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Thread: Ability to host Lotteries for purchasable awards

flavoral - *May 5, 2020, 4:46 pm*
A suggestion based on the new Announcement: Official Award Lotteries by Xerotic

I'm not sure to what degree is this possible buy:

The ability to host a lottery for Purchasable Awards using an automated system which require the host to pay for the award upfront and then the award get locked in the lottery to be automatically given to the winner.

Example: User hosts a Emerald Diamond, he start a lottery for the award, he get redirected to payment page to pay the $20 BTC for the award, once payment is confirmed, the award get locked and the lottery goes live. After X days, winner gets automatically drawn and [mention=3583467] gives the winner the award.

Pros: Avoid fake contests and fake contest winners
Cons: ???

AmonGuard - *May 5, 2020, 4:50 pm*
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Toosii - *May 5, 2020, 4:51 pm*
(May 5, 2020 04:50 PM)AmonGuard Wrote: *[CITE]* I wanna buy the asswipe reward from somebody
Buy it from the site, 25$. And @ OP I agree 100%.

Dorrance - *May 5, 2020, 4:54 pm*
Would be nice and kinda sounds like awards market over again

Herbert - *May 5, 2020, 4:55 pm*
I like this idea a lot, hope to see it get implemented.

AmonGuard - *May 5, 2020, 5:00 pm*
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Lavish Living - *May 5, 2020, 5:03 pm*
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flavoral - *May 5, 2020, 5:03 pm*
(May 5, 2020 05:00 PM)AmonGuard Wrote: *[CITE]* can i buy urs for 30? that way ill have toosiis asswipe
you can buy it directly from https://hackforums.net/buyawards.php

Toosii - *May 5, 2020, 5:04 pm*
(May 5, 2020 05:00 PM)AmonGuard Wrote: *[CITE]* can i buy urs for 30? that way ill have toosiis

asswipe
You cannot, you can me my own personal asswipe for 30$ start contract

Dorrance - *May 5, 2020, 5:04 pm*
(May 5, 2020 05:03 PM)Lavish Living Wrote: [CITE] not even remotely similar. all $$ proceeds still go to the site
Your right my boy I forgot.

luke - *May 6, 2020, 9:34 pm*
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I don't think users should be able to join if they already have the award though.

Ash Ketchum - *May 7, 2020, 1:27 am*
(May 6, 2020 09:34 PM)luke Wrote: [CITE] If only users who do not have the award can enter, I don't see a problem.

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why? they're paying to enter just like everyone else if it was free id agree with this and just like yourself you've got multiple buyable awards.

I think this is a great idea OP i support.

Exalted - *May 7, 2020, 1:31 am*
Great idea, OP. I'm all in for this!

Michael - *May 7, 2020, 1:34 am*
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Because this is somewhat in-between a contest and a lottery.
But great suggestion, I like it.

bluud - *May 7, 2020, 1:36 am*
(May 7, 2020 01:34 AM)Michael Wrote: [CITE] Some sort of raffle?
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Pretty sure he is saying same as normal lotteries, you enter one with an award but enter it with bytes and the host gets the bytes.

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(May 6, 2020 09:34 PM)luke Wrote: [CITE] If only users who do not have the award can enter, I don't see a problem.

I don't think users should be able to join if they already have the award though.
Oh yea that need to be taken into consideration.

SoulZeh - *May 7, 2020, 4:54 am*
Yea, I reckon this would actually be a decent thing, who knows that may be already an idea Xerotic has, for all we know that bot could be working on something like this.. God knows what he is doing.

Good suggestion though.

Yin Yang - *May 7, 2020, 5:01 am*
I agree, and would help fake contests and the amount of spam that goes on.

SaintJimmy - *May 7, 2020, 6:17 am*
This is a good idea. It's sort of like the award market but uses bytes this time. An individual could just buy another award from the Buy Awards Page and put it here for the lottery. Would be like a giveaway while being able to earn some bytes.

Bossk - *May 7, 2020, 6:55 am*
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flavoral - *May 7, 2020, 6:57 am*
(May 7, 2020 06:55 AM)Bossk Wrote: *[CITE]* How would someone make a fake award lottery? The award is automatically given the winner in the current state, no ?
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Bossk - *May 7, 2020, 8:41 am*
(May 7, 2020 06:57 AM)flavoral Wrote: *[CITE]* talking about the fake contests with awards as prizes
Ah I see, from the giveaway section?

yes this is a problem, there should be an integrated "roll" function where a random poster is selected. Im 100% certain that many of the contests and giveaways there are staged as fuck.

Xerotic - *May 7, 2020, 9:18 am*
(May 7, 2020 08:41 AM)Bossk Wrote: *[CITE]* Ah I see, from the giveaway section?

yes this is a problem, there should be an integrated "roll" function where a random poster is selected. Im 100% certain that many of the contests and giveaways there are staged as fuck.
I already tell everybody to use Hf's /roll command for giveaways. https://hackforums.net/convo.php

That way it can't be cheated. It's public.

Fish - *May 7, 2020, 9:21 am*
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spiral - *May 7, 2020, 9:55 am*
(May 7, 2020 09:21 AM)Fish Wrote: *[CITE]* Easy con: people can't farm rep from the contest.

I guess they'll get bytes but not rep
i'd for sure rather have bytes than useless popularity.

AYMG - *May 7, 2020, 12:45 pm*
Honestly, fake contests are those hosting money (crypto, PP , cashapp, etc.), not ones hosting awards.
But I like the idea.

SecretAchiever101 - *May 7, 2020, 5:51 pm*
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flavoral - *May 7, 2020, 6:47 pm*
(May 7, 2020 05:51 PM)secretachiever101 Wrote: *[CITE]* That's honestly one of the best suggestion I've read up until now. Great job flavo! Great idea indeed
I'm not sure if this is a backhanded complaint saying that my other suggestions are shit, but thanks

nonetheless i guess? lol

SecretAchiever101 - *May 7, 2020, 6:50 pm*

(May 7, 2020 06:47 PM)flavoral Wrote: [CITE] I'm not sure if this is a backhanded complaint saying that my other suggestions are Clay Davis, but thanks nonetheless i guess? lol

Of course not, I am only being sarcastic when posting in the lounge , when I'm posting to any other subforum I'm always dead serious. That's indeed a very nice addition. It is going to prevent a ton of these fake giveaways for sure