Star Wars and DF
Posted by Yukon Cornelius - 2004/08/27 14:13

Ah, when geeks collide. You gotta love it.

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Star Wars and DF
Posted by L - 2004/09/01 08:16

Well, I've joined the SW page. The MINUTE terrain comes up, I'm postin' bout DF.

It may get erased, but if I recall correctly, didn't we talk about DF at the D&D Minis page? I know I did. It should be possible, even if I can't post a direct link.

I'm perversely excited about this line. It's been under my radar for ages, but the corporate synergy was functioning smoothly here: some Vintage OTC figures, I found the OTC 12" Fett, you got the DVDs on the way in a few weeks, and then there's the DF Sci-Fi pieces. Everything is in place to make these minis the top of my list for now....

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(btw, at the Wizards page, I'm "Law200242")

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Star Wars and DF
Posted by MyLordVoid - 2004/09/03 12:49

Not that I Need ANOTHER RPG hobby, but I almost wish there were folk playing SW around here, I am sure these would work great for the RPG...

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Star Wars and DF
Posted by L - 2004/09/03 17:00

They're HEERE!

they rock, though the random thing is annoying. I bought an insane amount, still didn't pull Lando.

Anyhoo, watch "Cool Photos" for, well, cool photos of these guys in the Sci-Fi terrain....

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Star Wars and DF
Posted by L - 2004/09/04 14:25

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I just posted on the official SW minis forum (in the thread "Does anyone plan to draw their own terrain?" or something like that) about the DF pieces. We'll see if the mods there cut it out or object or if anyone seems interested.

I didn't post any website or price info, trying to keep to their forum rules. I can't imagine it is illegal to just MENTION a product, as opposed to linking straight to an order form.

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Star Wars and DF
Posted by Tomgar - 2004/09/07 07:54

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I bought 8 booster packs this weekend, and the first 3 had Boba Fett in them!!!

Sadly I only got 2 of the jawas I was hoping to build an army out of. :P

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Star Wars and DF
Posted by L - 2004/09/07 08:49

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Grr....

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I was so eager to grab Fett that I ended up deciding to just get a couple of cases to guarantee it. After opening like 30 boosters I hadn't pulled him yet and I was VERY nervous! But then I grabbed him.

Still, I never pulled a Lando or a Probe Droid, and that was irritating. I also pulled an inane number of repeats, including THREE Leias, THREE Bossks, THREE Mara Jades, and two of a bunch of others (Vader, Sith Lord, Ben Kenobi, Dengar, etc)

ugh

Some of mine are on ebay now for $5. I need to get some of my money back! I have a ton of C/UCs that I want to sell, too, but I'm waiting to see when the time is right. It costs a bundle to list things on ebay! I already spent a ton to try to unload my uniques.

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Star Wars and DF
Posted by Alkatchoff - 2004/09/10 15:52

Well, I picked up a case, a starter and a couple of boosters.

I don't know whether I'm insanely lucky or if it's just well balanced, but I got one of every common/uncommon, and am only missing a few rares/Ultra rares.

I'm really impressed with the figs, but am looking to trade quite a few of them (especially 'the Fringe' ones).

Come next month, a few DF Sci-Fi sets may be on the way!

Alkatchoff

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Star Wars and DF
Posted by MyLordVoid - 2004/09/11 16:06

I have to say that I like all of the Various Storm Troopers... it would not have been as Kewl to have like thirty of the exact same Mold... This way I have thirty Storm Troopers but they are Spread out over like 6 poses... (Including Snow Troopers, Scouts etc)... But where are the Death Star Commandos? And the Alien Band?

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Star Wars and DF
Posted by L - 2004/09/11 19:43

I agree! And btw, counting scouts and snowtroops there are NINE sculpts of troopers! Two snowtroopers, one scout, and SIX distinct stormtroopers. One is running, one is pointing (the officer), one has a heavy gun, one is shooting from the shoulder, and two are standing at attention (one with a slightly bigger gun, which is the elite trooper).

That's pretty freaking amazing. 9 out of 60 figs are variations of stormtrooper. :D

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Star Wars and DF
Posted by MyLordVoid - 2004/09/12 09:29

Gotta' Give WotC credit there... (Two Scouts counting the Bike) so is that Ten Different Storm Troopers?

Still want Some Death Squad Comandos, and some Tie Fighter Pilots though... And I Like the Bounty Hunters in the Fringe stuff too...

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Star Wars and DF

Posted by Yukon Cornelius - 2004/09/13 09:16

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Actually, it's eleven if you count the Sandtrooper on the Dewback!

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Star Wars and DF

Posted by L - 2004/09/13 09:37

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Yeah, there are a slew of figs I want to see: the Death Star Commandos, the TIE pilots, AT-AT pilots, AT-ST pilots, A-Wing, Y-Wing pilots, not to mention the Cantina band, R5-D4, Captain Antilles (the guy Vader chokes at the beginning of ANH), Mon Mothma, General Madine, and most importantly: BESPIN figures! Guards and Lando aren't enough -- where's Lobot? the cloud car pilot? ugnaughts? and Luke in Bespin gear? Han and Leia in Bespin gear? (Luke would be an obvious choice -- another scenario involving a duel with Vader, make Luke less powerful than Jedi Luke but more powerful than the Tatooine version)

And Yoda (who I'm sure they left out so he could be in Clone Strike, the prequel expansion due in November)

I'm sure I've left stuff out of my list, but I really only miss the Bespin stuff (and a Bespin map). I'm glad they did it this way, though -- get a lot of stormtroopers and save some stuff for future sets.. This property has a LOT of room to breathe.

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Star Wars and DF

Posted by MyLordVoid - 2004/09/13 15:08

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I Guess I am a little worried that Since WotC Included all of the Original Movies in to the First Set, and presumeably at least the First Two in the Second, that they are not going to revisit these for future sets... Maybe unfounded, as they may choose to source from the RPG material for future sets, which Could have many of the Generics of your List I Guess... But I am a little Cautious when it Comes to WotC... I Think that I would have released each Set based on a Specific Movie... Thus there would have been at

least Six Sets to release and a lot more diversity... And Of course it would Give WotC the latitude to Make Multiple Sculpts of Specific Characters as well, since they would be Film/ Era specific then... As it Stands I Have to Say that I am more than a little Curious about the Long term Plan here... This is Comeing from the Perspective of a Fan of the Films though not as some Marketing Guy/Gal who may or may not be a Fan...

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Star Wars and DF

Posted by Guest - 2004/09/28 15:09

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From some thing said by one of the people, i think they are already working on Set 5.

It will be interesting to see if they release Expansions bassed off of a particualr Starter set, like Rebelion Era Expansions and Clone wars Expansions, or do expansions wich have both sets in them... it is unknown.

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Star Wars and DF

Posted by MyLordVoid - 2004/10/02 15:26

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But I Wanna Know NOW...!...

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