




How To Train Your Dragon (2010) [98m] D: Dean DuBlois, Chris Sanders. C: Jay Burachel, Gerard Butler, America Ferrera, Jonah Hill, Kristen Wiig, Christopher Mintz-Plasse, T.J. Miller, Craig Ferguson.

A precocious and gangly young Viking—who happens to be the village chief's only heir—hopes to gain favor of his people by slaying a rare dragon the like of which has never been documented or encountered.

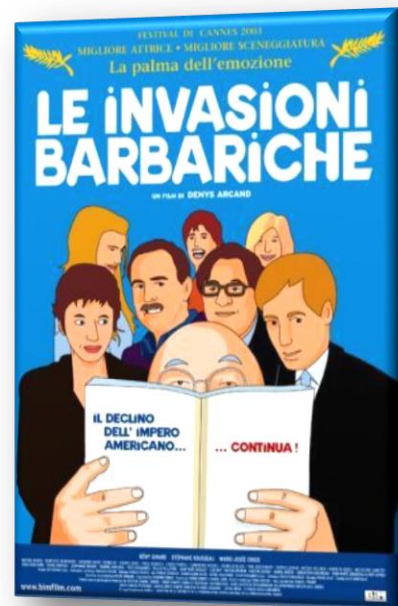
Inventive, marvelously animated fantasy bursting with spirit and tenderness. Immersive and excitingly staged action sequences (filmed in 3D) are enriched by John Powell's thrilling score. Top tier entertainment for young and old alike. **PG** 



- **The Barbarian Invasions** (2003) [112m] D: Denys Arcand. C: Rémy Girard, Stéphane Rousseau, Marie-Josée Croze, Marina Hands, Johanne-Marie Tremblay, Dominique Michel, and Pierre Curzi.

An eccentric history professor is dying and, with the aid of his estranged son, devotes his twilight hours among old friends and family.

Stirring and provocative follow-up to Arcand's **The Decline of the American Empire** (though one not need view that film in order to attain any emotional resonance from this) offers incisive annotations on mortality and relationships. Powerhouse cast make impeccable use of Arcand's smart and often funny screenplay. Oscar winner for best foreign language film. **R**



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