Realm of the Ancients 2 Set Info and Photos!

Posted by admin - 2009/04/13 16:31

You can view the latest newsletter here:

http://www.truedungeon.com/email/rota2.htm

And more photos are here:

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

See you on April 16th!

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Posted by L - 2009/04/13 16:44

Absolutely fantastic!

I'm in awe. The stairs, the long wall, all of it. I'm just amazed. CANNOT WAIT!

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Posted by admin - 2009/04/13 17:06

Oh...and there is a surprise, too. Hee hee.

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Posted by chicklewis - 2009/04/13 18:46

Really a nice BIG set. Seems good value at $140. Better with the pre-order discount.

And is this promised 'surprise' NOT yet announced? Will we hear about it before ordering on Thursday ??

Hope so !

Chick

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Posted by admin - 2009/04/13 19:10

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Really a nice BIG set. Seems good value at $140. Better with the pre-order discount.

And is this promised 'surprise' NOT yet announced? Will we hear about it before ordering on Thursday ??

Hope so !

Chick
Nope...if we told you...it would not be a surprise...

You will find out in July!

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Posted by Aracon - 2009/04/13 21:22

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Jeff & Stefan,

Excellent job on ROTA 2. Thanks much for accepting input for the set.

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Posted by Shadox - 2009/04/13 21:48

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Jeff, Stefan,

Just Curious.... The inverted (wide to narrow inside corner stairs) stairs for rota is that going to be another add on? I thought stefan had replied to one of my posts and I had thought it would be in this set?

-Shadox

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Posted by admin - 2009/04/13 22:35

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Additional stairs are planned for RotA 3

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Posted by L - 2009/04/14 08:32

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Hmm, I wonder what the surprise could be? I have two guesses. One, a piece not shown here for some reason (maybe a trap? the first traps set was not shown before release so as not to spoil the surprise...) Or maybe, two, a feature on these pieces not shown, like a swiveling door or a trap or some secret compartment...

Hmm...

OR maybe it's a miniature, like the lizardmen ambushers, some kind of ROTA inhabitant mini?

Hm...

I have to say, I LOVE the idea of combining the round stair edges without any other pieces - makes a great altar like the one at the start of Raiders of the Lost Ark, with the idol....

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Posted by DaggerdaleDM - 2009/04/14 11:28

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Do the bottom of the stairs have a design on them to act like the back of a throne?

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Realm of the Ancients 2 Set Info and Photos!
Posted by admin - 2009/04/14 13:13

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The backs look much like the sides do.

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Realm of the Ancients 2 Set Info and Photos!
Posted by Monte - 2009/04/14 13:17

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Looks great to me!

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Realm of the Ancients 2 Set Info and Photos!
Posted by Myrthe - 2009/04/14 14:15

Looks fantastic !!! My wallet is already weeping !!!

What is at the bottom of the sarcophagus?
A body like in the Fantasy Floor set's ? Snakes? Bugs? Treasure? Jimmy Hoffa?

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Posted by admin - 2009/04/14 15:21

The area is empty...but ready to be filled by the DM.

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Posted by L - 2009/04/14 17:07

The backs look much like the sides do.
I think the question was not about the back of the stairs, but the bottom -- to see if they could be placed upended as a kind of throne. But I'm guessing the bottom, like all DF, is felt. And under that, flat black resin.

Cannot WAIT to get those stairs -- they just look like the most fun part of the whole setup, being able to play with grand staircases. Seems like ROTA2 is going to give us things we've always wanted for DF, like grand staircases and double doors.... Fantastic!

L

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Realm of the Ancients 2 Set Info and Photos!
Posted by dudebird - 2009/04/14 20:02

I'm glad the long wall has the jackals instead of the sun. Looks awesome.

Three sets to get the entrance? Dang! I'm gonna be in the poorhouse.

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Realm of the Ancients 2 Set Info and Photos!
Posted by jkratzer - 2009/04/14 20:28

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dude,

Don't complain, my wallet just crawled out of my pocket and looked me in the eye and said "DON'T you frakkin' DARE, fool!"
To which I nonchalantly replied, "HEY! As long as I'M the fool that has to work to FILL you, I'm the guy that decides how to spend what's left after the bills are paid. So SHUT UP!" And promptly stuck it back in my hip pocket. Where it promptly bit me on the butt!

Some days, ya just CAN'T win.

C'mon, Thursday!

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Realm of the Ancients 2 Set Info and Photos!
Posted by Harneloot - 2009/04/15 18:54

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Have to say I am amazed that DF has been able to successfully create so many different terrain "lines" that are so awesome and so desirable! I can remember when it was just the MasterMaze line of regular stone dungeons (which are still my fav....I think!) and now its 6 truly excellent, really fleshed out different environments that I just don't feel like I ever have enough of (OK - I have 5 regular Cavern sets and I THINK I have enough of those...maybe...)

And Stefan is talking about yet another.....?

Simply mind boggling!

We are so glad, Stefan & Jeff, that you are both so crazed and devoted to this wonderful hobby as much as we are and are willing to put all your time and effort into creating such beautiful enhancements to our games!

Gosh - what a friggin awesome addiction DF is! Can't WAIT to order my 3 sets of ROTA2!!!

Bravo guys!

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Posted by Bossman - 2009/04/16 00:48

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1:46am but no ROTA2. Are you going to make me wait till daylight! It will be the 17th in Oz by then.

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Posted by HeroQuestFrance - 2009/04/16 04:33

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Damn !
I saved my money for a big DF order and here it's 16 april but I still can't preorder my rota sets (1&2) !
How much hours I still have to wait for ? Why the earth cannot turn fastly mm why ?

Some questions Jeff/Stefan :

Only preorder of ROTA set 2 will be available or should we be able to order medieval sets too (out of stock) ?
No way to buy the entrance, secret passage and cross pieces separetely yet ? (since I can't order 3 rota set 2)
It will be hard to wait until december.

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Posted by admin - 2009/04/16 10:16

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You can only pre-order the RotA 2 set now. We are NOT 100% sure we are getting in anything else, so we don't take pre-orders on them. We got burned once before doing that. Sorry!

And there is no way to buy the entrance, secret passage or cross piece until December. Sorry!

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Realm of the Ancients 2 Set Info and Photos!
Posted by Ghenghis Ska - 2009/04/16 10:43

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I'm glad the long wall has the jackals instead of the sun. Looks awesome.

Three sets to get the entrance? Dang! I'm gonna be in the poorhouse.
Combine an order with someone close by/in your group then later have a deathmatch for the extra... ;)

uhm should there be a not in this, doens't seem to make sense the other way?

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And there is no way to buy the entrance, secret passage or cross piece until December. Sorry!
Oh so the Extra is a purchaseable item in the future (i thought i remembered that but wan't sure what was), that's cool, so dudebird you can cancell the deathmatch, just get the extra later

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Posted by admin - 2009/04/16 11:18

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Thanks for the edit. I don't type well when I'm in a rush!

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