ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by L - 2009/01/26 17:40

Just got the latest e-mail from DF about some things we can expect from ROTA 2, and I have to say, I think it's all GREAT news.

1. 6" long walls will be included in ROTA 2. Even if they are nothing more than what we've already seen, but longer, that's great. But given what we saw with the 6" walls for DOE, I imagine they'll have some kewl "twist" to them of some kind...

2. The ruined entrance will NOT be a "part" of ROTA 2, so if you buy lots of the set, you won't accumulate many superfluous entrances. It's a pre-order promotional freebie instead, which makes sense.

3. For the first time, the promotional freebie WILL be available as a single piece, several months later. That means it still works as an incentive -- we rabid fans aren't known for our patience! But it ALSO means that new customers not around when the set first came out, and customers who simply can't afford to get everything all at once and may want MULTIPLES of the promotional pieces, get a shot at 'em! It's a perfect compromise, IMHO.

Plus, ROTA 3 is in development, too. All great, great, GREAT news...!

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Posted by admin - 2009/01/26 22:14

The newest newsletter can be found here:

http://www.truedungeon.com/email/jan26.htm

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ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by Harneloot - 2009/01/26 22:22

Awesome!!!

Very excited about the double doors, pillars, rubble and grand staircase!!!

AND - looks like DF listened to our feedback (what other company is so responsive to their customers?) and yanked the entrance piece from the set to be sold as a stand alone!

So Aracon, you are free to order 20 sets without worrying about getting 20 entrances!

Yay Dwarven Forge!!!

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ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by uti long smile - 2009/01/27 12:16

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Good news! I can't afford RoTA right now:(so glad to see the entrance will be available at a later point, as that is a definate purchase.

Jeff - Any more hints on RoTA3?

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Posted by admin - 2009/01/27 17:03

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RotA 3 Hints? Sorry...it is in the development stage now. Many ideas get whittled out...and thrown at the last minute.

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ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by Yukon Cornelius - 2009/01/27 18:37

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This line is just begging for some really cool, freestanding statuary. Intact and ruined.

Just sayin'.

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ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by Stefan - 2009/01/27 21:00

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....There will be an "inverted curved stair" as was suggested here on the forums by someone...perhaps some other pieces as well, the intention being to create somewhat "Gladiator-like" configurations OR senate type, or forum like settings, or even public bath-like situations...Thanks for the great input everyone!

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ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by L - 2009/01/27 23:59

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AWESOME! That sounds freakin' amazing. I absolutely cannot wait to get my hands on this set.

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by Harneloot - 2009/01/28 01:28

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This inverted curved stair can/could be used in conjunction with the Grand Stair I presume....?

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by Shutterbug - 2009/01/28 14:27

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Very cool Stefan. I can't wait. Great possibilities! This is going to be a good year!

Geoff

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by Stefan - 2009/01/28 17:42

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This inverted curved stair can/could be used in conjunction with the Grand Stair I presume....?

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Yes, that is right.

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by Ghenghis Ska - 2009/01/28 18:10

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i'm sorry but what the heck is an "inverted curved stair"????

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by jackattack - 2009/01/28 21:50

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I think it's what I call an "inside corner"; the stairs are on the concave side of the curve/corner, so if two characters sat on the same stair they would be facing towards each other (at a 90 degree angle).

A standard curved stair (what I call an "outside corner" has the stairs on the convex side of the curve/corner, so if two characters sat on the same stair they would be facing away from each other (at a 90 degree angle).

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ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by Aracon - 2009/01/29 03:37

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This is really awesome news! Jeff & Stefan rock.

Cheers!

Awesome!!!

So Aracon, you are free to order 20 sets without worrying about getting 20 entrances!

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ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by MyLordVoid - 2009/01/29 04:00

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Kewl stuff folks! The walls with the sarcophagi and the double doors are really nifty looking... As is the ruined entry way... Which, I might add, is the first trully "Outdoors" themed piece we have seen to date. I know...I know, MBS is clearly a useful "Outdoors" set, but it can also be used for a variety of other locations too... But that entry way, wow, how kewl is that--as an outdoor piece of scenary? However, as usual, I digress...*Grin*...

It's funny, after years of discussion on these boards about "Gladitorial/Arena" themed sets, we finally have something which is considerably more functional, but which even Stefan has pointed out could add that sort of flavor to a set-up. Proof I suppose that no good concept ever really dies. Though it may need to wait until the right time to evolve properly. Too kewl, thanks DF!

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ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by David Wasilewski - 2009/01/29 13:51

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Sorry if this has already been asked about elsewhere but: do you think these stairs and inverted stairs

will be available in individual* sets? As versatile and good looking as they are probably going to be, it would be a shame if fans couldn't get them unless they were buying complete RoTA sets.

*By individual I don't necessarily mean 1, it could be, say, 4 sets of stairs. This would help get around the "too small to be profitable" problem of having individuals.

Dave

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ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by Aracon - 2009/01/29 19:16

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Oh yah and by the way Harnloot, I never buy 20 of something. I do it in multiples of 6 or 9 (such as 18, or 36). My storage is 1 foot square and by making everything in the right quantity I can fill up everything efficiently.

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ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by admin - 2009/01/30 16:56

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It is harder for us now to do "individual" smaller sets (like a set of 5 2"x 2" floors) due to changes with the factory. Stefan is working up something though...stay tuned.

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ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by Stefan - 2009/01/30 21:42

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There will be a good amount of stairs in the set, probably (we dont have a price yet, but they are small pieces) a couple of the stair pieces will be in quantity of 4, the ones that make sense, so having just 2 sets will give you a ton of stair options...and then there is ROTA3.....

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ROTA 2 info just released...

Posted by zoonat - 2009/01/31 05:23

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Ahh, that is good news! I was hoping to get lots of those cool stair sections. I am very glad to hear that there will be so many stair pieces in ROTA2!

zoonat

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by Shadox - 2009/02/03 13:29

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Inverted Stairs... YOU ROCK THE FREE WORLD!!! now if we had some statues... pools of water dried out or with water.... stands for gladiators, boken columns, thrones, scones, and, and, and.... YOU ROCK THE FREE WORLD!!! First ever Double Single YOU ROCK THE FREE WORLD. Now a Triple Single.

-Shadox

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by zoonat - 2009/02/04 01:56

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-Shadox
Mmmmm...scones. :)

Actually, it's funny that you mentioned broken columns, as I just made some last night that I hope to paint up in the next couple of days.

zoonat

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by L - 2009/02/04 02:31

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Post pics! I want to see what you came up with!

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by zoonat - 2009/02/04 04:43

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I definitely will. Although it's funny you should ask, as I was mostly inspired by all of your photos of minis you have painted for ROTA. I figured I better get prepared as well! :)

zoonat

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by admin - 2009/03/03 05:57

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Final Update!

I just got my greedy hands on the final piece of the RotA 2 Set. Stefan wanted to include 4 6" Long Walls inside the set to go along with the 6" x 6" floor tile. So...we made one. I will post pics later with them in a set up. In a few weeks I will have enought pieces to show what you can do with (1) RotA Set and (1) RotA 2 Set. I can't wait for the proof set to get here!

The RotA 2 Set is looking to be a very nice expansion of the RotA line. After I post the pics, I will ask for final input into the RotA 3 set! We hope to have the RotA 3 Set in stock in the summer of 2010. The RotA 2 Set should be here by July 1st.

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by zoonat - 2009/03/03 06:24

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After playing around just a little bit with my ROTA sets, I can't wait for the expansions!

zoonat

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by Monte - 2009/03/03 21:40

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That's exactly my feeling as well, zoonat!

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ROTA 2 info just released...
Posted by jkratzer - 2009/03/05 02:59

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GOTTA get me some of THAT!!
AND, with a 7/1 arrival date, I should be able to have mine in time for Shore Leave!!
jackattack, DID YOU HEAR ME???

SHOW TIME!!

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