

PIN HEADZ

The Greater Cincinnati Pinball Zine



#5 MAY ^{Free!} 2020

COVID-19

Yeah that's still a thing.
In April 2020 there were zero
IFPA certified tournaments.
Yet that was the least of our
worries. Another month digital.
Another month social distancing.
Another month.. STAYING HOME.

We are flattening the curve.

WE WILL BE BACK **SOON**

I'll be asking you to help fold
zines at some local tournament
before you know it.

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Live Trivia \$\$\$CASH\$\$\$ PRIZES

Pin Headz is excited to
announce the Pin Headz
Pinball Trivia Game Show!
We will use **ZOOM** to connect.
There will be a timed
qualifying round with 10-20
questions. The top 6 players
advance the finals.

Next event is Tuesday May 12th

See PinHeadzMag on Facebook
for full details.

Is Your IFFA Ranking ↓ Tanking?

You might think your rank is dropping since you aren't playing in tournaments. However, everyone is in the same boat. A falling tide sinks all ships? No. Not in this case.

Some people's rank will decrease and others will actually **INCREASE**.

Yes, you can advance in rank right now by **staying home** and watching Netflix.

It's all about point decay. Once a result is 1yr old it loses 25% of it's value. If you had a 20pt finish April 2019 it's only worth 15pts now. After 3 years a result is worthless. So when people who are ranked above you have big points decay they can drop, pushing you up in rank!

Here is a list of some of the top ranked local players

Trent Augenstein	15th
James Scott	129th
Derek Fugate	130th
Carlos Delaserda	134th
Jesse Baker	181th
Rob Smith	200th
Brian Shepherd	225th
Chris Wamsley	299th
Evan Bingham	304th
Sean Davis	333th
Michael Dawn	359th
Robert Cecil	362th
Erik Wurtenberger	374th



Location Spotlight

We didn't do a location spotlight last month because everything was closed. Everything is **STILL** closed. But when things do open back up we will have an exciting new location to check out.

Brad Baker, the owner of VP Cabs (virtual pinball) is excited to share his new venture: **The Pinball Garage.**

The Pinball Garage will have **40 pinball machines** available for play when they are allowed to open. That will make them the biggest pinball arcade in the area. Brad has expressed interest in hosting tournaments as well.

You will also find 7-8 arcade games and a ton of craft beer on tap. In addition there will be a couple taps for the kids with root beer and craft sodas! So there is something for everyone.

And there are already plans to **EXPAND to NINETY pinball machines**, which would make them one of the largest pinball arcades on earth!

They are located at 113 N. 3rd Street Hamilton, Ohio.

Limerick

I played a No Fear in
New York City

It played so nice
leaving was a pity

The skull looked brand new

The issues were few

But I had to get home to
the kitty

