

THE TWEET SPOT



Movie Reviews by

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Moneyball



Starring Brad Pitt, Jonah Hill & Philip Seymour Hoffman

- Stephanie:** Brad Pitt is sensational as Billy Beane, the Oakland A's maverick GM whose controversial method of team building turned baseball on its ear.
- Sophia:** Brad Pitt and Jonah Hill nominated for an Academy Award?? I must have been watching another movie called "Moneyball"!!
- Stephanie:** XLNT supporting performances by Hill, as the taciturn Yale economist whose work inspired Beane, & P.S. Hoffman as the A's harried Field Mgr.
- Sophia:** I would rather have used my time watching the *real* Billy Beane on the Biography Channel.
- Stephanie:** I couldn't be more disinterested in sports, but I was fascinated by this amazing story & found myself rooting for the hapless A's!
- Sophia:** I'm calling "foul" on this one.
- Stephanie:** The film has a great takeaway lesson: Despite the opposition and all the odds, be true to what you know to be true.
- Sophia:** Check this movie out from the **Library**. Don't waste your "money ball" paying to see it.

All the movies that Sophia & Stephanie review are in the Library collection.
Check them out and see with whom you agree. Comments welcome!