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Hydra - March 19, 2018, 8:08 pm

Another Post Editing Change

After two weeks following the initial post editing changes, [Omniscient](#) has decided to update the 'Time Between Edits' setting from the original thirty seconds down to ten.

(Mar 15, 2018 09:31 PM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I changed the Time Between Edits setting to 10 seconds from 30 seconds.

[>>see post](#)

User NewsNo notable user news this week.

Bans*[Neal Caffrey](#) was banned.

Vacations*[Dredd](#) has taken a vacation.

[CheesyApricot](#) has taken a vacation.

ClosuresNo Notable Closures this week.

Awards[Shutdown](#) has received the [Dunce](#) award.

[Japanese](#) has received the [24k](#) award.

[Kill Joy](#) has received the [Drunk](#) & [The Alien](#) awards.

[Tancrede](#) has received the [Flamer](#) & [Hustler](#) awards.

*As of the Sunday prior to release.

Groups For SaleN/A

Leadership Changes

[MoneyManeLaFlare](#) is now Owner and Leader of Terminal.

Group Recruitments[Terminal - General Recruitment](#)

[Superior - General Recruitment](#)

[SheepGang - Gaming](#)

[Appraisers - Rolling Recruitment](#)

[Sui Generis - Media Recruitment](#)

[Unity - Programming](#)

[Unity - Penetesting Recruitment](#)
[Famous - Social Media](#)
[Sui Generis - GFX Recruitment](#)
[Security Authenticate Magazine Recruitment](#)
[Security Leader Recruitment](#)
[Skill General Recruitment](#)
[Sui Generis - Music Recruitment](#)
[Skill Runescape Recruitment](#)
[Samaritans - Computer Division Recruitment](#)
[Samaritans - Finance Division Recruitment](#)

Group Threads [Appraisers Information](#)
[Influence Information](#)
[Sui Generis Information](#)
[Samaritans Information](#)

*As of the Friday prior to release.

Site Statistics

Total [\(Click to View\)](#)

Posts: 36,562,802 ([color=#32CD32]+0.06873724655859803%|+25,115)

Threads: 3,592,784 (+0.0661205823290345%|+2,374)

Members: 612,435 (+0.685390930941395%|+4,169)

Average [\(Click to View\)](#)

Daily Posts: 843,909 (-0.09104060955772297%|-769)

Daily Threads: 82,925 (-0.09397250701782411%|-78)

Daily New Members: 14,136 (+0.5262409330109534%|+74)

Posts Per Member: 597 (-90.0615948060596%|-5,410)

Replies Per Thread: 587 (+894.9152542372881%|+528)

Ban Statistics

Last Weeks Bans [\(Click to View\)](#)

Staff Bans: 53

... Change from Last Edition: -17

Vacation Bans: 5

... Change from Last Edition: -2

Combined Bans: 58

... Change from Last Edition: -19

Forum Counts

Tab Counts [\(Click to View\)](#)

Notable Sections

[Lounge](#) Threads: 222,771 (+0.1%|+227)

[Lounge](#) Posts: 3,578,885 (+0.16%|+5,661)

[RANF](#) Threads: 71,086 (+0.04%|+30)

[RANF](#) Posts: 1,123,088 (+0.04%|+461)

Common

Threads: 542,344 (+0.08%|+426)

Posts: 8,447,285 (+0.1%|+8,290)

Hack

Threads: 722,545 (+0.04%|+321)

Posts: 6,289,269 (+0.08%|+5,174)

Tech

Threads: 216,664 (+0.04%|+79)
Posts: 1,809,552 (+0.03%|+550)
Code
Threads: 173,917 (+0.03%|+60)
Posts: 1,481,152 (+0.03%|+419)
Game
Threads: 465,676 (+0.02%|+95)
Posts: 4,801,656 (+0.01%|+611)
Groups
Threads: 8,242 (+0.09%|+7)
Posts: 353,908 (+0.06%|+227)
Web
Threads: 87,864 (+0.05%|+44)
Posts: 633,203 (+0.04%|+237)
GFX
Threads: 138,403 (+0.03%|+35)
Posts: 1,031,545 (+0.01%|+147)
Market
Threads: 1,088,241 (+0.08%|+918)
Posts: 9,686,858 (+0.07%|+6,512)
Money
Threads: 136,820 (+0.08%|+105)
Posts: 1,699,467 (+0.02%|+392)

Announcements[Downtime, Database, and Search Rejuvenation](#) - [Omniscient](#)

Omniscient talked about the reasons for the near 24 hour downtime we experienced, as well as a fix for the search feature! Read up more on it.

Informational Threads

[\[Sui Generis\] Getting Started in Music Production Tutorial](#) - [The-Fluffy-Kitty](#)

A great guide on music production.

[\[Sui Generis\] Create Your Own Profile Picture \[Tutorial\]](#) - [Invisible](#)

A great, and simple guide to making your own profile picture.

[\[Sui Generis\] Digital Pixellation Effect \[Tutorial\]](#) - [ryan?](#)

If you're looking to get started on learning digital pixelation effects, read up here.

Entertaining Threads

[There's a fucking lizard in my garage](#) - [Millimeter Peter](#)

There's a lizard in his garage!

We publish the HF News every week yet we have aged members who don't even know we exist! Wear any of the signatures listed below to support us and spread the word about HF News, HF Wiki, and Writers altogether.

Support Signatures [\(Click to View\)](#)

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Important Threads:[Official Wiki](#) | [Notable Member Nominatons](#)

Recently Created Pages:No new pages were created.

Group Pages Recently Completed:N/A. Current work list is notable members! Group Pages will be worked on after the completion of Notable members.

Notable Member Pages Recently Completed:<http://hackforumswiki.net/index.php/Baked> - [?BowmanBot?](http://hackforumswiki.net/index.php/BowmanBot?)

<http://hackforumswiki.net/index.php/Regulus> - [Aerodactyl](#)

<http://hackforumswiki.net/index.php/Wolves> - [Ghost.13](#)

<http://hackforumswiki.net/index.php/Raptor> - [Bromden](#)

<http://hackforumswiki.net/index.php/Steve> - [Vyrez.](#)

Evidence of Ancient Humans Slept Around

Human DNA clearly indicates that our ancient ancestors mated with Neanderthals without abandon. However, scientists have recently discovered a new possible mate hidden in the DNA, the Denisovan. They have also found evidence that this was not a one-time thing. They believe that the inbreeding took place in two phases. According to biostatistician Sharon Browning, Ph.D., "In this work with East Asians, we find a second set of Denisovan ancestry that we do not find in the South Asians and Papuans." Her work at the University of Washington, along with a team from Princeton University, compared 5600 genome sequences from every continent with preserved samples of Denisovan DNA. >>[Source](#)

Lack of Sleep Affects us More Than we may Know

As I am sure many of you are aware, things start to feel different after being awake for long enough. There is now more scientific evidence to back up this phenomenon. Sleep deprivation has a plethora of previously known side effects, as well as a few new ones. The biggest one would be increased levels of anxiety, something not immediately apparent to a person. More generally though, deprivation makes us far more susceptible to negative stimuli. A study was conducted to confirm just this. Those that were sleep deprived for a period of 24 hours experienced far more intense reactions to stimuli across the board. >>[Source](#)

Kim Jong-Un Reportedly to Attempt a Peace Treaty with Trump

Amidst recent conflict, it seems that North Korea and its dictator could have moved past the mentality of warfare and is now in search for ultimate peace. It is no secret that President Donald Trump and supreme leader Kim Jong-Un have had their feuds in the past, as Trump's tweets have made it apparently so. For nearly 60 years, United States and North Korea have been operating coincidentally under a ceasefire, in order to guarantee the safety of each country's standing. Per the NY post, 'There were agreements between the U.S. and North Korea to open up discussion on a peace treaty.' Trump and his organization confirmed the meeting with 5'7" Kim Jong-Un, though no date has been specified as of yet. It is to be believed that a sit-down between the two could be presented by just May, report say. Along this peace treaty, a spokesperson for Kim Jong-Un says, is that a possibility of launching a United States embassy is additionally on table of discussion.

>>[Source](#) >>[Source](#)

UK-turned Russian spy Poisoned with Military-developed Nerve Agent

Sergei Skripal and his daughter Yulia are in critical condition after being attacked by a military-grade nerve agent allegedly developed by Russia. Prime Minister Theresa May stated that the chemical used to hospitalize former Russian Spy and United Kingdom informant Sergei and his daughter "has been identified as one of a group of nerve agents known as Novichok." On March 4, 2018, "[Sergei] Skripal, 66, and his daughter, Yulia, 33, were found slumped on a bench in Salisbury city [center]." They are in critical but stable condition and are being treated cautiously and effectively. The detective who discovered the two, Sgt. Nick Baily, was also exposed to this nerve agent and has, too, been hospitalized. He "remains seriously ill, but has been talking to his family." May instructed the Kremlin to provide an explanation for this occurrence, though no statement was provided, which then the United Kingdom declared its official position on this occurrence, where they placed full responsible for incident on Russia, stating that it was their doing. >>[Source](#)

House Republicans claim no Collusion in 2016 Election

House Republicans have concluded their intelligence interviews, finding no evidence that Russia had assisted President Donald Trump become elected. Furthermore, they also stated that no evidence was found to prove the "Trump campaign colluded with Russia," which has resulted in the closing of their yearlong investigation into the matter. As the Democrats have determined a different result, it is to be expected that many heads will collide and cause further tensions between the already-divided committee. Trump went to Twitter to release this news, stating "THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE HAS, AFTER A 14 MONTH LONG IN-DEPTH INVESTIGATION, FOUND NO EVIDENCE OF COLLUSION OR COORDINATION BETWEEN THE TRUMP CAMPAIGN AND RUSSIA TO INFLUENCE THE 2016 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION." Though the Republicans admit Russians did meddle with the 2016 Presidential Election, they disagree with the accusation that it was to benefit Trump. [>>Source](#)

Pokemon Go: Fan-Favorite Legendary Lugia Returns For A Limited Time

If you missed your chance to get Lugia in the past, have no worries as you will be able to get the chance to once again. Already have one? Great, now you can get another! Starting on March 16, players will finally have the chance to try and capture Lugia for a limited time. As always, you will need to participate in raid bosses in order to unlock the mythical creature, but be warned. Niantic state that they have upgraded its ability, Sky Attack, and has made it stronger. However, Niantic did not state how strong they improved the attack. If you have never done a raid boss, just getting back into the game, or have not played since the ban of botting then the process of getting a raid boss Pokemon is not too hard. Simply put, a raid is a boss battle with a group of people in one area. You work as a team to defeat the Pokemon and after doing so you will have the chance to capture it. Hurry now as Lugia will only be in the game until April 2! [>>Source](#)

March's Pokemon Go Community Day Exclusive Event Move Revealed

The Pokemon Day event for Pokemon Go will be starting shortly this March 25. The previous Pokemon Community Day was a disaster and those who attended the first one in 2017 were highly disappointed. The first event happened in 2017 in a park in Chicago. Players were not allowed to bring certain items into the venue so many people had to leave their belongings outside as a safety precaution. In addition, water was scarce and those who were thirsty were not able to get water. Another major thing people disliked was the phone service! People were unable to connect to the game. It was an outrage as many people flew in from out of the Chicago area to have a day and money wasted. This time around Niantic will be hosting it everywhere. That means instead of a specific venue, everyone will be able to participate worldwide as the event is global and not in a specific spot. The event will begin in the late afternoon and end around your local dinner time (Timezone conflicts, the best way to describe when it starts and ends). During the event, players will obtain triple XP for each capture they get. Lure modules used during the event will last for a wild three hours. The mascot of this event is not Pikachu despite being the most-known Pokemon character, but instead, Bulbasaur will be in the spotlight during the event. Bulbasaur will have an increased spawn rate and its final evolution, Venusaur, will be able to learn an exclusive move, Plant Frenzy, that can only be learned on Pokemon Go Community Day. [>>Source](#)

Drake Sets Records With His Fortnite: Battle Royale Twitch Debut

One of the most popular streams occurred this past weekend when the professional streamer and ex-pro Halo player Tyler "Ninja" Blevins played with the famous rapper Drake on Fortnite. During the time that this was occurring, Ninja's view count peaked over 600,000 viewers almost breaking Twitch's most-viewed history of over one million viewers. Ninja managed to beat Dr. Disrespect's record of over 300,000 viewers after returning from a ban. Although Ninja didn't break the most viewed history he did create a new milestone for a huge peak in concurrent viewers on an individuals channel. In addition to almost peaking one million viewers, Ninja had obtained over

60,000 subscribers in just one night which alone not counting donations amounts to over \$250,000. The two played for a couple of hours before squadding up with the rapper Travis Scott. What a night, right? Would you watch Drake if he started streaming? [>>Source](#)

Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 2 Remastered Leaked On Amazon Italy

A possible easter egg was found on Amazon's Italian website. The popular e-commerce website had a store page saying that this April 30, a remastered version of Call of Duty: MW2 would be released. This is a rumor of course. Activision has not made an announcement on whether or not there will be a remastered version of the game, but many fans of the CoD series would die for it to happen. We do know that Black Ops: 4 will be released later this year but if a remastered version of CoD: MW2 was released the sales chart would be out of this world. [Here](#) is the link to the picture of the Amazon sales website. [>>Source](#)

"Little Witch Academia: Chamber of Time" Hits the West on May 15

If you are a fan of the Little Witch Academia series, then you are in for some news. Bandai Namco has just announced the release of date of their latest game project, Little Witch Academia: Chamber of Time. The game will be released May 15 and will be available for purchase on the PC and PS4. The game was originally supposed to be released in the west February but sadly was not. The game is a sidescrolling action role-playing game. Not much about the game is known yet, however, if you are a PlayStation player and pre-order the game you will have access to an exclusive PS4 theme and will also unlock a pre-order exclusive Grand Charion mini-game. [>>Source](#)

P.A. Works Reveals "So Many Colors in the Future What a Wonderful World" Anime Project

The anime studio P.A. Works who has worked on Shirobako, Sakura Quest, Hanasaku Iroha are currently in the process of working on another new anime series. Most recently, the studio has created a Twitter account along with a website too. Toshiya Shinohara will be directing this anime and all the artwork will be done by Fly. P.A. Works state that more information on the anime will be announced at Anime Japan, as stated on their [Twitter](#). You can see the artwork preview of two characters [here](#). [>>Source](#)

Character Designer Yoshiyuki Sadamoto Draws Special Illustration for "FLCL 2&3" Films

Some outstandingly cute artwork was released as a teaser for the upcoming "FLCL 2&3" films. Character designer Yoshiyuki Sadamoto created an illustration showing off the main characters of the series. Originally produced in 2000-2001 by Gainax and Production I.G. the series was eventually sold to Production I.G. in 2015. If this interests you, it will be aired on Adult Swim in the United States. Instead of a film-esque style, it will be aired like a normal anime series with two seasons. However, in Japan, it will be shown as two movies FLCL 2 and FLCL 3. During the Anime Japan event this spring, a special set that includes various different items for 4,000 yen. The box set includes things like a keyholder, two tickets to the film and much more. If you are interested in seeing the awesome artwork, you can [here](#). [>>Source](#)

Lukas - March 20, 2018, 9:08 pm

Good shit.

Guy who did the world news killed it once again. Informational threads looks poppin' too.

Positive - March 20, 2018, 10:38 pm

Great news.

Just so you know, in the awards section you put flamer award once but the name twice.

Tancrede - March 21, 2018, 1:01 am

(Mar 20, 2018 10:38 PM)Positive Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Great news.

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Good found :P

OT: Very nice thread as always, enjoyed reading it!

test - March 21, 2018, 1:06 am

(Mar 20, 2018 10:38 PM)Positive Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Great news.

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Was about to say time to fire the proof-reading team:

Thanks for your continued work, News Team.

frsnix - March 21, 2018, 6:03 am

Nice edition for this week. The possible peace treaty is an interesting read. The lack of sleep article is also something, didn't realize it could cause anxiety.

Hydra - March 21, 2018, 7:15 am

(Mar 20, 2018 10:38 PM)Positive Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Great news.

Just so you know, in the awards section you put flamer award once but the name twice.

Fixed! Thank you.

(Mar 21, 2018 01:06 AM)testaccountplsignore Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Was about to say time to fire the proof-reading team:

Thanks for your continued work, News Team.

You hear that Illuminati? They want you fired!!

SaintJimmy - March 21, 2018, 8:28 am

Another great read Hydra. Nice work man. :)

ZuGgY - March 21, 2018, 9:36 am

Nice catch-up thread. Haven't been on HF for a while, so this is great, as always. Thank you.

Soulmate~?? - March 21, 2018, 10:43 am

(Mar 21, 2018 01:06 AM)testaccountplsignore Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Was about to say time to fire the proof-reading team:

Thanks for your continued work, News Team.

Proof reading? Our tight budget can't afford that.

Lukas - March 21, 2018, 4:03 pm

(Mar 21, 2018 10:43 AM)Soulmate~?? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Proof reading? Our tight budget can't afford that.

We can't afford a budget.

Cryst?I - *March 26, 2018, 9:55 am*

Great edition iHydra! Good job done, cheers!

Youtube Comments - *March 26, 2018, 10:04 am*

another good news edition, love the layout