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IT'S AUGUST, THE MONTH OF **SUNNY DAYS** and abundant gardens and quieter-than-normal libraries. Is everyone on vacation? Not us! There are loads of new titles coming into our warehouse this month. Be sure to check out this newsletter for the entire list but be aware that there are a couple of blockbusters coming: Madden NFL 22, Power Rangers, and Worms Rumble. Everyone will want to get those on their shelves asap.

If your library uses the clear One-Time DVD cases, we now have those in stock. We can process your materials into those or just ship the cases in bulk to your library.

One housekeeping note: we pushed back our annual inventory to the week of August 9, so we will be closed for shipments during that week. You can still place orders but nothing will be shipped during the week that we count up our stock.

I hope you find time to enjoy this balmy month, in between ordering video games of course!

Molly Klise, President Thomas Klise/Crimson Multimedia



CLASSIC RACERS ELITE

© 2021 GS2 Games

A pure time-attack racing game that takes place in the 60s. In this hill climb racing game, the goal is

simple: you are at the bottom of the hill and, like in rally, you must climb to the top as fast as possible. The Elite version includes time attack on the tracks encompassing the full scope of vintage driving. Try to score the best time on the leaderboards of the many tracks available. Enjoy the era of the iconic cars and drive them brutally to get the best of them. Be the first on the worldwide leaderboards. Rated E.

\$50 P4-GS210800 PlayStation 4 PlayStation 5 \$50 P5-GS210800 SW-GS210800 Switch \$40



EVER FORWARD

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Maya is lost in a strange world somewhere between reality and imagination. She is alone to confront her despair on her journey of

discovery, where she must unlock her memories and confront her fears to unravel the secrets of the world. Players will need to use their observational skills and intelligence to solve multiple puzzles to piece together the mystery of Maya. Rating pending.

P5-CM210801 PlayStation 5 \$40 SW-CM210801 **Switch** \$40



FLIGHT SIMULATOR

© 2021 Microsoft

From light planes to wide-body jets, fly highly detailed and accurate aircraft in the next generation of

Microsoft Flight Simulator. Test your piloting skills against the challenges of night flying, realtime atmospheric simulation, and live weather in a dynamic and living world. Create your flight plan to anywhere on the planet. The world is at your fingertips. This version only plays on Xbox Series X and is optimized for Xbox Series X. Games optimized for Xbox Series X will showcase unparalleled load-times, heightened visuals, and steadier framerates. Rated E. XX-MS210816 Xbox X \$60

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FORECLOSED

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Foreclosed is a narrative-driven action-adventure set in a cyberpunk world filled with action, suspense, and experimental augmentations.

Follow the story of Evan Kapnos, his identity recently foreclosed, stripped of his job, his brain implants and his access to the city block-chain. He must now escape before his identity and implants are auctioned off. Foreclosed combines the playability of video games with the sleek visual aesthetic of comic books. Everything from game-play to cinematics are experienced within the stylistic framework of a graphic novel. Full screen and comic panel perspectives are seamlessly blended as you move throughout Foreclosed's cyberpunk city, uncovering a gripping conspiracy story. Rated M.

\$25 P4-CM210802 PlayStation 4 P5-CM210802 PlayStation 5 \$25 SW-CM210802 Switch \$30 X1-CM210802 **Xbox One** \$25



GHOST OF TSUSHIMA DIRECTOR'S CUT

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In the late 13th century, the Mongol empire has laid waste to entire

nations along their campaign to conquer the East. Tsushima Island is all that stands between mainland Japan and a massive Mongol invasion fleet led by the ruthless and cunning general, Khotun Khan. As the island burns in the wake of the first wave of the Mongol assault, samurai warrior Jin Sakai stands as one of the last surviving members of his clan. He is resolved do whatever it takes, at any cost, to protect his people and reclaim his home. He must set aside the traditions that have shaped him as a warrior to forge a new path, the path of the Ghost, and wage an unconventional war for the freedom of Tsushima. Rated M.

P5-S0210814 PlayStation 5

HADES

© 2021 Take 2

In this rogue-like dungeon crawler from the creators of Bastion and Transistor, you'll wield the powers

\$60

and mythic weapons of Olympus to break free from the clutches of the god of the dead himself, while growing stronger and unraveling more of the story with each unique escape attempt. Rated T.

P4-TK210803 PlayStation 4 PlayStation 5 P5-TK210803 \$30 X1-TK210803 **Xbox One** \$30



KEYWE

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The mail must flow! KeyWe is a cute, co-operative postal puzzler starring Jeff and Debra, two small kiwi birds working in a whimsical post office.

With no hands to help them, they must jump, flap, peck and slam their way across an interactive landscape of levers, bells and buttons to get those messages delivered on time. Encounter perilous postal environments and navigate seasonal hazards while waddling through the Telepost's various mail rooms. Partner up with a pal to help these adorable kiwis complete their tasks, whatever the weather. Unlock new accessories to customise your kiwi and become the best-dressed mail bird in Bungalow Basin. Rated E.

| P4-UI210805 P5-UI210805 | PlayStation 4 PlayStation 5 | \$30 \$30 |
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| X1-UI210805 | Xbox One | \$30 |



KINGS BOUNTY II

© 2021 Koch Media

King's Bounty II is the long-awaited sequel to the legendary King's Bounty video games franchise, one of the

most iconic representatives of the turn-based RPG genre. The game offers players a truly immersive experience with turn-based combat that adds weight to their every decision, whether leading an army into battle against unliving horrors or interacting with other characters across the lands. Rated T.

| P4-KM210806 | PlayStation 4 | \$60 |
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| SW-KM210806 | Switch | \$60 |
| X1-KM210806 | Xbox One | \$60 |



MADDEN NFL 22

© 2021 Electronic Arts

Win the Super Bowl and build an NFL Dynasty as a player, coach or owner. An expansive new set of features puts you

in charge of literally everything. (Yes, that includes winning Super Bowls.) Hire and manage your coaching staff and dish out staff points to upgrade your coaching crew's specialized talent trees.

Regulate your team's practice reps, counter your opponent's strengths, and integrate your strategies into play-calling. So when gameday happens you're ready for anything. Oh, and forget about last season. An enhanced scenario engine will ensure that this Franchise season, and every one after it is going to be different. Got all that? Good. Now go win championships. Rated E.

| PlayStation 4 | \$60 |
|---------------|---------------------------|
| PlayStation 5 | \$70 |
| Xbox One | \$60 |
| Xbox X | \$70 |
| | PlayStation 5 Xbox One |

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NO MORE HEROES 3

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Our hero, Travis Touchdown, must make it to the top of the Galactic Superhero Rankings in order to stop the evil Prince FU and his

ten alien assassins from taking over the Earth. Earn money to enter ranked battles! To enter into each subsequent ranked battle, you'll need to pay a pretty steep fee. Travis must take on various missions around town to make the money he needs to fight. An invitation to the next fight will be sent once the required fees have been transferred via ATM. Use your skills to dominate opponents! Rated M.

SW-ND210807 Switch \$60



POWER RANGERS: BATTLE FOR THE GRID SUPER EDITION

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Stronger together! Now you have a chance to pit current and classic

Power Rangers and villains like never before in 3v3 tag team battles, featuring 23 different playable characters, and including the latest Street Fighter crossover characters Ryu and Chun-Li. The controls promote simplicity and fluidity, enabling beginners to enjoy the combat system and encouraging advanced players to delve into its gameplay mechanics - including real-time assist takeovers, dynamic defense through push blocking and aerial guard, customizable juggle combos, and a unique Megazord comeback mode. Rated T.

P4-MX210817 PlayStation 4 \$50 SW-MX210817 Switch \$50 X1-MX210817 Xbox One \$50



PRINNY PRESENTS NIS CLASSICS VOLUME 1

© 2021 KOEI

This is the first installment of a quintessential Strategy RPG lover's collection, which boasts 2 games in

1 with more than 60 hours of gameplay. For the first time ever, both Soul Nomad and Phantom Brave are available on Nintendo Switch, allowing returning fans to relive the classics and new fans to discover two unique RPG titles. Rated T.

SW-K0210809 Switch \$6



RIMS RACING SIM

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RiMS Racing is the first motorbike simulation to combine a realistic racing challenge together with

engineering and mechanics! Ride the world's most powerful motorbikes and optimize their performance by swapping out parts, analyzing data in real-time and keep track of individual components wearing down. A race is not won purely on the track, so you need to become more than a rider by understanding motorbike behavior like a real engineer. Traction, angle, braking, torque, trajectory, speed ... every factor can be taken into account, before heading into the workshop to change and optimize components to configure the optimal set-up for success on the track! Rating pending.

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| P4-MX210810 | PlayStation 4 | \$40 |
| P5-MX210810 | PlayStation 5 | \$40 |
| SW-MX210810 | Switch | \$40 |
| X1-MX210810 | Xbox One | \$40 |



THE FORGOTTEN CITY

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Trapped in a secret underground city during the Roman Empire, twenty-three lost souls cling to life.

In this precarious utopia, if one person breaks the mysterious Golden Rule, everyone dies. As a time-traveler drawn two thousand years into the past, you'll relive their final moments in an endless loop, exploring and interrogating, and changing the course of the day with each secret you uncover. Only by cleverly exploiting the time loop and making difficult moral choices can you hope to solve this epic mystery. Here, your decisions matter. The fate of the city is in your hands. Rated T.

P5-MX210815 PlayStation 5 \$40 X1-MX210815 Xbox One \$40



TORMENTED SOULS

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Tormented Souls is a return to classic survival horror. With a fresh twist on the fixed perspective

adventure, Tormented Souls modernizes for a new generation as Caroline Walker investigates the mysterious disappearance of twin girls in a terrifying mansion-turned-hospital. Can Caroline Walker escape with the truth? Will she escape with her life? Rating pending.

P5-UI210812 PlayStation 5 \$40



WORMS RUMBLE FULLY LOADED EDITION

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Worms Rumble Fully Loaded Edition is Worms like you've never played

it before, with intense, real-time, arena-based 32 player cross-platform combat. Get ready for frantic Deathmatches and intense Last Worm Standing! Use a variety of fan-favorite weapons like the Bazooka, Shotgun and Sheep Launcher plus all-new additions to the armory to bring the pain to your invertebrate opponents as you climb the ranks. Customize your worm, take part in challenges and seasonal events and experiment with new ways to play in The Lab. This is Worms, reinvented. Rated E10.

P4-UI210813 PlayStation 4 \$30 P5-UI210813 PlayStation 5 \$30 XX-UI210813 Xbox X \$30



