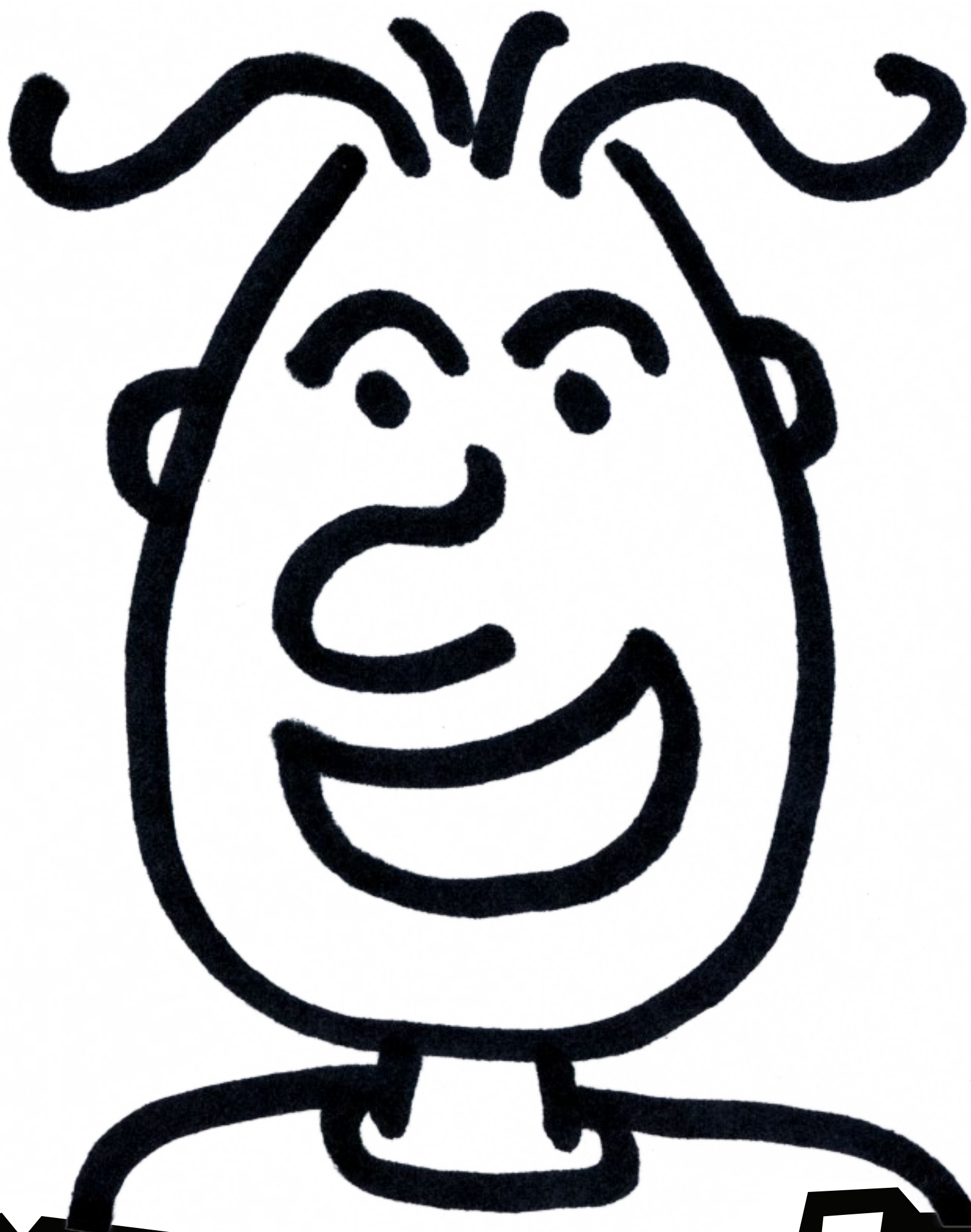


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HAPPY NEW YEAR

March 10th 2020 Pin Headz sponsored a **tournament** at **BC's Bottle Lodge** in Montgomery, OH. I never dreamed it would be the last of 2020 for me.

What I want to see in 2021?
IFPA tournaments, more pinball and Pin Headz trivia on Twitch. And new games; RAZA, Toy Story, Alien, Cactus Canyon (remake). And finally real vinyl Pin Headz stickers! **Look for stickers in February.**

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Got ideas or feedback?

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Led Zeppelin

This is the latest game from **Stern** and the “King Of Pinball” **Steve Richie**. This was the second game for rules designer **Tim Sexton** who also worked with Steve on 2019’s **Black Knight Sword of Rage**. They released their standard 3 models. Pro, Premium and LE. The premium and LE feature a pop up spinner called the **Electric Magic Device**, also has a magnet that can capture a ball and lock it for multiball. All models feature ten full-length studio-recording songs.



Pinball History

Part Three – The Golden Age

In late 1947 **Gottlieb** changed the pinball world forever when they released...

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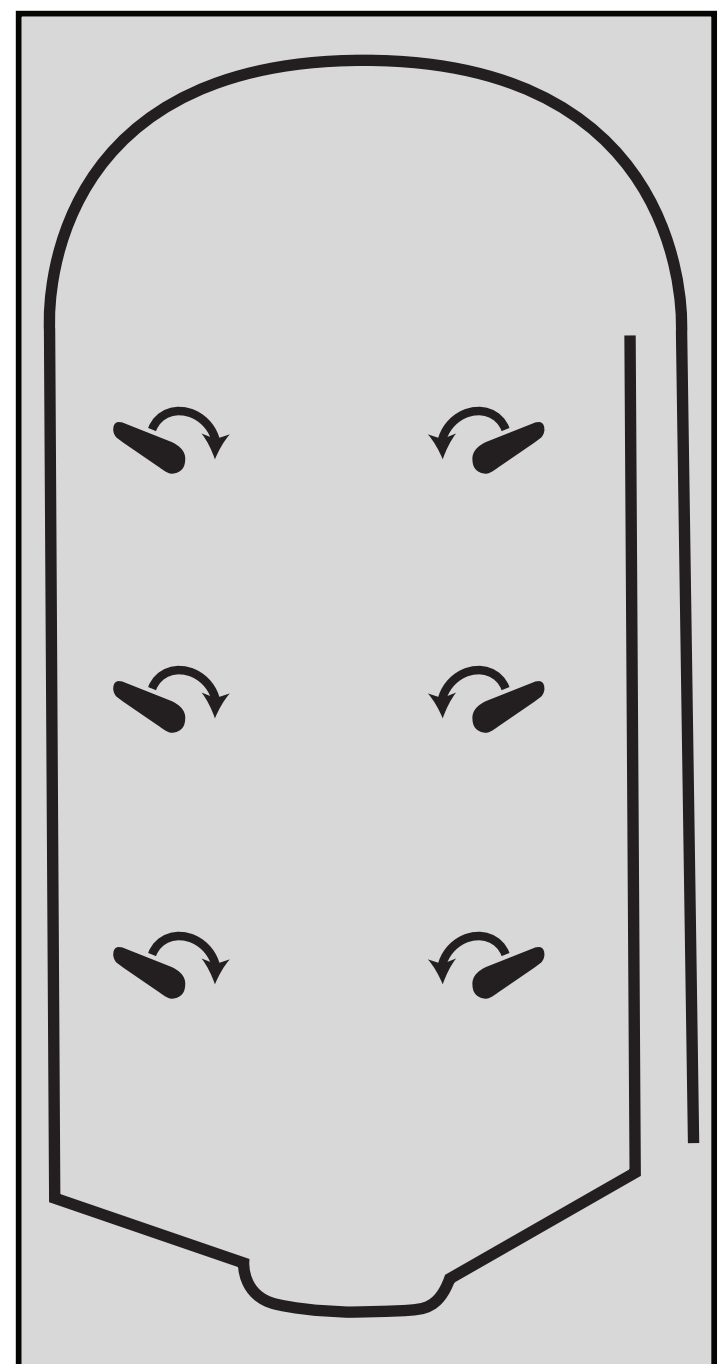
An amazing Gottlieb innovation that incites enormously increased play and earnings! Super-sensitive finger-tip control buttons, on both sides of cabinet, motivate Flipper Bumpers. Unique Flipper action enables player to send balls zooming from bottom right back to top of playing field, whizzing and bounding around for super-high scoring! It's just what you've wanted for years, so don't wait!

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The game had **six** user controlled **flippers**.

And unlike modern games, they **faced outward** and were placed around the playfield not just at the bottom.



Gottlieb released **Spot Bowler** in 1950 which was the first game with inward facing flippers. These were still two-inch flippers, three-inch flippers found on modern machines didn't show up until the 1970s.

Gottlieb was top dog during the golden age of pinball. Designers **Wayne Neyens** and **Ed Krynski**, along with artist **Leroy Parker**, produced hundreds of games during this period. Wayne designed 19 games for Gottlieb in 1954 alone.

Williams Manufacturing Company was a close second during this era. Designer **Harry Williams** and artist **George Molentin** produced almost 100 different games from **1948–1958**.

Locations

Number of Games

4

16-Bit Bar+Arcade

1331 Walnut St, Cincinnati

17

Arcade Legacy

662 Cincinnati Mills Dr, Cincinnati

9

Arcade Legacy: Bar Edition

3929 Spring Grove Ave, Cincinnati

31

Comics 2 Games

8470 US-42, Florence

12

DK Effect

1600 E 3rd Street, Dayton

30

Pinball Garage

113 N 3rd St, Hamilton

22

PINS Mechanical

1124 Main St, Cincinnati

Please support these venues and other venues as they open and re-open.

2020 Highlights

Pin Clash – Karl DeAngelo

(IE Pinball) hosted a head to head tournament in December using Twitch. Streamers battled on Stern's Jurassic Park for \$1000 top prize.

IFPA Challenge Rankings –

You can't earn WPPRs but you can still compete remotely and earn ICR points. The top 64 as of Jan 1st, 2021 will compete remotely for cash and prizes.

At least **six new games** were released in 2020.

Locally the big pinball news of 2020 is the opening of **The Pinball Garage**.

Pinball Trivia Now on Twitch

Jan 12th, 8pm ET (2nd Tue)

Pin Headz is hosting pinball trivia live on Twitch.tv,

ACEpinball is the channel.

I'll be streaming pinball from 8-9pm and will have old pinball trivia going in chat.

Then around **9pm** I'll start the official game. **Six month sub for the winner**, or if they are already a subscriber they get **\$10** in their next issue. We will still have a Google Meet going as well for those who want to hang out.