

# Mustache Maniacs Film Co.

## The Visual Dictionary

Mr. Wilcox



Authentic  
WW1 Helmet

Coo Koo Macaw



Walkie Talkie Calculator



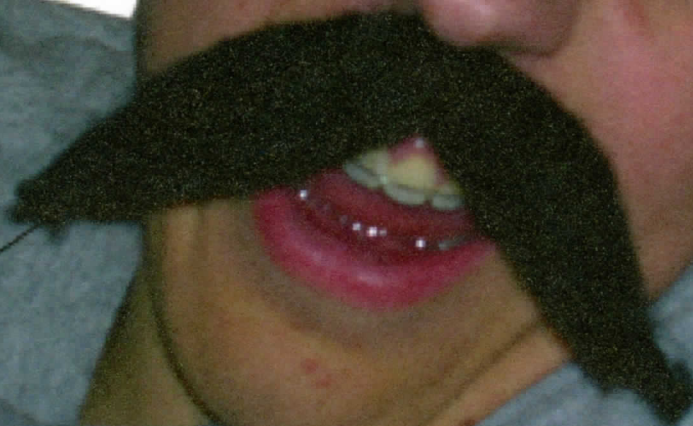
Com 50's Supply Case

Authentic  
WW1 Uniform

Whistle

Mustache Max

Fake Mustache

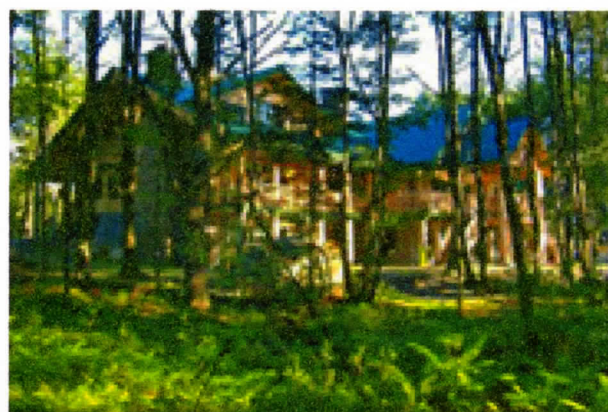


**Andrew Bermudez**



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Backpack is disguised as a school backpack.      Pouch for storing gadgets



Com 50's Backpack

## Infiltrating Cal Pada's Central Island Base

Com 50  
(Andrew Bermudez)

Gate that doesn't  
need to be shot  
open.



X (Tyler Shefton)

007  
(Luke Stabe)



## The films you'll go 'crazy' over!

Back in 2004, a new film company was born: Daniel and Andrew Film Co. During the first year of the company's existence, five movies were released, and a craze for us to make movies was born. Five years, and a new company name later, we've made over 12 films and we're still continuing. Now, for the first time, is a chronology of the company in pictures and words.

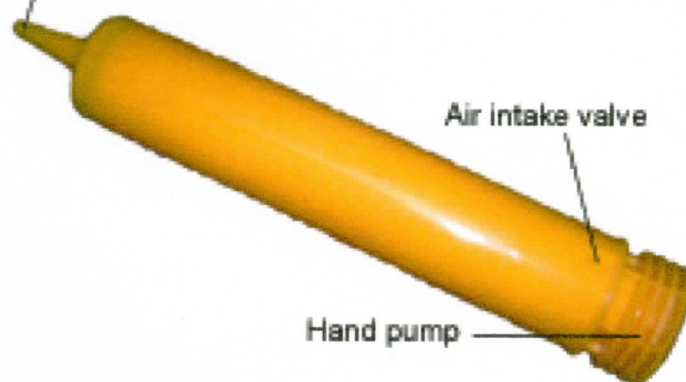
M.P. (Daniel Bermudez)



Club. Hurts when you get hit by it.

Pvt. Joe Kilroy (Steve Marlowe)

Nozzle. Darts are loaded and fired from here.



Air intake valve

Hand pump

### A new superspy

In May 2004, Daniel and Andrew Film Co. unveiled its first original character: Com 50, a counter-terrorism superspy. He used a whole arsenal of crazy gadgets, like this dart gun disguised as a balloon pump.

### From Stage to Cinema

In January 2005, the company began releasing some plays performed by the Cornerstone Thespian Society. One of these was *Kilroy Was Here!*, a World War 2 musical featuring soldiers, riveters, and a group of spies!

Anti-aircraft gun



### Lego In the Far East

In 2008, the company released its first brickfilm, *Johnny Thunder and the Secret of Marco Polo*. It was also the company's first film to be featured online, and it soon became an international hit.

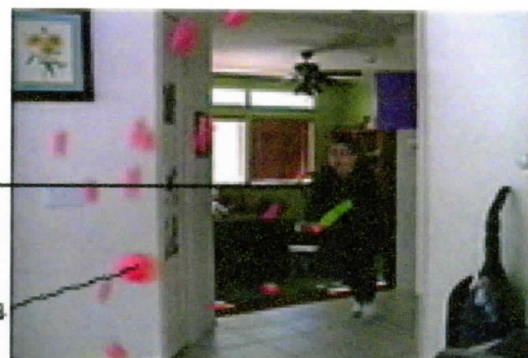


# Everything Has to Begin Somewhere...

In December of 2003, we recieved our very first camcorder, which allowed us to make our very first films, *Indiana Jones and the Forbidden Mayan Temple*, *Indiana Jones and the Egyptian Tomb*, and *Com 50*. Even though they're not the highest quality films, they are still revered as the place where we started. In February 2004, the camcorder broke, and we were on the hunt for a replacement.

## Other Short Films

Between December 2003 and February 2004, we made several short films, including a faux news report about a volcano eruption. Other short films included a documentary about Islam and a never-released news cast.



Com 50  
(Andrew Bermudez)

Orange balls/debris



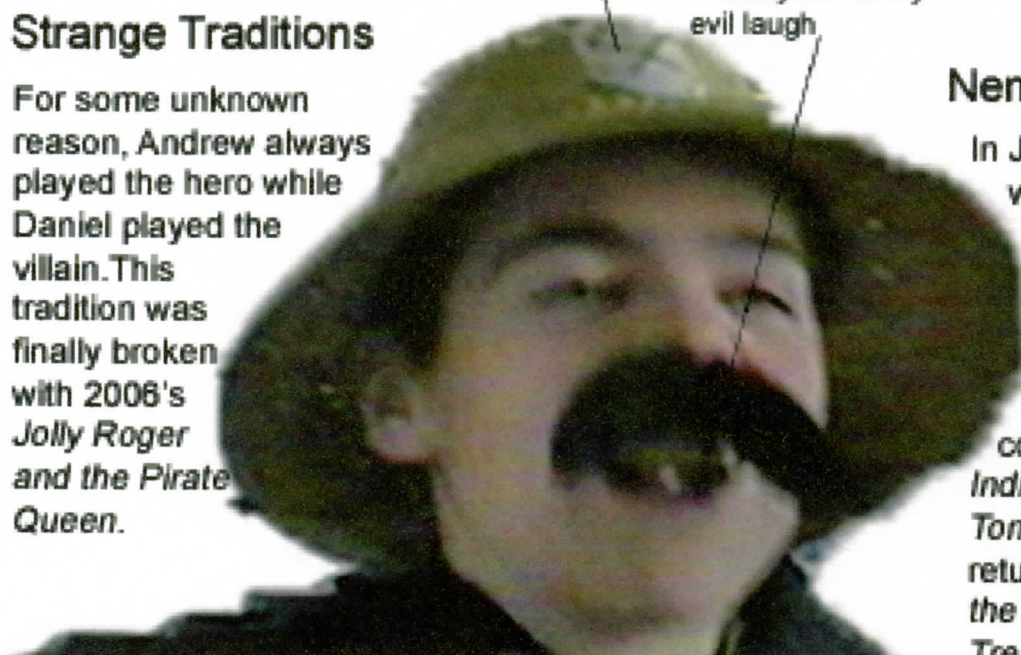
Mt. Lego

Swastika

Cheesy-but-funny  
evil laugh

## Strange Traditions

For some unknown reason, Andrew always played the hero while Daniel played the villain. This tradition was finally broken with 2006's *Jolly Roger and the Pirate Queen*.



## The Superspy's Debut

Though it is not considered his official debut, the very first Com 50 movie, *Com 50*, was filmed in January 2004! Regardless, it would have to wait five years before it got released.

## Nemesis to Indiana Jones

In January 2004, Indiana Jones was introduced to a new villain: Baron Von Stuka. Although he was easily defeated in *Indiana Jones and the Forbidden Mayan Temple*, Indy still had to contend with his relatives in *Indiana Jones and the Egyptian Tomb*. In April 2004, Von Stuka returned for *Indiana Jones and the Secret of the Leopard's Treasure*.



# A Trip to Legoland California

After we replaced our camera, we decided to take a trip to Legoland California. We were accompanied by the Maddux family and our own grandfather. While there we filmed many of the day's events and the park's attractions. The footage became our very first official movie, *Trip to Legoland*.



Grandpa

## U.S.A., Lego Style

Probably the most famous attraction in Legoland California is its Miniland, a miniature, Lego version of iconic U.S. cities. Here, Grandpa poses in front of Miniland San Francisco.

## Lego Sculptures

As many know, Legoland California is known for its Lego brick sculptures dotted throughout the park, including this hodgepodge of people waiting for the phone and the man carrying a toilet.



Joshua Maddux

Brandon Maddux

Daniel Bermudez

## A Host of Rides

Legoland California also features several rides, including the Sky Cycle (pictured below).

Manual-adjust Pedals



Kyle Maddux

Andrew Bermudez



Seat Belt



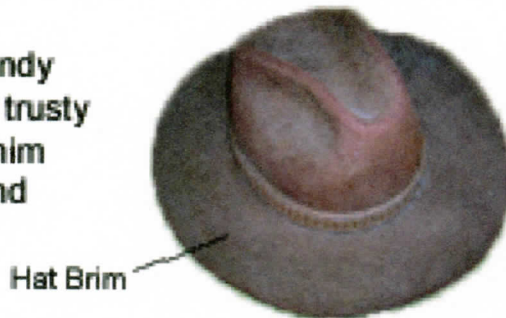


# The Indiana Jones Heyday.

In April 2004, it was decided that the company's next film would be an Indiana Jones fan film titled *Indiana Jones and the Secret of the Leopard's Treasure*. This film soon became the groundwork for an entire trilogy of Indiana Jones fan films, the third of which was released February 2005 (more on that film later).

## The Whip!

On any of his adventures, you can be sure that Indy brought along his trusty whip! It can help him cross chasams and disarm enemies.



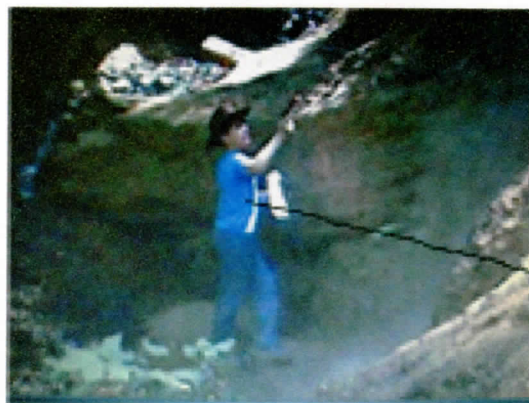
Hat Brim

## Not on my Fedora!

Indy is probably best known for his signature hat: the Fedora. It has come to symbolize both Indiana Jones and adventure. Zahi Hawass even wears a similar hat in *Johnny Thunder and the Gift of the Nile*.

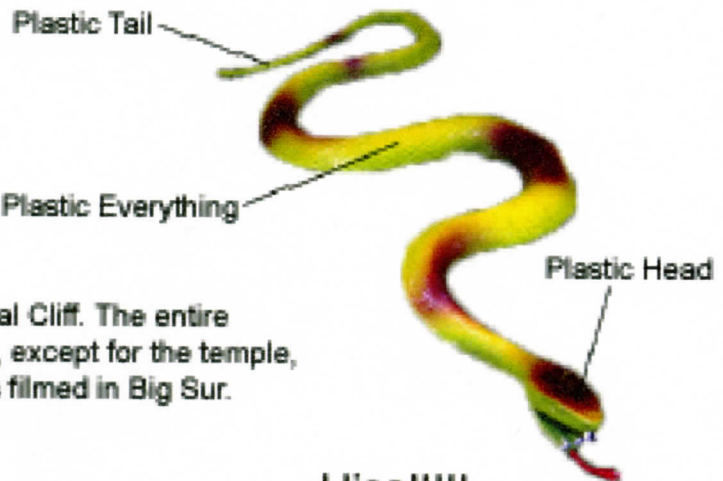
## "We've got you now Dr. Jones!"

In this scene from *Indiana Jones and the Treasure of Tikal*, Indiana Jones and his companions are attacked by the evil natives who want the treasure for themselves. Like always, Indy manages to escape the villains.



Rural Cliff. The entire film, except for the temple, was filmed in Big Sur.

Indiana Jones (Andrew Bermudez)



Plastic Tail

Plastic Everything

Plastic Head

## Hiss!!!!

Whenever Indy's on an adventure, you know there will always be a snake to frighten him up a bit! Fortunately, for the safety of our actors, this snake isn't real.

## Disposing of a henchman.

In *Indiana Jones and the Secret of the Leopard's Treasure*, Baron Von Stuka sent a whole horde of henchmen to stop Indy. Here, Indy is using his whip to disarm one of those henchmen.



Henchman (Daniel Bermudez)

Our Backyard. Many of our movies have been shot here.

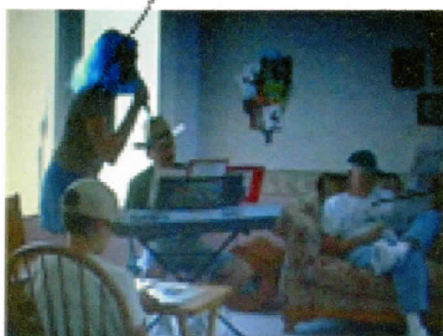


# Com 50: Superspy



Singer (Teresa Bermudez)

In April 2004, Daniel and Andrew Bermudez decided to revive a classic character from their pre-formation years: Com 50. In June 2004, his first two official movies, *Com 50: Peril in Iran* and *Com 50 and 007* were released together in a collection. A trilogy had already been confirmed, but the third film was shelved when pre-production for *Kilroy Was Here!* started. *Com 50-3* would have to wait three years to be released.



Guest (Curt Freeman)

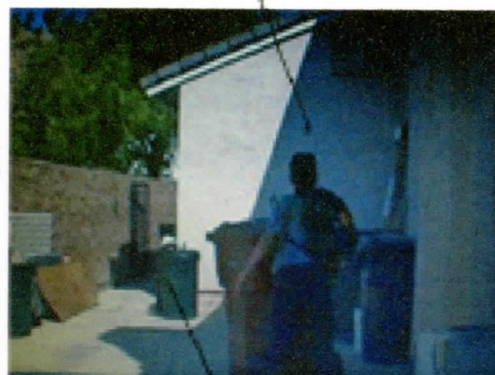
## The Newland Hotel

In *Com 50 and 007*, Com 50 heads to the Newland Hotel to get some rest before contacting 007. Here he sees a singer performing while an elderly guest reads the newspaper.

## Sabotage!

In *Com 50: Peril in Iran*, Com 50 is sent to blow up a nuclear testing site. Here, we see Com 50 blowing up a henchman with a hand grenade.

Hand Grenade



Trash Can. Protects you from bullets, but not from hand grenades.

Com 50  
(Andrew Bermudez)

## Com 50's Enemies

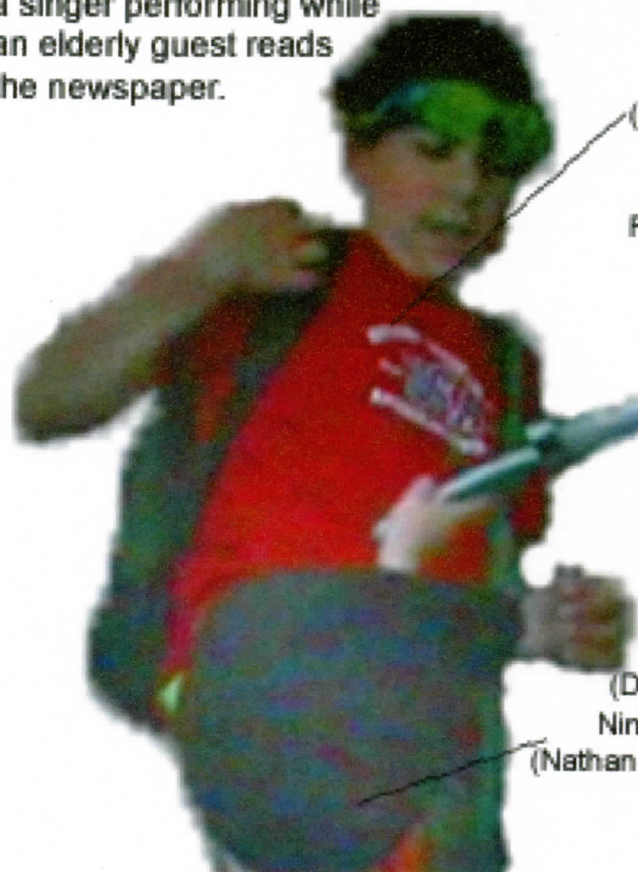
During his missions, Com 50 has run into many adversaries, including the evil Shriff Aha, leader of the terrorist organization Cal Pada. He escaped in *Com 50: Peril in Iran*, but he didn't get away in *Com 50 and 007!*

Foam Sword

Over-the-top  
evil laugh

Shriff Aha  
(Daniel Bermudez)

Ninja  
(Nathan Stabe)





# Indy and Treasure in China



Another Plastic Snake

In February 2005, Daniel and Andrew Film Co. released its last Indiana Jones film: *Indiana Jones and the Heart of the Dragon*. The film featured a car chase, villains galore and Henry Jones Sr.! In March 2005, all studio production was put on hold because of the pre-production for *Kilroy Was Here!* Also, a name change for the company was being considered.



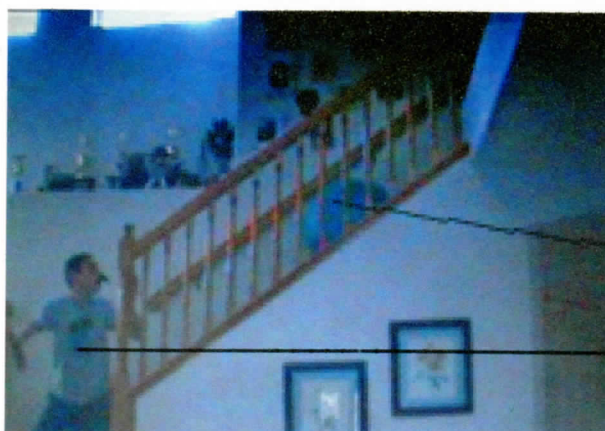
Patio Cover  
 Henchman 2 (Brandon Maddux)  
 Henchman 1 (Kyle Maddux)

## Dasdardly Villains

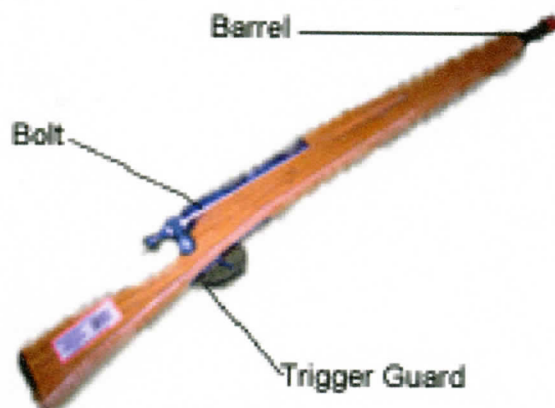
In *Indiana Jones and the Heart of the Dragon*, Indy is up against the wicked Baron Von Stuka Jr. and his henchmen! Fortunately, Indy and his father manage to get away with the treasure.

## No boulder way to go!

While trying to escape the temple, Baron Von Stuka Jr. gets crushed by a boulder.



Henry Jones Sr. (Joshua Maddux)  
 Boulder  
 Baron Von Stuka Jr. (Daniel Bermudez)



## Bang!

Baron Von Stuka Jr.'s trusted henchman #2 carried this bolt-action rifle.

## "Don't call me junior."

In this scene, Indy meets his dad at the Purple Turtle Cafe during a riot to protest the bad food. This soon escalades into a pursuit across the city.





# The Cornerstone Thespian Society

In the Fall of 2004, Daniel and Andrew joined the Cornerstone Thespian Society, which began a new era for the young company. In May 2005, they performed in their first play, *Kilroy Was Here!* As time went on, more plays were added to the collection of movies from the company with a new name: Mustache Maniacs Film Co.



The Stage has been dressed for *The Prince and the Pauper*.

Seating

## Setting the stage.

All of the Thespain performances were done in the then-named New Wine Christian Church. In the Spring of 2006, the church underwent a refurbishment that christened it with a new name: Boquet Canyon Church.

## "Bah Humbug!"

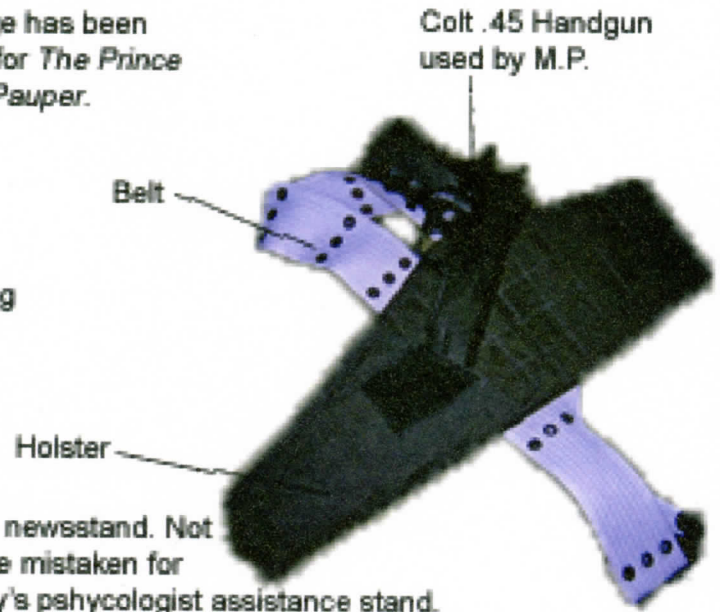
In December 2005, a Spotlight Night, which is a series of skits and monologues, themed around Christmas was performed. The skit pictured is an excerpt from *A Christmas Carol*.



Ebenezer Scrooge  
(John Stabe)

Bob Cratchett  
(Adam Shefton)

Gladys Brooks  
(Karina Marlowe)



Colt .45 Handgun used by M.P.

Belt

Holster

The newsstand. Not to be mistaken for Lucy's phycologist assistance stand.



Hermione  
(Brianna Davis)

## The company's first play.

In May 2005, the play *Kilroy Was Here!* debuted. Here we see pictures of the M.P.'s pistol and Hermione's newsstand. Interestingly enough, the DVD didn't debut until August 2006.



# Thespians Management

How can you put on a play without a crew of directors, stage managers, set designers, and more? The plays distributed by Mustache Maniacs Film Co. featured an alternating assembly of crew members, especially in the case of the director: each of the three plays featured a different director and assistant director!



Flowers

## Different Points of View

It is not uncommon for two directors to have two different approaches at directing. While Teresa Bermudez likes plays to be simple, yet appealing, Cameron Smith prefers a Shakspearian style.

Cameron Smith acting like himself.



Valoris Peterson

Teresa Bermudez



Actors Socializing

Alex Shefton

Judy Barringer

## She Won't be Back

In the Fall of 2005, Valoris Peterson became director after Judy Barringer retired. She then directed *Jolly Roger and the Pirate Queen*, *The Rented Christmas*, and *The Prince and the Pauper*. Since then, she has all but disappeared from public gatherings.

## The First Director

When we joined Thespians, Judy Barringer was in charge. The only play that we were in that she directed was *Kilroy Was Here!* In September 2005, Judy Barringer retired.



## Other Positions

Along the way, the directors got assistance from advisors and assistants. Here, you can see two assistant directors: Cameron Smith and Alex Shefton. While

Cameron Smith helped Judy Barringer, Alex Shefton aided Teresa Bermudez.





# Getting the Act Together

In preparation for any of the plays, a series of tasks had to be accomplished to make sure that each production came out well in the end. Thorough completion of every step could have been the difference of making or breaking a play.

## Step 1: The Games

To help develop the acting skills of new students, a series of acting games were developed. Each game focused on a particular aspect of acting, like interaction for example.

Daniel Ellis in the game "Bus Stop."

Luke Stabe

## Step 3: Set Construction

Any play that has a location will need set pieces to represent that location. Here, Andrew is building a cave wall for *Jolly Roger and the Pirate Queen*.

Cave wall under construction



## Step 2: Auditions

To see who is good for what part, auditions are carried out. The best performer gets picked for that particular part.

Seth Axen auditioning

Connor Loveall auditioning



## Step 4: Practice

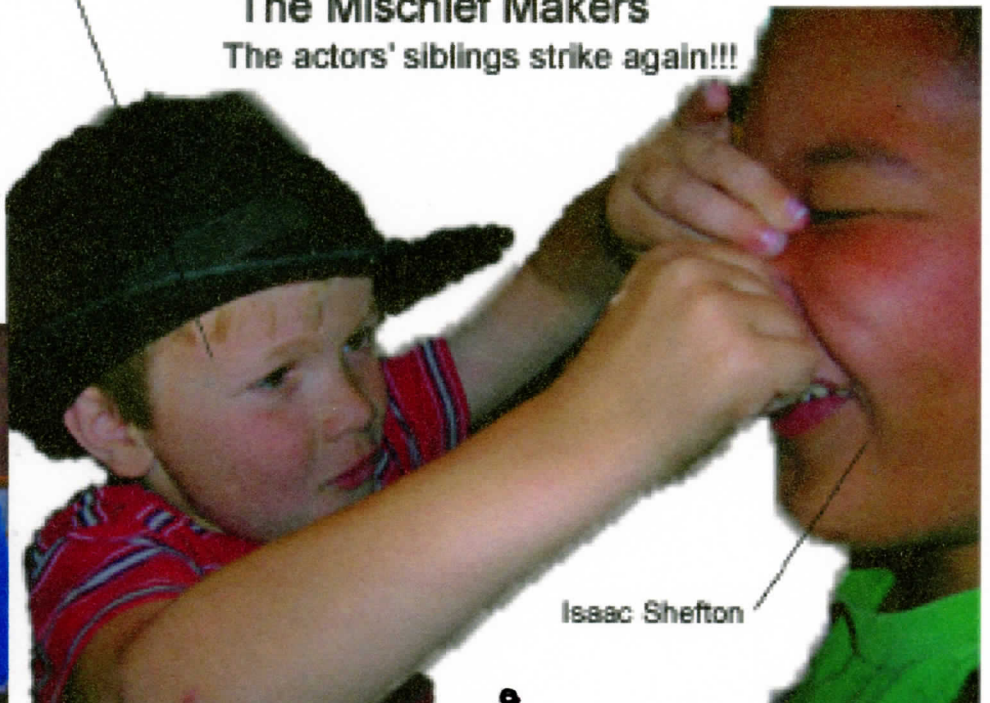
Once everything else is finished, it is time for the actors to begin practicing with the new props and sets. During the week before the play, known as Tech Week, audio and visual effects are tested.



Student's Sibling

## The Mischief Makers

The actors' siblings strike again!!!

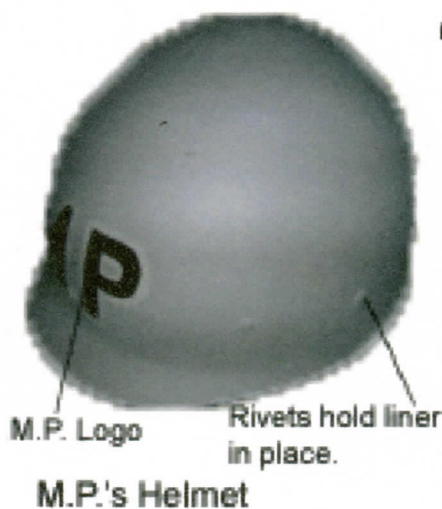


Isaac Shefton



# "Don't Say No to the U.S.O.!"

In May 2005, the first of the three plays, *Kilroy Was Here!*, was performed and filmed. The first film by the company to be truly based in a historical time period, *Kilroy Was Here!* featured many breakthroughs for the company, including the first chance to use a script. Unfortunately, the film version, released in August 2006, was the dress rehearsal, which was inferior compared to the final play.



M.P. Logo

Rivets hold liner in place.

M.P.'s Helmet

WWII Poster



## The Spies get Captured

Soon after the truth is revealed the spies try to escape. Fortunately, government agents June, Rona, and Gretchen arrive just in time to arrest them.

Producer Milton Sullivan  
(Alex Shefton)

Recreated  
WWII Poster



Mr. Wilcox

(Andrew Bermudez)

Angie Wilberforce  
(Jessie Peterson)

Rona Hastings  
(Shannon O'Kelly)

## Air Raid!

During a lively night at the U.S.O. Club, an air raid goes off, forcing many of the club guests and employees into the air raid shelter. It soon turns out that the air raid is a cover-up so government agents can talk to the club owner, Ruth Taylor, in private.

Ruth Taylor

(Timmon Johnson)

Gladys Brooks  
(Sabrina Lewis)



## Making Him Talk

Uh, oh! Pvt. Joe Kilroy has been captured by the evil Nazi spies so he can reveal the location of the troop ships!

## "Together We Must Stand."

Being a musical, the film features many songs, including "Together We Must Stand," a patriotic salute to America. This song ends the first act.

Pvt. Joe Kilroy  
(Steve Marlowe)

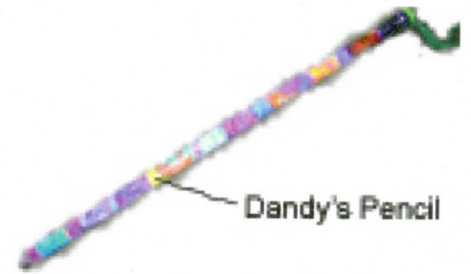
M.P.  
(Daniel Bermudez)





# Hunting for Treasure

In June 2006, after Thespians founder Judy Barringer retired, Valoris Peterson took over. Afterwards, the next play was performed. This play was none other than *Jolly Roger and the Pirate Queen*, a swash-buckling high seas adventure. Set in the 1790's, the play was a mix of romance, comedy and action. The play was soon a hit; it even got mentioned in the newspaper, *The Signal*.



Dandy's Pencil

## Stretching the Truth

With the retired Captain Bluebeard, Dandy writes poems that give Bluebeard's boring pirate days some suspense and romance.



## Double-casting

Although it hasn't been mentioned yet, all three plays had two casts! This was done to insure that every student got a part. However, *Jolly Roger and the Pirate Queen* is the only Mustache Maniacs Film Co. film to feature both casts.

Sarah Huffington  
(Jessie Peterson)

Roger Goodman  
(Steve Marlowe)

Pirate Hat. Every pirate worth his salt has one.



The Old Pirate  
(Andrew Bermudez)

## The Old Storyteller

Added to the script during a revision, the Old Pirate glares into the audience as he opens and closes the play. Perhaps it is even old Roger Goodman himself who is telling us this tale; that vest looks a lot like his!

Roger Goodman  
(Daniel O' Kelly)

Long John Sliver  
(Michael Monroe)



Smudge  
(Adam Kirk)

Notepad. Where could they have found one on Treasure Island?



Dandy  
(Daniel Bermudez)

Maui Maui Mix Crate

## Learning the Ropes

On the deck of the S.S. Petunia, Long John Sliver gives Roger Goodman some advice on how to be a pirate.



# News Article from *The Signal*

Long John Silver  
(Conner Loveall)

## It's a Pirate's Life for Home-schoolers

■ Students take to the stage in a play about swashbuckling adventurers.

By Bette Keva

SIGNAL STAFF WRITER

Pirates on the high seas and a menacing Captain Blood who tries for the hand of a lovely maiden were center stage at the New Wine Christian Center this weekend.

A cast of 26 home-schooled youth ranging from seventh grade through senior year of high school are the actors in this fast-paced, humorous adventure that was performed before full houses Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

In the play, gentleman Roger Goodman (Steve Mar- See PIRATES, page A5



Home-schoolers, ranging from seventh to 12th grade, perform the play "Jolly Roger and the Pirate Queen" Friday at the New Wine Christian Center.

FRANCISCA RIVAS for The Signal

In the play "Jolly Roger and the Pirate Queen," performed this weekend at the New Wine Christian Center, gentleman Roger Goodman vows to become a pirate, hoping to win the affection of Sarah Huffington.

FRANCISCA RIVAS for The Signal

## Pirates

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lowe) speaks with his friend George (Justin DeSeve) about his love for Sarah Huffington (Jessie Peterson); but alas, he overhears her say she would rather marry a daring pirate.

Goodman vows he will become one, and he enlists

the services of crusty Long John Silver. Goodman buys a ship, finds a crew and renames himself Captain Blood.

They set sail to find the buried gold coins, and the action gets frantic as more pirates and the Huffingtons themselves converge on Treasure Island.

Michael Monroe, 16,

played the old pirate in Friday's performance and Long John Silver on Saturday.

Fifty home-schooled students have been meeting two hours every week since the start of school to be in director Valoris Peterson's acting class. In January they performed "A Night of Monologues."

"Pirates" was the culminating play of the school year.

Cameron Smith was assistant director and appeared on stage as well.

"I have been home-schooled all my life, like most of these kids," said the 20-year-old Smith.

Judy Barringer, a home-schooling mother, started the Cornerstone Thespian Society in 2000, which is when Smith joined.

A lie. It was called 'Spotlight Night' and it was performed in December 2005.

Another Lie. Cameron Smith was not the assistant director for *Jolly Roger and the Pirate Queen*.



# Making Movies Again

In the Summer of 2006, Mustache Maniacs Film Co. was making movies again. In addition to the DVD releases of *Kilroy Was Here!* and *Jolly Roger and the Pirate Queen*, the studio also released two new movies: *Kilroy Was Here! The Lost Footage* and *Old Home Movies*. Also, other projects put on hold, like *Com 50-3* and a Johnny Thunder brickfilm, were finalized and ready to shoot.

Marine Corps Flag



Jack Smith  
(Michael Monroe)

## A Different Look

The footage that appears in *Kilroy Was Here! The Lost Footage* was from the European cast practice. The Original DVD was from the Pacific cast practice.



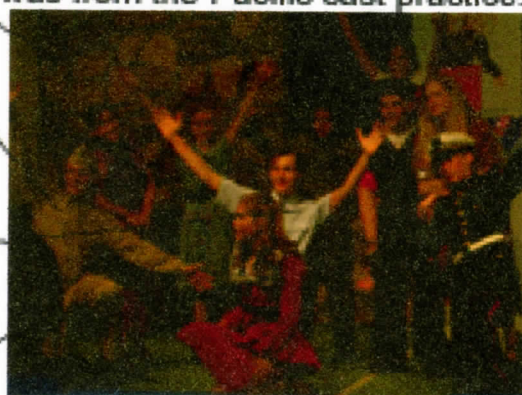
Fred O'Dwyer  
(Luke Stabe)

Set Under Construction

Pvt. Carl Ryder  
(Brian Thompson)

Pvt. Joe Kilroy  
(Michael O'Kelly)

Isaac Shefton's  
Head



## The Quest for the Lost Footage

In August 2006, Teresa Bermudez started directing and writing with her first film, *Kilroy Was Here! The Lost Footage*. The film is the story of a soldier who discovers the then missing practice and backstage footage from *Kilroy Was Here!*

## Discovering More Footage

In September 2006, Mustache Maniacs Film Co. was given the task to restore the original home movies of the Bermudez Family. The company agreed, and out of it came the film *Old Home Movies* and four sore retinas (After all, if you and a friend stared at a computer screen for 60+ hours, your retinas would hurt too).

Old car. If this gets hot rod fans to read this book, then I'm happy.



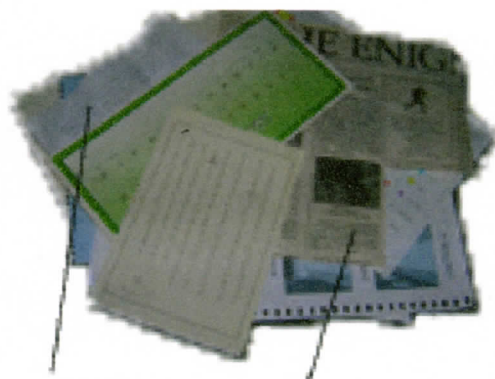
Alvaro Bermudez Sr. as a young man.





# Com 50's Comeback

In March 2007, the long-awaited, and long-delayed, *Com 50-3: Raid on Central Island* debuted, marking the end of the trilogy. It soon reaped critical acclaim, and another installment was asked for. However, Mustache Maniacs Film Co. kept to its word and let the movie series end.



Letter

Newspaper Clipping

## Helpful Documents

During his briefing from the Commander, Com 50 is given some documents to help him along, including maps, a coded message and a newspaper clipping.

## Under Attack!

During a meeting at a Reef Town Cafe, Com 50, 007 and X get ambushed by the villainous Cal Pada henchmen. Fortunately, 007 charges forward and brings them down.



Broom

007  
(Luke Stabe)



Bookcase

## A Machine Gun

This weapon is X's choice of arms.



Rifle Butt

Magazine

Pump

## Getting the Gadgets

W (Al Bermudez)

After the briefing, Com 50 gets his new gadgets from W, the gadgets expert. These gadgets include an i-pod listening device and some lucky keys!

Com 50  
(Andrew Bermudez)

Cuban Smuggler  
(David Hoxie)

Ranger 22  
(Lauren Hoxie)



## Another Mission

Before the Central Island mission, Com 50 is in Cuba with Ranger 22 to put a stop to a smuggling ring and to retrieve some important information.



# The Necklace Theft!

In May 2007, the last of the three plays, *Mystery At Shady Acres*, was performed. The play, centered in a rural New England hotel, featured suspense, twists and a sense of humor to boot! Soon after the play wrapped, the Cornerstone Thespian Society collapsed due to mismanagement. In March 2008, the play was released on DVD.



## Loosing Your Appetite

Soon after chef Stew Laroache quits, Basil becomes the hotel's cook. Unfortunately, Basil is not the greatest chef: he even burnt the grapes!



Mr. X  
(Adam Shefton)

Basil  
(Andrew Bermudez)

## "I Think She Dead!"

During the night, the necklace thief slipped a seditive into Blanche Fairfax's tea, putting her to sleep. The thief then took the necklace and escaped.



Blanche Fairfax  
(Felicia Nau)

Edward Fairfax  
(Daniel Bermudez)

## Checking in

Welcome to Shady Acres Hotel! Check in with Basil at the reception desk to get a room. But you'll have to carry the bags yourself. Good exercise.

Reception Desk

Chief Della Wickfield  
(Sabrina Lewis)

## Interfering

The police could very easily carry out their investigation... if it wasn't for the bungling Detective Thorton and his 'little contest.'

Emma Reid  
(Jordon Nelson)

Detective Phillip Thorton  
(Daniel Ellis)

## An Unusual Witness

With no other option in sight, Chief Wickfield sets out to question the audience to try to get some answers. Was it Edward's ex-girlfriend Audrey, or was it the compulsive Brighthams?



Sgt. Farley O'Doyle  
(Brandon Maddux)

Lt. Thelma Dorrit  
(Breanna Whitley)

Curtains





# Adventure in the Orient

In August 2008, the longest brickfilm in existence, *Johnny Thunder and the Secret of Marco Polo*, made its debut. The 99 minute film featured Johnny Thunder and his friends in search of the lost Golden Dragon. But Lord Sinister and his henchmen Billy the Kid, Patrick and Nevada Smith pursue them. This film was also the first film by the company to be featured online, and it soon became an international hit.

Front-facing Machine guns



## Air Chase

In their search for the Golden Sword in Mt. Everest, Johnny and his friends get chased through the skies by Lord Sinister!

Dan Brown  
(Antonio Pagan)



Tygurah

Nevada Smith  
(John Stabe)

## The Adventure Begins

In Venice, Johnny is called by Dr. Kilroy to investigate the murder of Block Sauniere. He soon discovers an ancient book that tells about the Golden Dragon.



Johnny Thunder  
(Daniel Bermudez)

Dr. Charles Kilroy  
(Andrew Bermudez)

Dock

## "It's Tygurah!"

While trying to escape the Scorpion Palace with the Golden Shield, Nevada Smith gets caught by Tygurah! However, the plank bridge they are standing on is weak, and they both plummet.

Plank Bridge

Patrick  
(Garrett Schelske)

Lord Samuel Rudolph Sinister  
(Andrew Bermudez)



General Mao Zedong III  
(Al Bermudez)

Helmet

## Trouble in China

It's going to be harder to get the Golden Dragon than Johnny thought! The evil tyrant Chang Wu has led a revolution, and General Mao Zedong III has been sent to stop it. Also, Lord Sinister is still close behind.

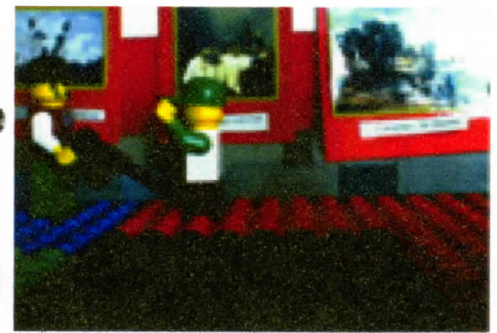
Handgun





# The Lego Caped Crusader

To commemorate the 5th anniversary of Mustache Maniacs Film Co., the classic Legoman stories were turned into the brickfilm *The Adventures of Legoman*. The film was released in April 2009 and received critical acclaim... for a while. Then, the film lost popularity and viewing came to a standstill.



## Thieves at the Museum!

At the beginning of the film, the villainous Brickzo the Clown robs the museum and steals the gold of Wu-Wa-Pu! This looks like a job for Legoman!

## Cracking the Case

The police officers are baffled in this scene. They can't seem to figure out who stole the gold. Legoman is the one who identifies the Tounge-Twisting Trick Tulp.



Pogo  
(Nathan Stabe)

Glistening, grand Golden Dragon from *Johnny Thunder and the Secret of Marco Polo*.

Captain Bill  
(Antonio Pagan)

Brickzo the Clown  
(Wes Rudnick)



Hobo  
(Daniel Bermudez)

Zany Ziploc Bag

Officer Max  
(John Stabe)

## Calling him up

The police call Theodore Parkington. He responds and heads to the Legocave to become Legoman. He then speeds away in the Legomobile.

Gas Station

## The Chase is On!

After escaping the villains' hideout, Legoman alerts the police and pursues Brickzo the Clown. They must stop Brickzo before he destroys city hall!



Legoman  
(Luke Stabe)

Lego Super-Duper Analyzer

Police Van





# 6 Weeks, 23 States, 1 Dead Gibbon

As the Mustache Maniacs Film Co. 5th Anniversary carried on, we went on a 6-week tour of the country, visiting popular tourist attractions and historic sites. Less than one month after we returned home, the vacation pictures and footage were compiled into the film *From Sea to Shining Sea*.



Cannon. We saw a lot of these on the vacation.

## Visiting the Past

During our visit to the east coast, we visited many of the battlefields from the American Civil War. The one pictured here is Gettysburg, quite possibly the most famous.

Texas White House



Grass

White House



Hedge

## The Ranch of Lyndon Johnson

Near the beginning of the vacation, we visited the Lyndon B. Johnson Ranch where President Johnson was born, lived, died and is buried.

Crowds. We saw a lot of these on the vacation too.

The Twilight Zone Tower of Terror

Andrew Bermudez

Oscar the Grouch Puppet

Daniel Bermudez

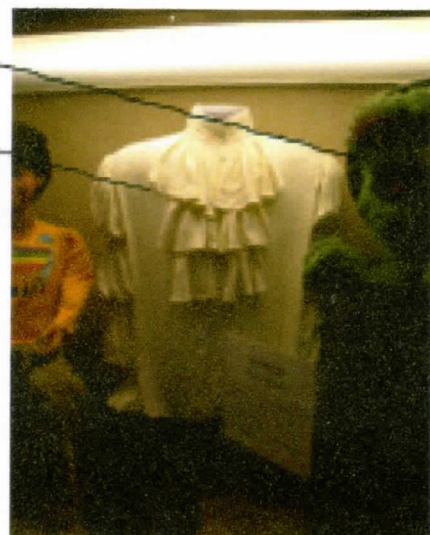
Puffy Shirt

## Exploring Walt Disney World

For four days, we visited the four theme parks in Walt Disney World and Downtown Disney. The picture to the left is from Disney's Hollywood Studios.

## Seeing the Capitol

For the course of four days, we explored Washington D.C., seeing many of the museums and monuments.





# The Best Films Never Made.

It has happened to every film company at sometime or another: while a project is in development, the schedule gets messed up and the project eventually gets cancelled. Mustache Maniacs Film Co. is no exception. This is just a tip of the iceberg of the studio projects that were never completed.

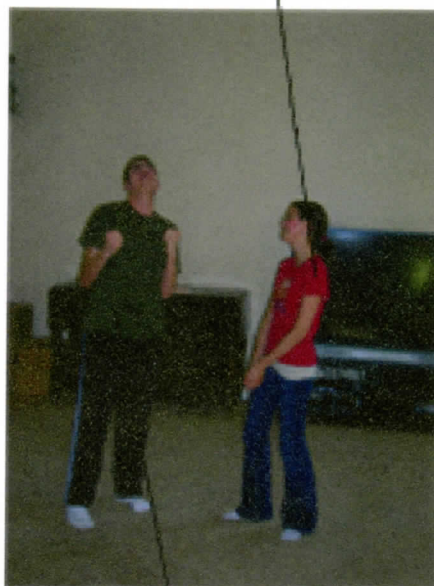
## Other Dead Projects

Throughout time, other projects were cancelled, including *Aunt Mini's Revenge*, *Legorado*, *Vikings*, *Medal of Honor*, and others. Even a Home Improvement-style film and a docu-drama about the Alamo fell through.

## Cops and Robbers

The *Indiana Jones and the Treasure of Tikal* DVD featured the short film *Cops*. There was a *Cops 2* in development, but this film fell through.

Alyssia Whitley



Daniel Bermudez

Pictures on the wall

## In the News

In 2004, a faux news cast was filmed during the pre-formation era. During the development of the 5th Anniversary DVD, Andrew personally rejected the film, and was thus never completed.



Newscaster  
(Andrew Bermudez)

Papers for news report

## Take me Right Back to Agony.

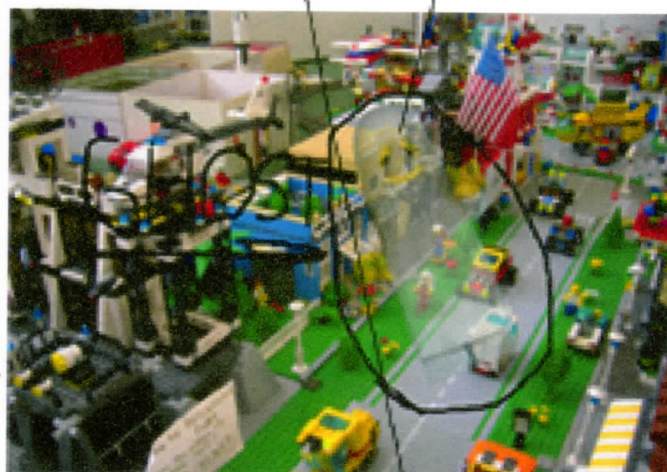
At least that's what it became in the end. In 2009, another play, *The Nifty Fifties*, was supposed to be put on DVD. However, everything went haywire when corruption took hold of the directors and Daniel, Teresa and Andrew dropped out. It turned out to be so disappointing that there was no need to film it.

The ghost has been circled for clarity.

Main Street in Legotown

## A Ghostly Image

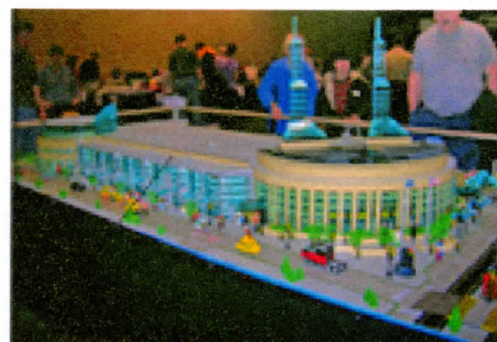
After the initial success of *The Adventurers of Legoman*, another brickfilm, called *Ghost Pictures*, was put on the drawing board. However, the script wasn't given the go-ahead to film, and the project was dropped.





# A Crazy Future!

Currently, we have films, both live-action and animation, in the works. We have many films on the drawing board, such as several brickfilms, but the films shown here are all going to be released very soon! Keep your eyes open!



## Before the 6 Weeks

In the winter of 2009-2010, the footage taken on all of the vacations prior to *From Sea to Shining Sea* will be released in the film *The Collection of Past Vacations*.

## Through Rides, Shows, and More...

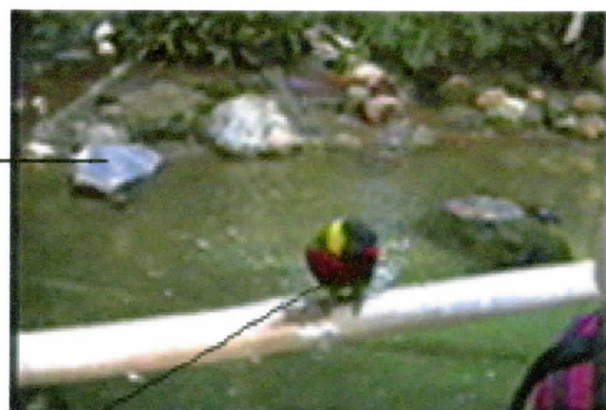
The long-awaited sequel to *Trip to Legoland*, *Return to Legoland* will be the centerpiece of the new film *Theme Park Visits*. It is scheduled for release in May 2010.

Lego Brick-built Oregon Convention Center



Rock

Lost Kingdom Adventure



Lorikeet

Lego Brick-built Merchant

Lego Brick-built Camel

## Johnny Heads to Egypt

The next animated film by the company, titled *Johnny Thunder and the Gift of the Nile*, will feature the return of many of the characters from *Johnny Tunder and the Secret of Marco Polo*, as well as some new ones. The film will debut July 2010.

## The Spooky Forest

Currently in its conceptual phase, *Forest of Fear* will be a new horror brickfilm. The film will contain some humor too. The film will be released Halloween 2010.

Concept art is pencil and watercolor on sketch paper.



Hand-like branches from the trees seem to hold the couple prisoner.

Johnny Thunder (Daniel Bermudez)

Mary Sarah Thunder (Alyssia Whitley)

Leo





Also from Mustache Maniacs Film Co.

Movies

- Trip to Legoland
- Indiana Jones and the Secret of the Leopard's Treasure
- Indiana Jones and the Treasure of Tikal
- Com 50: Peril in Iran
- Com 50 and 007
- Indiana Jones and the Heart of the Dragon
- Kilroy was Here!
- Kilroy was Here! The Lost Footage
- Jolly Roger and the Pirate Queen
- Old Home Movies
- Com 50-3: Raid on Central Island
- Mystery at Shady Acres
- Johnny Thunder and the Secret of Marco Polo
- The Adventures of Legoman
- Mustache Maniacs Film Co. 5th Anniversary DVD
- From Sea to Shining Sea
- The Collection of Past Vacations (Coming Winter 2009 - 2010)
- Theme Park Visits (Coming May 2010)
- Johnny Thunder and the Gift of the Nile (Coming July 2010)
- Forest of Fear (Coming October 2010)

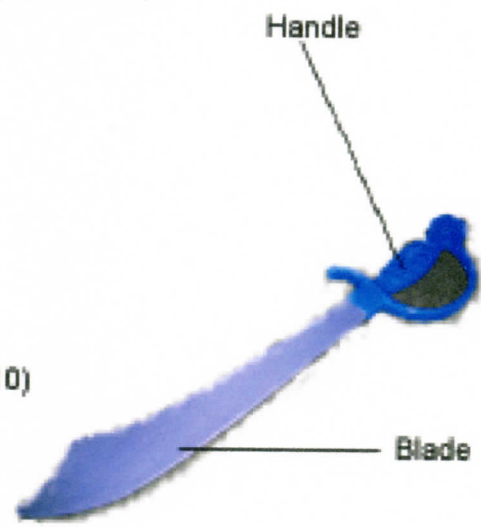


Books

- A Brief History of Mustache Maniacs Film Co.
- Mustache Maniacs Film Co.'s Bloopers, Fun Finds and Facts
- Mustache Maniacs Film Co.: The Visual Dictionary
- The Adventures of Legoman: The Puzzling Prank (Coming February 2010)
- Mustache Maniacs Film Co.: The Cast of Characters (Coming April 2010)

Games

- Mustache Maniacs-opoly
- Mustache Maniacs Film Co. Geosafari
  - Quote Puzzler
  - Hero or Villain?
  - Location Confusion
  - Character Match-up
  - Quote Puzzler 2 (Coming October 2009)
  - Com 50's Gadgets (Coming December 2009)
- Com 50 Covert Operations: The DVD Game (Coming Fall 2010)



Villain's Sword