Spartan Intramural Fortnite Tournament

Spring 2020

Hello Spartans! We are happy to announce that the Student Involvement, Intramurals and Manchester eSports are collaborating to hold a Fortnite duo tournament this spring. Any currently enrolled Manchester students are eligible to compete and prove they are the best Fortnite players at Manchester. Please see the tournament details below.

Registration form: https://manchester.presence.io/form/spartan-intramural-fortnite-tournament

Start Date: April 10, 2020 @ 8:00PM End Date: May 1, 2020 @ 10:00PM

SECTION 1 REGISTRATION

- Registration for the Fortnite competition will commence on April 3, 2020 and end on April 9, 2020.
- Players may only participate in the competition using the same Epic Games ID under which they are initially registered.
- Player Eligibility. All players must be currently enrolled for the Spring 2020 semester.
- Team Entries. A player can only register and play on one team.
- Player Count. There should be two players per team.

SECTION 2 COMPETITION FORMAT

- Teams will feature duos consisting of two students.
- Teams will queue into normal duos and play <u>3 consecutive matches</u> for eliminations and placement.
- Based on a team's performance and placement, teams will be assigned points.
- Points for each team will accumulate throughout the season. The team with the most points at the end of the season will be declared tournament champions.

SECTION 3 MATCH FORMAT AND SCHEDULE

- Teams will compete against each other in weekly matches throughout the season.
- Default times for matches are <u>Fridays at 8:00pm EST</u>.
- The form of competition is Fortnite, played on the current patch.
- Duos will join a public lobby and compete for eliminations and placement.

Points will be awarded according to the following:

Victory Royale: 15 Points 2nd: 12 Points 3rd - 4th: 9 Points 5th - 8th: 6 Points 9th - 12th: 3 Points Each Elimination: 1 Point

SECTION 4 REPORTING SCORES

- Scores will be reported on the MUGS discord server https://discord.gg/ErCxesh
- Take a picture or a screenshot of your eliminations and placement and post it to the fortnite-score-reporting channel.
- Scores must be reported by 10:30PM EST on the day of competition.

SECTION 5 WORKING TOGETHER AND SABOTAGE

Players on one duo may not coordinate or strategize with players on another duo team. This includes another duo from Manchester. Competition is expected to be between each duo independently.

SECTION 6 TIEBREAKERS

If any ties occur during competition, then the items listed below will be used as the tiebreaker in this order:

- Total Eliminations
- Average match placement (1st thru 50th)
- Coin Flip

SECTION 7 SEASON SCHEDULE

Friday, April 10th Matches 1-3 Friday, April 17th Matches 4-6 Friday, April 24th Matches 7-9 Friday, May 1st Matches 10-12

SECTION 8 DISCONNECTS.

- If a player disconnects within the first 5 minutes of a match, the duo must notify a tournament administrator in the Fortnite_Communications channel and get approval to re-queue. The first match will be discarded and the re-queued match will take its place.
- If a player disconnects after the first 5 minutes, the remaining team member must finish the game to completion.

SECTION 9 BROADCAST

Manchester will stream the tournament when we can. A tournament administrator will reach out to teams that will be on stream and coordinate with them. All students must abide by the student handbook and be aware that they are representing Manchester when on stream.

Participants are not prohibited from broadcasting, live streaming, or uploading video content, including stills, of their in-Game participation in the tournament. Streams must be delayed by three minutes or more to prevent stream peeking issues.

Stream peeking violates the spirit of competition, but there is not an easy way to enforce an anti-stream peeking policy in Fortnite, thus we will not be ruling either way on matters related to stream peeking.