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Thread: [Where to find an active gaming community?](#)

ProtoUltima - October 5, 2019, 1:52 pm

Hey all!

I'm looking to become a member of an active gaming community. Games have recently become a big part of my life again and I'm looking to have people to play alongside on a range of different games.

I have both ps4 and PC, so I play a variety of games.

It would be nice to be part of a community that varies across different games also

Hit me up if anyone knows of anything!

Thanks

adrestia1105 - October 5, 2019, 2:22 pm

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This is exactly the type of reply I was looking for, thank you!

I have been using reddit, however not this particular subreddit. I'll give this one a shot now.

If you know of any channels that you could point me in the direction of on Discord, I'd be appreciative of that also.

stavm3 - October 6, 2019, 6:49 am

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I have to be honest with you, I am kinda old (early 30s) and I have not been playing hardcore in the past few years (I would play 6+ hours when I was in school/university and 16+ hours on weekends!). But, I think there are many good steam communities out there. There are many, many guides,

groups, etc on Steam! If you find some like minded people then you can invite them to your Discord and create an awesome gaming of yourself!

Please have in mind that the more competitive a game is, the more toxic the average person becomes! That's why games like CSGO and LoL are notorious.

Based on my experience, players of these games are mostly friendly and welcoming, you can visit their forums and find members who are interested in other games. These games include:

- Team Fortress 2
- Company of Heroes
- Guild Wars 2
- Rocket League
- Insurgency
- Battlefield 2, the game is dead but there was a fan-made version name BF2 Revive. I think EA shut it down. Awesome people.
- Older CoD games like CoD2 and CoD4
- Speed running communities (These guys are VERY friendly and welcoming)

Cheers.

Edit: I forgot Warhammer, Warhammer 40K and Total War communities. Also, there are many people in WoW who are friendly and spend month teaching you the game.

Deathiversaryy - October 7, 2019, 4:49 pm

discord servers, forums, lots of em like this but for hackers.

Hustla - October 7, 2019, 8:00 pm

If you play xbox there is many groups filled with like-minded people for each specific game.

ProtoUltima - October 8, 2019, 4:03 pm

Thanks to all the replies!

I'm creating my own Discord Server to hopefully find people who are on the same path as me!

hanamura - October 9, 2019, 10:35 am

this community had a PS4 and Xbox section that were active can anyone tell me what happened?