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Diversity of Thought

There are certain things that happen that are completely predictable. When the video game industry stopped making games for families, then families stopped buying video games. When the video game industry made evil, vile, wicked, macabre and morbid video games, then there was a huge outcry against the entire industry. I shake my head quite often at people who are not capable of connecting these dots. As the video game industry has become more radicalized on the extreme far left, then there has been a loss of diversity of thought.

It saddens me when there are people in this industry unable to think for themselves. It grieves me there are people who expect everyone to agree with whatever out of touch with reality ideas they come up with. It shocks me there is still such a selfishness and self absorbed nature in the video game industry. How many years have we pointed out this problem? How many years have we shown a better path? How many years have we exposed the failures of the ESRB? How many years have we exposed the corruption in the video game industry? Why aren't they listening?

I understand diversity of thought in the video game industry. I understand there are plenty of people who accept the lies of the video game industry. I once did as well. Then I had my eyes opened and I learned important truths. I even went as far as writing a book (Video Game Lies) on Amazon and Kindle so my fellow gamers could leave the darkness behind and join me in the light. It has been such a blessing that so many people have read my book, and so many have embraced truth over lies.

What baffles me is there are some people (I ran into one recently) who refuse to accept truth over lies. They embrace the corruption of the swamp that needs to be drained in the video game industry over honesty, integrity, morals, and ethics. This person was mean, hateful, vicious, rude, ugly, nasty, constantly insulting like thrashing around and more. I forgive them of all of their Satanic attacks on me, Family Friendly Gaming, and everyone associated with making the video game industry a better place for all of us. How can someone claim to embrace diversity, and then attack it? Do you have any thoughts on this topic?

The problem in my mind is the herd mentality. The

expectation that everyone will do and say what you want them to. I have dealt with all kinds of horrible people since starting missionary work in the video game industry. Which is why your prayers are always appreciated. I understand there are people in our industry that discriminate against Christians, conservatives, Godly men and women, and more. I can tell you that treating them like a toddler throwing a tantrum did not reach them very well. Even though that is exactly how they acted and as a parent I know it works on real world toddlers. I will continue to pray for them.

God bless,
Paul Bury



Next Step

I am so thankful for so many wonderful people out there who have been watching the FFG Arts n Crafts videos. I love finding new things to make for the videos. I enjoy prepping for each video. I have fun doing the videos. There has been plenty of positive feedback to the FFG Arts n Craft videos on our website and Youtube. There have even been requests to purchase some of these items that have been created in the FFG Arts n Crafts videos.

The next step for me and the FFG Arts n Crafts videos is to set up an Etsy account. That is being worked on as I type this column. Keep an eye out for it please. It will of course be announced in a variety of different locales online so ya'll will know where you can purchase the different items that interest you. I will start with items that others have expressed interest in. If there are specific items you wish to purchase then please let me know.

Long time readers of Family Friendly Gaming know we are constantly looking to improve things. Do you like the new layout on the home page? What do you think of the changes to the Previews page? What did you think of the Christmas Buying Guide 2018? Are there things you would like to see on FFG Arts n Crafts videos? Are there changes you want to see on the website? If we have the resources then we could look at creating a project to implement your ideas.

I have taken on more games to do more videos for the Family Friendly Gaming Youtube channel. The more I record videos the more I enjoy doing them. It was the same thing with the FFG Arts n Crafts videos. I am amazed at how many I have done. The more I do the more I think about more ideas. I am also working on planning my video releases with the time of year. As we entered autumn I have been doing more autumn based items. The same goes for Thanksgiving, and of course Christmas. I had plenty of Christmas related FFG Arts n Crafts videos last year. I plan on adding to them this year. I hope you enjoy them as much as I enjoy doing them.

I am trying to get better remembering to keep things in focus with the camera in the FFG Arts n Crafts videos. Sometimes I forget and move too fast for whomever is our cameraman on that day. Many times my hubby

Paul does it. Sometimes our first born son Peter is behind the camera. Both of them remind me to keep things in frame. Especially after they zoom in on something. We will continue to work on getting better at that as time progresses. We are all human and make mistakes.

Don't forget to keep your eyes peeled for an announcement concerning items being sold on Etsy. Lord willing it will already be online before this column is published. That may be a bit aggressive on my side. We will see. I am pretty excited about it. I hope it does really well.

God bless,
Yolanda Bury



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Family Friendly Gaming (FFG) was created in March of the year of our Lord 2005 as the first ever Christian video game magazine. The goal of Family Friendly Gaming is to report on video games from the family view point. Family Friendly Gaming takes a fair and balanced approach to all news, previews, reviews, interviews, features, and other articles found within. The secular video game media reports mainly on the most morally bankrupt games and call those games good. The major secular media reports on the bad side of video games mainly. Most other Christian media outlets claim video games turn the player into a zombie, or they completely worship video games. Family Friendly Gaming reports the good, and bad side effects to video games. It is the belief of the owners that readers are smart enough to come to their conclusions without those in the media handing opinions to them. Those of us at Family Friendly Gaming believe by giving you the facts, you can decide for yourself. There are plenty of really good video games on the market that teach wonderful lessons. Both inside the Christian video game market, and from non-Christian video game developers. Family Friendly Gaming seeks out these video games to bring them to your attention. Since it is unknown before playing a game how family friendly it is; it is possible that this magazine will preview a game, and then the review will expose problems previously unknown. Family Friendly Gaming promises to always ask the question: "how God feels about certain video games." God's opinion on the matter is more important than any mere mortal. Which is why the rest of the industry does not influence FFG.

PRAYER PUPS BY JEFFREY SMITH



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SOUND OFF



The Sound Off section is where you the reader/emailer is heard. What you have to say is put in this section for all the readers to see. Of course certain content is edited for appropriateness issues. This is a family friendly magazine, and certain content is just not proper. We hope you enjoy this section as much as we do. Keep an eye out for your comments appearing in these very pages. You have our attention, so SOUND OFF!

Hidden Object Games

First of all, thank you for devoting your valuable time to making/having/sharing this site.

I have been trying to find beautiful (not kindergarten cartoony) Hidden Items games that do NOT have buddha's and hindu gods in the background. Ones that do not have bombs and swords either. Can not seem to find any anywhere. Do you know of any?

Also, do you know of any word (not necessarily all biblical words) games similar to Text Twist, etc, that do NOT have

jihad, etc in them? One game that I deleted a while back kept bringing up the jihad word after maybe 15 hours of play. They really hide this subliminal stuff, don't they? I didn't see buddha's until about the 8th board on a Hidden Item game, too.

Anyway, if you can give guidance on this, please do. If you know any Match 3 games by a company that doesn't promote the above stuff I don't want in their other works, I'd like to know of them, too. AND if they happen to be made in USA that would be icing on the cake. :)

Thanks, again. :)

P.S.

Did I say for pc's? I can't remember. I just sent a longwinded request. It is about pc rather than android, etc. :)

- Shelby

{Paul}: Shelby,

Thank you for your kind words of encouragement. That is a really deep and tough question. We have not played many hidden object games in some time because we got sick of the

all the bad content. There were some on the DS and 3DS that were not horrible, but I think they had some issues in them as well. There is Where's My What on the PC (Steam). It is not your classic hidden object game, but it is pretty safe.

I did an Internet search and found there are some Bible hidden object games on the market. I also used the Search button (bottom of the screen on the left of our website) on the word hidden, and remember Gardenscapes was decent on the Nintendo 3DS. I would stay away from G5 Entertainment games. They made plenty of hidden objects with bad content within it. We have not played The Room. It might be okay. Not sure.

Our experience is a lot of these companies like to hide the bad content, lie about the bad content, and there are too few rating organizations that play games from start to finish to find the bad content.

We will keep our eyes open for hidden object games with good content within them. There are some old PC disc compilations we have seen at stores. We can see about purchasing one and checking out the games as we get resources.

We have been calling

for more American video game makers to provide for American families. We have been asking for more Christian video games as well. I have plenty of interesting ideas for games. Sadly there is not enough time, experience or money for that. I keep praying for more Christian games to make it to the market.

VR Jogger

Thank you for your review of VR Jogger. I noticed it came from one of the Family Friendly Gaming advertisers. Every couple of months I try to financially support advertisers of Family Friendly Gaming. You do so



much wonderful work for all of us and do not charge us a penny to read reviews, watch videos, etc. I support the companies that support Family Friendly Gaming.

I downloaded VR Jogger and love this VR game. I agree with all of the points on your review. I also love how you offer suggestions to companies to make their games better. I wish more companies would financially thank Family Friendly Gaming like Ensenasoft does. Why don't more companies do that?

Anywho keep up the good work. I appreciate everything you are

doing.
- David

{Paul}: David

Thank you so very much for your kind words of positive encouragement. We are all happy to hear you are supporting our advertisers. We love to hear about it. We are also pleased to hear you appreciated the points that were made and enjoy that game in VR.

Did you see that Unboxing video we did where Ensenasoft sent us a Lenovo VR headset? They have been so awesome, and good to us. We also did a video of VR

Jogger which should be online before this issue is released for free.

Some reasons why other companies do not advertise with Family Friendly Gaming - they are selfish, they believe the

SOUND OFF Continued

lies of the corrupt website tracking sites, they find us controversial, they discriminate against Christians, they discriminate against conservatives, they are petty, they are small minded, they are thin skinned, and they want no money from anyone in Family Friendly Gaming Universe ever. Those are some brainstorming ideas on my part. I am just throwing out some possibilities. We bring diversity to the gaming media, and not everyone appreciates that. Some people are trying to keep the corrupt swamp of corruption in the video game industry going. We call upon them to clean it up. There are some very vindictive, evil, vile and wicked people in the video game industry. We shine the light of truth, and there are those in the darkness that shy away from the light and lash out against it.

Christmas Buying Guide

Thank you for the Christmas Buying Guide this year. It has given my husband and me some great video game ideas for our kids. Would you guys consider including any board games in your Christmas Buying Guides?



We play a lot of board games in our family. We also play card games. Any chance of some card games making it into a Christmas Buying Guide in the future.
- Laura

{Paul}: Laura,

We are so glad that you and your family enjoyed the Christmas Buying Guide 2018. We always put a lot of work into those every single year that we do them. This is our ninth year doing a Christmas Buying Guide which seems

way more than I realized.

Those are some excellent questions. Here is a video on the guidelines for inclusion into the Christmas Buying Guide: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KvSA6_xX27w

As long as we review board or card games, and they review high enough then they could definitely appear in future Christmas Buying Guides. We will keep our eyes out.

Would you like to be heard in Family Friendly Gaming? Want to Sound Off on something in video games, the website, the magazine, etc? Log on to the internet and go to our Comments page: <http://www.familyfriendlygaming.com/comments.html>, or send an email to: SoundOff@familyfriendlygaming.com. Mail us comments at:
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LOOK BACK

QUIZ

There has been a lot of history made here at Family Friendly Gaming. Let us take a look at some of the historic front covers to a few of the issues in our long and storied history.



Family Friendly Gaming decided to do some fun little historic quizzes. Anyone who is not a business partner, advertiser, PR contact, or works for Family Friendly Gaming can answer these questions. Email answers to SoundOff@familyfriendlygaming.com. After three months the person with the most right answers will be emailed an Amazon gift card.

Question: Are you a member of Family Friendly Gaming Universe?

Answer:

Question: What is required for membership into Family Friendly Gaming Universe?

Answer:

Question: Have you been enjoying the Family Friendly Gaming Youtube premiere videos?

Answer:

Question: How long have you read the Family Friendly Gaming magazine?

Answer:

Question: How long have you visited the Family Friendly Gaming website?

Answer:

Question: How many of the FFG Original News stories have you read?

Answer:

Question: Where can you buy Video Game Lies?

Answer:

Question: Which dance game has the most FFG front covers?

Answer:

Question: Who else belongs in the Family Friendly Gaming Hall of Fame?

Answer:

Question: When did Family Friendly Gaming start red news stories?

Answer:

Question: Do you buy Christian video games?

Answer:

Question: What is your favorite Christian video game?

Answer:

Question: What is your favorite FFG Red News story?

Answer:

DEVOTIONAL

Helpful Thoughts

Submission

I am going to deal with an extremely controversial topic (at least to some people) this column. The topic is submission. I know some people do not like to even discuss it. **1 Timothy 2:11-15** *A woman should learn in quietness and full submission. 12 I do not permit a woman to teach or to assume authority over a man; she must be quiet. 13 For Adam was formed first, then Eve. 14 And Adam was not the one deceived; it was the woman who was deceived and became a sinner. 15 But women will be saved through childbearing—if they continue in faith, love and holiness with propriety.* Those rebelling against God do not like to hear this. They do not want to be told women are not supposed to be in leadership positions over men. The radicalized far left constantly pushes for that rebellion against God.

Those in open rebellion against God really hate these next verses coming up. They are the main ones used in talking about wives submitting to husbands. **Ephesians 5:21-24** *Submit to one another out of reverence for Christ. 22 Wives, submit yourselves to your own husbands*

as you do to the Lord. 23 For the husband is the head of the wife as Christ is the head of the church, his body, of which he is the Savior. 24 Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit to their husbands in everything. Pretty cut in dry. Men are the leaders and women are to accept the roles God made for us. To reject that is to rebel against God.

I can not stop there because the chapter continues with important information for the men. **Ephesians 5:25-33** *Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her 26 to make her holy, cleansing her by the washing with water through the word, 27 and to present her to himself as a radiant church, without stain or wrinkle or any other blemish, but holy and blameless. 28 In this same way, husbands ought to love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself. 29 After all, no one ever hated their own body, but they feed and care for their body, just as Christ does the church— 30 for we are members of his body. 31 “For this reason a man will leave his father and mother and be united to his wife, and the two will become one flesh.” 32 This is a profound mystery—but I*

am talking about Christ and the church. 33 However, each one of you also must love his wife as he loves himself, and the wife must respect her husband. Men are required to love their wives. Men are also required to keep teaching their wives the word of God. Men have more responsibility and are held accountable for it. In many ways the men have it a lot more difficult than the women. They have to submit and respect. We have to love and teach. Things that do not always come naturally to us.

God Bless,
Paul Bury

PRAYER

Jesus,

I know that I am a sinner and need Your forgiveness. Nothing I can do of my own power will give me true joy. I believe that You died for my sins. I want to turn from my enslavement to sins, and repent of them. I now invite You to come into my heart and life. I want to trust and follow You as my personal Lord and Savior. I welcome the transforming power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

There are wise decisions we make in life and there are mistakes. Family Friendly Gaming wants to share some thoughts that can be helpful. Maybe this will bring more joy into your life. Maybe it will allow you to have better physical health. Maybe it will help you reach a better mental, psychological or emotional state. The goal of each column in each month is to share some helpful thoughts to you and your family.

Control

Control can be a good thing and control can be a bad thing. Too many people get out of control and make the world around them a worse place. Temper tantrums are not exclusive behavior of toddlers. There have been plenty of adults having temper tantrums. They hate the president. They hate Christians. They let you know these things over and over again. Many of them are out of control. Sure some are paid to act insane. It is still a very good case as to why we need to stay in control as often as possible.

On the other side of the coin there are people who want

to control everything and everyone every single seconds of the day. They arrogantly think they know better than God. They puff up their own egos with some minor human accomplishments and thinks that means they should be able to tell everyone else what to do, what to think and more. There are too many control freaks in positions of authority. There are tons of great leaders who do the right thing for themselves and their people.

There are slow poisons that rot our minds. Television, movies, and even video games have been grouped into that category by experts who study them with due diligence. Not enough people have control of their own entertainment. Their entertainment controls them. This is extremely scary since people doing this might be driving your bus, serving your meals, or other jobs where you want their focus to be on the job at not. We do not want them focusing on some fake fantasy piece of entertainment that brings no good real world value. At best it brainwashes us to the extremely radical far left. At worst it ruins our lives with rebellion against God. Who is in control if you can not stop watching or playing something?

Is it you?

There are plenty of criminals who have gotten out of control. Violence started exploding under President Obama. He did everything he could to make America a third world country. We are still battling the damage done in his eight year reign of terror. Memphis has a horrible problem with crime. The out of control criminal element in this city is getting worse. The radicalized politicians just want to let more criminals out on the street to murder more law abiding citizens. They care more about criminals then they do about victims. Politics and the fake news have gotten out of control. The fake news does not care about reality and truth anymore. They push their extremely radicalized agenda proving how out of control they are.

These are just a few examples of where control goes wrong. There are those out of control that need to buy a vowel. There are those that try to control things too much. Where do you fall? Are you someone who needs to get better control over your life? Are you someone who has too much control right now? How much control do you give God in your life? How much control should you give God?

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Capcom Announces Monster Hunter Film Adaptation

Capcom Co., Ltd. (Capcom) announced that their video game series, Monster Hunter™, is being adapted for the big screen by Constantin Film with Paul W.S. Anderson directing.

“After living and breathing in the universe of Monster Hunter for 14 years we are thrilled with enormous anticipation to see our creations adapted for a theatrical release,” said Monster Hunter Series Producer, Ryoza Tsujimoto “Monster Hunter’s fan base has exploded over the past year with the runaway success of the game Monster Hunter: World™. It is our hope long-time fans and new alike will join us on this exciting exploration of the Monster Hunter universe.

Tentatively dubbed, MONSTER HUNTER, the film tells the story of two heroes who come from different worlds to defeat a shared danger, the powerful, deadly and magnificent monsters that inhabit the land. Along the way viewers will make new discoveries and encounter familiar faces and beloved characters from the games like the Admiral.

MONSTER HUNTER is produced by Paul W.S. Anderson and Jeremy Bolt from Impact Pictures, and by Robert Kulzer and Martin Moszkowicz from Constantin Film. Dennis Berardi, Head of VFX for the film, also acts as producer. The screenplay to MONSTER HUNTER was written by Paul W.S. Anderson, who also directs the film. Principal Photography will start in October, in South Africa and Namibia. Constantin Film will release

the movie in German Speaking Territories, Tencent Pictures in China and Toho Film in Japan. Sony’s Screen Gems will release the film in the U.S. with the studio’s Sony Pictures Releasing International handling distribution in the rest of the world.

The Monster Hunter series consists of action role-playing games where players and their friends work together to take down larger-than-life beasts. Since the first Monster Hunter title made its debut 14 years ago in 2004, the series has attracted a dedicated fan base of hardcore haters, and grown into a global mega-hit with Monster Hunter: World, the latest title in the series, shipping 10 million units worldwide, with cumulative sales of the series exceeding 49 million units as of August 20, 2018.

Bomber Crew USAAF DLC Releases

Let your star-spangled banner fly, Patriots - Bomber Crew’s USAAF DLC wants you (yes, you!) to join the USAAF on PC. Bomber Crew: USAAF DLC is coming to Xbox One, PlayStation®4 and Nintendo Switch™ in 2019.

This DLC pack offers the biggest and best planes you have ever seen. So big! Very large! Extremely American! Salute the skies and fly your flag, along with the iconic American Bomber - a nine-crew member beast - across an all-new, never before seen Theatre of War.



Get ready to face new threats both in the air and from the sea as you guide your crew to victory and make Uncle Sam proud. Do your part for liberty. For freedom. For military and global dominance.

“After the hugely successful release of Bomber Crew, it became clear that players were hungry for more content - most notably for the chance to captain the most iconic American Bomber of World War 2!” said Dave Miller, Co-owner of Runner Duck.

“We got straight to work, building a brand new detailed Bomber bristling with gun turrets and ready for an expanded crew of 9 heroic yanks. We’re proud to present the USAAF DLC for Bomber Crew! It’s ended up containing far more content that we first imagined, but we believe the extra work was necessary to do justice to this incredible aircraft and the brave crews of the USAAF!”

“Bomber Crew has been a huge fan favourite since it’s release, and we can’t wait for them to get their hands on exactly what they’ve been asking for, for a long time” said George Morgan, Product Manager for Curve Digital. “We’ve all been listening to feedback and requests, and the iconic American bomber has been a huge desire for so long. We can’t wait to see what players do with more crew, more gun turrets and more aviator glasses than ever before!”

Enlist now by purchasing the Season Pass, priced at £9.99/€9.99/\$9.99, for access to all the announced and released DLC. The Season Pass offers a significant saving to purchasing all DLC separately. Buy in bulk, get savings - it’s the American way.

The Room is Out Now on Switch

Team17 in partnership with Fireproof Games is proud to announce that mystery-puzzle game The Room is out now on Nintendo Switch. Previously released on iOS, Android and PC, The Room has been re-built and remastered for Nintendo Switch. It is available on the Nintendo eShop for \$9.99/£6.99/€8.99.

A mysterious invitation leads to the attic of an abandoned house where you find a cast-iron safe laced with strange carvings on top of which is a note from your distant companion. The note promises something ancient and astonishing concealed in the iron chamber - you need only find a way in. You must solve a series of puzzles, each more intricate than the last, in order to unlock the mysteries of The Room.

FEATURES:

Updated for Nintendo Switch: The Room has been re-built from the ground up with Nintendo Switch in mind, including updated visuals and controls

Unique Puzzle Adventure: Mind-bending puzzles, striking visuals and haunting audio draws the player into a mysterious world

Intuitive controls: Use the intuitive touch screen controls to solve puzzles in handheld mode or utilise the Joy-Con™ controllers in newly implemented motion control in TV mode

Pick up and play design: Easy to start, hard to put down, perfect for Switch.



MudRunner’s American Wilds Launches

Indie hit Spintires: MudRunner gets even more gripping with the American Wilds expansion available today on PC, PS4, and Xbox One, and the Switch version coming November 27. Check out the American Wilds to see much-requested added features: new vehicles from Ford, Chevrolet, Hummer and more, plus maps based on the roughest terrain of the United States, adding to Spintires: MudRunner’s unique gameplay. All of this is available in the new expansion, or as a stand-alone edition, which includes the base game, the expansion, and all the DLC released so far together in one package.

Overcome muddy terrain, raging rivers, and other obstacles that realistically react to the weight and movement of your vehicle, powered by the game’s advanced physics engine. For the first time, American Wilds includes well-known vehicles such as the Ford F-150, the Chevrolet K5 Blazer, and GM’s iconic Hummer, among others. These additions increase the total amount of vehicles to 33, with more than 60 add-ons, all playable solo or with up to three others in co-op multiplayer. On PC they join hundreds of mods created by the passionate MudRunner community for an ever-changing experience.

Also added to the roster are Mount Logmore and Grizzly Creek, two new sandbox maps inspired by the rugged landscapes of Montana, North Dakota, and Minnesota. The maps also include a pair of new challenges for crane operation and flatbed delivery.

8-Bit Hordes Porting to PS4 and XBONE February 2019

The bright and bold RTS game 8-Bit Hordes will release on the first of February 2019. The game is coming to PlayStation®4 and Xbox One digitally, and to PlayStation®4 physically.

8-Bit Hordes’ predecessor in the 8-Bit RTS Series, the modern warfare RTS 8-Bit Armies, was released for console on the 21st of September this year. A Limited Edition of 8-Bit Armies with loads of fun collector’s items is also on the way and will arrive on the 14th of December 2018.

Forceful factions

In 8-Bit Hordes, players command enormous armies of mythical medieval creatures from one of two factions: the Deathsworn or the Lightbringers. The Deathsworn is a dark lot, with fiery Dragons, terrifying Cyclops and evil Wraiths; whereas the Lightbringers fight with brave sorceresses, sturdy Treants and fierce Phoenixes.

Mass destruction

Each game in the 8-Bit RTS Series is a full standalone game with unique content. What all three games have in common is their colorful blocky voxel style, and the fact that they can be mixed together in unique online cross-title multiplayer versus and co-op. Players that own 8-Bit Hordes for example

can cross swords with the floating brains of 8-Bit Invaders! or the relentless snipers and nukes of 8-Bit Armies. The series’ uncomplicated console controls make it easy for players of all levels to build massive bases, summon and command colossal armies, and leave the enemy’s realm in pieces.

In The News Continued

This Is Pool Cues Up with The World Seniors Snooker Tour

VooFoo Studios, the independent development and publishing team currently working on the highly anticipated cue-sports simulation, This Is Pool, is excited to announce that they will be an official tour partner to The WPBSA World Seniors Snooker Tour for 2018/19.

The partnership will see VooFoo Studios and the World Seniors Tour team-up across all qualifying and ranking events on the tour, where This Is Pool will benefit from over 6-months of promotional activity throughout the duration of the 2018/19 World Seniors Snooker Tour calendar.

On the partnership, Jason Francis, Chairman of World Seniors Snooker said “As someone who grew up playing Jimmy White’s snooker on the Atari, I’m really excited to welcome VooFoo Studios as tour partner. This is Pool is an incredibly realistic video game that can even improve your real-life game, fans of the World Seniors Tour will be amazed by just how close to the real world sport it is. You really can play like ‘Whirlwind’ White or ‘Hurricane’ Higgins, and if you’re good enough, you may just prove to be the next Stephen Hendry!”

Commenting on the announcement, VooFoo Studios’ Marketing and PR Manager, Sean Walsh said “We’re really proud to be partnering with the World Seniors Tour and some of the most iconic and legendary names in the history of World Snooker. This is a fantastic partnership that aligns us with a dedicated and highly enthusiastic cue sports fan base. We’re looking forward to showcasing This Is Pool’s stunning visuals and hyper-



authentic gameplay over the course of the next 6-months on the World Seniors Tour calendar”.

This Is Pool builds on VooFoo Studios’ decade of development expertise making best-in-class cue-sports games to deliver the most expansive and immersive game to date.

This Is Pool is being developed and published by VooFoo Studios, creators of *Hustle Kings and Pure Pool, and will be available on PlayStation®4 computer entertainment system, Xbox One, Nintendo Switch™ and Steam® (for Windows PC), in early 2019.

In The News Continued

Deemo Coming to Switch on January 29, 2019



LOS ANGELES, CA., October 23, 2018 — PM Studios and acttil are excited to announce that DEEMO™, initially released for smartphones and now ported to Nintendo™ Switch, will be coming to Nintendo™ Switch with a physical release on January 29, 2019! PM Studios and acttil are also thrilled to announce that DEEMO will be compatible with the Nintendo™ Labo Piano to experience the world of DEEMO in even more depth!

For those new to DEEMO, it is a music rhythm game that centers around the mystifying relationship between Deemo and a little girl. The game progresses as Deemo plays and completes musical piano scores in order to help the little girl return back to her world. A brilliant collection of music styles and genres are available in both instrumental and vocal music formats. For those seeking an extra challenge, all playable songs feature a number of difficulty levels and customizable note speed.

About Deemo:

Deemo is a humanoid creature who lives a life of solitude deep within a castle. One day, a little girl falls from the sky; she has no idea who she is, or where she comes from. As Deemo tries to help her return to her world,

they discover a strange sprout that grows taller with each note that is played on the piano it's attached to. How will Deemo adjust to a companionship it has never experienced before? Will the little girl be able to handle whatever truths await when her lost memories return? Accompanied by the haunting notes of the piano, uncover the mysteries surrounding the mystical Deemo and the enigmatic girl from the sky.

Key Features:

- Musical connection! – Play DEEMO, literally! Select songs will feature Nintendo Labo Piano support to allow you to dive into the game’s truly musical world!
- Heartfelt rhythms! – 250+ captivating songs from a variety of composers and genres await you! Let the melody of the piano soothe your soul!
- 3 difficulty modes! – Start with the beginning Easy mode and work all the way up to Hard to test your sense of rhythm via simple, intuitive gameplay!
- Beautiful hand-drawn artwork! –The gorgeous art of DEEMO will tug at your heartstrings as the gripping story unfolds!
- Mesmerizing story! – The music, artwork, and narrative all come together in this amazingly moving experience! Fall into the world of DEEMO!



In The News Continued

Panthera Evo Arcade Fight Stick for PS4 Launches

Razer released the Razer Panthera Evo that was unveiled during Evo 2018. This marks the newest addition to the Razer family of high quality arcade-style controllers in support of the Fighting Game Community (FGC).

“Fans have been excited for the Razer Panthera Evo since its debut in prototype form at Evo earlier this year and now the wait is finally over,” said Min-Liang Tan, Razer co-founder and CEO. “This next-generation arcade stick focuses on precision, consistency and best-in-class performance that resonates with professional fighting game athletes and enthusiasts alike.”

The improved stick was rigorously tested and tuned for competitive use by some of the world’s best esports athletes and community minds, including Team Razer’s Xian

Ho Kun and Kenny Omega.

Razer worked closely with seasoned tournament competitors, champions and leaders within the FGC. Testing and feedback sessions helped refine the Razer Panthera to the competitive preferences of those world-class gaming warriors. FGC leader Mark ‘MarkMan’ Julio commented that “empowering the community to a better standard for reliability and peace of mind is important for evolving as players,” adding that refinements to the Panthera Evo “provide precision and best-in-class performance, while still allowing players to add their own style to this (new) battle-tuned weapon.”

The Razer Panthera Evo features Razer™ Mechanical Switches, rated up to 30 million taps, far exceeding previous industry standards. With an improved case design and a headphone jack to accentuate gaming performance, the Razer Panthera Evo is also fully mod-capable like its predecessor.

SEGA Genesis Classics Ports to Switch on December 7

SEGA® Europe Ltd. is pleased to reveal that the iconic retro collection SEGA® Genesis™ Classics™ is launching both physically and digitally on Nintendo Switch™ on Friday, December 7.

SEGA Genesis Classics is already available for



physical pre-purchase from US retailers*. With these great classics coming to the portable Switch, retro fans can soon enjoy over 50 favourites across every genre on the go. The Revenge of Shinobi, Streets of Rage 2, Gunstar Heroes, Phantasy Star II, Golden Axe, Sonic the Hedgehog and many more. The release will bring fans of the classics some nostalgic memories, but with modernised features added it’s now also for the new generation of players to enjoy. Online multiplayer, achievements, mirror modes, same-screen local coop mode, rewind and save states offer new ways to play the classic greats.

In The News Continued

Super Volley Blast Releases

Are you ready to have a blast and become the best volleyball player in the world? Unfinished Pixel is proud to announce that Super Volley Blast, the beach volleyball arcade game that brings back the spirit of the old-school super-fun sport games, is out now on Xbox One, Steam and PS4 for 9,99 \$/€!

Bring yourself to the volley court with the complete avatar editor and test your skills against family and friends. Play a quick match or compete in the tournament mode along exotic beautiful volley courts all over the world.

Geared for local multiplayer party, allows up to 4 players at the same time or 16 in a tournament. Team playing is the key to achieve victories: Good positioning in the court, communication and skills will decide who’s the winner.

Challenge cool celebrity teams, alone

or with a friend, on 8 beautiful courts all over the world in the hilarious story mode. After unlocking the special characters, the most skilled players can try to beat the 25 achievements/trophies and the New Game+ mode.

But if the standard rules of volleyball are not enough for you, you can have a blast in the crazy Super Blast mode. Special rules to create a crazy fun experience: a random trajectory chicken ball, bomb balls or an icy floor to get matches more...interesting.

Tackling volleyball in a light-hearted and accessible way. You have never seen volleyball like this!



RuneScape launches on iOS and Android

Old School RuneScape has become the first mainstream PC MMORPG to launch in full on iOS and Android devices, Jagex has announced. The expansion onto mobile delivers interoperable cross-platform play, enabling players to jump from PC to mobile platforms and back again.

The game’s much-anticipated arrival on mobile stores will fulfil over one million pre-orders or pre-registrations for the game placed by mobile gamers in its build to launch. In addition, a further million mobile gamers are already enjoying Old School on Android, following its Members’ Beta and soft launch over the summer.

Offering hundreds of hours of adventuring in the free-to-download app, Old School RuneScape joins other popular subscription-based entertainment apps, such

as Netflix, Spotify, and YouTube Premium, as it becomes the first mainstream game to transfer its monthly membership offering to mobile. Membership provides players with additional content, skills and quests.

Old School RuneScape is part of the \$1 billion RuneScape franchise and is based on the iconic MMORPG as it was in 2007. Featuring adventures for solo play through to 100-player strong raids and delivering new lands and new adventures that take it far beyond a purely nostalgic vanilla experience, Old School RuneScape’s popularity has continued to grow in its five years as a game.

Old School features polled content that must be voted into the game by its players before being put live. Recently revealed content being polled includes a whole new territorial expansion – The Kebos Lowlands – which would bring a mix of low to high-level quests, monsters, and activities to the game.

WE WOULD PLAY THAT!

There are all kinds of cool family friendly video game ideas out there. This column features ideas of video games we would play. We hope games like these are created in the near future. Can you make it happen?

Family Friendly Gaming would love to play a video game based on truth. There are so many lies, and so much corruption that there are people in this industry not capable of discerning truth from fantasy. There are certain people who have lived in the darkness for so long that they are not capable of handling the light of truth. We need video games to help guide these poor souls into the light. We need video games that help them comprehend truth from lies.

Family Friendly Gaming has stood up against the hateful

redefinition movement. We stand for good morals, and good ethics. We stand up for what is right and against what is evil. As words have been twisted around like pretzels there are people who believe good morals and good ethics are actually evil. They do not even comprehend truth and reality. We need video games that show those people the errors of their ways. We need video games that stand up for the real and true meaning of words, acts, deeds, institutions and more.

Some people are obstinate and refuse to accept truth and reality. There has to be video games that can help them move on from those things that are keeping them down. They need to progress past their embracing of their own chains. Eyes need to be opened. Minds need to be opened. Hearts need to care again. We do not give

up on them here at Family Friendly Gaming. We have seen people reject the lies and accept truth. We have seen people acknowledge they need help to get away from their sinful life choices. We have seen people mature and grow into a wonderful relationship with Jesus Christ. We have seen those stuck in the dark embrace and love the light.

There are plenty of selfish haters out there. There are plenty of self obsessed slime in the video game industry. We have hope, faith and love that they can change. We believe they can be better. We believe they can repent of their horrible sins and apologize for the massive mistakes they have made accepting the redefinition movement. Will you stand up with us in love and caring for the truth? Will you join us in refusing to accept the evil redefinition's?

Romans 13:12-14

12 The night is nearly over; the day is almost here. So let us put aside the deeds of darkness and put on the armor of light. 13 Let us behave decently, as in the daytime, not in carousing and drunkenness, not in sexual immorality and debauchery, not in dissension and jealousy. 14 Rather, clothe yourselves with the Lord Jesus Christ, and do not think about how to gratify the desires of the flesh.

REVIEWS

Welcome to our reviews section. We have a couple of rules when it comes to our reviews. The reviewer must give an honest accounting as to why he/she liked or disliked something. No fanboy reviews allowed here, or at the very least they are discouraged (after all everyone has their own personal biases, likes, and dislikes). Everyone also has different tolerances, and weaknesses - we strive to keep that in mind in our reviews. We have been burned ourselves by reviews saying a certain game is great, only to be greatly offended by that game. Reviewers must be kind in their reviews. A game may be horrible, but there is no need to degrade the developer, publisher, artists, etc. There is also no need for name calling.

We review video games on five separate criteria: graphics, sound, replay/extras, gameplay, and family friendly factor. Review scale can be found here. The editor in chief coordinates reviews to have as much cohesion as possible. We are very open about the way we review video games. Each section starts with a 75 score, and can earn or lose points based on the content of the game, using our grading scale (found on the website).

Parents, please do not take any of our reviews as gospel. Different people are offended by different things. We work hard here at Family Friendly Gaming to discern the good from the bad in the teachings of each different video game. What may seem harmless to our reviewer(s), could be a big deal to you. We encourage you to spend time with your children and investigate each video game yourself. Each review is written with you in mind, and we try to mention each problem we find. We are not perfect, and miss things from time to time - just as the ESRB does. The ESRB rating is merely a start, and since they ignore many of the moral and spiritual factors important to parents all across America, we do our small part to fill that huge void. We are a small ministry and your prayers are so very important to us.

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Imagine Babyz

SCORE: 81

A reader request came in for Imagine Babyz on the Nintendo DS after Paul did the video series on the Nintendo 3DS version of Imagine Babyz. I don't know if he will do a video series on Imagine Babyz on the Nintendo DS or if I will. It all depends on recording availability. We will strive to get a video series going once we have an opening. The Nintendo DS version of Imagine Babyz is vastly different than the 3DS version.

We run a babysitting service in a house in Imagine Babyz. There are plenty of mini games to play with the babies. We feed them, bath them, and more in Imagine Babyz. The baby sounds in Imagine Babyz are stellar. That door banging is a bit obnoxious at times. The talking stork is a strange character in Imagine Babyz on the Nintendo DS in my personal opinion.



The graphics are okay for the Nintendo DS. Some of the mini games in Imagine Babyz

can be hard at first. The more I played them the better I got at them. Practice makes perfect in Imagine Babyz. We must do

certain things in a specific order in Imagine Babyz as well. I tried doing certain tasks in a different order and Imagine Babyz



would not let me. If you do not perform well enough in a task then the baby will be fussy when you hand them back over to the parents. The goal in Imagine Babyz is to do well in the mini games and improve the mood of the baby. This can be challenging for a young lady taking over her grandmother's business and home. Use the money earned in Imagine Babyz to buy stuff. This can make certain mini games easier.

I like Imagine Babyz on the Nintendo DS. This hand held babysitting game is not as good as the Nintendo 3DS version in my opinion. That is to be expected since it is older and on a system not as powerful. I appreciate Family Friendly Gaming purchasing a copy of Imagine Babyz on the Nintendo DS. I hope to see more games like Imagine Babyz in the near future.

- Yolanda



System: Nintendo DS
Publisher: Ubisoft
Developer: Visual Impact
Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY



Graphics: 80%
Sound: 90%
Replay/Extras: 75%
Gameplay: 75%
Family Friendly Factor: 85%

LEGO The Hobbit

SCORE: 70

Back in 2014 Family Friendly Gaming reviewed Lego The Hobbit on the PS Vita. Since the Nintendo 3DS version of Lego The Hobbit is so similar we lumped the two together. Recently I decided that I want to play and review Lego The Hobbit on the Nintendo 3DS. I miss the hand held Lego video games. Hence this review in this issue. Plus we needed some more hand held video games for review.

If you die in a level while playing Lego The Hobbit then you will have to completely redo the level. There are numerous challenges in each of the levels of Lego The Hobbit. Certain levels have a timer but we can still complete the level if the timer runs out. I

appreciate that because I love exploring and building in hand held Lego video games.

The map screen in Lego The Hobbit is really cool. I love collecting resources and going on side quests in Lego The Hobbit. It is also fun to replay levels for different challenges. Maybe we want to beat it in a certain amount of time. Maybe we need to scare three spiders. Whatever the challenge there are plenty in each of the levels of Lego The Hobbit.

There are issues with Lego The Hobbit that families need to be aware of. Lego The Hobbit contains violence, magic, ghosts, necromancer and

more. Expect all of the content from the movies to appear in Lego The Hobbit. There are direct sound bytes from the movies included in Lego The Hobbit.

To me Lego The Hobbit looks good and it sounds good. I like how this game looks. I like how most of the

hand held Lego games look. I miss these games. I hope to see more of them in the future. I really enjoyed playing this game. Lego The Hobbit was really low in price with a cartridge, case and manual.

If your family is looking for a hand held Lego video game and your family enjoyed the Hobbit movies then I suggest taking a look at Lego The Hobbit. I hope in the future we can get paid to do videos of Lego The Hobbit. As of right now we would lose a lot of money making videos. - Paul



System: Nintendo 3DS
Publisher: WB Games
Developer: TTGames
Rating: 'E10+' for Everyone TEN and OLDER ONLY {Cartoon Violence, Comic Mischief}



Graphics: 68%
Sound: 66%
Replay/Extras: 80%
Gameplay: 77%
Family Friendly Factor: 61%

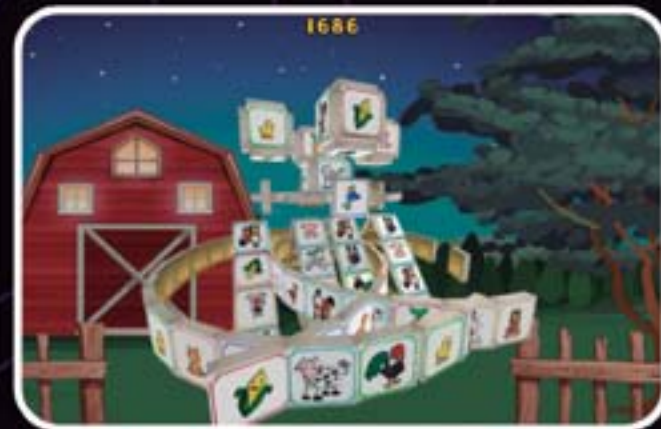


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Forza Horizon 4

SCORE: 82



Maybe I was wrong by asking for another Forza Horizon so quickly after Forza Horizon 3 was released. Playing Forza Horizon 4 feels the same as the last game. This time we are in the UK. This is the third straight Forza Horizon video game where we drive on the wrong side of the road. Okay the left side of the road. Why hasn't the series been brought back to America? I guess we have The Crew franchise for that.

Forza Horizon 4 looks good and there are now seasons to mess with. In some ways this allows the game developer to be a bit lazy. They just mildly change the same map for the four seasons. Is spring and autumn really that

different? Winter is the only one that really feels different to me. I am doing a video series of this game which you can check out right here.

I turn off the music so I am not sure if offensive music from the previous games is included in Forza Horizon 4. I don't know if this is more ESRB corruption or if the franchise was actually improved for families. I paid for half of Forza Horizon 4 and Family Friendly Gaming paid the other half. The PR and Marketing people for this game failed FFG Universe totally and completely. I guess they want no sales from FFG Universe ever. That is how I respond to their multiple failures. Do you agree?

Forza Horizon 4 tries to give us a bit of a story. Whatever we wind up racing we also level up. That means we can do more street races, or off road races if that is what



we want. The spin wheel can now have three items won at a time. The obnoxious thing is we can win clothing and emotes. To me that is a complete waste of a spin wheel win. We skill level up cars now. So the more you use a certain car the better you can get that car.

I may sound a bit down on Forza Horizon 4. I enjoyed my time with this game. I feel Forza Horizon 4 is worth forty dollars brand new. If you enjoy racing, seeing cool areas, finding signs then you can get into Forza Horizon 4. The races can get a bit monotonous. I like the other stuff in Forza Horizon 4 like danger signs. I hope you enjoy the videos I did of this game.

- Paul



System: PC/Xbox One(tested)
 Publisher: Microsoft Game Studios
 Developer: Playground Games
 Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY



Graphics: 85%
 Sound: 75%
 Replay/Extras: 85%
 Gameplay: 90%
 Family Friendly Factor: 75%



MXGP Pro



SCORE: 63

I appreciate Family Friendly Gaming purchasing a copy of MXGP Pro on the Xbox One for this review after the corrupt video game industry failed us. We

are not part of the bought and paid for gaming media. We will tell you like it is. Which is why the corruption in the video game industry hates us. Why they gotta hate? If they hate anything it should be horrible games like MXGP Pro.

I almost fell asleep waiting for MXGP Pro to load. MXGP Pro looks nice and has some good motorcycle sounds to it. There is a rewind feature in MXGP Pro too. That feature is needed a lot in MXGP Pro. Many of the tracks feel similar. Thankfully it is easy to respawn when you go off the track.

My rider could crash on a dime in MXGP Pro. It is really easy to go off the



track, and then be quickly respawned. Races are long and the controls in MXGP Pro are abysmal. I had trouble turning in MXGP Pro. I had to rewind over and over again to get in the top three in MXGP Pro. This was on the easiest setting too.

The modes in MXGP Pro are Single Player (Grand



Priz, Time Attack, Career, Championship), Xbox Live, Customize, Training, Options, Extras, and Downloadable Contents. There is no local multiplayer in MXGP Pro. How was that left out?

There are numerous better motorcycle racing games on the market. Leave MXGP Pro on the shelf. You can even let them know you won't buy if they don't provide a reviewable copy to Family Friendly Gaming. MXGP Pro is worth three dollars brand new. That is just to see the pretty graphics. MXGP Pro will frustrate you more than anything else.

There are multiple characters in MXGP Pro to pick from. We can also do some customization to our rider and bike. Why are the controls so messed up in MXGP Pro? Do you know?
- Frank

System: PC/PS4/Xbox One(tested)
Publisher: Milestone
Developer: Milestone
Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY



Graphics: 80%
Sound: 75%
Replay/Extras: 60%
Gameplay: 40%
Family Friendly Factor: 60%

VIDEO GAME LIES



By Paul Bury
Version 3

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Digimon Story Cyber Sleuth Hacker's Memory



Wipeout Omega Collection



SCORE: 49

SCORE: 70

Digimon Story Cyber Sleuth Hacker's Memory is a cash grab of the worst kind.



was that a good main character design. I think the Japanese developers are doing all they can to offend us

someone who phished us?

We can no longer skip the long boring cut scenes in Digimon Story Cyber Sleuth Hacker's Memory. The turn based battles continue to be easy. The more we fight certain Digimon the quicker we can use them for our own purposes. The graphics look like the last game - okay at best. There are 320 Digimon to discover. Some of them get that way thanks to the digi evolution.

The main character in Digimon Story Cyber Sleuth Hacker's Memory wants to be the hero of the story. Too bad he is on a quest of revenge. Not very heroic in my book. With all of the recycled content (including story line) I value Digimon Story Cyber Sleuth

Hacker's Memory brand new at five dollars. Digimon Story Cyber Sleuth Hacker's Memory should have been some DLC for those that liked the first game.
- Teen Gamer

This game is not a sequel to Digimon Story Cyber Sleuth. What is it then? It is a parallel story with a different main character who intersects with many characters from Digimon Story Cyber Sleuth. The content gets even worse in Digimon Story Cyber Sleuth Hacker's Memory too. Why was that done?

The bad content in Digimon Story Cyber Sleuth Hacker's Memory is blood, bad language, violence, lack of attire, enticement to lust, sexual deviancy, religious teachings of evolution, sexual comments, lying, occult, ghosts, spirits, witches, and more. The freaked out eyes of the main character gave me nightmares. Why

American gamers. Too much of Digimon Story Cyber Sleuth Hacker's Memory is recycled. We go to many of the same areas, and do similar things. We are a victim of a hacker who goes on a revenge quest to get them. How do we do that in Digimon Story Cyber Sleuth Hacker's Memory? We become a hacker ourselves. What gives us the right to break the law to stop



System: PS Vita/Playstation 4(tested)
Publisher: Bandai Namco Games
Developer: Media Vision
Rating: 'T' - THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Blood, Crude Humor, Fantasy Violence, Language, Suggestive Themes}



Graphics: 40%
Sounds: 45%
Replay/Extras: 70%
Gameplay: 50%
Family Friendly Factor: 40%

Once the PR and Marketing folks over at Sony failed us concerning Wipeout Omega Collection I was in no hurry to have Family Friendly Gaming purchase it. The Wipeout franchise from Sony has never been a high priority, or had a good image. I am thankful we finally decided to spend our own money on their game. Yes I know our coverage can make them money, and Sony is so selfish they never consider investing in us or showing their gratefulness in any tangible monetary way.

Wipeout Omega Collection includes three games remastered. These games are Wipeout HD, Wipeout Fury, and Wipeout 2048. These games are kart racers at their



core. They look more realistic, deadly, and tracks go in weird directions. The weapons in Wipeout Omega Collection are more deadly than most other kart racing games. You can lose all of your health and explode in Wipeout Omega Collection.

Wipeout Omega Collection can be extremely frustrating at times. I learned certain vehicles can not make certain timed courses ever. I had to change vehicles to get past certain places. There are multiple different stats for each vehicle in Wipeout Omega Collection. The controls can be a bit wobbly at times. I adapted to them. At times my head felt funny while playing this PS4 game.

The modes in Wipeout Omega Collection are Campaign, Racebox, Online, Options, and Records. We use X to accelerate instead of R2 in Wipeout Omega Col-



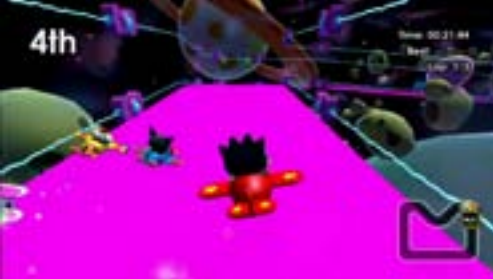
lection. This messed up my starts a lot in Wipeout Omega Collection. Make a couple of mistakes and you can not win in Wipeout Omega Collection. This PS4 game is much harder than most other kart racers on easy.

Wipeout Omega Collection looks nice and has thumping techno music playing while we try to be the first to the finish line. Wipeout Omega Collection lets players progress even if they are not in first place. Make it fourth place as an example. I actually enjoyed playing Wipeout Omega Collection on the PS4. This surprised me because I thought it would be another Sony failure.
- Paul

System: Playstation 4
Publisher: Sony
Developer: Clever Beans, EPOS
Rating: 'E10+' - Everyone TEN and OLDER ONLY {Fantasy Violence}



Graphics: 65%
Sounds: 70%
Replay/Extras: 85%
Gameplay: 65%
Family Friendly Factor: 65%



Hello Kitty Kruisers



Dynasty Warriors 9



SCORE: 70

SCORE: 59

I was not up on the app of Hello Kitty Kruisers. I warmed up a bit to the Wii U version of Hello Kitty Kruisers. I had some high hopes for Hello Kitty Kruisers on the Nintendo Switch. The failures of the PR and Marketing folks reflects the lack of attention to this game. Could't they add something? Anything?

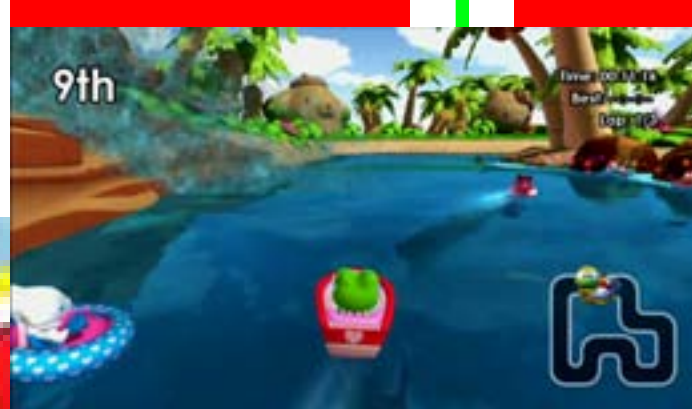


Hello Kitty Kruisers is a port of the previous games. So if you have them there is no reason to ever buy Hello Kitty Kruisers on the Nintendo Switch. If you are looking for a Hello Kitty kart racer game on the Nintendo Switch then maybe. Even then Hello Kitty Kruisers is worth no more than ten dollars brand new.

Four family members can enjoy the really catchy music in Hello Kitty Kruisers. There are twenty adventures in Hello Kitty Kruisers. These are

things like collect all the cupcakes, or apples. They can also be things like go through all the gates. Hello Kitty Kruisers includes Quick Play, Tournament, and Adventure. There are four tours with four race tracks per tour in the Tournament mode.

We race on tracks with karts, on the water with boats,



and in the air with planes. There are different vehicles in Hello Kitty Kruisers that can be unlocked. I found no difference in their performance though. Once you beat Hello Kitty Kruisers there is little to no reason to replay this game. Which is a shame. How many times can someone release this game without adding anything?

The plus side to Hello Kitty Kruisers is - this game is very easy. Families should be able to progress through Hello Kitty Kruisers in a night. Some of the adventures are tougher than others. There can be some control issues with the flying vehicles in Hello Kitty Kruisers. Going up and down can have a bit of a lag. Plus it is difficult to tell when we are on the edge of a track at times - at least it was for me.

- Yolanda

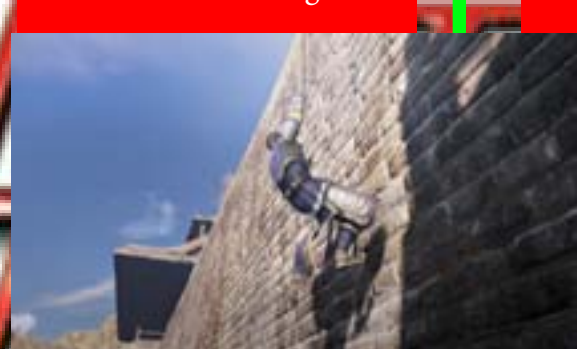
System: Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Rising Star Games
Developer: Maestro Interactive
Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY {Comic Mischief}



Graphics: 70%
Sounds: 85%
Replay/Extras: 55%
Gameplay: 70%
Family Friendly Factor: 70%

Family Friendly Gaming continues to provide by purchasing video games for reviews. We put our money where our mouths are. Dynasty Warriors 9 is another game where we were not provided a reviewable copy. The PR and Marketing people representing this game were not professional in any way, shape or form to Family Friendly Gaming Universe. They only like to give games out to media outlets that will help them make sales.

Graphically Dynasty Warriors 9 now looks like just about every other modern video game. There is so much bland, and boring going on in Dynasty Warriors 9. We still get to digitally murder countless of the same looking char-



acters. A few bosses will use magic to hide among their horde. So we have to mow them all down before killing the right one. Horse riding is required to get across the huge maps in Dynasty Warriors 9. There are no more little sections or regions on the maps.

The issues families can expect in Dynasty Warriors 9 are violence, lack of attire, enticement to lust, bad language, alcohol and more. The rebellion against God in Dynasty Warriors 9 is to rebel against leaders God allowed in authority over the people. Why does this happen? Because they are corrupt like too much of the video game industry. I am not clear on how historically accurate this video game is. My research showed there is a lot of debate on that.

The voices in Dynasty Warriors 9 range. Some are great and some could have been better in my

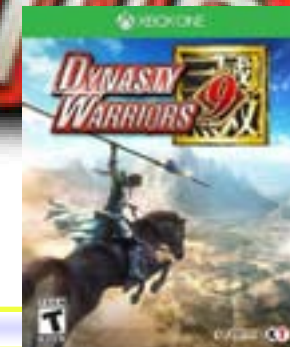


opinion. The music in Dynasty Warriors 9 is nice. The gameplay gets a bit old and repetitive after awhile. I found myself bored with the thirteen chapters in Dynasty Warriors 9. There are plenty of different characters to play in Dynasty Warriors 9. But why? I got bored playing with one character why would I want to repeat the same things with another one?

It is neat to see this franchise try something new. Dynasty Warriors 9 brings this game into modern game development. Problem is we have played too many other games that do exactly the same thing. I value Dynasty Warriors 9 at five dollars brand new.

- WMG

System: PS4/Xbox One(tested)
Publisher: Tecmo Koei America Corp
Developer: Omega Force
Rating: 'T' - THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Alcohol Reference, Mild Language, Violence}



Graphics: 50%
Sound: 60%
Replay/Extras: 80%
Gameplay: 55%
Family Friendly Factor: 50%



Captain Toad Treasure Tracker

SCORE: 59

The king of rehash failed Family Friendly Gaming Universe yet again. I am pleased Family Friendly Gaming stepped up to the plate and did the right thing when Nintendo was not capable of doing so. Captain Toad Treasure Tracker has been ported from the Wii U to the Switch. We get the same game and then some new Super Mario Odyssey based levels. The original game must be played through first to access the new content.

Friends can help us with their Joycons in Captain Toad Treasure Tracker now. Captain Toad Treasure Tracker looks decent and it sounds decent. Of course almost everything in Captain Toad Treasure Tracker has been released before. Nintendo is the king of rehash for a reason. We collect gems and stars. We need so many gems to unlock levels



in this walking around video game. There is still no jumping in Captain Toad Treasure Tracker. We can fall from places. The camera remains challenging and it can be hard to see things in this 3D world cube. We face ghosts, and violence as we take care of enemies a couple of different ways. The gender confusion

issues are included in Captain Toad Treasure Tracker. Nintendo is pretty radicalized on the extreme far left so that does not really surprise us.

Captain Toad Treasure Tracker is selling for \$29.99. Initially it was selling for the same \$39.99 the Wii U version was selling for. Nintendo is not known for giving their fans a financial break. Nintendo has all those billions in the bank by fleecing their fans. In my opinion this game is worth ten to fifteen dollars brand new. Nothing more than that.

I remembered most of the levels in Captain Toad Treasure Tracker so it was a breeze to play it a second time. Captain Toad Treasure Tracker

is not worth it for families that own the Wii U version. If you never played it before expect a few quirk like the camera and lack of jumping. - Paul



System: Nintendo 3DS/Switch
Publisher: Nintendo
Developer: Nintendo EAD Tokyo Group No. 2
Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY {Mild Cartoon Violence}

Graphics: 70%
Sound: 60%
Replay/Extras: 55%
Gameplay: 50%
Family Friendly Factor: 60%



NBA In The Zone '98

SCORE: 90

Did you enjoy the video Noah and I did of NBA In the Zone '98? I wish Konami was still making basketball video games because this is one solid sports title. This game looks good for the Nintendo 64, and it sounds good as well. Both of us always felt like we had a chance to catch up and/or win. That is a good thing. Shots not falling was frustrating at times. Part of the real game though.

All family members can enjoy all of the NBA teams in NBA In the Zone '98. They ranked according to how they were doing at that time. One of the cool things for us is the Seattle SuperSonics are in NBA In the Zone '98. The courts look good. The fans are a bit flat but it fits for that era. The announcers are also decent for that particular point in history.

NBA In the Zone '98 is an improvement from the previous games. Which is great to see. I hope Konami revives this franchise in the future. I love how realistic NBA In the Zone '98 feels. We can't just run over defenders. They will stop us. Passing is realistic and so is shooting. I wish my team was a bit better at rebounding especially when the shot was a three. NBA In the Zone '98 can be found really cheap too. - Paul

System: Nintendo 64
Publisher: Konami
Developer: Konami
Rating: 'K-A' for Kids to Adults



Graphics: 95%
Sound: 90%
Replay/Extras: 95%
Gameplay: 80%
Family Friendly Factor: 90%

San Francisco Rush 2049

SCORE: 67

I like many different racing games. San Francisco Rush 2049 on the Nintendo 64 is not one of them. This game gave me a headache and frustrated me constantly. The controls are way too touchy in San Francisco Rush 2049. It is way too easy to get spun around and face a wall in this arcade based racing game. The computer is extremely skilled and teaches us how to lose over and over again.

The cars look nice in San Francisco Rush 2049. There are some areas that look good, and some that could use some extra work. If you ever wonder why a company went out of business just check out some of their video games. San Francisco Rush 2049 is a great example of why Midway fell down and fell apart. I think they tried to do too much in the arcade and had to drop a lot for the port to the home consoles.

I had a few flashes of fun playing San Francisco Rush 2049. I learned I was not able to make one mistake. This racing game is way too unforgiving. This is part of why I found this game to be way too frustrating. I never want to see San Francisco Rush 2049 ever again. Even though San Francisco Rush 2049 did not cost me a lot of money it felt wasted. - Paul

System: Nintendo 64
Publisher: Midway
Developer: Atari Games
Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY



Graphics: 70%
Sounds: 70%
Replay/Extras: 80%
Gameplay: 50%
Family Friendly Factor: 65%

SPORTS



Product: Fifa 19
Company: EA Sports
System: PC/PS4/Xbox One/Switch/
PS3/Xbox 360
Release Date: Out Now
Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and
OLDER ONLY



Product: Fifa 19
 Company: EA Sports
 System: PC/PS4/Xbox One/Switch/
 PS3/Xbox 360
 Release Date: Out Now
 Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and
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Product: Katamari Damacy Reroll
 Company: Bandai Namco Entertainment
 System: Nintendo Switch
 Release Date: December 7, 2018
 Rating: 'RP' for Rating Pending

We are moved to tears by the size of this thing. This is so incredible!



Diameter
★ 16cm4mm

Product: Katamari Damacy Reroll
Company: Bandai Namco Entertainment
System: Nintendo Switch
Release Date: December 7, 2018
Rating: "RP" for Rating Pending





Product: Ace Combat 7
Company: Bandai Namco
System: PC/PS4/Xbox One
Release Date: Jan 18, 2019
Rating: 'RP' for Rating Pending



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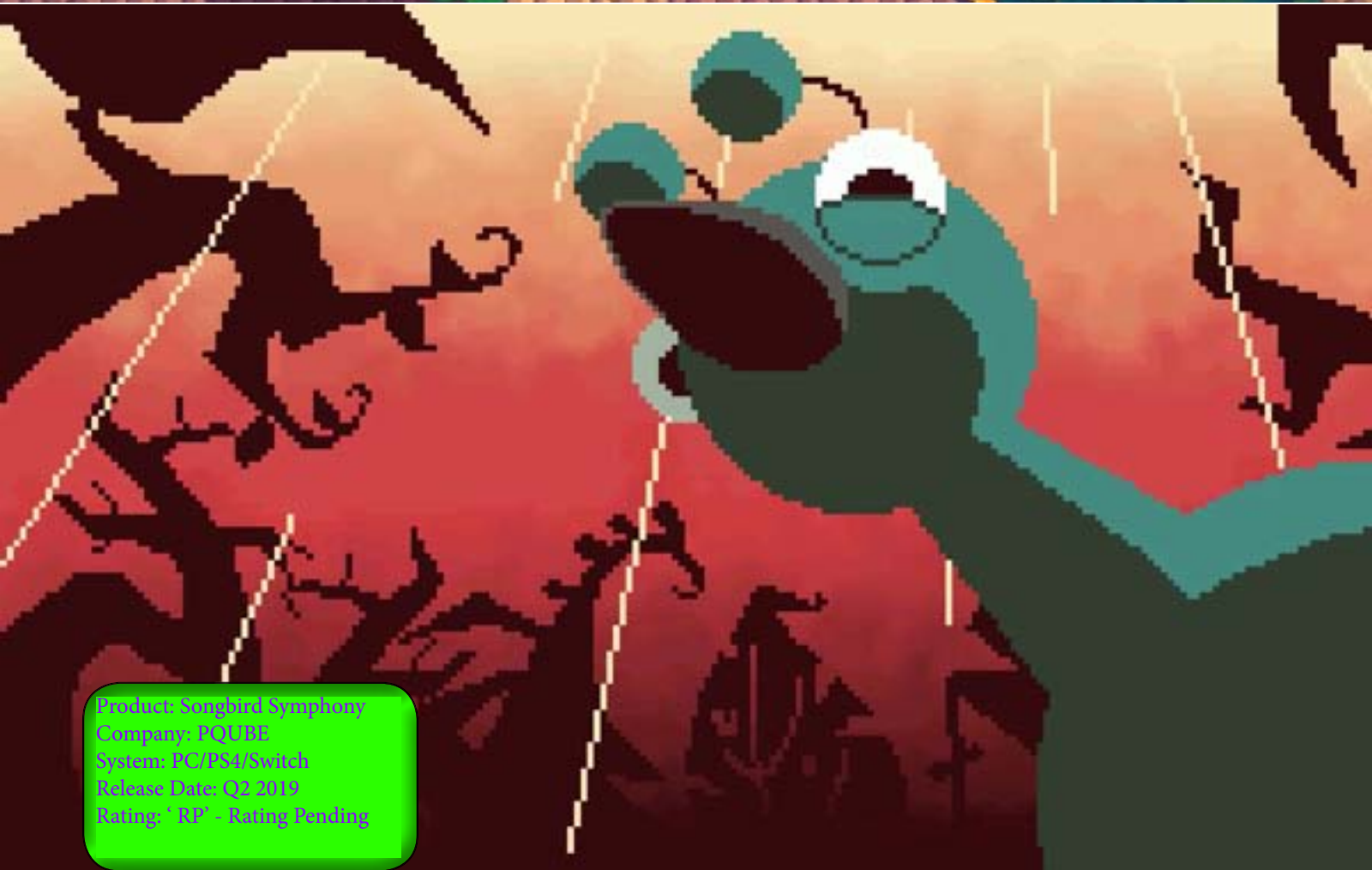
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System: PC/MAC
Release Date: Q2 2019
Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending





Product: Of Ships & Scoundrels
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New York

Gatineau

Baltimore

Sherbrooke

Milwaukee

Laval

Montreal

New York

RANDOM CITY



RESOURCES L

BIKE

POLICE VEHICLE
SPEED: 180
CREW: 2
PLACES: 0

MEDICAL TRANSPORT

RESCUE VEHICLE
SPEED: 100
CREW: 3
PLACES: 3

QUAD

FIRE VEHICLE
SPEED: 100
CREW: 2
PLACES: 0

SELL!

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SQUADS

Squad 1: Police Vehicle (2 seats), 2 Police Officers, 2 Pistols, 2 Body Armor.

Squad 2: Medical Transport (3 seats), 2 Police Officers, 1 Firearm, 1 Body Armor, 2 Empty slots.

Squad 3: Fire Vehicle (2 seats), 2 Firefighters, 1 Fire Extinguisher, 1 Fire Truck, 2 Empty slots.

Squad 4: Medical Transport (3 seats), 2 Medics, 2 Empty slots.

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ZACHARY MITCHELL
POLICE OFFICER
DRIVING: 52%
MARKSMANSHIP: 82%

NICHOLAS MILLER
MEDIC
DRIVING: 81%
FIRST AID: 84%

ARIA RIVERA
MEDIC
DRIVING: 85%
FIRST AID: 76%

CHRISTIAN FLORES
FIREFIGHTER
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GAVIN MITCHELL
FIREFIGHTER
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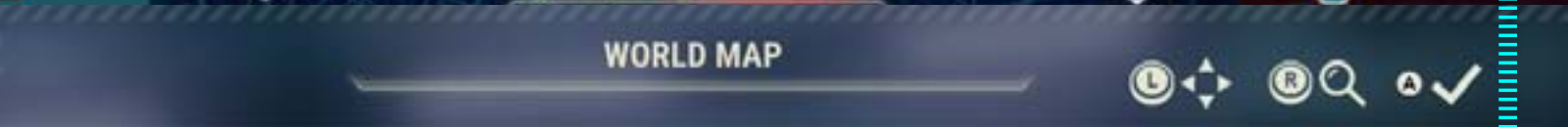
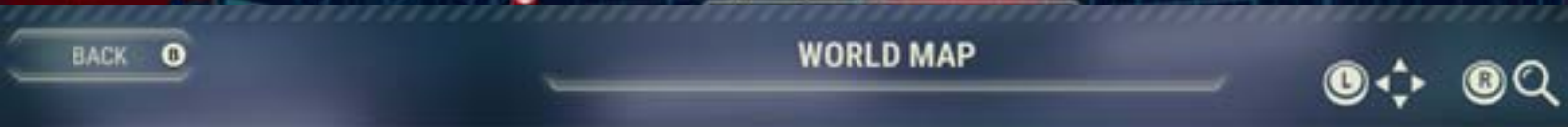
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START DEPLOYMENT +

Name: 911 Operator
System: PS4/Xbox One/Switch
Publisher: SONKA
Developer: Jutsu Games
Release Date: Out Now
Rating: 'T' - THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY (Violent References, Sexual Themes, Drug Reference, Language)



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Product: Spider-Man
Company: Sony
System: Playstation 4
Release Date: Out Now
Rating: 'T' - THIRTEEN and
OLDER ONLY {Blood, Drug
Reference, Language, Violence}

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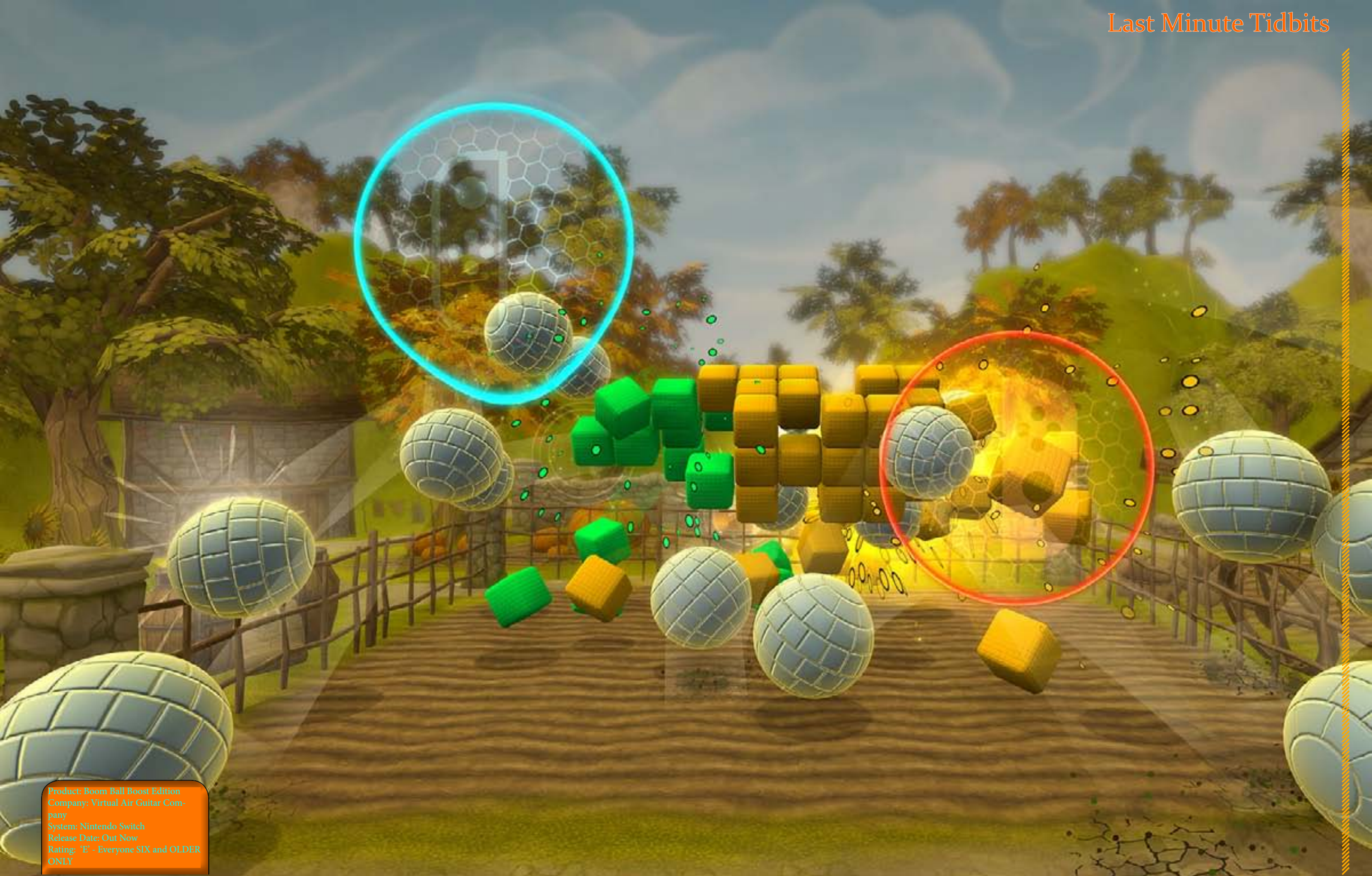
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 System: Nintendo Switch
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 Company: Konami
 System: Playstation 4
 Release Date: October 26, 2018
 Rating: "T" - THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY (Blood and Gore, Partial Nudity, Violence)



Product: Castlevania Requiem- Symphony of the Night and Rondo of Blood
 Company: Konami
 System: Playstation 4
 Release Date: October 26, 2018
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Product: Valthiran Arc
Company: PQube
System: PC/PS4/Switch
Release Date: Out Now
Rating: 'E10+' - Everyone TEN and OLDER ONLY





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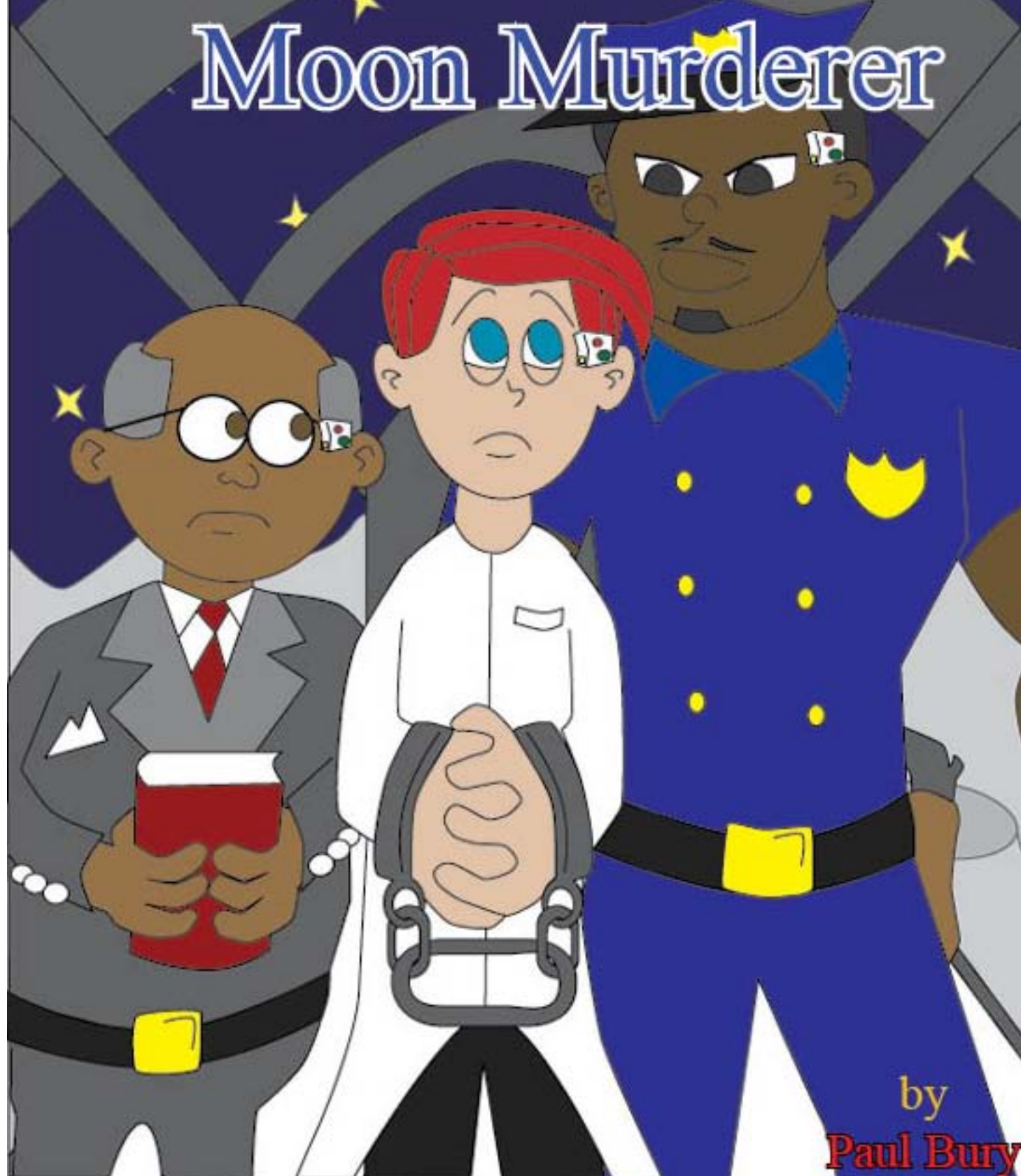


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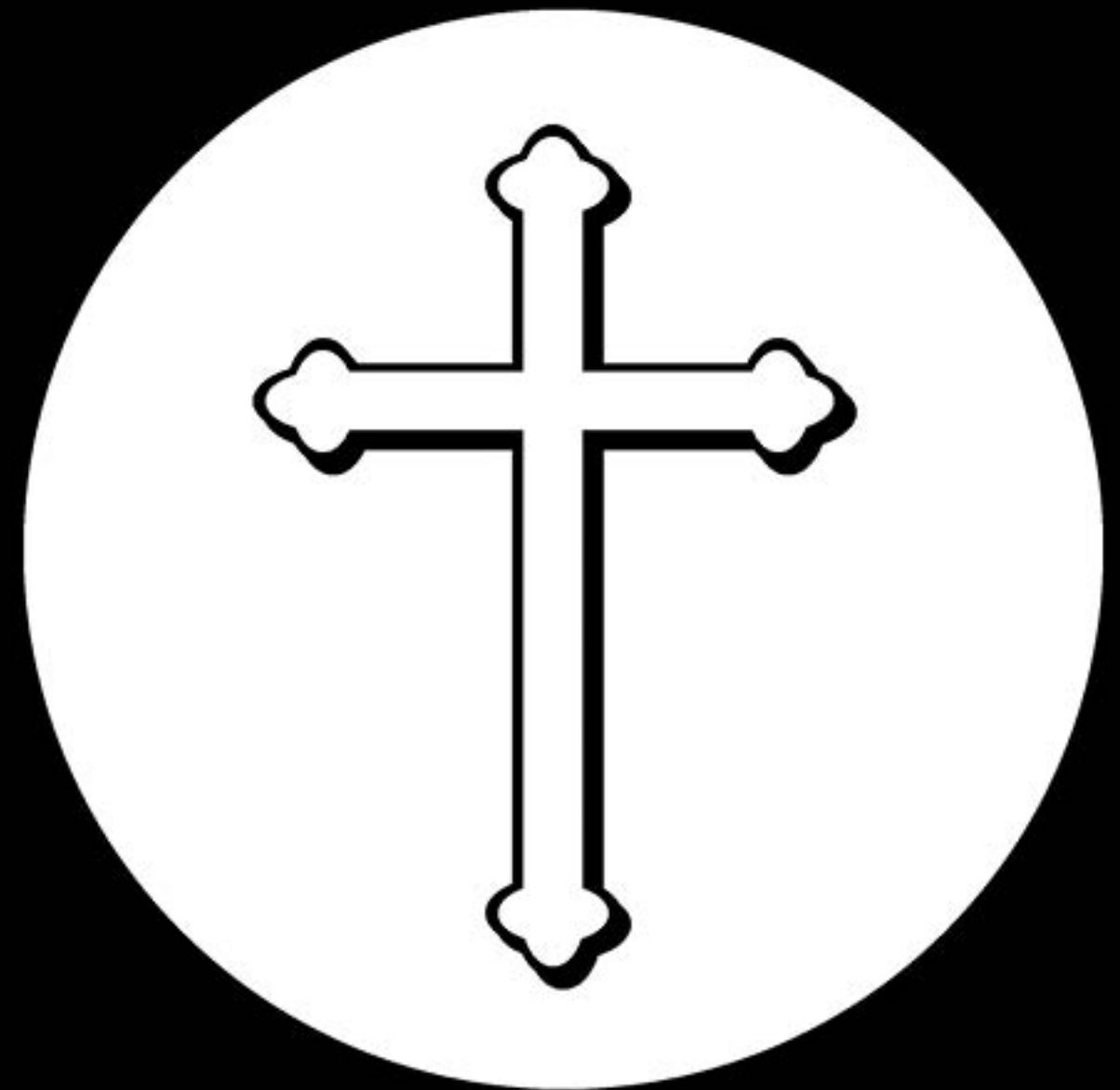
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