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March 2022 OUR 56TH YEAR

HAPPY MARCH, EVERYONE. This is a big month for our public library friends because the biennial PLA conference is convening this month in Portland, OR. The PLA conference is my favorite which makes it especially painful to be sitting it out. We had many conversations debating IF we would go and then WHO might go and on and on. Ultimately, we decided to play it safe and pin our hopes on ALA in DC in June. Covid has forced us to make a lot of “should we/should we not” decisions and this was a tough one.

In happy news, there are plenty of new titles coming out this month. I always like to see a good selection of E, E10 and T titles on the list and March doesn't disappoint in that regard.

In other happy news, many of our local golf courses open this month. Spring is coming!

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BABYLON'S FALL

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After the Babylonians perished, only their great tower “The Ziggurat” remained. Now a new empire has come to pillage its ruins and uncover its fabled treasures. Join forces with other Sentinels, unwilling subjects forcibly implanted with Gideon Coffin, relics that grant the few survivors unrivalled powers. Ascend to greatness as you climb the looming Tower of Babel and uncover its fabled treasures. Rated T.

P4-SE220300 PlayStation 4 \$60
P5-SE220300 PlayStation 5 \$60



CRYSTAR

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A girl named Rei and Mirai, her little sister, are dragged into the afterworld of Purgatory. To save her sister, Rei signs a contract with the demons of Purgatory to fight the monsters infesting their world. Rei and her fellow executors must face their pasts and confront their tears to overcome the torments and monsters ahead of them. Will Rei save her sister's soul before it's too late? Rated T.

SW-KO220301 Switch \$50



DEATH END RE: QUEST 2

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Mai Toyama seeks an escape from her traumatic past. She enrolls at Wordsworth, an all-girl's dormitory situated in the small, mountainous town known as Le Choara where it was rumored that her sister, Sanae, was last seen. Hopeful, Mai seeks to find her kin, but soon finds terrifying inhabitants which lurk throughout the town after dark. Around every cobblestone corner, Mai discovers that her hope of finding her sister lies beneath the long-buried secrets which haunt Le Choara. Rated M.

SW-CM220302 Switch \$50



DISCO ELYSIUM - THE FINAL CUT

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A groundbreaking role playing game. Become a hero or an absolute disaster. Disco Elysium - The Final Cut is the definitive edition of the groundbreaking role playing game. You're a detective with a unique skill system at your disposal and a whole city block to carve your path across. Interrogate unforgettable characters, crack murders, or take bribes. Become a hero or an absolute disaster of a human being. Rated M.

SW-SK220326 Switch \$40



DODGEBALL ACADEMIA

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In a world where dodgeball is life, you join Otto at the academy and train to become the ultimate dodgeball champion. Across eight episodes, you'll forge friendships and create rivals, all in the name of developing the best dodgeball team. Level up Otto and develop a dynamic team across a vast and customizable party progression system. All the while, explore the vast Dodgeball Academia and uncover the long-hidden truths that reside within the very walls you live, learn, and dominate. Rated E.

P4-UI220320 PlayStation 4 \$30
SW-UI220320 Switch \$30



FINAL FANTASY ORIGIN: STRANGER OF PARADISE

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Jack and his allies, Ash and Jed, burn with the resolve to defeat Chaos as they throw open the gates to the Chaos Shrine. Yet doubts remain. Are they truly the Warriors of Light the prophecy foretold? Step into a world of dark fantasy and revel in exhilarating action-packed battles. Final Fantasy VII Remake veterans Tetsuya Nomura and Kazushige Nojima join forces with Team Ninja and Koei Tecmo to deliver a bold new vision for Final Fantasy. Rated M.

P4-SE220303 PlayStation 4 \$60
P5-SE220303 PlayStation 5 \$60
X1-SE220303 Xbox One \$60

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FIVE NIGHTS AT FREDDY'S: SECURITY BREACH

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Play as Gregory, a young boy trapped overnight in Freddy Fazbear's Mega Pizzaplex. With the help of Freddy Fazbear himself, Gregory must survive the near-unstoppable hunt of reimagined Five Nights at Freddy's characters as well as new, horrific threats. Rated T.

P4-MX220304 PlayStation 4 \$40
P5-MX220304 PlayStation 5 \$40



GHOSTWIRE: TOKYO

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Tokyo is overrun by deadly supernatural forces, perpetrated by a dangerous occultist, causing Tokyo's population to vanish in an instant. Ally with a powerful spectral entity on their quest for vengeance and master a powerful arsenal of abilities to unravel the dark truth behind the disappearance as you face the unknown. Explore a unique vision of Tokyo twisted by a supernatural presence. Rated T.

P5-BT220323 PlayStation 5 \$60



GRAN TURISMO 7

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Whether you're a competitive or casual racer, collector, tuner, livery designer, or photographer, find your line with Gran Turismo Sport and its staggering collection of game modes including fan-favorites like GT Campaign, Arcade, and Driving School. Rated E10.

P4-SO220305 PlayStation 4 \$60
P5-SE220305 PlayStation 5 \$70



GRAND MOUNTAIN ADVENTURE: WONDERLANDS

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Grand Mountain Adventure:

Wonderlands lets you explore freely at your own pace entire ski resorts and surrounding mountains. Unlock ski lifts and reach new areas by competing in challenges, or enjoy the scenery while you find your own path down the mountains. Fancy having fun with your friends? Go on and play in local multiplayer up to 4 players. The choice is yours! There are 12 complete open-world mountains to explore. Each from a different place in the world and each with its own unique architecture, environment and feeling. Rated E.

SW-MG220322 Switch \$35



HOTEL TRANSYLVANIA SCARY TALE ADVENTURE

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Faced with fearsome foes and fiendish puzzles, you must brave your way through and utilize your special abilities to dash, glide and jump through these spook-tacular storybook worlds. You'll even get to meet iconic HOTEL TRANSYLVANIA characters like Johnny, Murray, Wayne and more, who'll guide you to complete exciting quests and solve devious challenges, along with a coffin-full of collectibles for you to discover. With so much at stake, Drac and Mavis are Count-ing on you to save the day! Rated E10.

P4-UI220306 PlayStation 4 \$30
SW-UI220306 Switch \$30
X1-UI220306 Xbox One \$30



IKAI LAUNCH EDITION

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Ikai embodies the spirit of the classical psychological horror genre with a defenceless main character incapable of attacking the evil creatures. However, it explores a new sense of horror by making the player face the threats directly neither fleeing nor attacking. Every mechanic of the game is meant to raise this relatable feeling of helplessness and create a tense atmosphere. The slow, precise and natural movements as a way of interaction resemble real life's to foster immersion in the uncanny world of Ikai. Rated T.

P4-CM220307 PlayStation 4 \$35
P5-CM220307 PlayStation 5 \$35
SW-CM220307 Switch \$35



IN NIGHTMARE

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In Nightmare is a narrative-driven horror adventure game combining sneak action with diverse puzzles. It follows a young boy in search for the last hope of love who is working out his own salvation by navigating through his fear. Experiencing effects of a broken family, and the heartache it brings, a young child will escape reality into a dark, whimsical world created from his own memories. This sets him on his journey to uncover what truly lies within. Having suffered in reality, his past trauma turns into terrifying monsters that want to keep him in an eternal nightmare. With the help of his dream spirit, the boy will find ways to sneak past enemies, overcome intricate puzzles, embrace his fear, and uncover the truth so that he may be able to purify the monsters he has created, and finally wake up. Rated M.

P4-MX210707 PlayStation 4 \$20
P5-MX220308 PlayStation 5 \$20



KIRBY AND THE FORGOTTEN LAND

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Float off on an all-new adventure as the powerful puffball, Kirby. Explore in 3D stages as you discover a mysterious world with abandoned structures from a past civilization—like a shopping mall?! Copy enemies' abilities like the new Drill and Ranger and use them to attack, explore your surroundings, and save the kidnapped Waddle Dees from the ferocious Beast Pack alongside the mysterious Elfilin. Hope you're hungry for an unforgettable adventure! Rated E10.

SW-ND220309 Switch \$60

ALSO AVAILABLE

RYAN'S RESCUE SQUAD

P4-UI220312 PlayStation 4 \$40
SW-UI220312 Switch \$40
X1-UI220312 Xbox One \$40

STRANDED DEEP

SW-UI220314 Switch \$30

THE CRUEL KING AND THE GREAT HERO - STORYBOOK EDITION

P4-KO220327 PlayStation 4 \$60
SW-KO220327 Switch \$60



MONSTER ENERGY SUPERCROSS 5

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Play the deepest Supercross Career Mode yet. Join the competition as a Futures and start your path to the top in the brand new Rider Shape System: 5 different levels that each affect your rider's stats. Fully customize your Supercross experience with Rhythm Section, Helmet and Sticker editors. Create your helmet and share it online with players from all over the world, on any platform. Challenge your friends with the new Split Screen mode, featuring stunning Supercross multiplayer action on one local device! Rated E.

P4-KM220310 PlayStation 4 \$60
P5-KM220310 PlayStation 5 \$60
X1-KM220310 Xbox One \$60



RUNE FACTORY 5

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In the sleepy border town of Rigbarth, mysterious events are unfolding, affecting the runes that govern the balance between humanity and nature. As the newest ranger for the peacekeeping organisation, SEED, protect the frontier town by rounding up rowdy monsters with your official SEED-issued spell seal. When not on a mission, work with the people of Rigbarth to help the town flourish through farming, festivals and friendships. As the balance of peace begins to shift, however, it comes time to prove yourself. Team up with townsfolk and embark on a grand adventure to unravel the mystery befalling the land, embracing your inner power to halt the descent into chaos. Rated T.

SW-XS220311 Switch \$60

TINY TINA'S WONDERLAND

P4-TK220315 PlayStation 4 \$60
X1-TK220315 Xbox One \$60

TINY TINA'S WONDERLAND NEXT LEVEL EDITION

P5-TK220316 PlayStation 5 \$70
XX-TK220316 Xbox X \$70

TRIANGLE STRATEGY

SW-ND220317 Switch \$60

TROPICO 6: NEXT GEN EDITION

P5-KM220324 PlayStation 5 \$50
XX-KM220324 Xbox X \$50

WRC 10

SW-MG220329 Switch \$40

WWE 2K22

P4-TK220318 PlayStation 4 \$60
P5-TK220318 PlayStation 5 \$70
X1-TK220318 Xbox One \$60
XX-TK220318 Xbox X \$70

YOUTUBERS LIFE 2

P4-MG220325 PlayStation 4 \$30
SW-MG220325 Switch \$30
X1-MG220325 Xbox One \$30

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