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Title: Noel/The Town That Cancelled Christmas/Hansel and Gretel

[1 Disc] Triple Film Set



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Information

Release Title: **The Town That Cancelled Christmas** 02nd November 2009
(United Kingdom)

Publication:

Countries of origin: United States: 2009

AKA: Also known as: Random Acts of Christmas (Working Title)

Genres: Drama

Disc Nos. 1

Certification: 12/12A

Duration: 82m

Region Code:

Region:

Product Code:

MPN:

EAN: 5060052415875 [DVD of the Title]

UPC:

Languages: English

Filming locations: Wheeling, West Virginia, USA

Sound mix: Dolby Digital

Aspect Ratio: 1.85:1

1. Title: The Town That Cancelled Christmas

Storyline

Festive family comedy. When Norbert Bridges (Matt McCoy) and his family move to Greenlawn just before the Christmas holidays, Norbert immediately begins to stir up trouble with his neighbour, Donnie Manning (Adam Ferrara), the reigning champion of the annual Greenlawn Christmas Decorating Contest. When the pair's competitiveness gets out of control, the town decides to cancel Christmas. The two feuding neighbours decide to put aside their differences in an attempt to save Christmas.

Cast

Matt McCoy,
Jane Sibbett,
Adam Ferrara,
Carol Alt,
Hunter Gomez

Parental Guidance

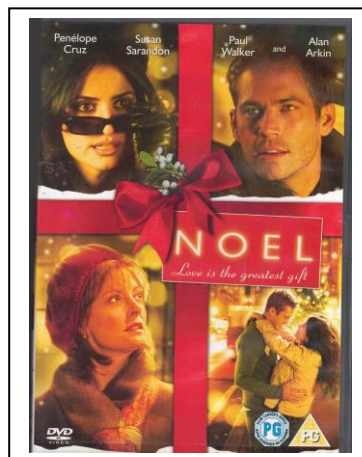
Certification

Netherlands:AL United Kingdom:U United States:TV-G

Sex & Nudity -, Violence & Gore - Profanity-, Alcohol, drugs & Smoking- e, Frightening & Intense Scenes - Contains Moderate Language



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Film poster

Directed by	Chazz Palminteri
Written by	David Hubbard
Produced by	Al Corley Howard Rosenman
Starring	Penélope Cruz Susan Sarandon Paul Walker Alan Arkin Marcus Thomas Robin Williams
Cinematography	Russell Carpenter
Edited by	Susan E. Morse
Music by	Alan Menken
Distributed by	Convex Group
Release date	September 12, 2004
Running time	96 minutes
Country	United States
Language	English
Box office	\$2,280,924 ^[1]

Information

Release **Title:** Noel 12th November 2004 (United Kingdom)

Publication:

Countries of origin: United States, Canada: 12th September 2004 (limited)

AKA: Also known as:

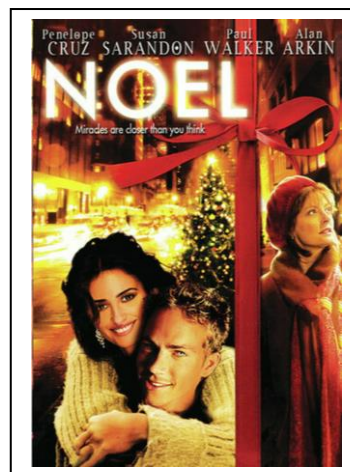
Genres: Drama

Disc Nos. 1

Certification: PG

Duration: 1h 36m

Region Code:
Region:
Product Code:
MPN:
EAN: 5060052415875 [DVD of the Title]
UPC:
Languages: English
Filming locations: Montréal, Québec, Canada
Sound mix: Dolby Digital
Aspect Ratio: 2.35:1



2. Title: Noel

Storyline

On Christmas Eve in New York, divorced publisher Rose Collins struggles to cope with caring for her mother, an Alzheimer's patient. As she contemplates suicide on a riverbank, former priest Charlie Boyd saves her life, and they spend the night together in her apartment. While Charlie explains that he has lost faith in God, the next morning he tells Rose that his faith has been restored by a telepathic conversation with Rose's mother, claiming that she wants Rose to move on with her life. Rose angrily ejects Charlie from her apartment.

Young couple Nina Vasquez and Mike Riley are on the verge of breaking up due to Mike's increasingly jealous behaviour. When Mike attacks a homosexual platonic friend of Nina, she leaves him. When Nina goes to her family to celebrate Christmas there, she meets Rose, who has secretly sneaked into her parents' house, and confides her story to her. Feeling out of place, Rose and Nina go to a nearby bar.

Elderly waiter Artie Venizelos searches for his deceased wife every Christmas. He molests Mike, believing him to be his wife's reincarnation. When Artie collapses and is hospitalized, Mike learns from a colleague that Artie committed manslaughter in a fit of jealousy. As a result, his wife killed herself in a car accident. Mike sees this as a fateful sign that he must overcome his own pathological jealousy.

Jules Calvert is a depressed young man whose sole happy memory is a Christmas celebration in a hospital when he was a teenager. Seeking to repeat the experience, he allows the criminal Arizona to break his hand, only to learn that he cannot revive the past. Rose, feeling guilty over her treatment of Charlie, returns to the hospital and discovers that Charlie is in a coma in the room next to her mother's. Back on the riverbank, Rose decides to enjoy life again, and sets up a date with one of the doctors.

Quick Storyline/Review: Christmas Eve in New York, and the lonely divorced publisher, Rose Collins, needs a miracle to improve the health of her mother, interned in a hospital with Alzheimer's. She feels sorry for another patient and meets his visitor. Meanwhile, Nina Vasquez breaks her engagement with her beloved fiancé Mike due to his suffocating jealousy, but misses him. Mike is stalked by a stranger, bartender Artie Venezuela. The poor Jules arranges to spend Christmas Eve in the hospital, where he spent the best Christmas of his life when he was a teenager. The lives of some of these characters cross with others along the night. — Claudio Carvalho, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - IMDb

Cast

Susan Sarandon – Rose Collins
Penélope Cruz – Nina Vasquez
Paul Walker – Michael "Mike" Riley
Alan Arkin – Artie Venizelos
Marcus Thomas – Jules Calvert
Chazz Palminteri – Arizona
Robin Williams – Charles "Charlie" Boyd
Sonny Marinelli – Dennis
Daniel Sunjata – Marco
Rob Daly – Paul
John Doman – Dr. Baron
Billy Porter – Randy
Carmen Ejogo – Dr. Batiste

Donna Hanover – Debbie Carmichael
Merwin Mondesir – Glenn

Parental Guidance

Certification

Argentina:Atp Australia:PG Brazil:Livre Canada:PG (Ontario) Finland:K-3 France:Tous publics Germany:6 Greece:K-8 Iceland:L Italy:T Japan:G Malaysia:(Banned) Norway:7 (2004, cinema rating) Portugal:M/12 Singapore:PG South Korea:12 Spain:13 Sweden:11 (DVD rating) United Kingdom:PG United States:PG (certificate #41001)

Sex & Nudity – None, Violence & Gore -,None Profanity- Mild, Alcohol, drugs & Smoking- Mild, Frightening & Intense Scenes - Mild

MPAA Rated PG for sensuality, thematic material and some language



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ISBN: 5060052412706

Information

Release **Title: Hansel & Gretel** 10th October 2002
(United Kingdom)

Publication:

Countries of origin: United States, 18th October 2002

AKA: Also known as:

Genres: Comedy, Family, Fantasy, Thriller

Disc Nos. 1

Certification: PG

Duration: 1h 29m

Region Code:

Region:

Product Code:

MPN:

EAN: [DVD of the Title]

<i>Hansel and Gretel</i>	
	
Directed by	Gary J. Tunncliffe
Written by	Gary J. Tunncliffe Timothy Dolan Jonathan Bogner
Based on	<i>Hansel and Gretel</i> by Brothers Grimm
Produced by	Steve Austin Jonathan Bogner
Starring	Jacob Smith Taylor Momsen Dakota Fanning Thomas Curtis Alana Austin Gerald McRaney Delta Burke Lynn Redgrave Howie Mandel
Cinematography	Brian Baugh
Edited by	Andrew Cohen
Music by	Rusty Andrews Bob Mothersbaugh
Production companies	Tag Entertainment Innovation Film Group
Distributed by	Helkon SK (Germany) Warner Home Video (America)
Release date	October 18, 2002
Running time	89 minutes
Country	United States
Language	English
Budget	\$10 million
Box office	\$154,642

UPC:

Languages: English

Filming locations: Los Angeles, California, USA

Sound mix: Dolby

Aspect Ratio: 2.35:1

3. Title: Hansel & Gretel

Storyline

In a modern home, two children named Andrew and Katie are about to go to bed during a thunderstorm. They ask their father to read them a story to help them sleep. The father finds the fairy tale of Hansel and Gretel and begins to read it.

Hansel and Gretel are living with their father and their wicked stepmother in a very tiny shack near a forest. Since they are very poor, the father decides to sell Hansel and Gretel's late biological mother's necklace, but the Stepmother steals it intending on selling it herself so she can become wealthy. The next day, the stepmother abandons the children in the Magic Forest.

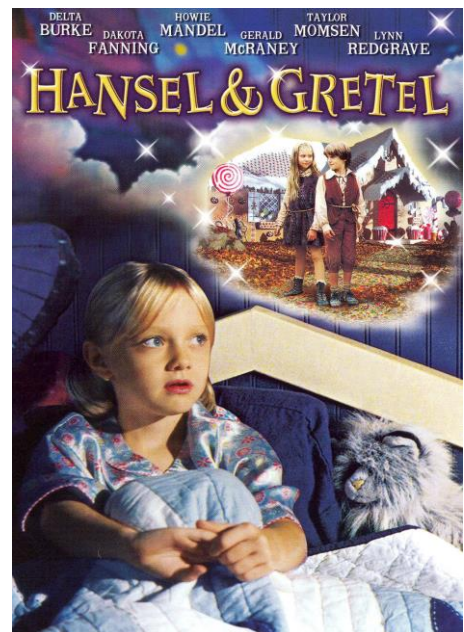
Afterward, Hansel and Gretel go looking for food and get tricked into going to a troll's cave. They are then saved by the Sandman, whom they befriend. They also let Wood Fairy free, whom they also befriend. Throughout the story the Sandman and the fairy are always bickering, which causes problems at times.

One night when the Sandman and Wood Fairy went out to get some food for the kids, Hansel and Gretel wander off and find a gingerbread house after a windstorm. The elderly woman that lives there invite them in, feeds them, and puts them to bed. When they wake up the next morning, a raven comes to the window to tell them that the woman is actually a witch who eats children. The Witch walks into the room, locks Hansel in a box, and makes Gretel cook and Hansel eat regularly to fatten him up. Later on, Gretel breaks a mirror and the Witch becomes a green-skinned crone. The Sandman and Wood Fairy break into the gingerbread house and put the Witch in the oven, killing her. The father finds them and they do not worry about the Stepmother, who had gone to the Troll's house, where the Troll then abandoned her after she made him cook and clean for her.

The scene returns to the bedroom of the two kids and their father who says goodnight and leaves the room. The Sandman, the Boogeyman, and the Troll drop by, say hello to the children, and take the Hansel and Gretel book. They explain to the children that they are real, which is how the Brothers Grimm were inspired to write the story. The Sandman sprinkles the children with his sleep dust and it is shown that the Stepmother found the gingerbread house and moved in.

Quick Storyline/Review

If you go down to the woods tonight, be sure of the biggest surprise of your life! When Hansel and Gretel's wicked stepmother leads them into the dark forest, the children find themselves in an enchanted world of magical creatures and hideous monsters. But when they stumble upon a house made of sweets things take a turn for the worse, as inside the cottage is an evil witch who's hungry. And Hansel and Gretel have a sneaking suspicion they might be on the menu! But will the ever-forgetful Sandman and the runny-nosed Boogeyman be able to save them? — Anonymous IMDb



Cast

Jacob Smith as Hansel
Taylor Momsen as Gretel
Thomas Curtis as Andrew
Dakota Fanning as Katie
Daniel Roebuck as Dad
Howie Mandel as Sandman
Alana Austin as Wood Fairy
Gerald McRaney as Father
Delta Burke as Stepmother
Lynn Redgrave as Woman / Which
Sinbad as the voice of Raven
Bobcat Goldthwait as the voice of Troll
Tom Arnold as the voice of Boogeyman

Parental Guidance

Certification

United States:PG (certificate #39075)

Sex & Nudity – None, **Violence & Gore** -, None **Profanity**- Mild, **Alcohol, drugs & Smoking**- Mild, **Frightening & Intense Scenes** - Mild

MPAA Rated PG for thematic elements and some crude humour

