
Opinions of Bad Girls Club

Posted by Tara - 2006/12/10 12:26

For those of you who watched it what did you think? I still haven't watched the whole show yet.

Post edited by: Tara, at: 2006/12/10 12:27

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Re:Opinions of Bad Girls Club

Posted by grizzlys4 - 2006/12/13 01:51

I still haven't watched it, the reviews sure don't make me feel like even trying!

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Re:Opinions of Bad Girls Club

Posted by desireedreamer2005 - 2006/12/13 03:28

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Posted by KPW1956 - 2006/12/13 09:28

Reality Shack had a detailed recap of the first episode and I'll check today to see if one has been done of the episode you watched. Ever since I heard about the new show's concept... I expected the worst... I don't have Oxygen anymore since about early Sept.. and I sure hope Oxygen or at least BGC bites the dust quickly!

I have not seen one positive review.. (I started a thread just for reviews and links about the atrocity!) There are a couple of really comical reviews... The authors of these reviews are all on the same page..

I hope Oprah does withdraw her affiliation of the site. I think it may be only minimal affiliation (aside from name recognition).. but she should pull even that!

I hope Oxygen cancels the show... and makes it clear to B/M, not like NBC did..and hem and haw...and try to put it on B/M... and of course B/M wanted to put it on NBC (to cancel S/O).... b/M wanted to go this route... probably to satisfy B/M's J.Murry sagging ego or something.. He's the one that likes the bad girls I guess!

Even with the bad girls of S/O there was some humanity and some things to like about the majority of them.. I have to say though I never saw any positive character qualities in Tess.... I'm sure she had them... just can't recall any displayed while on the show.. But of course we all know she was there for other reasons entirely..

I agree that maybe pulling the info off the front page would be good.. I noticed that people doing a search are probably finding this site quickly. I noticed that one of the BG threads had a huge number of hits.. But then if anyone looks at the link on the front page they are sent to the thread...and nothing positive has been said about the show.. Maybe this site does serve some public good.

Maybe it will serve to bring the show and Oxygen some much needed humiliation.

I am curious about what TY mentioned in a thread about Dr. Stan.. implying that he will somehow be connected to the show.. She never did answer.. Could B/M use the first few episodes to really show the true colors of these women's characters? and then start somehow making them recognize their own major shortcomings? bring in some help? But at this point it doesn't sound like they have anyone intervening ... and it's a free for all...

I plan to keep abreast of Reality Shacks recaps...that is if she can stomach the show long enough to want to continue with that effort. I know she was a fan of S/O... and may have only previewed the new show for curiosities sake..

Thanks desireedreamer for the brief recap of what must have been episode 2.. It sounds like melee occurred.. If the women were getting physically hurt because of one's outrageous behavior.. Wouldn't you think they would have grounds to sue b/m?

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Posted by desireedreamer2005 - 2006/12/13 10:44

KPW, that is what I was thinking about them getting sued. Two of the girls were really hurt. Kerry and Jodie had bleeding cuts on them. Kerry appeared truly traumatized.

Have you read the message boards over there?? It is disturbing. Aimee isn't even allowing anyone to post on her anymore. There were some really ugly things being said.

I know it probably was a waste of time to email Oprah, but she is listed in the number 2 spot on the Founders page of Oxygen. So I do hold her somewhat responsible.

You know there is a website called peekvid where you can watch shows on line, maybe you could see it there. Then you can sue me for traumatizing you emotionally!!! ha ha.

It really is just so sad.

Re:Opinions of Bad Girls Club

Posted by KPW1956 - 2006/12/13 11:18

Are you talking about the Oxygen website? I saw they have a club... but wouldn't waste my time joining just to lurk..

I was surprised that the realityworld site..which typically has had an anything goes format..and a wide array of posters..has similar comments about the show as all the critics..

I really don't want to watch it... I'm just more hopping mad STILL at b/m and particularly J.Murry.. and the only reason I am gloating that the show is appearing headed to be a big flop! Serves Jon Murray right! Now I don't generally wish ill on people... but this show was born at the expense of S/O... and is a very ill conceived concept that undermines women!

I do hope all the women were traumatized enough to get their acts together!

I noticed that Ty's attempt to create a fan site may have bombed royally too.. (myspace) Either that or the fans are collecting somewhere else! Last comment was posted on 12/5... and all those almost 3000 people on the friends list that TY obviously created to generate an appearance of a fan club.. is strangely quiet..

I wonder if the show even makes it past the end of Dec. I have got to think Oxygen is catching you know what for this.. Couple that with some liability problems.. Maybe they'll yank it sooner rather than later!

Please read some of the media reviews for some good chuckles! One author said Oxygen was running about a quart low... lol!

Re:Opinions of Bad Girls Club

Posted by KPW1956 - 2006/12/13 13:20

Stumbled on info about the Real World Denver.

Seems to be a pattern with the 2 shows...

I have never watched RW so I don't know how different it is.. or what the norm is..

This article pretty much mentions how plastered the housemates were... The second link talks about J.Murry's position about stepping in when 'brawls' occur. I think this one might be relevant based on what sounds like occurred on the second episode of BGC.

Seems like J. Murry doesn't really want to intervene because he thinks it makes good tv! I hope he gets sued! But more than likely the housemates hands are tied legally because of all the waivers these reality shows require the participants to sign.

http://www.realityblurred.com/realitytv/archives/the_real_world_denver/2006_Oct_30_drunk

http://www.realityblurred.com/realitytv/archives/the_real_world_denver/2006_Dec_08_murray_fight_response

Post edited by: KPW1956, at: 2006/12/13 13:22

Re:Opinions of Bad Girls Club

Posted by 1putter - 2006/12/13 18:39

Hey, I could tell this show was going to be a big piece of garbage and I so agree with you that I would love to see any reference of it taken off this home page, lest anyone gets the wrong idea of what this site is promoting.

I don't need to read any more reviews and I especially don't need to see one minute of that show to know that it has nothing to do with people starting over and changing their lives.

Thanks for the reconfirmation, though.

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Posted by LoveRhonda2 - 2006/12/14 23:19

I am **absolutely** astounded by this show. I am **sick** to my stomach that this is what is on instead of Starting Over! As an empath, I couldn't stand to watch this show for more than 5 minutes. I am very discouraged by all of this.

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Re:Opinions of Bad Girls Club

Posted by Tara - 2006/12/15 18:53

Ok...I saw the 2nd episode and it was bad...However it got me interested and I'm sure I'll watch it again. I want to know what's going to happens next...

Re:Opinions of Bad Girls Club

Posted by moondreamer - 2006/12/16 20:40

Saw the second episode. Dizzzzzgussssting. But it's kinda like a car wreck. You have to look, no matter what. I'm

disappointed in the Oxygen Network for the gutter-snipe shows it's putting on, campus ladies, footballers wives, but Bad Girls is the worst of the lot.

I'm betting they let Ripsi, whom I will refer to as Topsy from now on, stay. The only thing I'm unsure about is if they will make abstinence from booze a condition. I kind of hope so, but I also thing that they will be PC and say you can't force someone to quit a thing if they don't want to.

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Posted by Nadia - 2006/12/30 02:32

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Yaayyyyyyyyyyyyyy glad to to see it was taken off the front page.

I just hadta mention it! Yup I did. LOL

:blush: :whistle: :lol: :ohmy: :laugh: :P B ;) :kiss: TY! (THANK YOU) LOL

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Posted by moondreamer - 2006/12/30 17:28

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Posted by KPW1956 - 2006/12/30 22:02

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I can't even watch Oxygen OR the Bad Girls although I've tried to keep tabs on the status... and recaps at reality shack.. I think the show is SO bad...they stopped recapping it after the second week. I did hear that the 3rd show saw Ripsi out the door...so now there are 6... No clue what has happened in episodes 3 till the present episode.. Not that I really care mind you... I guess I'm hoping the show falls on it's face sooner rather than later! Today I even did a search on it with a word keyed in "cancelled"... But nothing has been mentioned YET!

I hate to sound vindictive... but I hope the show falls on it's face...and Oxygen loses a good chunk of it's viewing audience or cable providers.. My cable provider already dropped it even before The Bad Girls Club debuted..

Re:Opinions of Bad Girls Club

Posted by Tara - 2006/12/31 16:18

I don't know...I just finished watching the a mini-marathon of the Bad Girls Club...Yes it's bad TV but I think I'm hooked. I'm not going to tune in every Tues at 10:00 because the replay it enough through the week. But, I'm sure I'll ended up watching it again.

Ripsi reminded a lot of Nicole Richie. She was so out of control and angry.

I'm sure the show will do ok with ratings. It's got a real Jerry Springer like tone to it.

Re:Opinions of Bad Girls Club

Posted by moondreamer - 2006/12/31 22:09

The problem with the show is that the women don't seem to have a plan on how to attain what ever goal they went into the house to attain, and don't seem to really be working toward a goal. It's just a lot of tough broad posturing, and drama queen moments.

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It was a comment about Lifetime because both Lifetime and Oxygen both claim to be aimed primarily at the female viewing audience. Both have pretty distorted views of female viewing habits and/or range of interest. Women like to see a lot more things than just the misery of abuse (Lifetime) or gutter living (Oxygen.) Glad your Cable cancelled Oxygen. Maybe that will give the network a wakeup shakeup.

Re:Opinions of Bad Girls Club

Posted by wish - 2007/01/01 01:11

I think the show is awful but does make for good tv, i seen enough not watching it again.

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