Maltin's Movies

Title	Goon
Alt Title	
Year	2011
Director	Michael Dowse
Rating	□□½
Runtime	92
Review	Hockey-loving, childlike Scott can only find work as a brutal nightclub bouncer—until he's hired by the local semipro ice hockey team. But he's there as a goon, to beat the crap out of opposing players, ultimately intended to confront big-league Schreiber. Along the way, he finds romance with a young woman who also has self-esteem problems. Occasionally funny and warm, but almost awesomely brutal, this seems opposed to the trend of ultra-violence in hockey, but ultimately endorses the bloody activity. Entire cast shines, particularly Scott. Scripted by Baruchel and Evan Goldberg, based on the book by Adam Frattasio and Doug Smith.
IMDb	tt1456635
MPAA Rating	[R]
Cast	Seann William Scott, Jay Baruchel, Alison Pill, Liev Schreiber, Eugene Levy, Marc-André Grondin, Kim Coates
Country	Canadian-U.S.
Genre	Comedy
Review Plain Text	*NULL*