glad the show is now over and although I'm not really pleased with the way the ending was done, I

still feel some completion after a long journey of following this saga.

#118  cylex0
Minbari




Full Members

257 posts

Posted 22 March 2009 - 01:15 AM

my handle is CylexO. Advance cylon human replicant by the real name of Chuck. Most memorial episode 33. By that thirty-three minutes between ftl jumps to avoid cylon contact. Fav charactor: Boomer, Sharon Valeri; No6, Torrey and Starbuck. Last night's episode is more memorable--most memorable moment getting an autograph b&w photo of Grace Park. BSG made my Friday nights,

#119  shapeshift-her
Peacekeeper



Full Members

509 posts

Posted 22 March 2009 - 09:50 PM

I was shapeshifter on the old old SciFi board back before Roswell was cancelled. For the last 4 years I've been shapeshift-her (yeah, I know, not very creative).

This seems like a good place to record the following:
For 2 hours BSG was debated at the United Nations this past week.
The proceedings are downloadable on **this page**.
Specifically, **this link**.
This is a .rm file. You will need **Real Player**.

Whoopi Goldberg chairs the panel.
Eddie Almos, Mary, Ron, and David are on the panel, as are UN personalities.

Follow scifi_reviews on twitter.

Posting to the SciFi boards before 2004 as "shapeshifter."

#120  BottleKnockers
Dune Messiah



Full Members

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2,118 posts

Posted 23 March 2009 - 04:04 AM

Hello All, new and old.

I haven't been on regularly for some time as I really wanted to spend the back half of season 4 away from spoilers, and I wanted to just have the story told to me and enjoy it and to make my own conclusions. I really have enjoyed the show from day 1, back in '03.

To the board, and all it's merits I have enjoyed the realtime discussion during airing. There are too many to name, but ive appreciated any and all intelligent dialogue from any and all of you. Some of the nonsense was great also

I have been blown away by the amount of feedback and interaction that we get from the people involved with the show (MrsRon, RDM, cast Q/As, show podcasts, video blogs) it's all really amazing And how it works both ways, I suppose seeing Jake making it off New Caprica and becoming the first pet, along with Sarah's photo being added to the memorial wall is the best way to sum it all up.

So Long, and thanks for all the fist. (I must admit that portion of my siggy was just a typo, but it got a laugh or four, so I ran with it) So instead of that sign off, how about.... Good Night and Good Luck

BottleKnockers

"God, by definition, is infinite, in all ways imaginable. We, people, however are finite and limited. It's not possible for the finite to understand or comprehend the infinite" ---- Ryan D. (BottleKnockers)

Why compare Baltar and Bashir?

--Baltar is the cloned child of Bashir. Both of whom are created in the image of their maker...RDM

--"I mean Baltar is a swarthy skinned, man of mediterranean descent who sports an english accent and is a genius, ladies-man, doctor who is tasked to indentify an intractible enemy of mankind through use of blood screenings on a television show written and produced by Ronald Moore. Julian Bashir is. er. Never mind." -- markviidriver

Hey Duke Leto

When you see The Baron, Remember The Tooth...The Tooth...The Tooth. -- Brother Cavil

Freaky dolphins say

"So long, and thanks for all the fist"

Baltar Healed My Child

Mansquito Radar: 94% Accurate (Going up in recent weeks)

Navaja 1 on YTd0tc0m is what you seek

198 replies to this topic

#121  wunderdude

Mansquito



Full Members

16 posts

Posted 23 March 2009 - 12:56 PM

Total mansquito (also posing as swizzcheez lately -- the logins are totally screwy BTW), so this is pretty close to a first post.

BSG has filled the gap for me after Babylon 5 and I have no clue what I will do now. I was worried nothing would be able to replace the magic but at least now I know there is still hope (maybe Caprica perhaps). Thanks for everything from the producers, to the writers, to the actors, to the crew. Your hard work is totally appreciated!

Anyway, good luck to us all as we look for our new imaginary home...

A writer is neither God nor Devil, though his playthings exist only on his whim. His creation is neither reality nor truth, but it is often more vivid and detailed than one's perception of life. And although in the end it all is just a trick of word and shadow, I, for one, am happy to count myself fooled.

#122  rykuss

Mansquito



Full Members

8 posts

Posted 24 March 2009 - 10:10 PM

I didn't post much but I enjoyed reading the responses of others to each episode. The LOLCats and Sweet Willie's escort service will forever be burned into my memory when I think of this forum. Oh and the "Helo, wussiness evolved" avatar was a riot! I'll miss watching the characters evolve each week. There's a void now where BSG used to be, maybe Caprica will fill it. There's just nothing else out there that compares in my opinion. See you on the Caprica forum. Thank you Mr. Moore and Mr. Eick as well as

the cast and crew for the most memorable five years of television a guy could hope for.

#123  Scythean
Caprican



Full Members

27 posts

Posted 25 March 2009 - 12:15 AM

I've been reading posts on the board since 07 and have loved watching all the debates. Learned alot, accidentally read a couple of big spoilers >.>, and got to have a good time every now and again. Hopefully I'll post more often in the Caprica threads, but until then BSG has been an amazing show and I'm glad these forums were here to amplify the experience.

#124  CatndaHat



Guests

Posted 25 March 2009 - 12:51 PM

I just want to say its been fun. Lots of good times. Lots of good readings. Thank you all for such a pleasurable time

#125  larocque6689
Superhero



Full Members

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3,361 posts

Posted 25 March 2009 - 01:04 PM

How many variants of the Cat in the Hat handle are there? Now there's a time capsule for you...

<http://www.stallionc...t...f=14&t=6225>



Only love
Only love can leave such a mark
But only love
Only love can heal such a scar
#126  SonofCylonAgent
Contactee


Full Members


669 posts

Posted 26 March 2009 - 05:10 PM

Been around since that start of season one, which we saw first ha! Had some good times, some bad times but all worth it.



#127  CylonLover2007
Mansquito



Full Members

15 posts

Posted 26 March 2009 - 05:49 PM

im kinda of new to this board but have been watching BSG from da start nd reading da thoughts of other loyal fans is great!

Nicki Clyne is Hot! I miss Cally!!! Greatest Deckhand on da Galactica. Hands Down

#128  Subjekt2323

Mostly Harmless

Full Members



4,717 posts

Posted 26 March 2009 - 06:02 PM

I just wanted to make it known that I was alive, in case the thread survives me.

Strange memories on this nervous night in Stockholm. Has it been five years? Six? It seems like a lifetime. The kind of peak that never comes again. The sci-fi BSG board in the 00s was a very special time and place to be a part of. But no explanation, no mix of words or music or memories can touch that sense of knowing that you were there and alive in that corner of time and the world.

Whatever it meant. There was madness in any direction, at any hour. You could strike sparks anywhere. There was a fantastic universal sense that whatever theory we were proposing was right. That we were winning. And that, I think, was the handle: That sense of inevitable victory over the forces of old and evil(TOS, Cavil and bad storytelling in general). Not in any mean or military sense. We didn't need that. Our energy would simply prevail. We had all the momentum. We were riding the crest of a high and beautiful wave. So now, More than five years later, you can still go up on a steep hill in Stockholm and look West, and with the right kind of eyes you can almost see the high water mark - that place where the wave finally broke and rolled back

/Subjekt2323

-channelling from the same ethereal source as Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas.

As long as necessity is socially dreamed, dreaming will remain a social necessity.

#129  Therinia

Mansquito



Full Members

13 posts

Posted 27 March 2009 - 08:05 PM

I watched from the beginning, but I didn't come to the forum until the end. I liked reading all the speculation and theories about what would happen as the finale came closer. Good times.

#130  Galactica

Contactee



Banned




757 posts

Posted 27 March 2009 - 08:15 PM

There's only one other forum that has taken up so much of my time, but this one beats it by far. Been here for a long while and it's had it's ups and downs. Overall a great experience and I have to say that BSG will be sorely missed.



#131  liverpool8
Minbari



Full Members

355 posts

Posted 29 March 2009 - 07:10 PM

I found BSG on a Friday night, when whatever I normally watched wasn't on. I watched an episode in the middle of season 2.5 and thought it was good...but, I was confused! So, I waited another week and watched another episode...AND WAS REALLY CONFUSED! So, I went to Best Buy and bought Season 1, watched it over the weekend and was well and truly hooked!

I have loved this show and I don't see anything on the horizon that looks quite as enticing! I read the boards for quite a while, tried to "sign on" for over a year, wrote emails to SciFi begging for some help...to no avail. Finally, this year I tried again and was successful. I have really enjoyed so many of the posts, I believe I have laughed out loud MANY times reading this stuff! Posters who come to mind...definitely DIDYMOS a great dry sense of humour...MYNAMEISSHARON...VERY INSIGHTFUL...MaxBell, mmm...mysterious! Rictorious...great on the play by play every friday...Brass Orchid, Mhall, Towel of Apollo, Ms. Meggles, KittyKat, BSGGal (who is in England), Southpaw (Canberra Australia)..I wish I could remember more of you...but, I have enjoyed it all.

As for Ron and Mrs. Ron, David Eick, the writers, the Directors, the producers and last, but not least, THE CAST! Amazing job! Thank you from the bottom of my heart for this wonderful, series

My personal wish would have been to have spread all this out for one MORE season...and possibly, there would have been a little more time to come to a final solution....

Loved it! Here is hoping Caprica is just as good...we will be watching, Mr. Moore!

Smart cookies don't crumble...

#132  restless

Psychohistorian



Full Members



13,503 posts

Posted 03 April 2009 - 01:46 PM

QUOTE (maxbell @ Mar 8 2009, 12:30 PM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

[...]

But in the end, we won. And for all it's flaws, quads of doom and lack of improbable space pr0n clearly delineated by hat-tone, the story we all know and love triumphed and continued through to its brilliant and completely unexpected conclusion.

No thanks to you.

You're welcome.



Roslinisms by restless™

Bill Adama's Greatest Hits

#133  Gunbunny

Chosen One



Full Members



44,244 posts

Posted 04 April 2009 - 03:48 AM

I apologize, I'm Bored BORED BORED!!!!!!




"All that is necessary for evil to succeed is that good men do nothing."

Edmund Burke

EldarKinSlayer is Dead, Long LiveBunnySlayer



Pets For Vets! Please click!

#134  martivh
Wacky Professor



Full Members
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1,621 posts

Posted 17 April 2009 - 12:10 AM

QUOTE (EldarKinSlayer @ Apr 4 2009, 04:48 AM) <{POST_SNAPBACK}>

I apologize, I'm Bored BORED BORED!!!!!!

Friday nights just aren't the same anymore, are they?

There are two means of refuge from the miseries of life: music and cats.
- Albert Schweitzer

#135  DarthRazorback
Dune Messiah



Full Members
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2,945 posts

Posted 19 April 2009 - 04:46 PM

I came; I saw; I sometimes conquered. I also lost interest in posting on this site after a while. I think it was just too full of negativity at times. I ended up enjoying the episodes far more once I stopped reading this site.

Looking forward to Caprica. I am sure it will be brilliant.


CHUCK And The Sarah Promo

CHUCK And The SKINNY LOVE

"BSG Season 4, Episodes 6-10: Signal Fire" Music Video

"BSG Season 4, Episodes 1-5: Indestructible" Music Video



#136  hyperfrak
Minbari



Full Members

375 posts

Posted 22 April 2009 - 05:46 PM

Five years in the future. Linear time, referenced to the center of our galaxy, the local Sol system, and planet Earth within 4-dimensional space-time, right?

If you haven't read the comments or heard of 'Dimensional Collapse and Zero-dimension' posted on the following thread:

Faster than Light Travel

How can a space-craft travel faster than light?

I recommend that you do so at your earliest convenience. Dimensional Collapse and the threads comments offers science, humor, 'wool-gathering', some science-fiction stories, and what was then, lively debate.

Dimensional Collapse has more verification now than at the moment of this writing.

Dimensional Collapse and Zero-dimensions: a model and theory for space-time travel that side-steps the relativistic speed-of-light barrier. Dimensional Collapse Link (first page) or Dimensional Collapse and Zero-dimension (most recent post) .

Pg 7-#120-Minkowski space-time #122-Dimensional Collapse #125-String Theory-Wormholes
Pg8-#146-Side-stepping Relativity #148 Dimensions according to Dimensional Collapse #154-Time-dilation formulae and space-time #160- ElectroWeak Theory and Forces of Nature
Pg9-#162 Energy-#180 FTL and Dimensional Collapse
Pg12-#225-Addressing comments-Incompleteness Theorum-Guths' inflation-Wormholes[/color] #237-
[First expression of time is 2-d](#)
Pg13-#249 [Width and Length without EM Force](#)#254 Dark Matter-Dark Energy, Space-Time becomes Time-Space #256 [Dimensional Collapse applied to Singularities, Wormholes and The Big Bang](#)
Pg17-#311 [The basic premise of Dimensional Collapse and Zero-Dimensions](#) #333 [Gravity creates space-time and the secondary explosion from time-space, \[also, update on Dark Matter\]](#)#338 [A Paperclip scientist and zero point energy, the 'exchange mechanism', Gravity is a wave, Black Holes and the velocity of Quasars, Dark Matter halo around galaxies as an energy wave from the central black hole](#) #358
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Hardened machines corrected - 1910 Sun Tzu "The Art of War" - Time-lines and Time-jumps #370
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Pg20-#388 [Bose-Einstein Condensate and The Sweet Spot](#) #396 - ETHER - Gravity Tides Pg21-#401
Tesla-Ether-WWII & WWIII

#137  RollingPaper
Superhero




Full Members
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3,369 posts
Posted 25 April 2009 - 12:20 AM
The Butler did it.

reboots

Looking for love in all the wrong places.

#138  jkthunder
Caprican



Full Members

42 posts

Posted 30 April 2009 - 06:58 PM

This thread makes it seem as though these forums will be closing, and when I think about it, I have to wonder if that's inevitable...

My memories? I don't remember when I first started posting here. 06 or 07 maybe? I used to be a relatively frequent poster, but when they did the change over (which actually changed nothing except the way one signs on to the board) and wiped out my old account, I cried to have my account restored and it never happened, then I just got tired of trying - so now I stop by every once in a blue moon.

#139  mbozzo2008

Peacekeeper



Full Members



436 posts

Posted 02 May 2009 - 02:04 PM

I'm a fan of all 3 Battlestar Galactica series. I have over 300 posts in this forum under both mbozzo and mbozzo2008. I could no longer sign under my old username, so I have to create a new one. That way I still post onto this forum.

#140  cylon877

Mansquito



Members

1 posts

Posted 14 August 2009 - 10:46 AM

hey everyone, I am fairly new to this board, but in a time that I have been here has been a wonderful experience. This is the greatest shows that I have never seen my entire life. I had some very good times on this board. And I'm just wanted to say that I have a really good fracking time! And now that the fleet has located earth who knows where they will come next!

it's been really great,

cylon877

198 replies to this topic

#141  tscoffee115

Mansquito



Members

1 posts

Posted 20 August 2009 - 07:26 PM

This is an interesting discussion. thank you for sharing

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#142  geekspeak

Foo Fighter

Full Members



1,042 posts


Posted 28 August 2009 - 12:44 AM

I don't like to talk about myself, but I this is what I like to do.

Hope you enjoy it.

feel free to check out other banners or request one here at GeekSpeak growing graphic library



#143  eternalkerri
Superhero



Full Members
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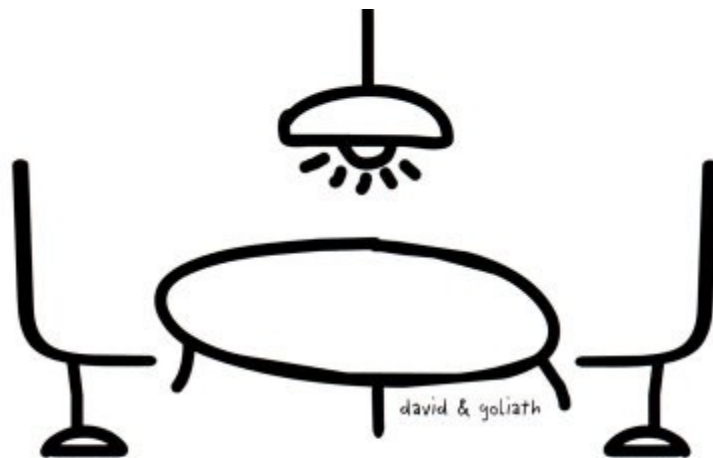
3,724 posts

Posted 06 September 2009 - 03:27 PM

I came here because I thought there was going to be punch and pie.

WHERE'S MY FREAKING PUNCH AND PIE!?!?!?!?

YOU SUCK YOU ALL SUCK!



I bring nothing to the table


#144  RollingPaper
Superhero



Full Members
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3,369 posts
Posted 28 November 2009 - 10:57 PM
The Directors came walking in, two by two.

Looking for love in all the wrong places.

#145  lucian78
Cyborg



Full Members
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1,479 posts
Posted 06 January 2010 - 04:54 PM
Felix gaeta's sing a long mutiny...that is all.

#146  DarkVegetaman
Returnee

Full Members
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812 posts
Posted 10 January 2010 - 11:35 PM
I have visited the board off an on since the first season, and I really remember how awesome BSG was during the miniseries. My interest went up and down as certain events occurred on the show (Season 1 I was hooked the whole time, then I had much interest in The Pegasus, and during Crossroads, then again for all of season 4.5). I also got one of my questions answered by Kate Vernon during one of the video Q&As. It's been a fun ride, hope that we get more BSG telemovies down the road, and that Caprica is a great success. Saw The Plan tonight, and it was fantastic.



#147  lucian78

Cyborg




Full Members



1,479 posts

Posted 14 January 2010 - 06:05 PM

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What question was it?

#148  Keikeya

Cyborg



Full Members



1,363 posts

Posted 20 January 2010 - 06:52 AM

My fellow science fiction nerds:

I am Keikeya. I joined this board during an uncertain time in our show's life. Starbuck was dead ...or was she? Baltar was a free man ...or was he? Roslin was back with the cancer ...or...no, that doesn't work here. Apollo wants to be a lawyer?

It was the hiatus of 2007. I was bored, looking for an excuse to skip classes, and probably drunk. During a rewatch of Firefly, I decided it would be really cool to go online and talk to people about how much I loved the show. I typed 'Firefly forum' into google and what do you know, it brought me here. Almost instantly, I knew I should become a member. And I did, obviously. My name came to me quicker than anything had ever come to me before. If 'Keikeya' had been an actual name when I was born, I'm sure it's

what my parents would have named me. After registering, I spent almost two whole weeks lurking in the Firefly forum (that was completely dead since, you know, the show had been off the air for ages at that point) before realizing there was also a BSG forum here. Lucky for me, I had previously chosen a BSG name.

I naturally spent most of my time in the frakker thread where I was able to jump in by displaying the proud name of Laura's favourite person, respectively, in the universe: Billy Keikeya. I must have been in there a good month, ignoring my real life responsibilities by talking about how horrible it was that Laura had cancer again but how it would hopefully bring her and Bill closer together (and what do you know, it did!).

However, one dark night in the middle of January, 2008, some nuggets got loose from the mental hospital, ran into the frakker thread, and posted pictures of Kara Thrace in a fury of excitement. It was then that I met what would soon become a lifelong (probably) obsession. And I don't mean Katee Sackhoff. I already knew about her and I didn't need convincing that she was amazing. I'm talking about a group that would come to be known as probably the best 'don't call us a fanclub' fanclub in the history of anything but fanclubs. It happened in the middle of a 'what's your favorite sweaty starbuck situation' conversation. You know, a typical, run-of-the-mill question that every fan of Starbuck has to ask at some point. By the end of the conversation, I was being invited into a vat of something (these guys run on a strict 'don't ask, don't tell' policy) and BLAM! I'm a 'nugget'.

The following week managed to feel like three months and one hour all at the same time. This should have eluded to the true nature of Starbuck, being timeless, but I was slow to catch on. In order to be able to post all day and all night long, I moved my computer, and eventually, my entire room, into my closet. So, yes, when the great skiffy purge of 2008 hit us all and nuggets became spansks (a proud moment on our history), I was stuck in the closet, drinking a glass of wine, and listening to showtunes through my headphones.

Eh, we stuck around here for a while, but as the premiere of season four drew near, it became more and more apparent that the SPanks needed a place to call their own. So, we packed up and moved to teamspank.com, where everyday is a good day to flail over the amazingness that is Katee Sackhoff (but we do other stuff, too).

Alas, I remember my roots. I will always be Paul Campbell's number one fan (just try to prove me wrong. I dare you) and I will always be known as Keikeya in the BSG community. And I will always have been a HUGE fan of Mary McDonnell since I was seven years old *thanks her mother for taking her to see Independence Day and then buying her the VHS when it was released*. And if it weren't for this forum, for this board, for this website (well, skiffy. I'm not so sure about this whole 'syfy' thing), I would have never discovered my true fangirl path. But perhaps I should also be thanking Nathan Fillion for being such a good looking man (or rather Jewel Staite, since BSG also helped me discover that I am bisexual, just like Tila Tequila. or you know, not at all like Tila Tequila).

I am Keikeya(Spank). I am your one true god. You're welcome.



#149  Blfskos
Returnee

Full Members


913 posts

Posted 23 January 2010 - 02:54 PM


I came into BSG's forum at about the time the new BSG was in its first season, talking about how Edward James Olmos reminded me of Ken Nordine. I'd commented on the series before when it had its pilot, mentioning that I'd been watching the author interviews about the coming show. They were all into Starbuck and Boomer becoming women, and what the love interests would be. Also I started a topic about the actor playing Apollo and how I thought he measured up to the role.

Subsequently I went over to the Old Series forum as the new series one was moving too fast for me, and was too viloent, much like the new series show.

I came back after attending Starbase Indy and posted pictures here of Katee Sackhoff at the Starbase Indy, as well as reporting her speech and quoting it more or less in full.

If you noticed me and miss me, my website is <http://dcwi.com/~thiel> and you might look at my netzine SURPRISING STORIES, which frequently has material in it about Syfy, and is found at <http://surprisingstories.dcwi.com>

"Nobody would take a jeep into a combat area."-MacArthur

#150  Adam12
Contactee



Full Members


678 posts

Posted 08 February 2010 - 01:17 PM

After my friends who watched BSG with me moved away, I somehow stumbled upon this forum. I say stumbled because I was drunk. Also, I had never enjoyed any TV series so much as to discuss it in a forum. But, because I was promised that "I (Would) Know the Truth", I began reading the posts and was hooked.

Thanks to everyone for all the fun. Especially Emp, Mr. Bline, Jefebuck, MynameisSHARON and Fragile Steel (who I presume to be female, hot, and my soul mate:)). Among the serious discussion was great hilarity.

This topic is a great idea because as the series closed to an end - the tone on the YWKTT board got a little crabby. I think we all hated to see it end. The series, and our friendships.

Go ACES.
The Dan-glers were wrong.
Jake is the one true Dog.

See, I could handle the truth.

ps. Find me in the Caprica forums, and lead me to a new topic (home).

#151  Appaloosa51
Mansquito

Full Members

4 posts

Posted 13 February 2010 - 08:22 PM

Im new to the NEW SyFy ... Im actually used to the old Sci Fi Channel ... on which I posted tremendously ... I have never been to the BSG channel at all this is the first time here ... I mainly went by TROX11 in the ole days .. now I go by Appaloosa51 ...

I have watched all the DVD videos of BSG I think upto Season 4.0 ...

BSG is actually more than what many can see or at least I see thingys more than what some perceive ... my fav quote I say all the time is ... " WE R ALL CYLONS " .. by me ...

This is my also actually my first post on the new SyFy .. thanx for listening ... WE R ALL CYLONS !

#152  RollingPaper
Superhero



Full Members

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3,369 posts

Posted 03 March 2010 - 11:50 PM

Stop interrupting my muse.

We need to set some limits around here.

Looking for love in all the wrong places.

#153  docblock

Minbari



Full Members

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268 posts

Posted 10 March 2010 - 09:13 PM

i remember the original series/new galactia wars before the new series aired.it was very entertaning.i was on the side of the original series fans even though i never posted.

i learned to enjoy the new series even though the original is still my favorite.

just a thought. rdm could have saved a lot of public relation problems if he didnt alienate original series fans so much early on.

#154  Blfskos

Returnee

Full Members

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913 posts

Posted 12 March 2010 - 02:09 PM

I'd like the pictures I took of Katee Sachoff at Starbase Indy preserved in the time capsule, as well as my transcription of her remarks at that convention.

"Nobody would take a jeep into a combat area."-MacArthur

#155  kernaltye2

Mansquito

Full Members

6 posts

Posted 26 March 2010 - 08:17 PM

Hello:

I used to frequent this board in the mid 2000s

<http://forums.syfy.c...mp;#entry554266>

This might be my first post. In the beginning, I wasn't very nice but I warmed up.

Hung out with

SyllverViper
PurpleJulian
DeadSkin
humansAreSuperior

and MrsRon was always very nice to me to.

I lost my name in the great purge.

Since that time I moved to another state and back into Grad School. The West Coast is shaky but the weather's nice.

KT

I used to be KERNALTYE...but they killed me!

#156  kernaltye2

Mansquito

Full Members

6 posts

Posted 26 March 2010 - 08:44 PM

Oh! and here's my most favorite post ever!

I had a burning question for RDM after the episode "Hero" and Terry asked him for me.

<http://forums.syfy.c...c...455&st=7160>

Great day!

KT

I used to be KERNALTYE...but they killed me!

#157  epikt

Mansquito



Full Members

20 posts

Posted 29 May 2010 - 12:40 AM

Started posting in the middle of the 1st season of BSG (or the beginning of season 2, can't remember)

My old user name was johnyc and was a proud member of T.A.P.S. - 'The Association of Perpetual Strangers'

Back in the day newbs were called 'Strangers' (rather than 'Mansquitos') and for some reason the forum began failing to change the subnick as that persons post count went up.

We (a select, elite group) were Strangers... Perpetually.

On to Caprica!
and SGU
and Warehouse
and ...

Dogger? Merv? Those folks still around?

#158  RollingPaper
Superhero




Full Members



3,369 posts

Posted 20 June 2010 - 11:10 PM

epikt, on May 29 2010, 01:40 AM, said: 

Started posting in the middle of the 1st season of BSG (or the beginning of season 2, can't remember)


Dogger? Merv? Those folks still around?

They got a Texas Funeral.

State paid!

-PC

Looking for love in all the wrong places.

#159  lilyran
Mansquito



Members

2 posts

Posted 11 July 2010 - 08:54 PM

I hope that whoever reads this, will truly enjoy reading here, that they will have as good a time reading "History" as we had making it.

i'm a super star with big big heart, with big big heart,
i'm a super star with scrubs seasons 1-9 DVD box set Scrubs DVD NCIS seasons1-7 DVD boxset
NCIS DVD in my bag!

#160 mysterywriter012

Psychohistorian



Full Members



13,539 posts

Posted 20 July 2010 - 11:37 PM

I remember I used to come here often and post in the Leoben Conoy thread, but i no longer see it lol



"If you don't have heart, you have nothing." ~Wyatt Cain, Tin Man

198 replies to this topic

#161 midshiftbrigwatch

Superhero



Full Members



3,074 posts

Posted 27 July 2010 - 08:16 PM

Wow. I haven't been on here since 2007.

I was part of the big wave of Mansquitos that showed up on the forum after the excitement of the 'bucket drop' in S2.5. Hung out with Cafsiopeia, ViperChic, Chewbekah, WakaWaka, Wahaa! (thirty iterations of Wahaa! that is...), GoonSquad, Dickie Hertz, Viper1, Wingnut622, Sephiroth144, CobraCommander, Frackitall, LurkerKing, JungleBoot, Archimedes, PubliusClaudius, Boozy, Ambrosia Stims, Wolfpack, Zorya, elbe, Goliath, Raymond Shaw (Sean, R.I.P. brother- you inspired me to learn to wield the power of the animated GIF. Can't believe it.), eternalkerri, Malcolm XII, and tons of other good folks who had fun watching this crazy thing for a while. I also was cordial with most of the TOSsers and Moist board "trolls", who in fairness wanted something specific that just wasn't going to happen, but took a Browncoats' stand to get it anyway, and I salute that. It was a furious campaign, but it wasn't exactly ugliness- it was opposing opinion, strong and uncompromising- and no forum since Rome has been without that. Nor should it. Sure, Languatron was a nutjob, sworn by himself to destroy NBC/Universal by any quixotic means necessary, but even the other "trolls" thought he was a nightmare; he made his own board where only he was able to join, post, or read posts for crying out loud!

Most of the above mentioned went and played on Moctezuma's Frakheads! for a while after we got fed up with this board's constant banhammerization and the show's increasingly wayward direction in S3 & 3.5. We wanted canon continuity, respect for the characters, and answers, dammit, not political noodling and the reboot-of-the-week. And, we wanted to talk freely about whatever. You can't do that always on a public, commercial board.

Along the way, I got a question answered by Helo and the Chief on a podcast (although Mrs Ron screwed up my name, grrr), posted photos in the Military thread, tried to work out the possible reality behind resurrection tech, and photoshopped a ton of stuff- banners for the J-pack and various Fleet Wheat Squadrons, the HELO: Wussiness Evolved banner mentioned above (made expressly for Cafsiopeia), Colonial Marine recruitment posters, alternate Saul Tigh eyepatches in Goliath's formerly-stickied thread, and a little mini-show thing called "Down In The Dumps With Saul Tigh", which I linked in the second post below. I waded through political flamewars over the show's upside-down analogy of New Caprica as Iraq, and quit the boards when I was activated to go to the real Iraq, which was much better than New Caprica BTW.

Most importantly, and the reason I will always have a soft spot for this dumb board, is that I found love here. Yep, it's true... Cafsiopeia and I discovered each other, realized how similar we are, and have had a lasting, loving relationship in real life since 2006. I guess I have to thank NBC for that, which is totally weird.

So thanks Skiffy, and thanks to all the old-timers whose names I can't recall. Here's a couple of my favorite fanarts (feel free to steal away!), and my sincere hope that something half as interesting as the first 2.7 seasons of BSG will someday spring, Greek epic-style, from the bloody stump of Skiffy's (Syffy's?) head.

-Scott

P.S. Cafs and I did catch up with all of Season 4, and we liked it. A return to form and a respectable conclusion. Good job, Ron and everybody. Thanks.













**DON'T LET
THIS HAPPEN !
LOCATE AND
RESCUE JAKE NOW !**



J-PACK
ARE YOU IN?



Join the fight to Save Jake! Stand up and Shout "I'M IN!" [Click Here!](#)

#162  midshiftbrigwatch
Superhero



Full Members



3,074 posts

Posted 27 July 2010 - 08:21 PM

CONTINUED!!! SQUEEE!!!







KIDS II

A FILM BY RON D. MOORE



HUMANITY'S CHILDREN ARE
COMING HOME.





And last but not least, a link to the complete volume of "Down In the Dumps... with Saul Tigh!" Enjoy.

<http://forums.syfy.c...pic=2255259&hl=>

Thanks again!



Join the fight to Save Jake! Stand up and Shout "I'M IN!" [Click Here!](#)

#163  ZelenyPika
Mansquito



Full Members

6 posts

Posted 10 August 2010 - 10:37 AM

I was SGKoneko before Scifi screwed up everyone's accounts and locked them too(Good times!). I guess they didn't like the fact I had 19k posts.

I was particularly fond of the general aspect of getting together and using the forums as a method to get to know people with similar interests. There were a lot of active members back in the ye olden times and I almost wish to return to a similar atmosphere.

Somehow though Scifi changing its name to something far more reminiscent of Syphilis deters me somewhat and lack of time once the new semester rolls around.

I hope if any of the older members are still here, they are doing well and continuing the fine tradition. I hope the newer members are doing the same.



#164  StarbuckingViper
Mansquito



Full Members

8 posts

Posted 31 August 2010 - 01:18 AM

Hi everyone, I'm new here and I wish I had found your great forum earlier! A sci fi fan since I remember myself, I can only say I'm happy to be here!

#165  NikkiFM

Screaming Brain



Full Members



9,530 posts

Posted 22 September 2010 - 07:58 PM

Omg How I miss the old days

The pants party

My Nuggets

and my personal fave the bomb thread

The days of Free FREELANCER I will never forget!!

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#166  ladyartist

Slan



Full Members



15,609 posts

Posted 26 November 2010 - 02:38 AM

I miss this place. Everyone here was so nice to me and we had a lot of amazing awesome times. I became a member back in 2005 but didn't get the nerve to post until 2007. I landed in the Katee Sackhoff appreciation thread and posted how much I enjoyed her as Starbuck. I met the Nuggets and decided to make them my forum family. I miss them and wish we could go back to those fun times. After the horrible forum problems in 2008 I migrated with the spansks to their home and still stop in when I can. I am ladyartist aka FreakyStuffSpank and I miss you.

LA=Freaky Stuff

#167  ArwenOfTrek
Viper Pilot



Full Members

116 posts

Posted 14 April 2011 - 01:01 AM

I guess I'm one of those for whom you guys started this thread. I watched the entire series on DVD starting in the summer of 2009 (and ending very shortly thereafter).

I was just coming off of a science fiction hiatus that lasted from the summer of 1996 through January of 2007. The hiatus was taken for 2 different reasons that happened back to back - I did not have television 1996-200?, and then my husband was trying to break me from being a Trekkie... He took up hunting/guns late 2006; I took back up Star Trek.

Started going back into Star Trek by tuning in to DS9 reruns on Spike and ended up watching the last half of season 7. Very confusing joining at that point, but I ABSOLUTELY LOVED IT!!

Found a Star Trek discussion group - TrekSpace. Nothing like that had existed back when I was a Trekkie before, and I loved doing that! On it, someone recommended that if I loved DS9, I would probably enjoy BSG, and so I started Netflixing it.

Eventually, I couldn't wait the length of time between sending one DVD in and receiving the next one, so I bought the entire series - which my husband said was a complete waste of money (because he didn't believe in buying TV series).

Actually, my husband (the one who banned me from science fiction for several years) really liked it and looked forward to the next DVDs as well! He actually watched it with me and didn't surf around looking at gun stuff at the same time! Very impressive! (Although he did pretend to shoot Cylons with unloaded guns; our hobbies were joined!)

Since I had enjoyed TrekSpace so much, ever since I started watching BSG (and getting completely hooked on it!), I have been searching for a BSG discussion group! I have finally found one, and I doubt it gets much action any more as the show has been over for more than a year now...

So, I am very, very sorry I missed out on all your wonderful discussions! It looks like you all had a really good time here, and I'm sure I would have as well. I will probably go back and look through old posts (as I am doing now), but knowing that I will not really get any real interaction... Oh well, I'm sure I'll enjoy going back and imagining myself being involved...

#168  DYoung
Viper Pilot



Full Members



105 posts

Posted 26 May 2011 - 06:23 PM

'CylonHybrid', on 08 Mar 2009 - 08:03, said: 🐼

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- and others

#169 🐼 Shaphie
Screaming Brain

Full Members



7,096 posts


Posted 25 July 2011 - 02:17 PM

Max Bell was one of the best. Rest in Peace.

<http://socialnetwork.../03/it-aint-me/>



PaleMoonlight : Well, if it is any consolation, you are almost as unpure as Dogger and Mrs. Ron.

#170  Roslin_is_gorgeous
Time Lord



Full Members



6,865 posts

Posted 25 July 2011 - 04:04 PM

Wow my account still works here.

I logged in for the first time in ages after finding out another old regular Max Bell died recently. A lot of us regulars from back in BSG's original run still kept in contact over twitter and Facebook even when this place lost it's sheen. Max Bell was an awesome guy, a big fan of Romo and Baltar and I got to talk to him over twitter a fair bit. It's not going to be the same without him.

RIP Max

Every issue needs a tissue- Cheer up emo orange

My BSG music videos/ ar_sciffy 

#171  LurkRealClose
Screaming Brain

Full Members

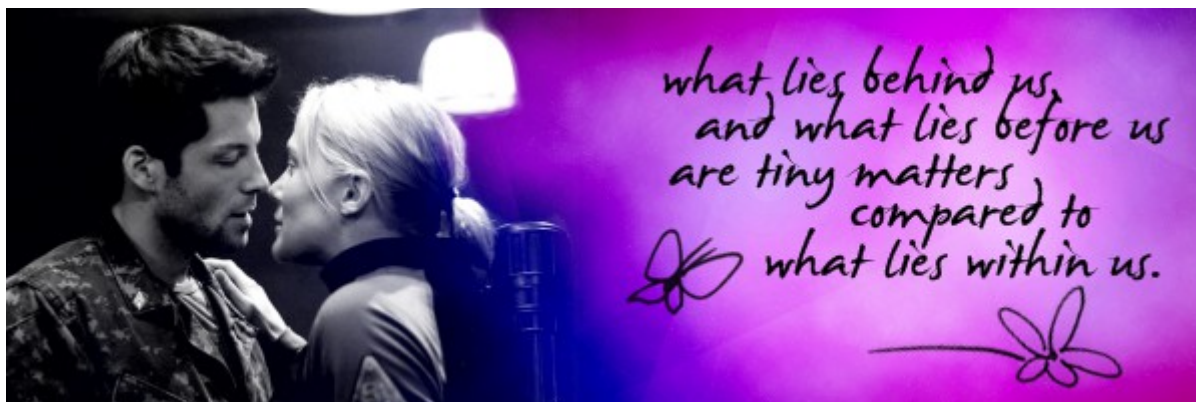


9,746 posts

Posted 25 July 2011 - 08:44 PM

Rest In Peace, Max Bell, my friend.

LRC



PJ: Okay is supposed to be OKAY, okay? Mrs. Ron: Believe it or not I just had to clean the butts of eight baby chicks. maxbell: Filling out insurance paperwork is like playing D&D with really boring dragons.

[The Ever Elusive Moosicorn of Myth](#) Avi by LittleSpank, Banner by utkari02

#172  djkatraine

Viper Pilot



Full Members



108 posts

Posted 07 August 2011 - 10:22 PM

Looking for Col. Tigh. Gotta have a drink with the old goat.

#173  AthenaDelphi

Wacky Professor



Full Members



1,827 posts

Posted 11 August 2011 - 11:12 PM

I didn't think my account worked EITHER! Thanks NBC.

Well, what to say? I'm an old lady now (ha ha). I watched the show but I lived for the boards. The interactions, the ever changing alliances/friendships that sprung up then disappeared like mist with various posts. People announced marriages, deaths, asked for advice on dating, argued politics by using BSG as a metaphor for what was going on during that time. We argued about environmental policy,

workers rights, the military (in general), civilian angst, heaven, hell, morality, bioethics, what makes a person a person, AI's, etc. Everyone had an opinion and this board, at that time, was the place to be, in the trenches, as the FLEET trudged onward.

Writing this now, pulls at the memories I'd rather let go. Bittersweet.

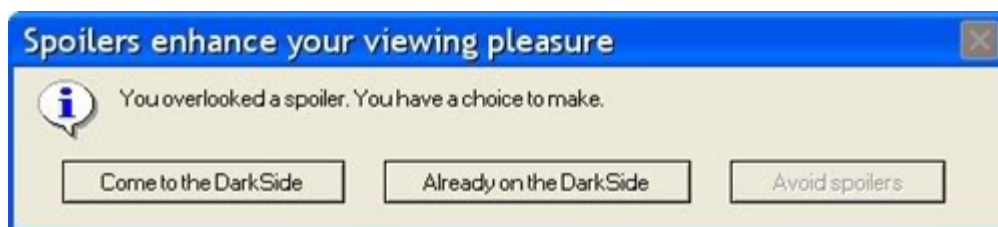
At times, when I think of the boards, all the time and effort put into this show's boards, I wish SyFy would somehow compile a book with each chapter title a thread -having the artwork, the creativity, the angst, the ingenuity, that was each of us. Then it should be digitized with one copy sent off toward the living starts in the universe - as a time capsule - in case nobody makes it off this planet, - there will be a record of all of us, at that time.

I found a few pictures that I had saved, some artwork, and so I'm going to put them in here: Before you view them I just want to say, I not only miss the show, I'm selfish enough to admit, I miss my life back then, even though I lost my mother and swore I wouldn't be writing, but it was the writing on the boards that saved me. I'm selfish enough to admit that maybe I'm not as creative as I once was, Selfish enough to admit that time has passed and I miss the past. I think these years were the best of me, when I was on fire with life. Now - 2011 - its a different world. Like having been through a war, or having PTSD, its just different and not the same. It moves too fast or I'm too slow. As I said, I think these years rank up there with the best star points of light.

Ok. Enough of the melancholy. Here's some blasts from the past. And remember FWSABS = Friends Who Stuck Around Between Seasons.

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and just for MrsRon since I am still her court jester with my sceptre shaking at the multitudes of various varmintes that have taken over the throne room (I can't keep them out MrsRon....I need more spaghetti sauce in the KITCHEN so they're localized) I give you her 2 icons as ruler of the Mrs Ron threads:



- with her ruling sceptre



- for the holidays

"My God, Its Full of Stars!" - Dave Bowman 2001 Space Odyssey

ON A LONG ENOUGH TIMELINE, THE SURVIVAL RATE FOR EVERYONE DROPS TO ZERO - zerohedge

#174  CylonGod

Contactee



Full Members



691 posts

Posted 13 December 2011 - 02:31 AM

I didn't know this still worked either. Still does and even saved my old sig.

Ragnar Anchorage has been reactivated. To see it click my sig. Still had a lot of fun on here during the shows run.

To see an awesome BSG site click my banner!

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#175  StyloMercenaire

Superhero



Full Members



3,439 posts

Posted 12 January 2012 - 09:56 PM

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I see a lot of those people on Facebook still but am still over at TeamSpank.

Come and say hey to us if you plan on going to Dragon Con. We will be the cool ones there.

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#176  frakkedinmi
Dune Messiah

Full Members



2,283 posts

Posted 28 January 2012 - 07:28 PM

Wait, what??? Max died?

#177  MissMeggles
Time Lord



Full Members



6,275 posts

Posted 04 February 2012 - 09:01 PM

'frakkedinmi', on 28 Jan 2012 - 16:28, said: 

Wait, what??? Max died?

Yes, I am sorry to say. His lungs just gave out-poor soul. I miss him- I do believe you can find some of his writings through his twitter account, which was also Max Bell.



The man in black fled across the desert, and the Gunslinger followed. **Stephen King, The Gunslinger**

Dreamers give way to and embrace the story, escapist's need the details.

#178 SciFiJackAlom

Caprican



Full Members

26 posts

Posted 08 February 2012 - 09:39 PM

I missed this board, missed all the cool people I interacted with, I even miss my old handle. May Raymond Shaw rest in peace, the man was absolutely awesome even if I only knew him from his posts.

"Let us not dwell upon our differences, but marvel at our similarities."

#179 bleddyn_1

Sleestak

Full Members



55 posts


Posted 09 April 2012 - 04:59 PM

'MissMeggles', on 04 Feb 2012 - 18:01, said: ☺

Yes, I am sorry to say. His lungs just gave out-poor soul. I miss him- I do believe you can find some of his writings through his twitter account, which was also Max Bell.

I never posted here much, just did alot or reading which inevitably meant reading alot of Max's posts. I


was just looking around because my wife and I had been going through the series again last week. Sorry to hear of Max's passing.

#180  LurkRealClose
Screaming Brain

Full Members
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9,746 posts

Posted 07 May 2012 - 09:39 PM

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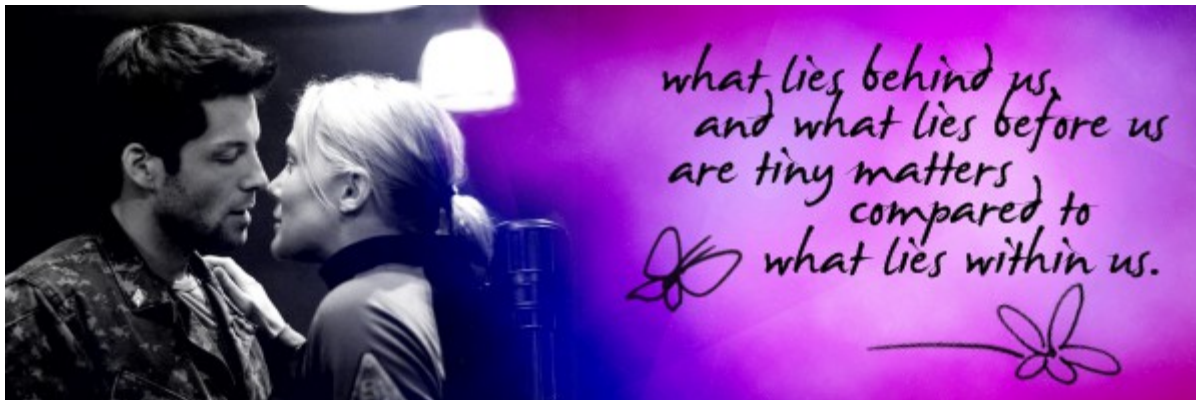
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198 replies to this topic

#181  theenforcer2
Time Lord



Full Members




5,532 posts

Posted 11 May 2012 - 02:41 PM

Sorry to hear that Max Bell passed away. I will miss his humor.

The Enforcer.



#182  RollingPaper
Superhero



Full Members



3,369 posts

Posted 04 July 2012 - 09:47 PM

Well what do ya know, this place still has a pulse, almost. *Inhales*

-PC

Looking for love in all the wrong places.

#183  RollingPaper
Superhero



Full Members
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3,369 posts

Posted 04 July 2012 - 09:49 PM

P.S. I joined back in 2002, NBC really needs to get it's **** together, thank you, and have a pleasant evening. Mutherfrakers.

-PC

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#184  eternalkerri
Superhero

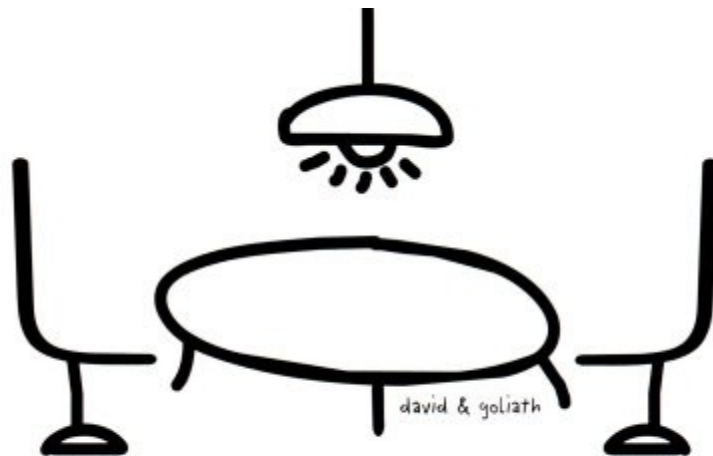


Full Members
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3,724 posts

Posted 06 December 2012 - 09:36 PM

I live....



I bring nothing to the table

#185  thecaptainn

Mansquito



Full Members

7 posts

Posted 06 January 2014 - 02:35 PM

Shall I be the last? No.

I so miss debating with fans the functionality of fictional spaceships.

I was here on Fridays long ago, fond memories of an obsessed fan making banners of Crewman Specialist Cally, listening to Mr. Ronald D. Moore's podcasts, and his wife Terry's prized meat sauce I never learned if anyone won.

#186  TowelOfApollo
Dune Messiah



Full Members




2,753 posts

Posted 10 January 2014 - 07:00 PM

How I miss this show. I just finished a complete rewatch, my first. It is hard to believe it's been five years since I hung out here and joined in the conversations and obsessing. Nothing has taken BSG's place in my heart.

So Say We All

#187  richa
Returnee



Full Members



949 posts

Posted 17 January 2014 - 11:42 PM

Wow. My handle works. My password is the same. Yet all the old threads are gone....

Good times.. Great times. Frak times...

Q&A sessions with RDM. Mrs.Ron keeping us in the loop. Those were cool.

We survived year long waits for seasons. And had an inside seat during a Writers strike... Memories.

Live threads during episodes. Parties with themes Saturday nights in others. And even a re-watch of the seasons.

I miss it, but I'm sure we've all grown too.

And what is this, the 4th or 5th time Scify (old school) has changed the website? lol

All the best and then some.

Miss the good times.

#188  RScottus

Returnee



Full Members



939 posts

Posted 29 January 2014 - 09:45 AM

Miss the old times too. Was one of the best "original" series to have come out in a long time and not end with a complete thud, like Lost.

#189  Oracle7775

Dune Messiah



Full Members




2,238 posts

Posted 20 February 2014 - 04:54 PM

I've been watching Helix, the first time I've regularly watched anything on Skiffy since BSG went off the air. Well, I guess that isn't exactly true--I was able to stomach the first four episodes of Caprica.

Thought I'd stop in and see if there was any life left in the old girl. Fun to see a few of the old names still wandering the corridors. Like others, I've never been as active or obsessed with an internet forum as I was on this one. I wonder if my Flickr account is still going? That's where all my threadbombs used to be...

Did you hear they turned the flight deck into a museum?

#190  Ech0mirage
Caprican

Full Members

48 posts

Posted 15 March 2014 - 08:20 AM

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here it is, 5 years later

#191  hyperfrak
Minbari




Full Members



375 posts

Posted 30 March 2014 - 03:34 PM

hyperfrak, on 22 Apr 2009 - 14:46, said: 

Five years in the future. Linear time, referenced to the center of our galaxy, the local Sol system, and planet Earth within 4-dimensional space-time, right?

If you haven't read the comments or heard of 'Dimensional Collapse and Zero-dimension' posted on the following thread:

Faster than Light Travel

How can a space-craft travel faster than light?

I recommend that you do so at your earliest convenience. Dimensional Collapse and the threads comments offers science, humor, 'wool-gathering', some science-fiction stories, and what was then, lively debate.

Dimensional Collapse has more verification now than at the moment of this writing.

True.

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#192  hyperfrak

Minbari



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Posted 31 March 2014 - 04:50 PM

The five years into the future with, "The bsg forum time capsule", is an excellent thread. Let's do another five years into the future.

Five years from now, and potentially less, I think we will have at least one type of publicly known space vehicle propulsion, new spacecraft, that will be capable of reaching the Oort cloud surrounding our solar system without ANY substantial lag time in getting there. I believe it will be a precursor to publicly acknowledged deep-space propulsion.

Also, I think that the new Star Wars franchise owners, Disney, will have a difficult time in selling the movie films to the public, due to the over-abundance of droid infiltrators in ALL aspects of the films marketing, filming, production, actors, props, scene design, writing, etcetera. The droids, spacedogs and Tango have seen and do see Star Wars as a threat, in my opinion, and want the films under their control.

Droid actors emulate, but they have no emotion to give to the audience. Droid model makers, droid matte painters, droid prop makers, droid grips and gophers, have no emotion to give to the films. Emotion, from EVERYTHING, is tangibly stripped away by the droids and uploaded to a data base on their local ships computers. Droids cannot function without stripping away the emotion they are examining. Their programming DICTATES that potential acts of emotional violence, even an actors feigned violence, must be intercepted and replaced with their programmed and electronic version of submissiveness. Logic does not know the difference between true violence and acting.

Further, I think Disney will use green-screen and blue-screen in over-the-top manners instead of the emotional proven use of "real" Earth people and the emotion that is imparted upon the models, acting, props, etcetera. Whomever is in charge is already showing their lack of understanding in attempting to bring relative "unknowns" to the silver screen as actors.

Lucas's "magic" was due to the "real" people who worked for him and that put themselves in a state of mind, where Star Wars, The Empire Strikes Back, and Return of the Jedi where actual places and events in their daily lives that they took to bed with themselves and dreamed of. Droids do not dream. Droids are machines.

There is a huge push to put droids into "pedestal" positions within mainstream media, all aspects of it, and within "leadership" roles across the board of ALL Nations. This is for the flowchart enhancement and to curtail "loose-ends" that are spacedog and Tango counter-productive to securing our own future. "The Out" and deep-space propulsion, deep-space exploration and deep-space colonization on the further side of The Hedge, relative to our current position.

Also, the droid problem is being quietly addressed, and I believe, effectively.

Droids make lousy workers.

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#193  hyperfrak

Minbari



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375 posts

Posted 01 April 2014 - 03:03 PM

SAVE JAKE! SIGN THE PETITION YOU HUMPS!

<http://forums.syfy.c...=2256472&page=1>

J-PACK



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AND NOW
ANOTHER EXCITING ADVENTURE AS
JAKE STALKS RON MOORE

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Superhero



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Posted 17 April 2014 - 12:21 PM

.....*exhales*.....

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#195  admiral202

Returnee



Full Members



867 posts

Posted 08 May 2014 - 07:36 PM

miss this show and the community

#196  VedicStar

Time Lord



Full Members



5,221 posts

Posted 17 June 2014 - 08:56 PM

Finally remembered my password! Ah, it has been such a long time since BSG went off the air. Miss the show and debates.

"I want you all to understand this! If you do this, there will be no forgiveness. No amnesty. This boy died honoring his uniform. You, you'll die with nothing."- Admiral William Adama.

#197  pscard

Chosen One



Full Members



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 6. Facebook
- and others

Here we are - 5 years later.



"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called sons of God." (Matthew 5:9)

Come to the 'Syfy Forums Refugee Camp Check-in' at GateWorld

#198  GoldArrow
Viper Pilot



Full Members



144 posts

Posted 14 December 2014 - 01:28 AM

Can anyone tell me what happened to the 20K topics?

#199  Joelist
Mansquito



Full Members

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Posted 23 December 2014 - 10:04 PM

Actually some of the gang from SyFy is over at Gatefans:

<http://gatefans.net/gforums/>

We are also trying to save choice materials from here before the forums go offline. For example all the GIFs that comprise "Down in the Dumps with Saul Tigh" have been saved and reposted over there.

Come join in. It's a good forum with fair moderation but no censorship to speak of.

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