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Press release

astragon Entertainment presents gamescom line-up

Duesseldorf/Germany – August 6, 2021 - Only a few weeks left until gamescom 2021! astragon Entertainment is once more looking forward to their participation in the digital games show, where they will introduce their upcoming portfolio highlights. With **Bus Simulator 21**, **Farming Simulator 22** and **Police Simulator: Patrol Officers**, the German publisher and distributor includes – among other games - several highly anticipated simulation titles in this year's line-up. Between August 25 and August 29, 2021, astragon Entertainment will welcome all gamescom visitors and provide new insights into these and other upcoming games.

The following games will be present on gamescom now:

Bus Simulator 21

Starting September 7th, 2021, players can set up the local transport network of the fictional US city of Angel Shores in **Bus Simulator 21**. With 30 originally licensed buses by 10 well-known manufacturers, the newest part of the popular **Bus Simulator** series not only offers the largest fleet in its history, but also a whole range of new features such as extended bus company management, dynamic day-night cycles and a lively open world for everyone to explore. **Bus Simulator 21** will be available for PC, PlayStation®4 and Xbox One and will also be playable on the latest generation of consoles. The game is developed by stillalive studios from Innsbruck/Austria.

Farming Simulator 22

Fans of **Farming Simulator** will also have to wait not much longer for their next adventures in virtual agriculture. The latest part of the popular simulation series by Swiss publisher GIANTS Software will be released on November 22, 2021 for PC, Mac, PlayStation®5, Xbox Series X | S, PlayStation® 4, and Xbox One. astragon Entertainment is once more responsible for the distribution in Germany. Among other things, new vehicles and machines, new maps set in Europe and the US, changing seasons, gameplay mechanics such as production chains and the three new crop types grapes, olives and sorghum are among the many highlights of the upcoming **Farming Simulator 22**.

Police Simulator: Patrol Officers

The Early Access title **Police Simulator: Patrol Officers** will receive its next content update during the digital fair. Police fans can look forward to brand new features such as a cooperative multiplayer mode, new tools and legal violations that will make the police officers' daily work even more authentic and varied. In addition, players can go on patrol in exciting night shifts for the very first time. The police simulation by developer Aesir Interactive from Munich/Germany has been available in Early Access on Steam since June 17, 2021.

Microids

The French publisher **Microids** will be presenting two top titles from their varied portfolio at gamescom 2021, which will find their way onto the retail market in German-speaking countries via astragon Entertainment: The action-packed family fun **Asterix & Obelix: Slap Them All** and **Syberia: The World Before**, the latest part of the iconic adventure series by Benoit Sokal.

astragon games to be shown in live streams, and as part of the „Spielesause“ live stream event

In addition to the presentation of the above-mentioned games at gamescom now, game fans can look forward to gameplay live streams in German and English of **Bus Simulator 21**, **Police Simulator: Patrol Officers** and **Farming Simulator 22**. Another highlight in this context is the cooperation between astragon Entertainment and “Spielesause”, the German language gamescom streaming event by Gronkh, Trymacs and Papaplatte: Here, on **August 28, 2021** Trymacs and Reeze will go on patrol with the new co-op mode of **Police Simulator: Patrol Officers**, and Pappaplatte and Reeze will bring in the harvest on a brand new European map in **Farming Simulator 22**. On **August 29, 2021** there will be a turbulent co-op multiplayer game in **Bus Simulator 21** with Gronkh, Pandorya, Kaya Yanar and Wladislav Sidorov. Some select titles by Microids will also be featured in the show: **The Smurfs: Mission Vileaf**, and **Marsupilami: Hoobadventure**.

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Dear media partners,

As part of gamescom 2021, we are looking forward to welcoming you once more on our Discord channel for press screenings of selected games from our portfolio. Between August 25 and August 27, 2021 members of the different development teams will be ready to provide you with the latest information and gameplay impressions of their games, while also being available for questions and interviews.

We are very happy to offer you the following English language presentation slots (all times in CEST):

Bus Simulator 21:

Wednesday, August 25, 2021: 1 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Thursday, August 26, 2021: 2 p.m.

Friday, August 27, 2021: 4 p.m.

Police Simulator: Patrol Officers

Wednesday, August 25, 2021: 2 p.m.

Thursday, August 26, 2021: 4 p.m.

Friday, August 27, 2021: 2 p.m.

Please be aware that each slot is suitable for a maximum of 15 persons.

If you are interested in scheduling an appointment, please contact us at the following address:

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We will include the link to our discord channel in your confirmation email.

See you soon at gamescom 2021! We are looking forward to e-meeting you!

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About astragon Entertainment GmbH

astragon Entertainment (founded on July 25, 2000 in Hagen/Germany, since 2019 based in Duesseldorf/Germany) is one of the leading independent German games publishers. The focus of the diverse product portfolio of our company, lies on high-quality technical simulation games such as Construction Simulator, or Bus Simulator, but also many other exciting games such as Police Simulator: Patrol Officers or Drone Swarm. The distribution of high-quality licensed and distribution products such as Farming Simulator, Transport Fever 2 and SnowRunner complete our attractive product range. astragon games are available world-wide on many different platforms such as consoles, smartphones, tablets, and PC. Find more information at: <http://www.astragon.de/en/>.