



## WHY WE ARE EXCITED ABOUT THE **DEADPOOL MOVIE!**

About three months ago, Deadpool fans got to see the first image of Ryan Reynolds in full costume, and it blew our minds how much it looks ripped straight out of the comics. With the first trailer being dropped at the comic-con this month, which is about to be released online anytime, the internet is abuzz with Deadpool. But what exactly can we expect the movie to be about? A new official release date has been posted online that tells us exactly that. Based upon Marvel Comics' most unconventional anti-hero, Deadpool tells the origin story of former Special Forces operative turned mercenary Wade Wilson, who after being subjected

to a rogue experiment that leaves him with accelerated healing powers, adopts the alter ego Deadpool. Armed with his new abilities and a dark, twisted sense of humor, Deadpool hunts down the man who nearly destroyed his life.

Some will note that this plot description - and the full-on look of the character - completely clashes with the portrayal of the character seen in X-Men Origins: Wolverine, but X-Men: Days of Future Past holds all of the answers to explain that. Following the events of that movie, every event in the franchise timeline post-1973 was erased from continuity, and that includes the plot of what's arguably the

worst film in the series.

If Deadpool stays closer to the comics than X-Men Origins: Wolverine, the film won't find Wade Wilson transformed into the Merc With The Mouth in the hands of the Weapon X program that created Wolverine, but instead at a government run facility known as the Hospice (which he goes to in the hopes of curing his cancer). It is here that he undergoes horrific treatment at the hands of a monster named Dr. Killebrew and his sadistic assistant Ajax (a.k.a. Francis). Going by the books, I'd assume that "the man who nearly destroyed his life" is Ajax instead of Dr. Killebrew, as the former actually

winds up regretting his life choices.

In addition to Ryan Reynolds as the titular character, Deadpool also stars T.J. Miller as Weasel, Morena Baccarin as Vanessa a.k.a. Copycat, Gina Carano as Angel Dust, and Ed Skrein in a mystery role. Filmmaker Tim Miller is making his directorial debut, and will be working from a script written by Rhett Reese and Paul Wernick. 20th Century Fox will be delivering the movie to theaters on February 12, 2016. If it winds up being as good as the test footage from last year and the first look image, we should be in for a real treat!

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### COMING SOON

## Is Hitman: Agent 47 the film that fans have been waiting for?

Hitman: Agent 47 centres on an elite assassin who was genetically engineered from conception to be the perfect killing machine, and is known only by the last two digits on the barcode tattooed on the back of his neck. He is the culmination of decades of research and forty-six earlier Agent clones -- endowing him with unprecedented strength, speed, stamina and intelligence. His latest target is a mega-corporation that plans to unlock the secret of Agent 47's past to create an army of killers whose powers surpass even his own. Teaming up with a young woman who may hold the secret to overcoming their powerful and clandestine enemies, 47 confronts stunning revelations about his own origins and squares off in an epic battle with his deadliest foe. Agent 47 will be released on August 21st 2015.