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Happeh - August 11, 2014, 4:16 pm

VN STEAM CHALLENGE

Okay AA, I have a plan which might be quite fun. The idea of the challenge is that people will sign up to all play visual novels together. Similar to a reading club, but this time we'll purposely play all the bad ones... which is most on Steam. All the big ones such as Clannad, Kira Kira and A Drug That Makes You Dream are way overdone, the idea is we play all the indie ones on steam, together. We all start at the same time, are given a deadline to finish and then round up on a thread to discuss. We then have a few days break until the next one.

What I want to do here is a draw up a rulebook, get members interested in playing and signing up and also get some suggestions for what visual novels we should play and in what order. So post away and lets get some discussion going.

Beta RulesGame must be available on steam to purchase (how you end up getting it is down to you)

Members must participate in all games and complete them by the pre-set deadline

Games to playSakura Spirit
Hatoful Boyfriend

Participants[Happeh](#)

Gladly - August 11, 2014, 4:35 pm

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Jay? - August 11, 2014, 4:41 pm

Now wait a minute ollie.

You mean to tell me you are purposefully going to be playing shit games on steam that are made for suckers who like anything related to anime?

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Count me in. ?(° ?°)?

Happeh - August 11, 2014, 5:52 pm

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Thats the idea. Should be a good laugh. c:

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GG.

Ang?I - August 11, 2014, 5:53 pm

I wanna be like all the cool kids that read VN's!

Count me in Happeh.

?Tet? - August 11, 2014, 8:36 pm

They're both pretty cheap I'd be down to give this a try. Do you know when you're going to set a deadline?

Nonon Jakuzure - August 11, 2014, 8:42 pm

Out of the two choices you have up, which is the worst in terms of plot?

tweety - August 11, 2014, 9:02 pm

Sounds interesting but I think I'll pass, I got 6 different VN's I need to catch up with and so many series.. >_<! Let me know how it goes, keep this updated.

Vip?r - August 11, 2014, 10:17 pm

(Aug 11, 2014 04:16 PM)Happeh Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) [*]Members must participate in all games and complete them by the pre-set deadlineWould it be possible if I could only play some games? School's going to start and I don't know if I can keep up. Other than that it seems like a pretty cool idea.

Chips Ahoy McCoy - August 11, 2014, 10:25 pm

(Aug 11, 2014 09:56 PM)King~ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Hatoful Boyfriend is the PINNACLE of pigeon dating simulation! No others can even compete!

-snip-

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I kinda agree with King~ here. I wouldn't want to see Sakura Spirit 2 in the works. -.

Hume - August 12, 2014, 5:59 am

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Actual Gameplay!

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Happeh - August 12, 2014, 10:48 am

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As much as I agree, I hope us downloading their \$3 VN will do much for them. Even so there's other places we can get it without playing. I just suggested Steam, because... well pretty much all are terrible. I wouldn't want to play pieces, would ruin the idea of forcing yourself through a game. We want to try and embrace all its badness. :p

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I don't mind that, its just I don't want people picking and choosing which ones they play and what they don't. Idea is you play all the bad ones. So yes, but dont miss many if you can.

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WILL UPDATE THE LIST SOON.

ANY IDEAS FOR MORE VN'S, RULES ETC?

Jay? - August 12, 2014, 11:01 am

We could play something like True Remembrance, Narcissu, or how about Saya no Uta?

Hume - August 12, 2014, 11:34 am

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<http://gamejolt.com/games/other/overawesomekill-fucks-bitches-and-owns-the-olympian-gods/21258/>

There you go. Vouch for this VN, made me cry for days.

KinGxKeV - August 12, 2014, 7:21 pm

(Aug 11, 2014 09:56 PM)King~ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) -snippity snip snip-
Sorry ags :(
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+Cloud - August 13, 2014, 4:10 am

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Jay? - August 13, 2014, 12:38 pm

(Aug 13, 2014 12:37 PM)+Cloud Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) i was referring to doing bad scary illegal things but ok :0 wow i didnt know people like you existed
Nothing wrong with being a ?. Ahoy ahoy.

Happeh - August 13, 2014, 12:47 pm

(Aug 13, 2014 12:37 PM)+Cloud Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) i was referring to doing bad scary illegal things but ok :0 wow i didnt know people like you existed
I don't mind where you buy/get it from long as you have the game ready to play. :D

+Cloud - August 13, 2014, 10:15 pm

Ok Count me in fo'realz!
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