Pixels

***Facts:***

Running time: 106 minutes

Age rating: FSK6

Director: Chris Columbus

Publishing year: 2015

Budget: 88-129 million $

Box office: 244.9 million $

***Plot:***

At the video game arcade championship, the 13-year-old Sam Brenner and his best friend Will Cooper, Sam discovers he can master the games by spotting pattern, but he loses against Eddie “the Fireblaster” Plant in Donkey Kong.

In the present Sam is an installer while Will is the President of the United States of Amerika. When an Air Force Base get force attacked in the form of Galaga a soldier gets captured. Bernner work Brenner works at the home of divorced US-Army Lieutenant Colonel Violet van Patten, and the two are separately summoned to the White House. Upon seeing the video footage and meeting with Ludlow "the Wonder Kid" Lamonsoff, Brenner determines the attackers have misinterpreted the videocassette images as a declaration of war and are attacking with technology based on the video games featured at the championship. The attackers interrupt a television broadcast to challenge the Earth to a battle. If the attackers win three rounds, they will conquer the planet. Brenner and Cooper are unable to stop one of the attacks as the Taj Mahal is destroyed by the attackers in the form of Arkanoid and a bystander is abducted. Brenner and Ludlow train Navy SEALS to play the games they played when they were young. Violet develops railguns that are effective against the attacker. In London, the attacker attack Hyde Park in form of Cetipede. Brenner and Ludlow step in and shoot them down. The attacker sends congratulations and a trophy in the form of a dog. Ludlow and Cooper retrieve Eddie from a prison sentence for fraud.

In New York City, the team must participate as the ghosts against Pac-Man. The creator of Pac-Man tries to reason with Pac-Man peacefully but gets his hand bitten off. Brenner, Ludlow, and Eddie overcome the task using modified Minis(cars), but Violet notices Eddie moved at supersonic speeds around the board. They win Q\*Bert as a trophy. During a celebratory party, however, the attacker declares the challenge for the planet has been forfeited because someone cheated. Violet's son Matty discovers Eddie used a speed-hack during the battle against Pac-Man. Eddie flees while Matty is abducted by the attacker.

The attacker launches a massive attack in Washington, D.C. using an army of characters and enemies from the games. Cooper joins the team, while Ludlow stays to fight. An attacker takes the form of "Lady Lisa", a character on whom Ludlow had a crush since childhood.

***Pros:*** The pros are that the Game Characters are well animated and the special effects when Pac-Man or another enemy dies that they change into a heap of “Pixels”.

***Cons:*** The cons of this movie are that some scenes are a little bit stretch like at the beginning when Sam is talking to Violet van Pattern in the wall cupboard. Another con is that the CGI is sometimes more me to bright so you can’t really concentrate what’s happening. The last con is that there are often huge time jumps for example they are getting Eddie out of the Prison and suddenly they are fighting against Pac-Man in New York.