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Uglies (film)

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The Plug Uglies were an American Nativist criminal street gang, sometimes referred to loosely as a political club, that operated in the west side of Baltimore, Maryland, from 1854 to 1865. The term plug ugly was used to identify an extremely tough ferocious fighter who could give a sound beating to an opponent, with the Plug Uglies' name additionally stemming from their practice of stuffing oversized plug hats with wool and leather, pulling them down over their ears for head protection as primitive helmets during the numerous street battles they participated in. The name Plug Uglies was also used to refer to a number of criminal gangs in New York City as well as Philadelphia.

The Plug Uglies took part in the 1856 Baltimore Know-Nothing Riot. They allied themselves with the New York City Irish Dead Rabbits gang in looting New York City during the American Civil War in the Draft Riots of 1863. However, this latter alleged association is disputed, as the Plug Uglies, a Nativist gang, were anti-Irish.

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Uglies (novel series)

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Westerfeld originally intended for Uglies to be a trilogy, with the novels Uglies, Pretties, and Specials. However, he ultimately wrote an additional book, Extras. This fourth book is dedicated to "everyone who wrote to me to reveal the secret definition of the word 'trilogy'."

On February 2, 2018, Westerfeld announced a continuation of the series consisting of four new novels, starting with Impostors which was released in September of that year.

Ugly

modelling and actors' agency in London, UK Ugly Mountain, a mountain in the U.S. state of West Virginia Uglies, a 2005 science fiction novel by Scott Westerfeld

Ugly may refer to:

Ugliness, a property of a person or thing that is unpleasant to look at, listen to or contemplate

Scott Westerfeld

of Uglies (2008) Graphic novel retellings from Shay's point of view: Uglies: Shay's Story (with Devin Grayson and Steven Cummings) (2012) Uglies: Cutters

Scott David Westerfeld (born May 5, 1963) is an American writer of young adult fiction, best known as the author of the Uglies and the Leviathan series.

Chase Stokes

Donna Summer 's single "Hot Stuff ". In October 2021, Stokes was cast in Uglies, a dystopian fantasy film based on the novel by Scott Westerfeld. The film

James Alexander Chase Stokes (born September 16, 1992) is an American actor and director known for his role as John B. in the Netflix series Outer Banks (2020–present).

Good Bad Ugly

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Good Bad Ugly (shortened as GBU) is a 2025 Indian Tamil-language action comedy film directed by Adhik Ravichandran and produced by Mythri Movie Makers, marking their first production in Tamil cinema. The film stars Ajith Kumar, alongside Trisha Krishnan, Arjun Das, Sunil, Prashu, Prasanna, Karthikeya Dev,

Priya Prakash Varrier, Jackie Shroff, Shine Tom Chacko, Tinnu Anand, B. S. Avinash and Raghu Ram. In the film, a retired gangster returns to his violent ways after his son is wrongfully convicted.

Presented by T-Series, the film was announced in late 2023 under the working title AK63, as it is Ajith's 63rd film as lead actor, and the official title was announced in March 2024. Principal photography commenced that May in Hyderabad, followed by a sporadic schedule in Spain, and wrapped by early December. The film featured an original soundtrack composed by G. V. Prakash Kumar, cinematography handled by Abinandhan Ramanujam and editing by Vijay Velukutty.

Good Bad Ugly was released worldwide on 10 April 2025 in standard and EPIQ formats. The film opened to mixed reviews from critics who noted that it struggled to balance homages to Ajith's previous films with storytelling. However, it emerged as one of the highest grossing Tamil film of 2025.

Specials (novel)

Dystopian fiction Uglies Pretties " Specials by Scott Westerfeld". Readgeek. Retrieved December 2, 2024. Scott Westerfeld Website Uglies series Reading Group

Specials is the third novel in the Uglies series of novels, written by the American author Scott Westerfeld. It continues the story of the protagonist, Tally Youngblood.

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