Proposed Wor-Wic VidjaMaGames Club Constitution

Article I: Name

The name of this organization shall be The Wor-Wic VidjaMaGames (WW-VMGC) Club. The title is a purposeful mispronunciation, which is used to denote the casual nature of the club, as we feel this best reflects the lax nature of Video Games.

Article II: Purpose

The purpose of the organization is to educate students in the subtle art and philosophy of game design; to promote a positive social atmosphere using video games and competitive gaming as a medium; and to help alleviate stress.

Article III: Membership

1. General membership is open to Wor-Wic students, alumni and employees with an interest in participating in video-games.
2. Voting members are restricted to Wor-Wic students who maintain a GPA above 2.0, and have attended at least two prior meetings.

Article IV: Rules of Conduct

1. Respect all members as one would wish to be respected.
2. Play fairly and show good sportsmanship. The point of competitive video-games is to be an amusing diversion, not a lifelong ambition.
3. If a participant is becoming angry or violent in relation to gaming activities, they may be asked by any officer to take a time out, or, as in the exceedingly rare case of extremely violent and/or numerous repeat violations, they may be asked to leave the club.
4. Fun is fun, and everyone plays games differently, understand everyone’s boundaries, and while teasing can be enjoyable, keep others in mind and set boundaries for yourself.
5. Any and all on-campus rules must be respected.

Article V: Executive Board

1. The executive board shall consist of the following:

   A. Boss: Head of all club affairs. Reports to the advisor, monitors participant behaviors and is responsible for organizing the meetings.

   B. Mini-Boss: Relays information to and from the Boss and acts in Boss’s place when the Boss is absent. Also responsible for reporting and requesting club finances.

   C. Lackey: Records all necessary information including funds during club meetings, does any club-related activity required by the Boss/Mini-Boss.
2. Eligibility - Members of the Executive Board must be currently enrolled Wor-Wic Community College students. Members of the Executive Board must maintain an overall grade point average of 2.0 or above.

3. Term of Office - Officers shall serve a term of one year beginning in September and terminating in August of the following year.

4. Selection of Officers - The Executive Board will be elected in May except in the case of vacancies. When it comes times for elections, they are to be held annually. Any voting member of the VidjaMaGames club may nominate a candidate and game for the election process. Any member of the club may be nominated for candidacy, except for the current Boss/Mini-Boss who are automatically entered. The list of nominated games will be rounded up and any titles that the club is able to procure and provide for competitive play will be made available. The 8 candidates will then play in a double elimination tournament, comprising of games randomly chosen form the available nominations. The winner of the tournament will become the Boss, the Runner-Up will become the Mini-Boss and the remaining semi-finalist will play another game to decide who becomes the Lackey.

5. Removal from Office:
   A. Grounds for Removal of officers
      - Neglecting Responsibilities
      - Not maintaining a GPA of 2.0 (Cumulative)
   B. Procedures for Removal
      - Written charges will be presented to organization members.
      - The advisor will notify the officer in question of the charges, and allow one week for the officer to respond. If the officer does not respond to the advisor within one week, then the officer will automatically be removed from office creating a vacancy.
      - A meeting will be announced and held for the officer to disclaim the charges and to hold a vote.
      - The vote must pass by the majority of all attending members.

6. Vacancies - In case of vacancy within the term of office of the Boss, the Mini-Boss shall assume the duties of the Boss until the next general election of the officers of the club. In case of a vacancy of the other offices, the Boss or Acting Boss will appoint a candidate until an election is held at the next regular meeting of the club. Appointments may be turned down, in the case that no one is able to fill the position; the Boss assumes all duties until the position may be filled again.

**Article VI: Meetings**

Meetings will be held weekly. Meetings may rotate between free play, in which case any video game brought is set up and played; tournaments; in which a ladder is constructed; and members
play accordingly, and event nights, in which video-game based movies are played, LAN parties are had, or some other miscellaneous event occurs.

**Article VII: Amendments**

The following outlines the procedure for amending the constitution:

1. Any member may propose an amendment to the constitution.
2. A special meeting should be called to discuss the amendment(s).
3. A majority vote of attending Voting Members is required to approve amendment(s).
4. Any amendment(s) must be approved by Wor-Wic Community College Board of Trustees prior to implementation.
5. The Mini-Boss shall revise the constitution, unless he or she chooses to appoint such a job to the Lackey.

Adopted: 

Revised: 