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Welcome to the surprise edition of christmas **OUYAFUTURE Magazine! In** this issue, we will be looking some of the Christmas themed **OUYA** games, seeing where some of our favourite OUYA develare opers now, looking and the over infamous Limited **Edition** White OUYA!

Special thanks goes out to Jason Scott and the rest of the team over at the Internet Archive.

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## **ABOUT US**

OUYA FUTURE is a community-driven magazine dedicated to the OUYA Console, Games and community.

Many of its articles come from amazing, like-minded OUYA fans; Many from the OUYA SAVIOURS Discord group. We allow anybody to contribute (within reason!), so feel free to message us on Twitter if you would like to be included on the next issue!

OUYA FUTURE will always be a free magazine, but if you wish to support us, you can find every issue over on Amazon.

We wish the whole OUYA community a very Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year!



**OUYA** 

In this issue, we will be focusing on the winter themed 'Tis the after all! aames. season,

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Santa Claus Jump 3D

By Atenea Innova



Santa Claus Jump 3D is a lovely little gem on the OUYA store. Á quick short-on-time game that has you climb an endless tower, collecting as many coins as possible and avoiding christmas themed obstacles like "Grönch" that attempt to stop his tracks! Santa in



of **Definitely** the one christmas themed games on the highly OUYA, and we'd recommend giving this a over christmas!

Christmas Spirit - 9/10 Gameplay - 7/10

SleighRunner By Bluebutton Games



Sleighrunner is another OUYA game that incorporates retro style graphics to great success.

The game has you taking control of Santa's sleigh, collecting coins, delivering presents and avoiding the numerous obstacles that are in Santa's path! The game plays much like Half-Brick's 'Jetpack Joyride', which certainly isn't a bad thing!



nristmas Spirit - 10/10 Gameplay - 8/10

## **Stolen Presents By Wildcard Studios**

## **OUR PICK**



Super Mega Worm Vs Santa By Deceased Pixel



Super Mega Worm is one of the best games on OUYA. Classic gameplay mechanics, and an extremely smooth and outright fun gameplay experience. It is only right to give this fes-tive edition of the game the top spot in this issue's reviews segment! We would recommend this game any day of the week!



Christmas Spirit - 10/10 Gameplay - 10/10

What is your favourite Christmas game? Let us know on Twitter!

based game where you are required to pick up presents whilst avoiding obstacles to advance level. to the next



great collect-em-all Another type of game on the DISCOVER store. The devs did a really great job of designing the environments, and has a very nice winter fee it.

Score: Christmas Spirit - 8/10 Gameplay - 8/10

## CONSOLES

Several years ago, the OUYA What is the controller like? team blessed us with a all-white stunning console, with a controller to similarites to the Black edimatch. This would be the first tion controllers. The thumbupgrade to the console since sticks are the newer (and its launch, boasting 16GB of nicer!) variations which could flash storage rather than the be found on the later OUYA original 8GB.

But that was six years ago. ler. How many of these consoles were released? How many The most exciting feature is **FUTURE!** 

## What's the difference between the White OUYA and Why White? the Black OUYA consoles?

White OUYA consoles still sole was a test run? bear the 'OUYA1' name, similar to the normal Silver What was the overall opinconsoles. The '1P' consoles ion on the console? signify a better antenna, as well as a few other quality While some people loved the upgrades.

only came with models out there! console 16GB.

## **How Many Were Released?**

We don't know, to be honest! **OUYA FUTURE reached out to** a few Ex-OUYA employees and had no response. By the looks of the secondhand market, we estimate there to be around 500-1000 out there. Clear dev units pop up more often than the White consoles, which just shows how rare this model is.

**OUYA** The controller shares many models. Each button unique to the white control-

exist now? These are some of the beautiful white facethe questions we'll try to plates. These were only ever answer in this issue of OUYA released with this model OUYA, which makes them extremely sought after.

The White edition console As far as we're aware, the was brought out just in time Black consoles were a 'true' for Christmas shortly before hardware revision, having the Black edition was rethe model name '1P'. The leased. Maybe the white con-

extra storage space and the new colour, many people Another difference is the fact took this as OUYA's attempt that OUYA released an 8GB at staying relevant during model and 16GB model with the holiday season. Now, it's black casing, while the White one of the rarest OUYA

How many are there?

That's an answer we simply do not know. We at OUYÁ FUTURE know of seven confirmed owners. There are obviously more out there in the wild, but it's something we may never know! Only a couple have popped up on eBay over the years, so it seems like we'll have to wait and see how many others come forward. All we know is, we really, really want one!

If anybody has a White console, we'd love to be able to have a look. There doesn't seem to be any photos confirming the board revision online. Was this just a way to quickly sell off old boards, or is it a different board entire-

Written by Toasterkidd





Welcome to a new segment of OUYA FUTURE: OUYA - Where Are They Now? Here we take a look at past OUYA developers and see exactly what they're up to after the days of OUYA. Today we're taking a look into the amazing guys over at Fayju, developers of The Amazing Frog?

## **Transition to Steam**

Shortly after Fayju's release of the Party Mode for Amazing Frog? on the OUYA, Gaz and Hal decided that it would be more financially viable to port their hit OUYA game to Steam. In their Steam Early Access trailer, you can still see the OUYA E3 booth in the background which shows how the OUYA addition was almost dragged and dropped into a new PC build. Their game has since gained a cult following, with updates regulary being added to the game even today!

Since the Steam release, there's been no updates to the OUYA edition, and no mention of future updates. Segways, more party games, and skins were promised for the OUYA edition, but no such items were ever released. Still, it's great to see all the amazing additions that have made to the PC version.

Fayju are just one of many OUYA success stories. Their OUYA game spawned a successful port to Steam, and most probably allowed them to garner an audience they may never have had! Even PewDiePie played the game!



OUYA's infamous E3 car park booth in the background of the Steam Early Access Trailer.



Amazing Frog? on the Steam store today with its 'Overwhelmingly Postive' rating.





Gaz and Hal - The team behind The Amazing Frog?

**GIFTS** 

Buying gifts for an OUYA fan? Here are some great ideas to make help the Big Day feel that little bit more special!



Why not surprise your significant other with a spare OUYA console? Various Websites - £10 - £50



Why not treat someone to some OUYA controller faceplates? (If you can get your hands on some...)

Various Websites - £5 - £20



Amazing Frog? Shirt
By CafePress - £13.50



OUYA Thing Mug By CafePress - £6.00



OUYA Controller Decals
By iStyles - £3.92



OUYA Themed Switch Controller Aliexpress - £10.00

## 12 DAYS OUYAOUYAOUYAOUYAOUYA

Twelve must play games to try over the Christmas period!

- 1 The Ball Tripwire Interactive
- 2 That Dragon, Cancer Numinous Games
- 3 The Little Crane That Could Abraham Stolk
- 4 The Sandbox Pixowl
- 5 Hero of Many Trickster Arts
- 6 Reagan Gorbachev Team2Bit
- 7 VVVVV Terry Cavanagh
- 8 Pier Solar and the Great Architects Water-Melon
- 9 Broken Age Double Fine Productions
- 10 Stalagflight Jacob Korsgaard
- 11 So Many Me Extend Studio & ORiGO Games
- 12 Neon Shadow Tasty Poison Games

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