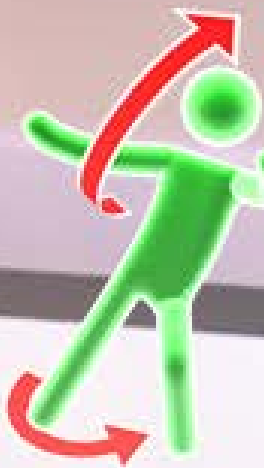


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Editor's Desk

Blessed

There is not a day that goes by that I am not thanking God for all of the blessing in our lives. It does not matter if I am driving into the day job, streaming a video game for Family Friendly Gaming, working on the magazine, working on the website, fleshing out some new video idea, working on chores around the house or some other activity. I acknowledge that we got it good in so many ways, and so many areas of our lives. So many things we have touched have turned completely golden. Some examples are shorts of Princess, dance videos, Fortnite emotes, comic books, manga, CD's and more. I look all over and there are so many amazing blessings in our lives. From Peter being in college and Noah in high school. The path we have taken again and again is the one not everyone takes. Ultimately we are taking the path God places before us. Sure there are challenges at times. There are also so many countless blessings.

We work amazingly hard on so many different things. From live streams to videos and reviews to news articles, we are constantly giving it our all not matter where we are or what we are doing. I consistently have new cool interesting ideas. Some times I do not have the time to get to them. I write down a lot of different ideas with hope of finding the time to get to them. I hate to admit it but we are told that we are a blessing to others again and again. I try to not focus on that because I do not want a big head. Or make some major life blunder from the flattery. I just keep focusing on what God has laid before me. God has tasked me with doing certain things and I do my best to be as diligent and faithful as I can possibly be.

It can be difficult to focus on the blessings some days. Why is that? I think it is human nature to want more. I think it is part of being human to try and improve your situation. I listened to a millionaire on the radio once talk about trying to figure out how to become a billionaire. I thought he should be content with his station in life. He should embrace the blessings and enjoy being able to bless others. Instead he is focusing on what can be done to reach another higher level. For me this is a reality and a lesson. I am nowhere near that man's level of financial success. I am also not being accused of being greedy. My heart cares more about others and doing all I can to help them. This is one of the reasons we publish and produce so much content for free. We are not trying to get wealthy from this. It does not even pay enough to be full time work. We constantly reinvest the money we do earn into making improvements at Family Friendly Gaming. If you watch the FFG Haul live streams then you know how we are constantly

reinvesting in Family Friendly Gaming.

What about you? How often do you focus on the blessings in your life? Do you thank others for the wonderful work and benefits they give you? I am so thankful for all of our viewers and readers. I appreciate you. I also appreciate everyone buying copies of the books I have written. You are so amazing and wonderful. I am thankful for everyone that spreads the word about Family Friendly Gaming. Thank you for spreading those seeds. I appreciate our members and those that purchase FFG swag and gear. Ya'll are wonderful. I am so thankful for each and every company that advertises with us. Thank you so very much for your love and support.

God bless,
Paul Bury



FEMALE SIDE

Almost Done

Can you believe that we are almost through 2022? I can barely believe it myself. This is the December issue of Family Friendly Gaming. When we are done with this issue then we will move on to the January 2023 issue. As I am writing this in late October the Christmas Buying Guide is coming close to being completed. That will be out a little before Thanksgiving and a little before this issue releases. Where did the year go?

How has 2022 been for you and your family? To be completely open, honest, and transparent 2022 has been a really bad year for us. All of us got COVID. My sister passed away and we had to deal with everything she left us. There was one receptionists at a doctor's office who was not very skilled at listening. She wanted to know when my sister would reschedule her appointment. I had already told her that she passed away. This lady was not getting it. She needed to buy a vowel. She kept bugging me that my sister needed to reschedule or it could be catastrophic to her health. I finally told her what cemetery to go to and what plot, and tombstone to talk to. At that point she finally comprehended what I was telling her. The dead do not need to go to medical appointments.

Like my hubby I have faith and hope that things will get better. We are already seeing some things improve here and there. There are many employers who realize the pandemic changed work-life balance forever. There are many employers that acknowledge working from home for a great many jobs is a good thing, and it is what people want. The employers that are stuck in the old school assembly line manufacturing mentality are losing all kinds of people. They are having issues filling roles when they tell applicants they need to be on site all those days and be treated like a prisoner in a cell. Lord willing those companies will join the rest of us in the 21st century very soon.

What are your hopes and dreams for the future? Are you even starting to think about the future? Do you focus still on just surviving and trying to stay healthy and alive after the Chinese COVID virus has disrupted so many things? Are you paying attention to the bad economy and horrible leadership in the government? Did you vote to try and make things better? How active are you in your community? Do you have pets? Are you planning on getting a pet in 2023? What are you planning for the upcoming year? A family road trip perhaps? Some kind of a vacation maybe? If you are not currently planning for things like a vacation do you have any concept as to

when you might plan for one? Does the economy need to turn around before you could even consider it? Do you have any faith in President Joe Biden being able to finally fix the economy that his policies busted?

I do not know what 2023 has in store for us. I do know that we are taking things one day at a time. We had a scare with my mom falling so we never know what the future could hold. Paul's parents are getting up there in years as well. At some point in the future we will have no parents left. There is quite a bit of work that goes on in handling an estate and taking care of everything that entails. I do hope and pray that 2023 is better than 2022. We have seen slight improvements near the end of the year. Thank you for all your prayers, love and support.

God bless,
Yolanda Bury



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John Baptist	EAN 5060209840734
Miracles of Jesus 1	EAN 5060209840635
Miracles of Jesus 2	EAN 5060209840710
Obedience	EAN 5060209840642
Parables of Jesus 1	EAN 5060209840758
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Mission Statement

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.

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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!**

Lies I am Tired of - No Budget

Thank you so much for showing the behind of the scenes of things you have to deal with. Many of us readers are jealous that you get to play so many video games, or that you are given video games for free. I never once considered the problems and issues you face. I never once thought about how people in PR are lying to your face. How can they have such gaul? Do they think everyone they talk to is stupid? I was really shocked to hear these companies and people are bragging about making all this money and then can't afford a few very reasonably priced advertisements. I think your advertisements should be a lot more

money. I read your stories and see how much you do for these people and companies. How can they be that selfish? How can they be that self centered? Don't they care that Family Friendly Gaming continues to exist in the future? I feel bad that you must work a day job to pay for this work that makes them so much money. I am sending you a gift card to help offset the costs of the wonderful work you do. I challenge everyone in PR and Marketing to do the same. Especially for all of those that Family Friendly Gaming has already helped. Stop being such a grinch!

- Tanya

{Paul}: Tanya,

Thank you so much for your donation, support, and words of encouragement. I hope plenty of others take up the challenge you laid down. There are a few here and there that do all kinds of wonderful things for Family Friendly Gaming. It is so wonderful to have the love



and support we get.

There are other days where it is lie to your face again and again. After so many hours of dealing with those people there is a fire lit under me to get articles like the Lies I am Tired of - No Budget article. There will be some more Lies I am Tired of articles coming in the future as well. I have written about these topics in the past. I think the sad part is the people that really need to hear it are not listening. I have gotten thank you emails from people for publishing their press release when the link I sent to them was our Advertise page. They did not even bother to read what I sent. They did not even bother to click on the link. They just assumed I gave them their way. They jumped to a conclusion

without doing much effort. I find that really sad.

Ultimately I prefer writing about happy topics as much as possible. It is interesting to me that the frustrated and irritated stories seem to resonate more. I am being completely open, honest and transparent on these topics. Whether it is a positive slant, neutral, or negative slant. I am sharing my heart with Family Friendly Gaming Universe. There are days I am sick and tired of the hearing the same lies. Even when I ask about advertising in response to their bragging email about making 300 to 400 million dollars. There have even been press releasing from companies bragging about making billions of dollars. They have all that money

but have no budget to pay for a \$100 advertisement with us. It just shows they do not care about us one bit. They are not interesting in how we are doing. They do not care if we continue to do this work that makes them money in the future. They figure there are other media outlets out there. If all media outlets went away how would they make as much money? In my mind they are shooting themselves in the foot and are not even mature enough to realize it.

Evercade

I appreciate Family Friendly Gaming. I appreciate how you guys are doing so much Evercade coverage. You guys are the biggest gaming media outlet that devotes so much time, money, and attention to the Evercade. Thank you. I have been gaming for a long time and started collecting the Evercade cartridges a couple

of years ago. I am so pleased with this system and retro compilation games. I am also appreciative of gaming websites that devote so much time and attention to it. I noticed YouTube channels much smaller than Family Friendly Gaming are being given early copies of the games and systems. Have you reached out to Blaze Entertainment? I love the videos you currently do. I just wondered if you could do some early access stuff.

- Troy

{Paul}: Troy,

Thank you so much for your amazing words of encouragement. We appreciate you as well. Yeah the Evercade has been a favorite of ours since we first heard about it. I have so much work I want to do related to that system, cartridges, games, and more. Sadly I am not able to get as much done as



SOUND OFF Continued

I want to. Lord willing that will change in the future. Maybe I am deluding myself on that - time will tell.

Yes we have reached out to Blaze Entertainment multiple times. I have no clue as to why they went with smaller channels than Family Friendly Gaming. We have been very supportive. I wonder if it is because we are in the United States of America and they are in the UK. I think the influencers they have gone with are in the same native country. So it may cost them less to ship things. I plan on reaching out to them again. I may even point out your email to them and see if they decide to buy a vowel or not. If you know what I mean.

We Fly Everywhere Climate Pledge

I watched your We Fly Everywhere Climate Pledge video and it was absolutely hilarious. I love the accent. I love the points that were made. How much money has been donated thus far? I am curious because I expect the woke to send all kinds of money to support what they believe in. They do actually financially support these things don't they? Or are they all bark and absolutely no bite whatsoever? Loved the



costume and props too. Fantastic job. Keep up the amazing work.

- Brian

{Paul}: Brian,

I am so glad you enjoyed that video. It was our second attempt at an all original comedy video. Thank you so much for your amazing words of encouragement. I had a lot of fun making that video. In fact I was holding back laughter as I did the video from start to finish. Thankfully I was able to get this one done in the first take. The first comedy video took multiple takes and splicing of video to make it all work together.

This idea came from all these companies making climate change pledges. I thought what would happen if a company decided to stop doing their main essential service to fight

climate change? Then I connected an airline. The name of the airline is a joke within itself. In fact all the company names are jokes. I thought what are all the benefits of not flying. Then use that as a selling point for booking with this company. To answer your question there have been zero donations to support this thus far. So I guess they don't actually care.

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: Family Friendly Gaming 7910 Autumn Creek Drive Cordova, TN 38018

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Look BACK Family Games

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.



Memory Challenge Super Mario Edition

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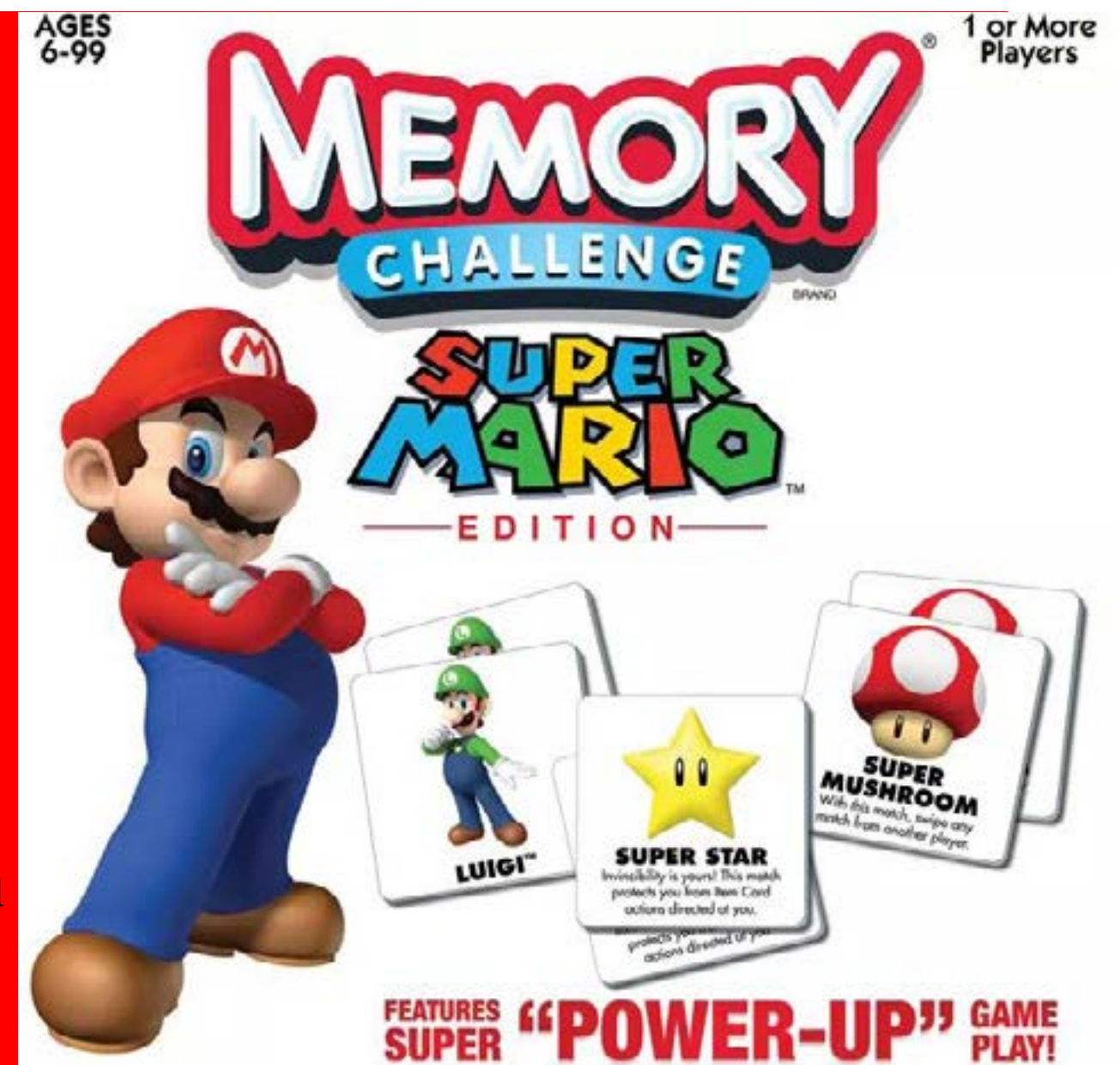
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Are you ready for a memory challenge based on the Super Mario Bros franchise?

Expect to find more coverage of this product on the Family Friendly Gaming website in the videos section and on our video sites as the time and financial resources allow.

DEVOTIONAL

Prepare A Place

One of the most encouraging places in the entire Bible is when Jesus comforted his disciples before He left. It fills our lives with such hope. **John 14:1-4** "Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God believe also in me. 2 My Father's house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am. 4 You know the way to the place where I am going." It warms me to know that Jesus is preparing a place for us. It brings a smile to my face knowing the prize awaits at the end of the race.

I always find it interesting when servants of Satan complain: "You Christians say your way is the only way." Actually Jesus Christ said it. We believe Jesus was being honest, and true. **John 14:5-6** Thomas said to him, "Lord, we don't know where you are going, so how can we know the way?" 6 Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. 7

If you really know me, you will know my Father as well. From now on, you do know him and have seen him." Jesus said He is the way. Jesus said we know the Father because we know Him. This is one of the reasons I am constantly trying to faithfully obey God on a daily basis. I am following the way and the path that Jesus set for us.

The disciples had seen all these miracles and still were unsure of what Jesus was teaching them. **John 14:8-11** Philip said, "Lord, show us the Father and that will be enough for us." 9 Jesus answered: "Don't you know me, Philip, even after I have been among you such a long time? Anyone who has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? 10 Don't you believe that I am in the Father, and that the Father is in me? The words I say to you I do not speak on my own authority. Rather, it is the Father, living in me, who is doing his work. 11 Believe me when I say that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; or at least believe on the evidence of the works themselves. The evidence was there for them to receive and believe. They went on to preach to thousands upon thousands and

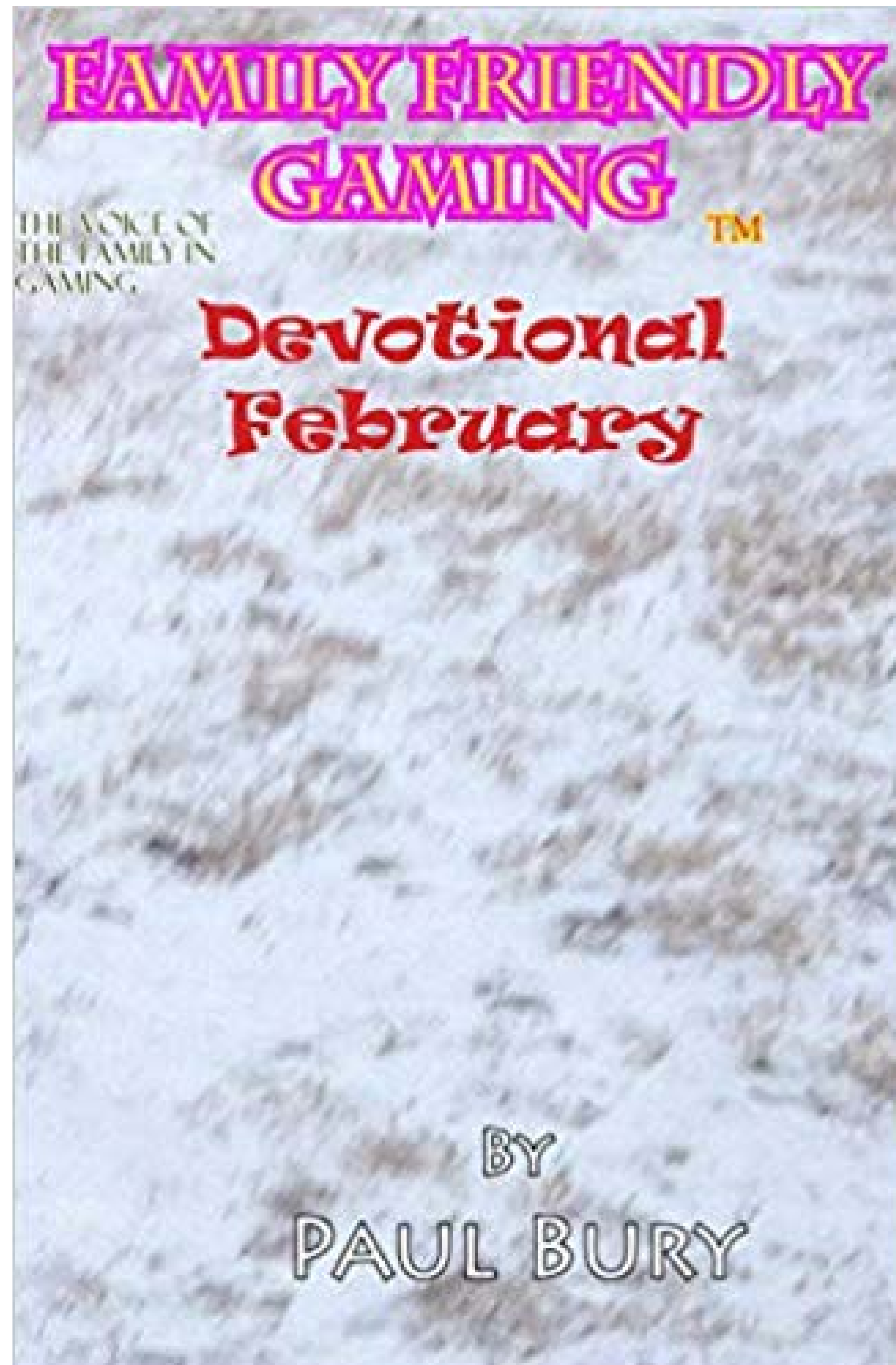
show all of us the way.

Jesus had to go away to prepare a place for us. He left us in good hands though. **John 14:12** Very truly I tell you, whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and they will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father. The disciples did go on and do greater things. Many throughout history have as well. What about you? Does this inspire you? Does this encourage you? Are you following Jesus?

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.



In The

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III base game will be free to try on Steam.
Crusader Kings III: Friends & Foes includes events related to:

Friendship: Develop a legendary

friendship, where someone always has your back, but expect that you will have to return a few favors.
Rivalries: Endure the nuisance of rivals at court, and a lifetime of enmity that may echo through generations.
Lovers: The course of true love never did run smoothly, but fortune favors the bold and the romantic.
Courtiers: Poorly treated courtiers may try to enhance their position or undermine yours.
And more

Crusader Kings III: Friends & Foes is available for a suggested retail price of \$4.99/£3.99/€4.99.

Crusader Kings III Gets Even More Dramatic

Is it better to be feared or loved? Can you trust your closest courtiers to tell you the truth? Who has your back when the trebuchets start creeping nearer? Explore new stories of lifelong friendships and bitter rivalries in Friends & Foes, a new event pack for Crusader Kings III, available now.

With this pack, Paradox Interactive's critically acclaimed medieval strategy role-playing game adds more complication to the stories you tell, as childhood pals become fierce enemies, and courtiers compete for your royal favor.

Those who have not had the pleasure of building a royal dynasty across the centuries can also take advantage of a Free Weekend from 08 September to 12 September, a brief span of time in which the Crusader Kings

New Baltic Themed Expansion for Europa Universalis IV Available Now

For almost a decade, Europa Universalis IV has encouraged players to explore new and exciting alternate histories of the early modern world. In the newest immersion pack, Lions of the North, dramatically different pasts can unfold before your eyes. Denmark can keep its hold on its northern subjects. The Teutonic Order can retreat to its past crusader glories. Gotland can become a pirate haven.

All of these dramatic "what ifs" are now available in the new Baltic Sea themed add-on to Europa Universalis IV. With branching missions, new government options for major players and even new military units, Lions of the North is packed with variety and excitement. Make your enemies hear your roar!

Highlights of Europa Universalis IV: Lions of the North include:

Expanded Branching Missions: Decisions taken along some mission trees will determine what options are available to you in the future, allowing you to follow distinct and dramatically different alternate paths.

New Mission Trees for Denmark: Maintain power in Scandinavia while expanding your influence over the northern German cities.

New Mission Trees for Sweden and Norway: Break free from Danish dominance, and turn a foothold on the continent into the base for a northern empire.

New Mission Trees for Teutonic Order, Livonian Order and Riga: Follow a path of religious zealotry or secularize your realm with an eye on the future.

New Mission Trees for Poland, Lithuania and the Commonwealth: Vast lands on the border of East and West present unique challenges for ambitious rulers.

Other Mission Tree Changes: Pirate kings of Gotland, unique options for a united Scandinavia, a free Finland, and a powerful Danzig.

New Government Reforms and Estate Privileges: Some regional powers will have unique government options and new ways to court the favor and influence of local estates.

New Units: The Swedish Carolean Infantry and Polish-Lithuanian Winged Hussars will be available for recruitment.

New Unit Art: 35 new army sprites for regional powers.

New Music: 3 new pieces of Scandinavian music, plus 3 other Baltic themed songs.

Lions of the North is accompanied by a major update to Europa Universalis IV, free for all players.

Europa Universalis IV: Lions of the North is available for a suggested retail price of \$14.99/£11.39/€14.99.



Jungle Resistance Releases on PC

Favour Toys Studios, are back with their latest game. This will give a new vibe and mechanic to the Tower Defense game! Jungle Resistance is a brand new isometric Tower Defense game with Kingdom Rush Upgrade Style, with branching Tower Types and it is now available for PC via Steam!

Yutan the Wise Orang Utan is trusted by the Jungle Habitant to Defend the Jungle with his knowledge. Yutan has pointed to The Habitants of The Tropical Forest, Rainforest, and The Snowy Mountains to defend the integrity of the jungle under his command.

Key features including:

Tower-building game along the way to defend your base from enemies going inside your territory

Manage your currency balance to give the best formation of your animal army

8 types of animal army that you can modify and upgrade to higher levels

Beware of the bosses! Humans will use this strategy as their last resort!

Furthermore, a mobile version of Jungle Resistance is set for release in early 2023!

washing professional, to explain more:

"If you love powerwashing, you know it ain't always what it's cracked up to be. Tangled hoses, electricity, mud, and dirty water... if only there was a way to find that sweet, clean satisfaction without all the hassle! Well, we have the perfect product for you, so YOU can wash like a pro!

"It's POWERWASH SIMULATOR! Wash away those unnecessary complications and get to the good part. Feel clean, without feeling exhausted! Wash a car, wash a house, even visit far off destinations such as Muckingham, and wash 'em! Cleaning's never been so fun!

"With POWERWASH SIMULATOR you'll get the sweet satisfaction of a deep clean without the inconvenience of getting off your couch! For all your dirty messes, only one cleaning simulator will do, and that is POWERWASH SIMULATOR: It's a powerwash miracle!"

Thanks Kenny.

No word on a physical copy version of this game on this system(s) in the US at this time. Families are required to pay for Internet usage fees to download this game. For more information click here.

For more information about this product(s) please click on one of their paid advertisements. No paid ads? That is easily correctable here.

POWERWASH SIMULATOR Ports to Playstation and Switch

Square Enix Collective® and FuturLab® announced, that POWERWASH SIMULATOR is going to be released on PlayStation®4 (PS4™), PlayStation®5 (PS5™) consoles and Nintendo Switch system later this year. The super soothing simulator is already available with Game Pass for PC and console and Xbox Cloud Gaming (Beta), for purchase on Xbox Series X|S, Xbox One, Windows 10, and PC via Steam®.

Here's Kenny Washmore, official power-



In The News Continued

E3 Returns In-Person in 2023

E3, the gaming industry event, returns to the Los Angeles Convention Center (LACC) for a four-day expo from Tuesday, June 13 through Friday, June 16, 2023 and will feature separate industry and consumer days and spaces. Additionally, E3 will support and uplift partnered digital events taking place starting June 11 and running throughout the show.

E3 Business Days will take place Tuesday, June 13 to Thursday, June 15, reserved exclusively for registered industry personnel to network in-person, hold professional meetings, and connect with licensors and distributors. Amidst dedicated, industry-only halls and spaces, media can go hands-on with upcoming games showcased by developers and publishers from around the world.

E3 Gamer Days will take place Thursday, June 15 and Friday, June 16 in a different hall than the industry area, inviting consumers to go hands-on with the future of gaming and connect with developers, content creators, media personalities, and more. A dedicated theater of content, open to ticket holders, will run during these days and offer deep-dive looks at highly anticipated titles.

E3 is being operated by ReedPop, the group behind events such as PAX, EGX, New York Comic-Con, Star Wars Celebration, and more.

“E3 is one of the global gaming industry’s few opportunities to come together, unite as one loud voice, and show the world what it is creating,” said ReedPop VP of Gaming Kyle Marsden-Kish. “Our vision is to reunite the industry by re-establishing the traditional E3 week, bring back that spark, and restore E3’s role as a truly magical global showcase event for game creators and consumers.”

Media registration for E3 2023 will begin in December 2022.

Vs Chat Pack Releases

Wouldn't it be fun to put some obstacles or send zombies to the game that your favorite streamer is playing on Twitch? Or be on the other end and live your gameplay experience together with your viewers in real time?

KevDK Games have thought it through and created the first Twitch-exclusive game pack that allows Twitch streamers to play with their audiences via chat interactions. Vs Chat Pack has released!

Vs Chat Pack is a Twitch streamer game pack that has four games in four different genres, all focused on Twitch chat interactions. Viewers play by typing various commands in a Twitch chat, and each game allows them to individually impact the game experience! No setup is needed, just type your channel name in-game and you're good to go!

“Allowing viewers to play against streamers is fascinating to me. As someone who plays games and watches Twitch streams, I’ve wondered what that combined experience would be like. Vs Chat Pack is my personal answer to that question. Four different games that involve the streamer and the viewers, enabling new kinds of interactions between them. I can’t wait for streamers and viewers to try it out.” - Casper Friis Farsøe, the creator of Vs Chat Pack.

The four games in Vs Chat Pack are:

Predicting Vs Chat

A strategy prediction game - Sphere Fighters will duke it out in an arena, but who will perform the best? Before each round, Sphere Fighters with random stats and abilities will be presented. You and each viewer will individually pick a Sphere. You get points from each elimination your chosen Sphere Fighter does, and if it's

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the last Sphere standing. After a certain amount of rounds, whoever has accumulated the most points wins the game! You and up to 5000 viewers can play Predicting vs Chat.

Running Vs Chat

An endless runner where your viewers make all the obstacles - how far can you make it, and who will be the one that stops you? Viewers can also cooperate at certain times to create special surprises for you. These can make the run harder, so keep an eye out for whatever your viewers throw your way!

Typing Vs Chat

Type to survive! In a zombie apocalypse, you're being swarmed from all sides by zombies that your viewers will spawn in. You must shoot the zombies by typing their names - each zombie is named after the viewer that spawned them in. Remember to type 'reload' to reload your gun when you run out of bullets. Viewers are able to spawn in different kinds of zombies too, so be careful!

Drafting With Chat

Cooperate with your viewers in this deck-building card game. Ten increasingly difficult opponents stand in your way, and before each encounter, your viewers will create new cards for you. Remove old cards in your deck, draft and insert new ones, and see if your deck is up to the challenge! Each card is also named after the viewer that created it. Will your viewers have your back and supply you with helpful cards, or will they sabotage you as much as they can?



CORBID A Colorful Adventure Announced

When was the last time you saw a new video game and exclaimed: “How cute is that? That’s what’s going to happen to you with Corbid! A Colorful Adventure, the game developed by Cucurry studio and distributed by Gamera Nest, which is about to be released on PS4, PS5 and PC. So much so that you can already add it to your PlayStation Store and Steam wishlist.

Do it if you want an explosion of cute color to invade your screen, while you spend hours of fun helping Corbid to go through labyrinthine gardens, swallow and throw paint, solve puzzles and face evil bosses.

Corbid! A Colorful Adventure is an adventure of wit and skill where imagination is everything. In Corbid’s company you will meet an endless number of adorable creatures in worlds full of chromatic richness. This makes this one of those video games to enjoy as a family, fun for both adults and children.

As for the gameplay, it should be noted that the puzzles require a real dose of ingenuity, and that many of the enemies have to be defeated through intelligence and dexterity. Corbid is an endearing little bug capable of eating and spitting color, an ability that will help him advance in the mazes. But it will not be the only power that the player will have to control if he wants to reach the end of the adventure and defeat all the bosses.

And if we talk about art, it is when our eyes twinkle with so much color on the stage and so many cute little lice roaming freely through flowery gardens. The music accompanies the action perfectly, with simple melodies that enter your mind at the first listen. You can't leave Corbid! A Colorful Adventure out of your wishlist, because the world is already full of ugly things to let the beautiful ones escape.

Featured Content:

Fun puzzles that challenge your wits. Evil bosses to defeat with intelligence and skill.

Characters that you eat them.
Original mechanics and luminous scenar-

ios.
Color, color, color and more color!



- * Quick travel to reduce backtracking.
- * Easy inventory management with separate personal equipment encumbrance system and an infinite magic bag of carrying for items not equipped at the moment.
- * Open world with a big overworld to explore.
- * Quests (including both main storyline quests and side quests).
- * Rich world lore (spanning between all games of the series, but no knowledge of prior games required).

TECHNICALITIES:

The game was designed to look and feel like one of the old games while working flawlessly on modern machines, especially on very high resolutions. It has very low hardware requirements and should run on even very old machines.

ABOUT THE RELATION TO THE PRE-QUEL:

The Legends of Amberland titles can be played in any order you wish. They share the same world and lore (historical events) but each has a separate and self-contained story. There might be some mild references to events in the previous titles of the series, but more like a flavor, so it does not hinder the ability to play those in any order.

Matchpoint Tennis Championships Ports to Switch

It's time to take tennis on the go because Matchpoint – Tennis Championships Legends Edition, published by Kalypso Media and developed by Torus Games, is now available on Nintendo Switch™. The smash-hit tennis sim of 2022 just became portable, and the world of virtual tennis has become even greater.

Matchpoint – Tennis Championships invites players to step out onto the virtual courts and put their tennis skills to the test as they face the challenge of becoming World #1. With its extensive career mode, unique rivalry system, and authentic ball physics, the simulator title serves up an immersive tennis gaming experience for all. Strategy and decision-making will be central to your success as you embark on your journey to becoming a true tennis icon. Just make sure to choose your coach wisely and to manage your training before you step onto the courts and face your competitors.

With the game's fully cross-platform multiplayer, go racket-to-racket with rivals and

Legends of Amberland II: The Song of Trees Announced

Legends of Amberland II: The Song of Trees is a classic western RPG inspired by great 90s era games such as Might & Magic, Wizardry, Ultima, the Gold Box series. Light, fairy tale, epic, heroic, slightly humorous adventure.

OVERVIEW:

Legends of Amberland II: The Song of Trees is a classic western RPG inspired by the games from the 90s like Might & Magic, Wizardry, Ultima, the Gold Box series and others. Using the classic first-person perspective, over grid movement, turn-based system to travel in an open world with fast travel options and a quick combat.

You lead a party of 7 adventurers, manually assembled or pre-made, on an epic adventure to fight the evil which lurks in Amberland. It's light, fairy tale, epic, heroic and slightly humorous. It does not take tons of hours to complete or require an end-

less grind to progress. Basically, it's a love letter from the 90s, the golden era of RPGs.

NOTABLE FEATURES:

- * First person perspective, 90 degree rotation, over grid movement (like in the 90s).
- * Turn-based (both combat and exploration).
- * Party-based (7 heroes, either predefined or manually assembled upon new game).
- * Fast paced combat, especially blazing fast against much weaker enemies.



friends across the globe, and now, with the Nintendo Switch version, you really can play tennis anywhere. Whether you are competing on Xbox, PlayStation, Windows PC, or Nintendo Switch, with the title's recent million download milestone, there are copious competitors for you to choose from. If that's not quite challenging enough, players can also rally with any of the game's 16 licensed tennis superstars, including the current ranked world number one, Carlos Alcaraz. Other renowned players include Casper Ruud, Garbiñe Muguruza, Amanda Anisimova, Daniil Medvedev, Hubert Hurkacz, Madison Keys, Taylor Fritz, and Heather Watson, along with tennis legends Tommy Haas and Tim Henman.

Ready to take tennis on the move? Matchpoint – Tennis Championships Legends Edition is out now on Nintendo Switch. Matchpoint – Tennis Championships is already available with Xbox Game Pass for console and PC and is available on Xbox Series X|S and Xbox One consoles (supported through Smart Delivery), PlayStation 4|5, and Windows PC.

Features

Enter the world of professional Tennis: "Matchpoint - Tennis Championships" offers

a deep career mode featuring a unique merit-based ranking system.

Create your own 3D tennis star. Choose your look, fashion and play style with an array of customization options including true to life techniques such as left- or right-handed, onehanded or twohanded backhand.

Dominate the court as a tennis professional. Matchpoint - Tennis Championships features 16 real-life international tennis stars from the professional circuit, like Nick Kyrgios, Kei Nishikori or Amanda Anisimova, including their gear from brands such as Nike, Yonex, Babolat and many more!

Customize your athlete and wearables. From rackets to clothing, create your own tennis star and unlock special equipment by winning competitive matches.

Master all strokes and shots in grand style. Determine the outcome of a rally by choosing the best technique for the time: top spin, flat, lob or slice shot.

Take on opponents in local or online matches. Play against a cunning AI or face your friends and rivals on the court via local sessions and online cross-play.

We Would Play That!

REVIEWS

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?

For close to two decades Family Friendly Gaming has written about all kinds of wonderful ideas that could be made into amazing video games. Ideas like Just Dance Christian has taken a life of its own and there is even a wiki site that claims it will happen and Family Friendly Gaming is the sponsor. We wish we had the money to make that video game happen. Family Friendly Gaming has published FFG Dance videos of Christian songs. Which is probably one of the closest things to a Just Dance Christian video game. We have floated ideas like video games based off of the Fu-

ture Glimpses books. Sequels to games like The Bible Game, and Larryboy and the Bad Apple would make amazing video games that families could enjoy.

Stray is a video game very similar to an idea we floated awhile back as well. In fact there have been numerous video game ideas we have thrown out there that have made into the marketplace. Sadly we were never given an profit sharing or advertisements from the companies that took our ideas and made money off of them.

There are numerous other ideas that we do not share with the public. Some of those ideas we want to flesh out a bit more. Other ideas we hope and pray to have the financial resources to make them come to the marketplace at some future date. There have been so many messed up and horrible things that have happened in

2022. We have faith that they will turn around. We believe things will get better. Which is why we believe at some point we will be able to get these video games made and brought to the marketplace. Then you can vote with your dollars. You can show your support for good moral, and ethical video games.

We love seeing new video games done in the retro style. There are so many modern ideas that work on the older consoles. Evercade has shown that physical copies are definitely in demand. We have purchased every single Evercade system and cartridge that has been released. We have shown our love and support for things we appreciate within the industry. It is our hope and prayer that everyone is learning from our fine example and emulating it to the best of their ability. That is how we get more of what we want in the video game industry.

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).

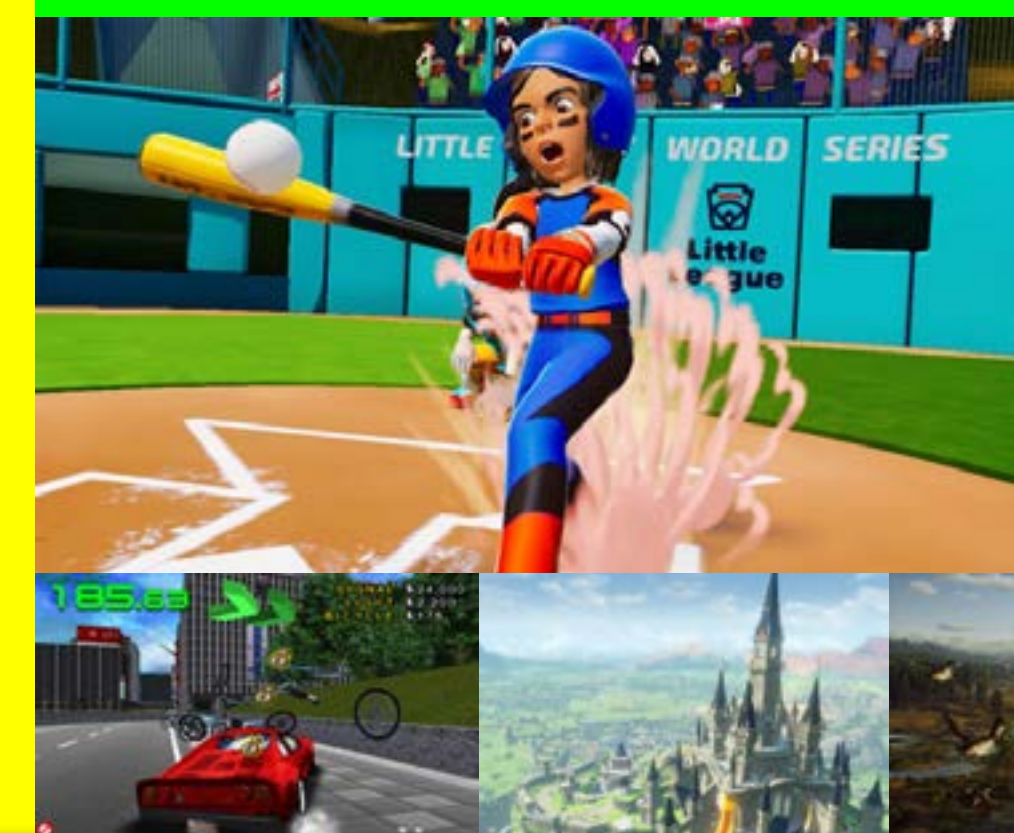
Parents, please do not take any of our reviews as gospel. Different people are offended by different things. We work hard here at Family Friendly Gaming to discern the good from the bad in the teachings of each different video game. What may seem harmless to our reviewer(s), could be a big deal to you. 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.

Questions, suggestions, comments, or got a game you would like for us to review? Then please email us at: Gamereviews@familyfriendlygaming.com.

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2 Samuel 25-26

25 "And now, Lord God, keep forever the promise you have made concerning your servant and his house. Do as you promised,

26 so that your name will be great forever. Then people will say, 'The Lord Almighty is God over Israel!' And the house of your servant David will be established in your sight.

Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity

SCORE: 61

I am very thankful my dad spent the money to purchase a copy of Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity on the Nintendo Switch after the PR and Marketing folks representing this game failed Family Friendly Gaming so badly. I know exactly what Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity is when I played it. This is a Dynasty Warriors video game done with The Legend of Zelda characters. How much longer before we get a Mario video game done in the Dynasty Warriors style? Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity sat in the pile for some time. None of were very enthusiastic about playing this game.

Let us be honest here Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity is a game we knew would utterly fail on our scale. We knew this game is not a high priority. There are plenty of better games to play and that is why Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity sat for so long. Plus when Nintendo's PR and Marketing firm is so hateful to us - where is our motivation to promote one of their products? For me Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity is one of

those ugh experiences.

The issues families will have with Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity is violence, lack of attire, enticement to lust, false goddess, and more. We have mythical creatures like fairies within Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity. I am not very big on the art style used within Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity. The classic Zelda sounds and music can be heard in Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity. As long as you are not hacking and slashing thousands of the same looking

enemies. Two family members can hack and slash all these enemies together if you feel like it. There are flashes on the map guiding the player where to get to next. The first level took me thirty minutes to beat. I did not destroy all of the enemies either. As players progress through the game expect to be sitting there a long time going through these long levels. The action gets so boring in Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity so quickly.

Different heroes within Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity have different abilities and use different weapons. I do like being able to upgrade the character and cook food to create buffs for my character. Crafting weapons in Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity is also cool. The glider from Breath of the Wild is also included in Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity.

If you are into monotonous hack and slash video games and can handle all of the bad content then Hyrule Warriors Age of Calamity might be for you. - Peter



System: Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Nintendo
Developer: Omega Force
Rating: "T" - THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY
{Fantasy Violence}



Graphics: 60
Sound: 70%
Replay/Extras: 75%
Gameplay: 55%
Family Friendly Factor: 45%

Crash City Mayhem

SCORE: 56

Crash City Mayhem is one of those games that probably should have never been made. It is a shame that some video games we want never get made and others that should have never made it market - actually do. Who are the people making these decisions. We play a spy in Crash City Mayhem that is trying to infiltrate a criminal organization. How do we do that? We run things for them in our car.

There are plenty of objects players can smash into while driving in Crash City Mayhem. The goal in Crash City Mayhem is to get to the end zone. There can be other little quests along the way. Steal this, smash that, or other such similar things. We have a time limit to violently get from point A to point B. After you complete the story in Crash City Mayhem then you can play it again in a harder mode. The only difference is instead

of making it in five minutes we need to make it in four. And then the next difficulty is to make it in three minutes. The lame part is if you beat it in three minutes the first time it does not count for the other two difficulties.

Crash City Mayhem looks okay, and it sounds okay. I like how the arrow points the way to go. At times it can get a bit confused which is why it pays to take a look at the map from time to time. The AI police are not that bright in Crash City Mayhem. That pretty much goes for all the other vehicles on the road. The storyline within Crash City Mayhem is very condensed for the really short story mode.

Players can free run if they want. The area within Crash City Mayhem is not too terribly large so I am not sure the reason anyone would

want to do that. Maybe you want to drive around this little city area and see what all you can destroy.

The issues families will have with Crash City Mayhem are violence, bad language, and more. The whole stealing thing bothered me. Crash City Mayhem does not obviously realize what kind of pain and suffering that causes the victims. If you like rock music then you may get into the music within Crash City Mayhem. The controls can take some getting used to within Crash City Mayhem.

I would describe Crash City Mayhem as a GTA like video game done in a more arcade kind of vein. If that makes sense. Also if there were only a couple of missions within GTA. No matter what you pay for Crash City Mayhem it is most likely too much. - Paul

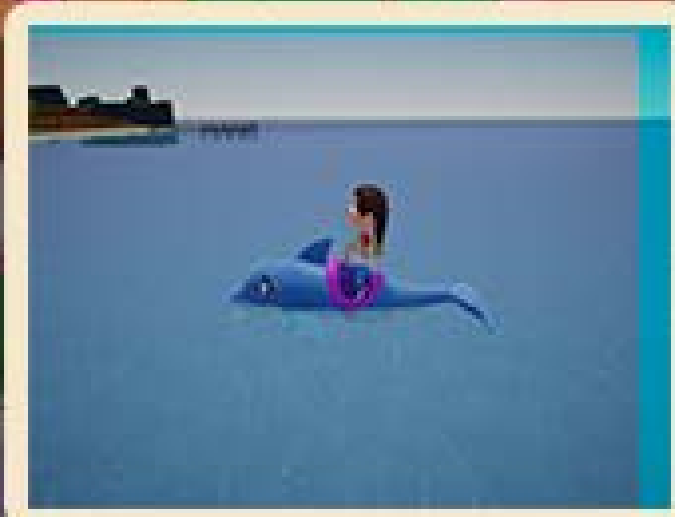
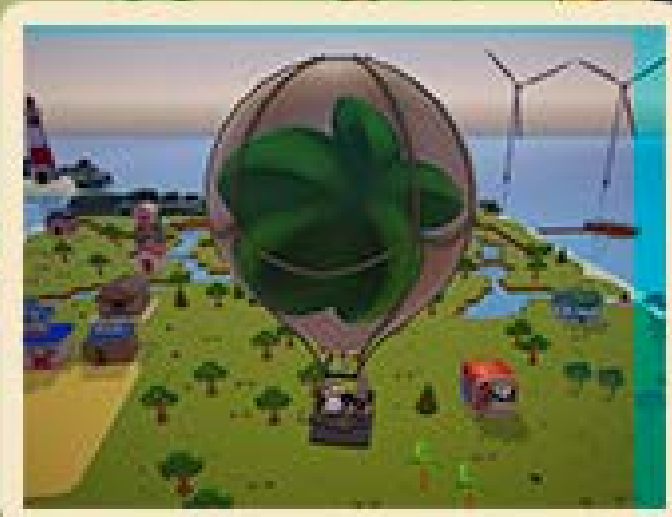


System: Nintendo 3DS
Publisher: Majesco Entertainment
Developer: Rocket Company
Rating: "T" - THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Mild Language, Mild Violence}



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

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System: Nintendo Switch/PS4/PS5/
Xbox One/Xbox Series X
Publisher: Gamemill Entertainment
Developer: IguanaBee
Rating: 'E' - SIX and OLDER ONLY

Little League World Series Baseball 2022
WORLD SERIES
BASEBALL
SCORE: 69

I was very excited to hear about the return of the Little League World Series Baseball 2022. Those Activision Little League World Series Baseball video games were amazing. I even gave Little League World Series Baseball 2022 a prime time slot to be streamed on the Rumble platform. My hopes were really high for Little League World Series Baseball 2022. I played my first game and lost eight to nothing.

Little League World Series Baseball 2022 would not let me swap my exhausted pitcher so the batters lit him up. The other team changed pitchers multiple times. Batting and fielding are very glitchy in Little League World Series Baseball 2022. Then I looked at the video game developer. Of course this game is a glitchy mess, it comes from Gamemill

Entertainment. They have a long history of making garbage games.

Why does Little League World Series Baseball 2022 swap what fielder is going for the ball? They literally swap it from the fielder that is closer to one that is farther away. This is a real pain when the closer fielder is to the right and I am moving him to the left to get the ball. The game decides the fielder on the left (who is farther away) should be whom I am controlling now. Guess what happened? I moved the fielder on the left farther away because I thought I was still controlling the fielder on the right.

Power ups are very limited and it depends on what team you have. If you have certain teams then you have a

pitching power up, or fielding, or batting, etc. I tried again and again to use the power ups and they failed. There are twenty fields and fifteen stadiums within Little League World Series Baseball 2022. The graphics look okay, and the announcers can be funny at times. Their lines get repeated a lot like the intro for each batter, and they are not always accurate.

I dropped the difficulty in Little League World Series Baseball 2022 and was able to win games that way. To properly hit you must be a bit premature. Otherwise your bat will literally go through the ball. I have played 8-bit baseball video games that play better than Little League World Series Baseball 2022. How does Gamemill Entertainment get it so wrong so often with their video games? How are they still in business?
- Paul

Graphics: 70%
Sound: 74%
Replay/Extras: 80%
Gameplay: 50%
Family Friendly Factor: 70%





Madden NFL 23



SCORE: 82

I am thankful I had the money to purchase a copy of Madden NFL 23 on the Xbox Series X system. Did you catch the live stream I did of Madden NFL 23 on Rumble? If you missed it then just look for it in the videos section of the Family Friendly Gaming website. By the time this issue publishes it should be on at least one of our video sites. I took the Buffalo Bills and absolutely stomped the Philadelphia Eagles. I had some fun playing Madden NFL 23 but also noticed some strange quirks in the game.

Madden NFL 23 asked me what I wanted my offense and defense to focus on. I selected run inside and stop the short pass in the first half. I then selected run outside and medium pass in the second half. I could not get outside runs to work in the second half. The inside runs worked great though. In fact I could almost always get a first down and many times a touchdown with a run up the middle. I was on rookie difficulty so that may have something to do with it. There are many different jukes

and moves that can be done when we have the ball.

The big promotion surrounding Madden NFL 23 is Field-sense. Honestly Madden NFL 23 did not feel much different to me than other recent Madden video games. It is very difficult to get through your blocker when you are on defense now. I did shove my blocker into the quarterback a few times to disrupt the plays. Quarterbacks in Madden NFL 23 sometimes throw nowhere and miss an open receiver. This can be frustrating if this happens on a third down and

you would have easily gotten the first down. Running with the quarterback is still pretty easy - even for twenty to thirty yards.

I am not a fan of the menu layout and setup in Madden NFL 23. It is a pain to find some things because one area looks like the right spot but is online only for example. Controversial content from the NFL uniforms and fields is replicated within Madden NFL 23. There is no option to play the Washington Redskins within Madden NFL 23. It is a shame that players are denied that choice. If you like all kinds of new controls then you can turn on the skill based passing. I failed that tutorial miserably and stuck with the traditional controls.

Two family members can compete against one another in Madden NFL 23. There are numerous NFL teams to play against. Madden NFL 23 looks good and I actually enjoyed the commentators. The offensive music has to be turned off one song at a time which is so lame. - Paul



System: PC/PS4/PS5/Stadia/Xbox One/Xbox Series X(tested)
Publisher: EA Sports
Developer: EA Tiburon
Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY {Mild Lyrics}

Graphics: 90%
Sound: 77%
Replay/Extras: 90%
Gameplay: 80%
Family Friendly Factor: 75%

VIDEO GAME LIES



by Paul Bury
Version 3

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Way of the Hunter

SCORE: 71

I am so glad that my dad bought a copy of Way of the Hunter on the Xbox Series X. Way of the Hunter can also be found on the PC and PS5. This is a realistic hunting game with two massive areas to hunt in. Way of the Hunter is so realistic that you may wander around rarely finding any animals. Which is not exactly conducive of being able to hunt anything. To be fair Way of the Hunter does provide the player with all kinds of tools to find the animals like binoculars.



Animals at far distances because of this.

Players can play the storyline or just go out there and explore. The tutorial can be very helpful within Way of the Hunter. The tutorial is also difficult to complete. If the tutorial is tough then you know the game is going to be the same way. There is some bad language within Way of the Hunter. I personally did not think the bad language was needed. More creative writers would have shown their talent

Way of the Hunter looks pretty good too. I enjoyed playing Way of the Hunter because I felt like I was out in nature. There is plenty of diversity in the massively large environments as well. At lot of effort was put into making Way of the Hunter look good. There is blood as we shoot the animals. If we wound the animal then we can track the blood trail to try and catch up to it. The realistic bullet action within Way of the Hunter can take some getting used to. I ran into all kinds of problems hitting ani-



by using other words. But then there is plenty of laziness in the industry in that department.

The areas within Way of the Hunter are so big that we must drive to different locations within the map. We drive over small rivers and more. If you can take some big game then you get cool trophies within Way of the Hunter. Sadly Way of the Hunter starts players off with small things like pigeons. I had fun live streaming Way of the Hunter even though I had problems finding any animals to hunt. I even went where the game told me to go.

The first person perspective of Way of the Hunter works really well. I love the different realistic looking guns within Way of the Hunter. I wish the animals were not so easily spooked in Way of the Hunter. I can get nowhere near them and they have left the area. I

am going pretty quiet too. At least I thought I was being quiet. Good entry but there are much better hunting games. - Teen Gamer

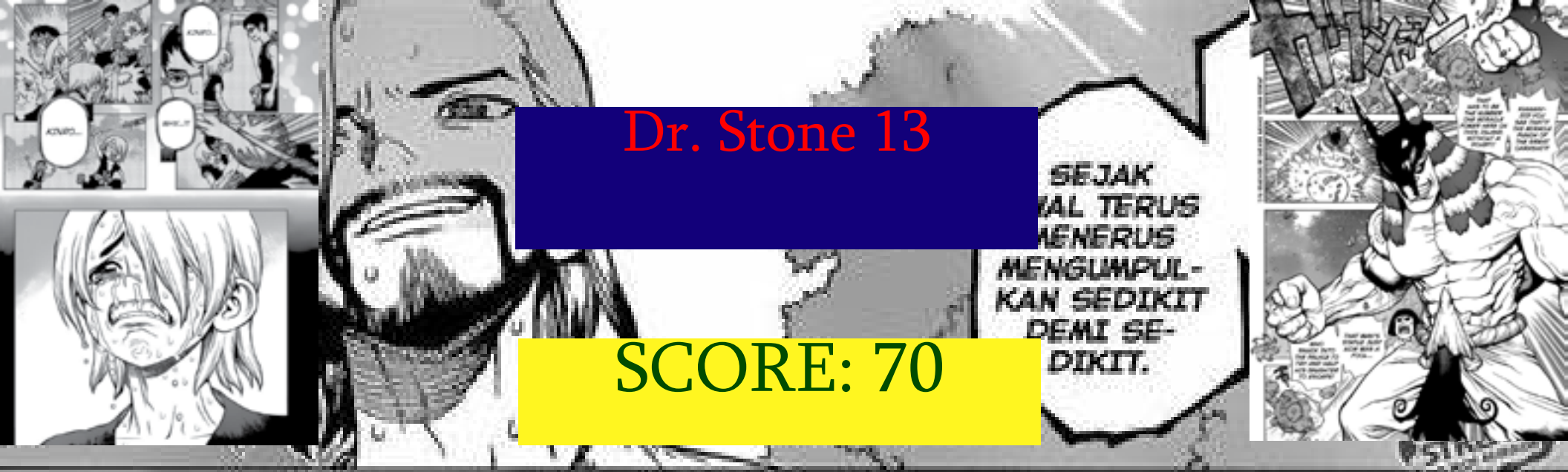


System: PC/PS5/Xbox Series X
Publisher: THQ Nordic
Developer: Nine Rock Games
Rating: 'T' - THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Blood, Language, Violence}

Graphics: 75%
Sound: 70%
Replay/Extras: 80%
Gameplay: 60%
Family Friendly Factor: 70%

Dr. Stone 13

SCORE: 70



I am very thankful I had the money to purchase the Dr. Stone 13 manga. The science team continues their penetration of the island. They even get three of their members to be selected for the main bosses harem. They are actually working on the inside to get items out. There will be spoilers in this review. The two women and one guy smuggle out the platinum that Senku needs to free everyone from the petrification. Some of the things created in Dr. Stone 13 are truly amazing - like a drone for example.

made the islanders think it was actually an animal passing some gas. Senku continues on his path to get the secret of this petrification weapon.

I am confused as to how that weapon wound up on this island. The weapon was supposed to have come from the other side of the world. We barely traveled to get to this island. This is the island where Senku's dad touched down. His dad spent decades gathering



makeup before so she has no clue how to do it. Senku is obviously no help with that since he is all about the science of things. Thankfully there are other females around to help her with this complicated

The issues families will have with Dr. Stone 13 are lack of

attire, entertainment to lust, violence, threats, and more. There are also some crude humor moments within Dr. Stone 13. A great example is when they wanted to move the science lab. They made a horrible stench and

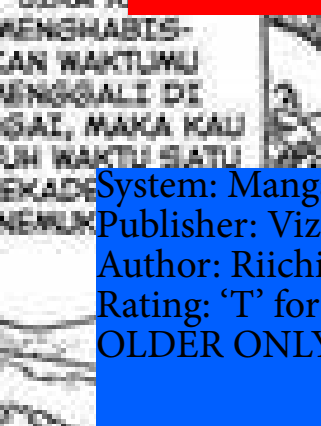
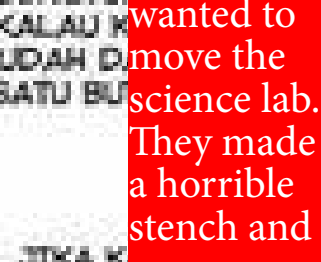
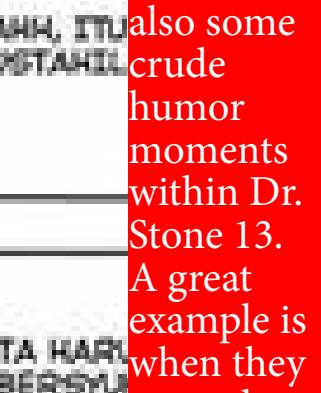
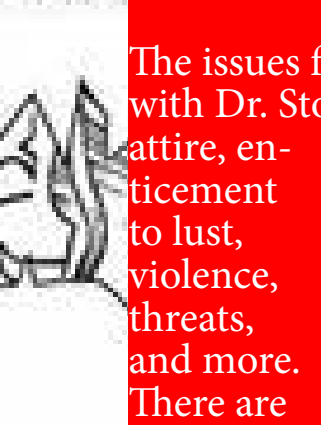
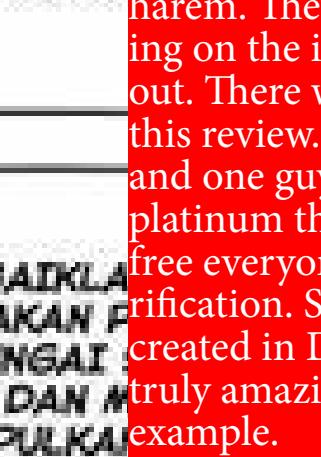
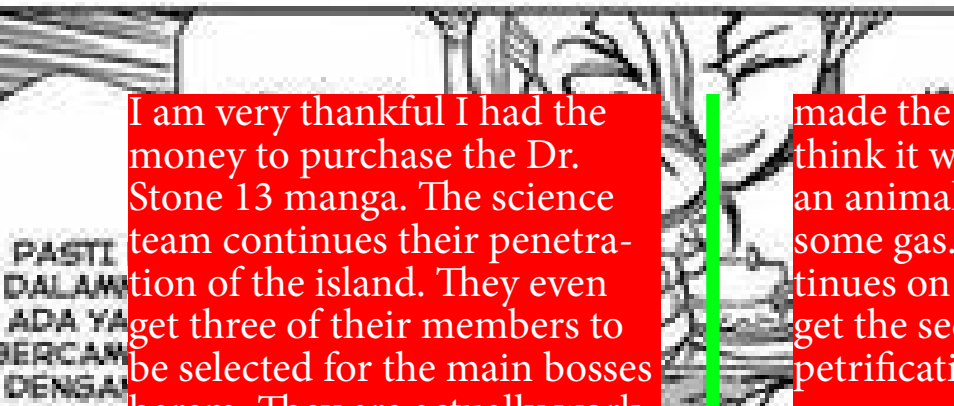


rare minerals and resources for the next astronaut that would appear in the future. That was a really touching moment within Dr. Stone 13.

The science of makeup and hair was very interesting within Dr. Stone 13. There is a really funny moment when Kohaku tries to apply makeup on her face. She gets a really scary, and creepy Joker kind of face. To be fair she has never put on

process.

I am continuing to enjoy the Dr. Stone manga thanks to Dr. Stone 13. I am very interested to see where this storyline will go in the near future. I expect Senku to get the petrification weapon and be able to figure out how it works. What powers it and how it can be reverse engineered. I also hope they take down the boss on this island. I know it is not their goal but they will need to unless they want to deal with him in the future. There are some powerful minions in the way as well. - Paul



System: Manga
Publisher: Viz Media
Author: Riichiro Inagaki
Rating: 'T' for THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Fantasy Violence}



Graphics: 60%
Writing: 70%
Replay/Extras: 75%
Story: 80%
Family Friendly Factor: 64%

Star Wars The Book of Boba Fett Season One

Star Wars Obi-Wan Kenobi Season One

SCORE: 69

SCORE: 63

BOBA FETT

I continue to catch up on Disney+ television shows thanks to the \$1.99 month we were able to procure. Star Wars The Book of Boba Fett Season One is the latest show I have just finished watching.



Please be aware there will be spoilers in this review. We find out in Star Wars The Book of Boba Fett Season One how Boba Fett survived being in the acid filled belly of the sarlacc. He siphons oxygen from a stormtrooper and then uses that oxygen to light a fire to burn his way out of the beast. There is some debate and controversy on this.

Boba Fett then has his armor stolen and then he is taken as a slave by a Tusken tribe. Boba Fett shows his value to this tribe and gets taken in. They even send him on a spirit quest thanks to a lizard going up his nose. He then gets a staff of his own. He trains the Tusken's so they can take down a land speeder (kind of like a train). The tribe is murdered when they require tribute from the Pike Syndicate. Star Wars The Book of Boba Fett Season One is told in two time periods at first. We have present day and then the past.

Eventually Star Wars The Book of Boba Fett Season One brings us to the Mandalorian. In fact one and a half episodes of the seven episodes is all about the Mandalorian. Grogu is beginning his Jedi training. Grogu is given a choice though. He is faced with two gifts - one from the Mandalorian and one from the Jedi. Whichever he picks will be the path he will be on going forward. Grogu picks the armor from the Mandalorian and goes back to help him in the final episode. Grogu does save the life of the Mandalorian thanks to the use of the force.

Boba Fett



decides he is tired of working for bosses and crime lords that are not careful with his life. So he takes over as crime lord (Daimyo) for what was once Jabba the Hutt's region. Bobba Fett faces numerous challenges for his rule. The mayor, the twins, and finally the Pike Syndicate. The issues families can have with Star Wars The Book of Boba Fett Season One are blood, violence, lack of attire, enticement to lust, murder, and more. Cad Bane is straight up killed by Boba Fett in Star Wars The Book of Boba Fett Season One.

Even though Boba Fett is a crime lord he does not act like one. He can murder numerous characters for insults but instead lets them live. Some of them he even gives jobs too. Krrsantan is a great example of this. Krrsantan is sent to kill Boba Fett. He fails and is given his life. Then later Boba Fett offers to hire him. That shows the character of Boba Fett. The same goes for shutting down the spice trade in that area. It makes him a lot of money, but he chooses a different path. I wonder what the other gangsters will think of that move?
- Paul

System: Disney+
Publisher: Disney
Developer: Lucasfilm
Rating: 'TV-14' - FOURTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Violence}



Graphics: 65%
Sound: 80%
Replay/Extras: 63%
Gameplay: 71%
Family Friendly Factor: 68%

Star Wars Obi-Wan Kenobi Season One is the latest Disney+ television show we caught up on thanks to our \$1.99 month of the service. As previously stated we get a month, blitz through the shows we missed, and then cancel the service. That saves us money on Blu-rays and DVDs plus it lets us watch the content that is not being ported to physical copy formats. There will be spoilers in this review. I also know there was plenty of controversy surrounding Star Wars Obi-Wan Kenobi Season One.

There are six episodes within Star Wars Obi-Wan Kenobi Season One. It takes two hundred and twenty-eight minutes to watch Star Wars Obi-Wan Kenobi Season One from start to finish. That includes the recaps, intro and credits. Those three things can be skipped or ignored. It was great to see Hayden Christensen return to portray Darth Vader and



Anakin Skywalker in Star Wars Obi-Wan Kenobi Season One. He got a lot of flak but he has grown on me over the years.

I will not address all of the controversies within Star Wars Obi-Wan Kenobi Season One. One of them that bothered me is Star Wars Obi-Wan Kenobi Season One is half about Obi-Wan Kenobi. The other half is about the Third Sister of the Inquisitors. So much about the Third Sister makes no sense to me. She is angry because Darth Vader took down the Jedi when she was a child in the Jedi Temple. She serves Darth Vader to get close to him to try and kill him. Suffice to say that fight does not go her way when it comes.

Third Sister is left for dead and

finds out she did not actually kill the Grand Inquisitor like she thought. She somehow is able to get to Tatooine, fight off the Skywalkers and almost kill Luke. She is an annoying character that makes little to no sense in terms of motivations. The writing has her all over the board. She is great at portraying anger in the show. So if you like angry actors then you might like her performance.

The issues families will have with Star Wars Obi-Wan Kenobi Season One are violence, blood, gore, the force religious beliefs, and more. A storm trooper gets cut in half in Star Wars Obi-Wan Kenobi Season One. Other characters get stabbed with light sabers. The real stand out performance in Star Wars Obi-Wan Kenobi Season One is Leia. Although if kidnapping her brings out Obi-Wan Kenobi then why isn't that done again later?
- Paul

System: Disney+
Publisher: Disney
Developer: Lucasfilm
Rating: 'TV-14' - FOURTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Violence}



Graphics: 58%
Sound: 70%
Replay: 60%
Gameplay: 65%
Family Friendly Factor: 60%



Indie Heroes Collection 1

SCORE: 72

CHAIN BREAK

Bass Hunter 64

SCORE: 60

ALIEN CAT 2

I am very thankful I had the money to purchase Indie Heroes Collection 1 on the Evercade systems. Blaze Entertainment believes in helping out indie video game developers.



the rest could use some graphical improvements especially if there are ever sequels to these games.

they have certainly done so with the fourteen games within Indie Heroes Collection 1. The games on the Indie Heroes Collection 1 cartridge are Alien Cat 2, Anguna Warriors of Virtue, Chain Break, Debtor, Deadeus, Doodle World, Flea!, Foxyland, Kubo 3, Ploid, Quest Arrest, Super Homebrew War, Twin Dragons, and Uchusen Ultimate Ploid Battle. All of these games are done in the 8-bit to 16-bit game play eras.

Musically the games within Indie Heroes Collection 1 sounds good. The horror ones are a it on the creepy side. I like how new concepts have been applied to older video game eras. Chain Break is the perfect example of this. There were not runner games back in that era. So it is neat to see new game ideas applied to older game play styles. What if someone had thought of a runner back on the Gameboy? Let me know if I am wrong on that historical understand-

Indie Heroes Collection 1 contains puzzles, action RPG, runner, platformers, horror, adventure, and shooters. Graphically there is little in Indie Heroes Collection 1 that impressed me. Even for that era most of these video games look extremely independent. There are a few like Anguna Warriors of Virtue, and Foxyland that look decent. Chain Break and Deadeus look good for the Gameboy. Many of



ing. Do you know of endless runners on the Gameboy from back in the day?

Super Homebrew War pays homage to other indie video games as well. There are plenty of games within Indie Heroes Collection 1 that remind me of other games. Ploid and Twin Dragons are a couple of examples. The same goes for Uchusen Ultimate Ploid Battle and Flea!. Kubo 3 makes me think more Atari 7800 than NES. I am not into the graphical style of Doodle World personally. Debtor is another one that does not really speak to me personally. Everyone has their own personal tastes.

I definitely am getting my moneys worth out of Indie Heroes Collection 1. I love the cartridge, case, manual and stickers that came with Indie Heroes Collection 1. I have written about this idea before as well. Indie Heroes Collection 1 is exactly what the video game industry needs - physical copies of independent video games. This compilation has a lot of different things in it. Indie Heroes Collection 1 gives me hope for a Wisdom Tree compilation at some point in the near future. - Paul

Bass Hunter 64 is one of those retro video games that annoyed me to no end. I also expected Bass Hunter 64 to be awesome. So it is one of those video games where the hype did not match the experience. This happens sometimes. Bass Hunter 64 is bland and dark looking. It is like going out and fishing on an overcast day that you just want to go back home and go to bed. Since it is a video game it becomes turn the game off and take a nap.

The controls within Bass Hunter 64 are so touchy and finicky. It is so easy to lose the fish. In fact in the video I did of Bass Hunter 64 all I did was lose the fish. I looked over the controls and tried different buttons but nothing worked for me. If I want to fail at fishing I can do that in the real

world. I want to be able to catch fish in a video game.

There are numerous lures that can be used within Bass Hunter 64. We can go out there and fish or compete in tournaments. I do not like trying tournaments until



I am good at catching the fish in the main mode. The main menu music of Bass Hunter 64 is really cool to listen to. Once we get into the game Bass Hunter 64 gets pretty quiet. Bass Hunter 64 does contain some special effect sounds here and there. Otherwise Bass Hunter 64 is pretty disappointing in this area as well.

the blocky looking areas within Bass Hunter 64. A lot of the water is murky and there are plenty of barren underwater areas within Bass Hunter 64. The fish look nice. The fisherman looks okay within Bass Hunter 64 as well.

I had really high hopes for Bass Hunter 64. Sadly all of my game play experiences within Bass Hunter 64 did not match my high hopes. Bass Hunter 64 is generally very family friendly. If you have the time to devote to learning all aspects of Bass Hunter 64 then you might enjoy it a bit more than I did. I love tools like the Fishfinder in Bass Hunter 64. I know there have been plenty of fishing games since Bass Hunter 64. Many of them have been better in my humble opinion. - Paul



There are different lakes and rivers that players can go to in Bass Hunter 64. There is a bit of diversity in

System: Evercade
Publisher: Blaze Entertainment
Developer: Broke Studio, John Roo, PSCD Games, Nape Games, Bite The Chili Productions, IZMA, Nate and Araceli Peters, Lowtek Games, Tuxedo Games, SJ Games,
Rating: '12' - Everyone TWELVE and OLDER ONLY



Graphics: 60%
Sound: 75%
Replay/Extras: 85%
Gameplay: 80%
Family Friendly Factor: 60%

System: Nintendo 64
Publisher: Take-Two Interactive
Developer: Gearhead Entertainment
Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY



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

SPORTS



System: PS4/PS5/Stadia/Xbox One/Xbox Series X
Publisher: EA Sports
Developer: EA Vancouver
Rating: 'E10+' - TEN and OLDER ONLY (Mild Violence)
Release Date: Out Now

NHL 23 is greater together and will bring an all-new level of social play never before seen in the franchise when cross-platform matchmaking comes to the game in November 2022, allowing matchmaking between players of the same platform generation in World of Chel and Hockey Ultimate Team (HUT).



System: PS4/PS5/Stadia/Xbox One/Xbox Series X
 Publisher: EA Sports
 Developer: EA Vancouver
 Rating: 'E10+' - TEN and OLDER ONLY (Mild Violence)
 Release Date: Out Now

Powered by the Frostbite™ engine, NHL 23 brings fans new levels of authenticity with gameplay improvements that include over 500 new last chance playmaking animations, living arenas and atmosphere, deep franchise-mode customization and new ways to play HUT.

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Mohicat joins the gang!

System: Nintendo Switch
 Publisher: Square Enix
 Developer: Square Enix
 Rating: "RP" - Rating Pending
 Release Date: December 9, 2022

DRAGON QUEST TREASURES follows Erik and his sister Mia who live on a Viking longship, dreaming of someday exploring the world for grand treasures. One night they encounter a pair of otherworldly creatures, Porcus and Purrsula, and are led to a mysterious ruin, where they come across a pair of Dragon Daggers.



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System: Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: Square Enix
Rating: "RP" - Rating Pending
Release Date: December 9, 2022

Upon obtaining the magical daggers, the plucky duo is whisked away to the floating continent of Draconia. This legendary land is home to monsters and countless pieces of precious loot, including seven legendary Dragonstones that are highly sought after among serious treasure hunters.

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System: Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: Square Enix
Rating: "RP" - Rating Pending
Release Date: December 9, 2022

As players start their journey as Erik and Mia, they'll learn how to fight alongside a team of monster pals and utilize their unique abilities to find hidden treasures and reach otherwise inaccessible areas. The two will also need to protect their treasure from monsters and rival gangs until they can get it back to base to be appraised.



System: PC/PS4/PS5/Xbox One/Xbox Series X
 Publisher: THQ Nordic
 Developer: Three Fields Entertainment
 Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
 Release Date: TBA

Arcade Racing – Open World arcade racing game featuring high speed driving, racing, crashing, stunts and exploration.
 Mix Your World - Place jumps, loops, stunt ramps, pipes, and moving obstacles almost anywhere in your MixWorld. Build roads on and off-road, out to sea or up in the sky.



System: PC/PS4/PS5/Xbox One/Xbox Series X
 Publisher: THQ Nordic
 Developer: Three Fields Entertainment
 Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
 Release Date: TBA

Mix It All – Choose time of Day, Weather and Traffic! What happens in your MixWorld is up to you. At the click of a button, change the time, change the weather, and turn the traffic on or off.
 Be a Wreckord Breaker – Set records seven different ways every time you drive and define how your Friends can challenge you by 'locking' different Wreckord Types to different roads.



System: PC/PS4/PS5/Xbox One/Xbox Series X
 Publisher: THQ Nordic
 Developer: Three Fields Entertainment
 Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
 Release Date: TBA

Billboards - Smash three different types of Billboards: "Ad Breaks" can just be broken, "Promotional Stunts" need a special Stunt, and "Wrecktaculars" track your biggest Stunt score as you hit em.
 Vacant Lots - Empty areas you'll discover offer an opportunity to build structures that can have an impact. Example: Add a police station and see more of a police presence.



System: Nintendo Switch/PS4/PS5
Publisher: Microids
Developer: Meridiem Games
Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
Release Date: December 2022

As a new dragon care taker, you'll be in charge of your very own nursery. Whatever its element (water, air, fire or earth) your baby dragon will need a lot of love and attention to grow and flourish. You'll have to be attentive to their needs in order to provide them with their favorite treats. Watch them hatch and help them grow their magic skills, showering them with cuddles and sweets until they take off for the Dragon School. Only the best care takers capable of increasing their magic knowledge will gain the dragon's trust and maybe even become their friend!



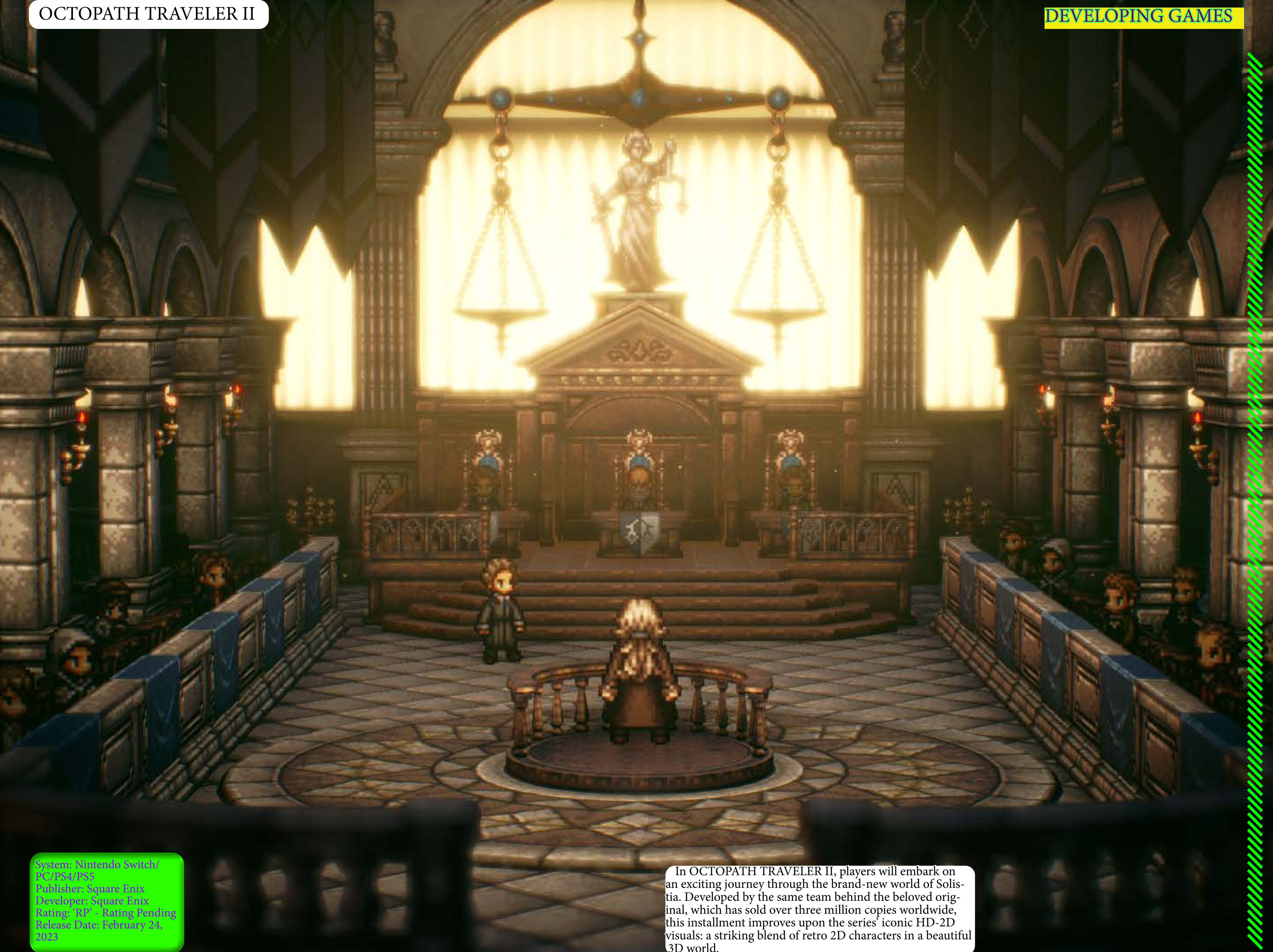
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 Developer: Meridiem Games
 Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
 Release Date: December 2022

Hatch the cutest dragon babies – Put your hands on the coveted dragon eggs, hatch them by providing a warm and cozy environment with the help of smooth and cute items. Each dragon is bound to one of the four natural element, provisioning to their specific needs will be key to help them grow. It will be up to you to find which family each dragon belongs to hatch it and help it grow!



System: Nintendo Switch/PS4/PS5
 Publisher: Microids
 Developer: Meridiem Games
 Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
 Release Date: December 2022

Teach your dragon to fly and learn magic! – As a dragon care taker, you will be tasked with their development, including teaching them all the tricks they need to know. Train them to use their wings as well as their magic skills, preparing them for the dragon school!



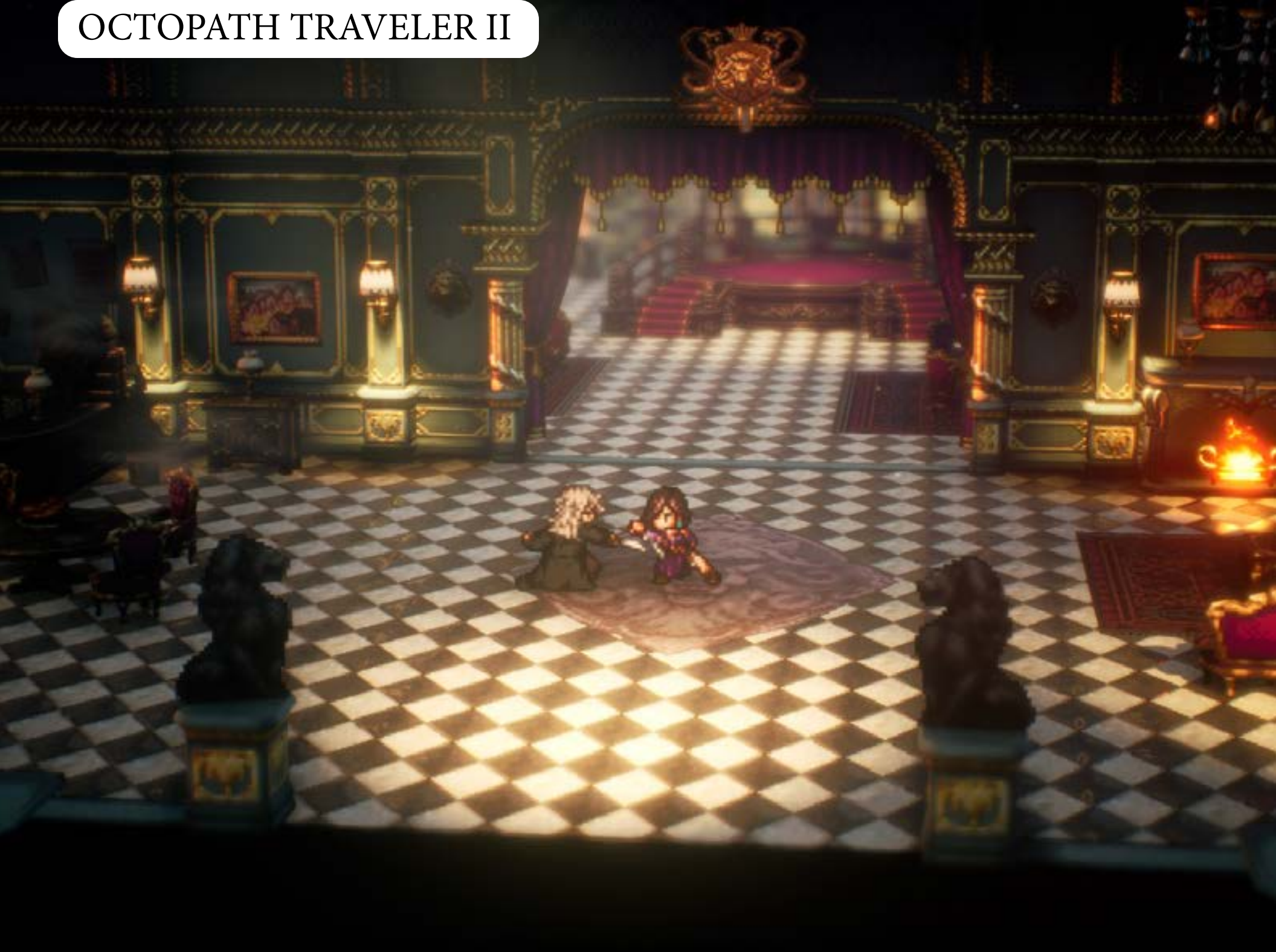
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Developer: Square Enix
Rating: "RP" - Rating Pending
Release Date: February 24,
2023

In OCTOPATH TRAVELER II, players will embark on an exciting journey through the brand-new world of Solistia. Developed by the same team behind the beloved original, which has sold over three million copies worldwide, this installment improves upon the series' iconic HD-2D visuals: a striking blend of retro 2D characters in a beautiful 3D world.



System: Nintendo Switch/
PC/PS4/PS5
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: Square Enix
Rating: "RP" - Rating Pending
Release Date: February 24,
2023

The game's new storyline, characters and features make it the perfect entry for newcomers to the series, while also preserving the charm of the original game for veteran players. Players can look forward to following the journey of eight distinct protagonists as they explore the land and conquer enemies in strategic turn-based battles on an adventure all their own.



System: Nintendo Switch/
PC/PS4/PS5
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: Square Enix
Rating: "RP" - Rating Pending
Release Date: February 24,
2023

Break & Boost Battle System – Players must act strategically to exploit enemy weaknesses to “Break” them in order to inflict more damage, and “Boost” their travelers to enhance their abilities.
Path Actions – Players can interact with NPCs throughout the world in various ways by using actions unique to each character. Path Actions will vary depending on the protagonist and whether it is day or night.



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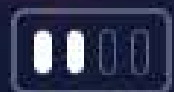
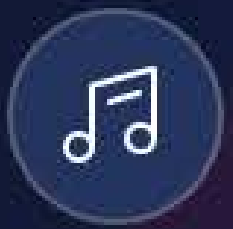


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EXPLORE YOUR FIERCE SIDE



SUGGESTED MUSICAL GENRE



System: Nintendo Switch/PS4/PS5/Xbox One/Xbox Series X
Publisher: Ubisoft
Developer: Ubisoft Paris
Rating: 'E' - SIX and OLDER ONLY {Comic Mischief, Mild Cartoon Violence, Mild Lyrics}
Release Date: Out Now

New Art Direction and Redesigned User Interface: Jump into a whole new world of Just Dance, complete with a fresh look and feel, immersive 3D worlds and intuitive navigation menus.

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PERFECT
 ENTER

Sunny
PERFECT

Happy
OK

Funky
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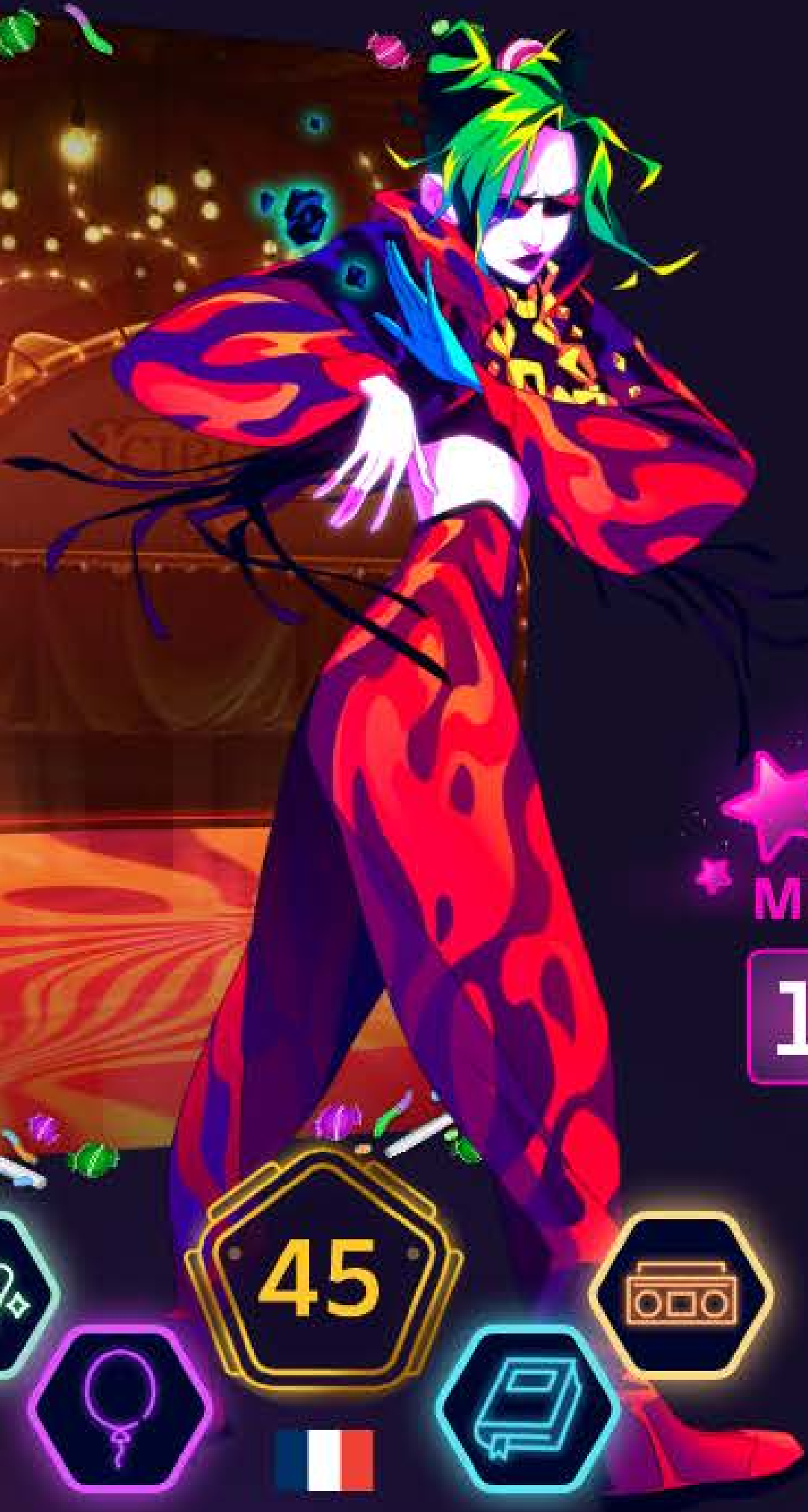
Crazy
SUPER



System: Nintendo Switch/PS4/
 PS5/Xbox One/Xbox Series X
 Publisher: Ubisoft
 Developer: Ubisoft Paris
 Rating: 'E' - SIX and OLDER
 ONLY (Comic Mischief, Mild
 Cartoon Violence, Mild Lyrics)
 Release Date: Out Now

Powerful Recommendation System: The new and improved recommendation system offers players personalized playlists and curated songs right at their fingertips.
 Free Content Updates: Just Dance will provide regular, ongoing updates so players can expect new game modes, songs and themed seasons for years to come!

Winner



System: Nintendo Switch/PS4/
PS5/Xbox One/Xbox Series X
Publisher: Ubisoft
Developer: Ubisoft Paris
Rating: 'E' - SIX and OLDER
ONLY {Comic Mischief, Mild
Cartoon Violence, Mild Lyrics}
Release Date: Out Now

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Progression and Rewards: Players can move up in the ranks with the brand-new progression system, allowing them to earn in-game points for each completed dance. These points will go toward unlocking new rewards, such as customizing dancer cards for the first time in Just Dance! Players can personalize their dancer card to fit their own personality by modifying the avatar, background, name badge and alias. They can also redeem points to receive emote stickers, which can be used to communicate with other players in Online Groups.



System: Nintendo Switch/PC/PS4
 Publisher: NIS America
 Developer: Nihon Falcom
 Rating: "T" - THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Fantasy Violence, Language, Simulated Gambling, Suggestive Themes, Use of Drugs}
 Release Date: Out Now

When Lloyd Bannings is assigned to Crossbell's Special Support Section, he and his new teammates must prove themselves as they fight to overcome the injustice of a city gripped by corruption.

SCREENSHOT TAKEN FROM THE



System: Nintendo Switch/PC/PS4
 Publisher: NIS America
 Developer: Nihon Falcom
 Rating: "T" - THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Fantasy Violence, Language, Simulated Gambling, Suggestive Themes, Use of Drugs}
 Release Date: Out Now

"The Geofront has always had one primary goal at the forefront of our minds: to give the localizations of Trails from Zero and Trails to Azure the love and care that games of their quality deserve" - Geofront

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SCREENSHOT TAKEN FROM THE



System: PC/Xbox Series X
Publisher: Xbox Games Studios
Developer: Asobo Studios
Rating: 'E' - SIX and OLDER ONLY
Release Date: Out Now

Microsoft Flight Simulator is a very graphically intense video game with all kinds of cool locales to discover. In fact Microsoft Flight Simulator calls these discovery flights. Families can also pick a place in the world and go and fly from there to somewhere else.



System: PC/Xbox Series X
 Publisher: Xbox Games Studios
 Developer: Asobo Studios
 Rating: 'E' - SIX and OLDER ONLY
 Release Date: Out Now

Microsoft Flight Simulator looks beautiful and it sounds great too. There were all kinds of ohs and ahs when I was playing Microsoft Flight Simulator. I did notice a few graphical glitches here and there. I also noticed some things missing like Safeco Fields. The cars driving sideways on a hill was outstanding.

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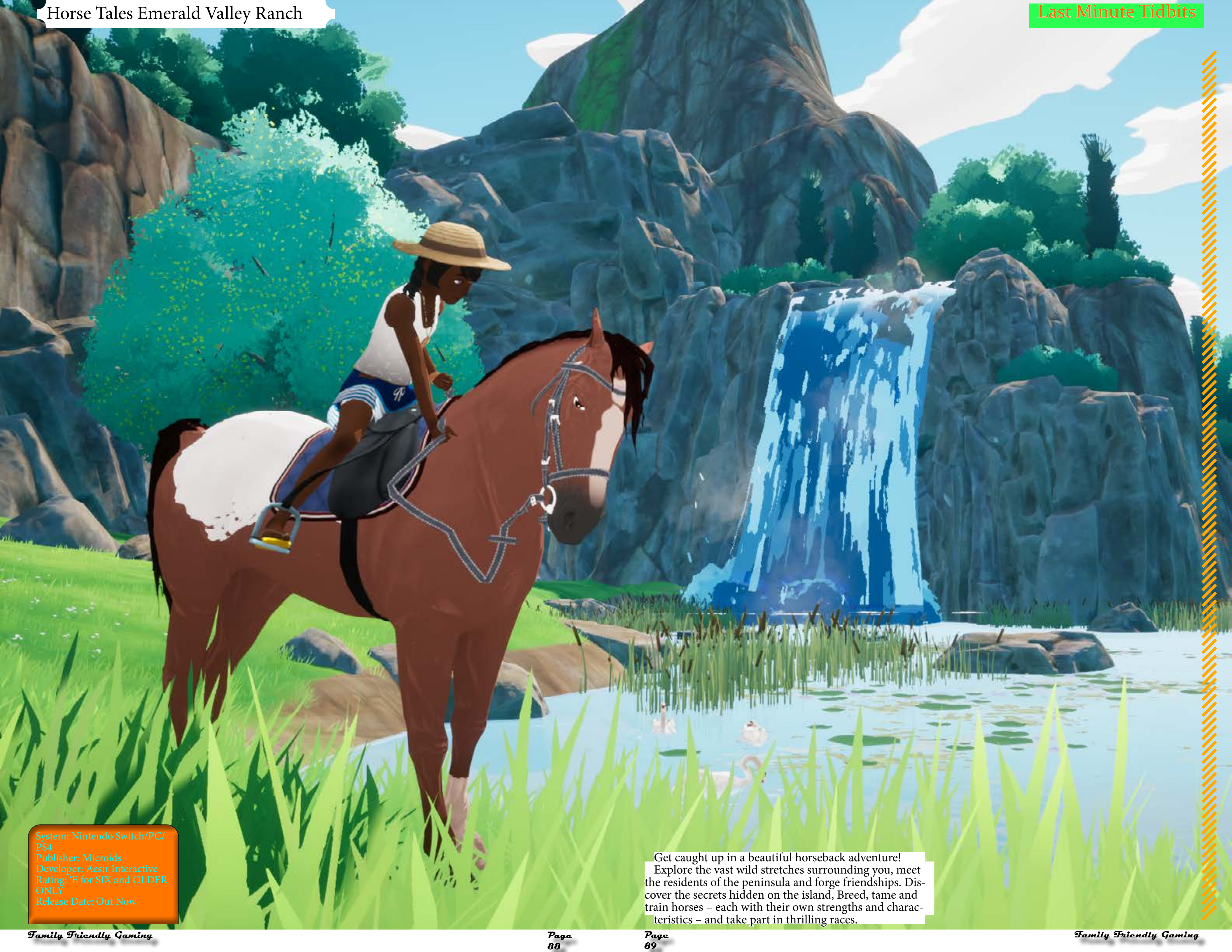
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System: Nintendo Switch/PC/PS4
 Publisher: Microids
 Developer: Aesir Interactive
 Rating: E for SIX and OLDER ONLY
 Release Date: Out Now

Get caught up in a beautiful horseback adventure! Explore the vast wild stretches surrounding you, meet the residents of the peninsula and forge friendships. Discover the secrets hidden on the island, Breed, tame and train horses – each with their own strengths and characteristics – and take part in thrilling races.



System: Nintendo Switch/PC/PS4
 Publisher: Microids
 Developer: Aesir Interactive
 Rating: E for SIX and OLDER ONLY
 Release Date: Out Now

Set off on a poetic horseback adventure and relish the feeling of total freedom in a vast open world. Gallop through various, enchanting landscapes, along the seashore, in the forest, near a coral lagoon, and more. Who knows, maybe you will discover a few secrets as you explore them.



System: Nintendo Switch/PC/
PS4
Publisher: Microids
Developer: Aesir Interactive
Rating: E for SIX and OLDER
ONLY
Release Date: Out Now

Develop your skills as a horse rider, take care of your horses, train them and breed them to add the finest steeds to your stud farm. By breeding strategically, you will be able to enhance their abilities and obtain unique coat colors for your mounts.



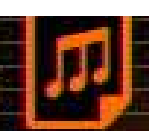
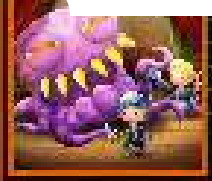
System: Nintendo Switch/
PC/PS4/PS5/Xbox One/
Xbox Series X
Publisher: 2K Sports
Developer: Visual Concepts
Rating: 'E' for SIX and OLD-
ER ONLY
Release Date: Out Now

Traversal Times: Based on community feedback, the City is slightly smaller than in NBA 2K22 to provide a better experience. Also, Fast Travel stations have been added to quickly jump around the City;
Affiliation Boroughs: Completely revamped boroughs have relocated and turned thematic destinations that really touch upon the true essence of each borough;



System: Nintendo Switch/
 PC/PS4/PS5/Xbox One/
 Xbox Series X
 Publisher: 2K Sports
 Developer: Visual Concepts
 Rating: 'E' for SIX and OLD-
 ER ONLY
 Release Date: Out Now

The Block and Theater: The new mecca of competi-
 tion, the Block, is located in the exact center of the
 City where players can find all of the great content in one
 central hub. The Theater replaces the warehouse build-
 ings and will serve as a hub to play instant matchmaking
 games. Every Friday, the four-event playlist will complete-
 ly swap out to four new events.



Grand Finale

FINAL FANTASY VI

196 CHAIN



System: PS4/Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: Indieszero
Rating: "T" for THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY
Date: Out February 216, 2023

Featuring 385 FINAL FANTASY tracks in the base game, the Digital Deluxe and Premium Digital Deluxe Editions include music from various SQUARE ENIX series, such as NieR, SaGa, LIVE A LIVE, OCTOPATH TRAVELER and more.

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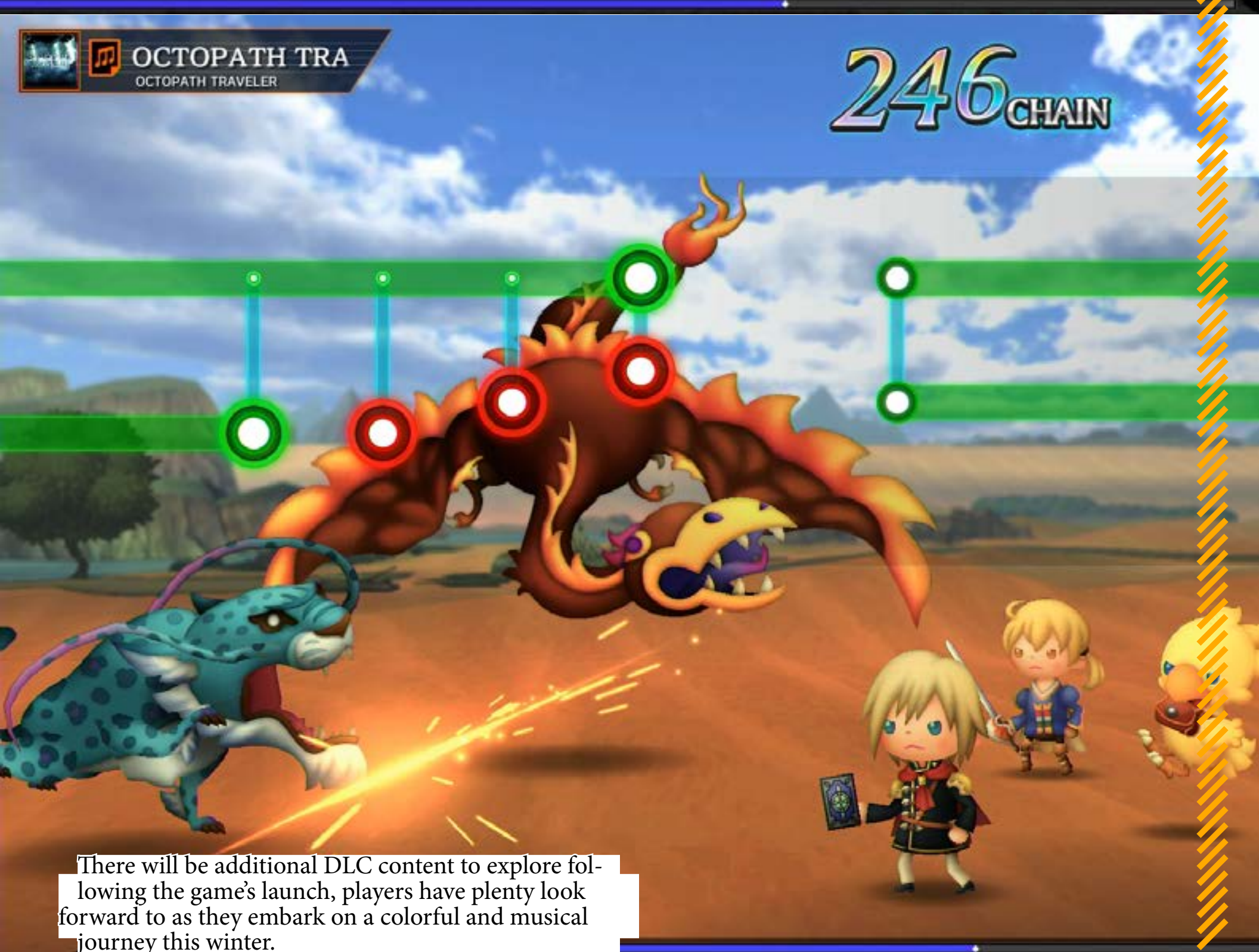
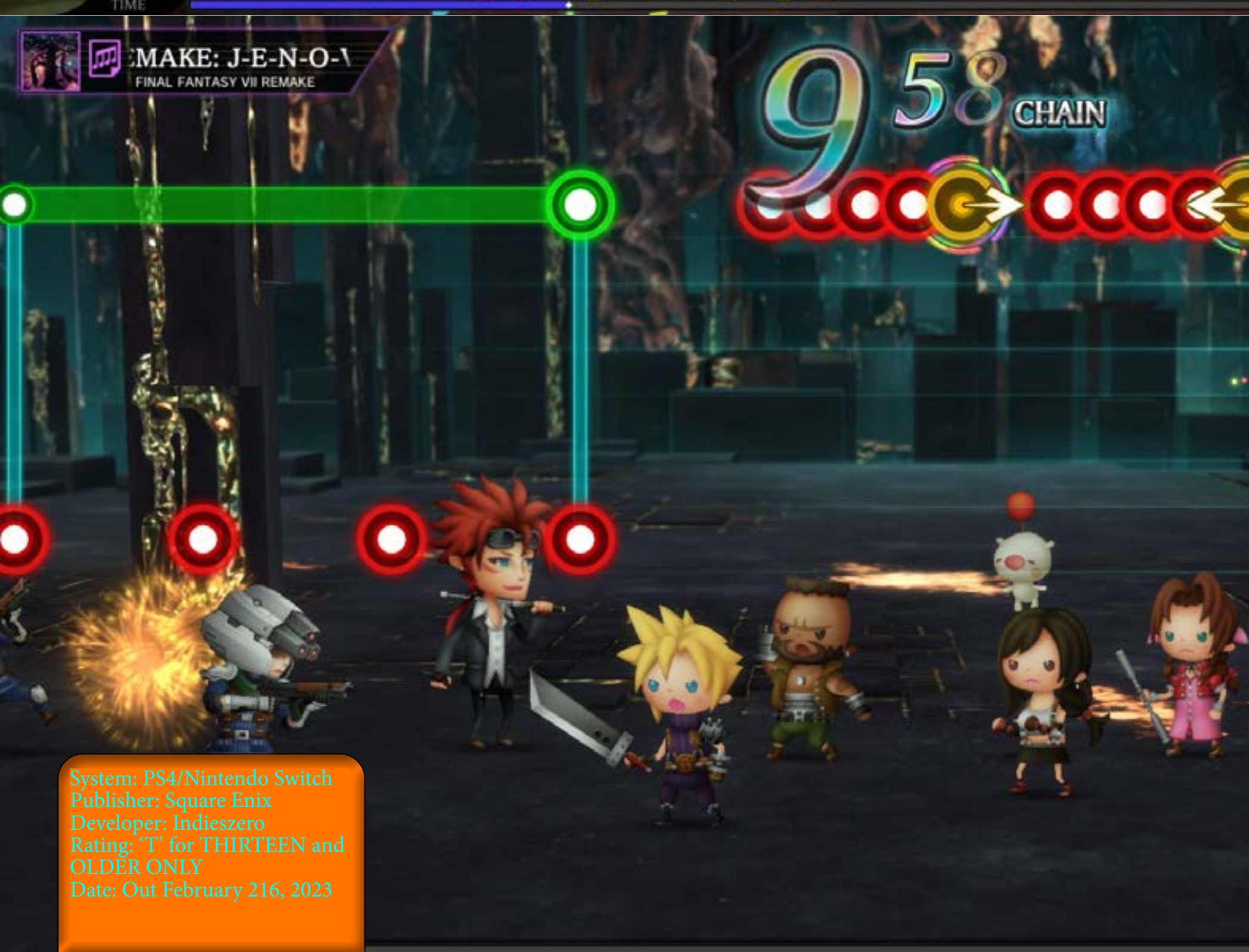
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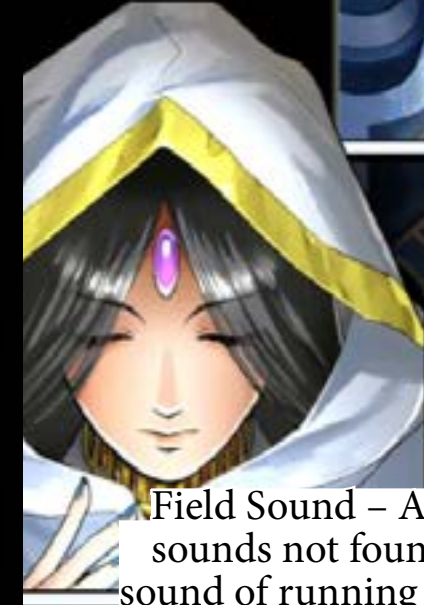
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FINAL FANTASY VII REMAKE

System: PS4/Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: Indieszero
Rating: "T" for THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY
Date: Out February 216, 2023

There will be additional DLC content to explore following the game's launch, players have plenty look forward to as they embark on a colorful and musical journey this winter.



System: Nintendo Switch/
 PC/PS4/Xbox One
 Publisher: Konami
 Developer: Konami
 Rating: 'RP' for Rating Pending
 Release Date: 2023



Leknaat
 Never forget that. You must choose what is right.
 Do you understand?

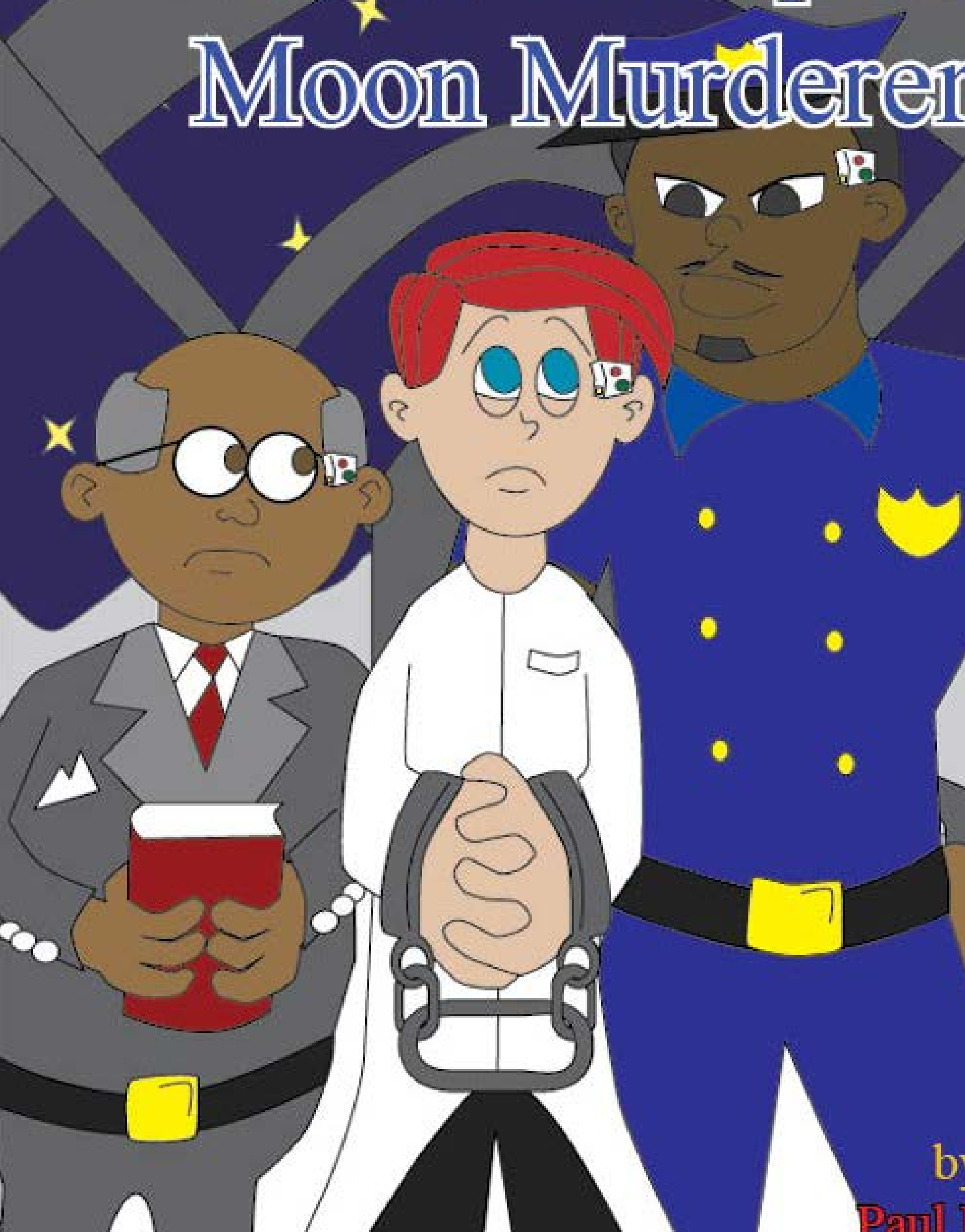
Field Sound – A large number of environmental sounds not found in the original version, such as the sound of running water in the river, wind, insects, and running footsteps, have been added. You can enjoy an immersive experience like never before!



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 Publisher: Konami
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 Release Date: 2023

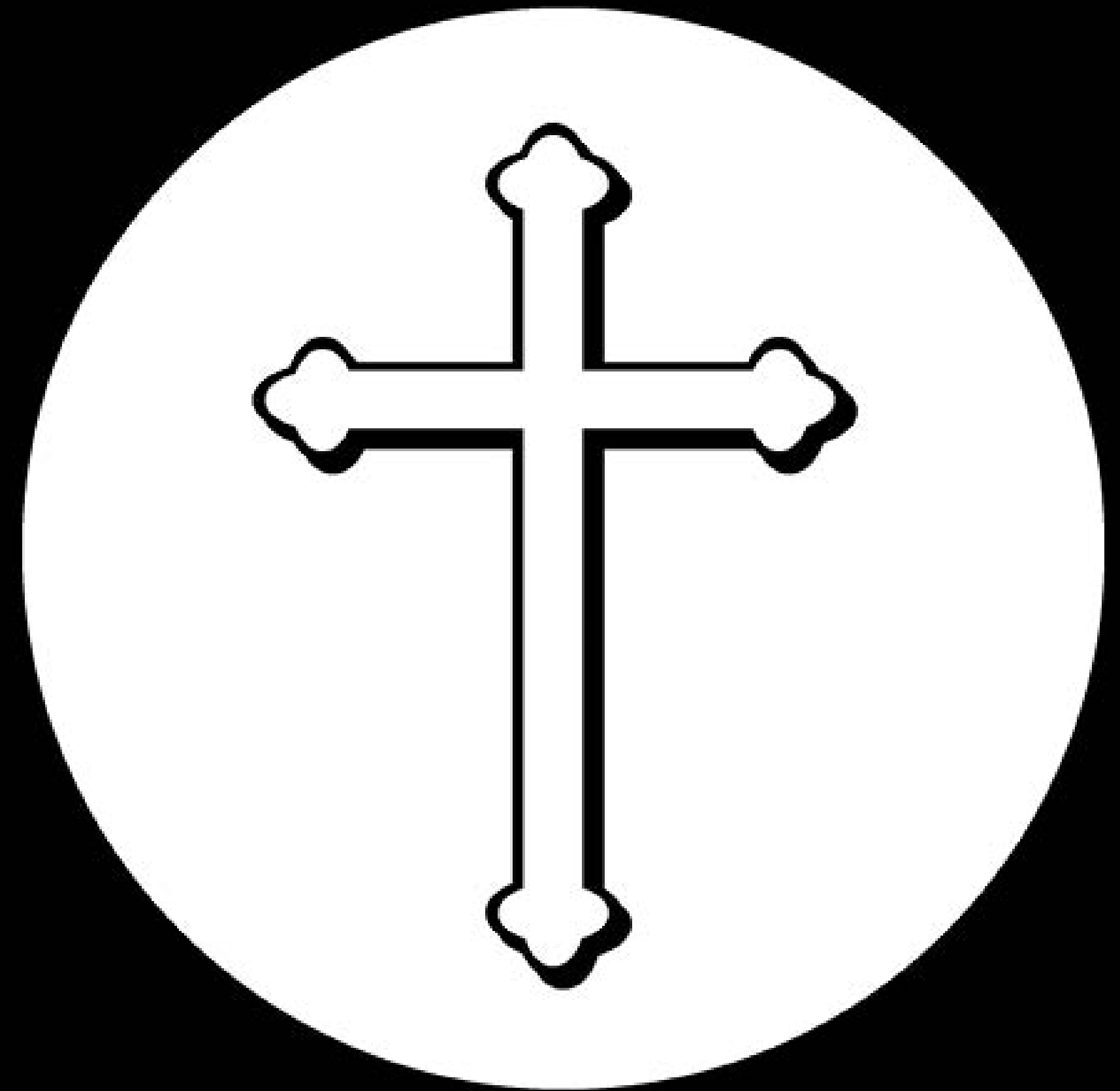
Pixel sprites and environment art enhanced with new screen effects including lighting, clouds, and shadow animations. Flickering flames, smoldering smoke, the movement of leaves and insects, all add up to a lively in-game atmosphere!

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