RPG Geek RANDOM Design 2022

RANDOM TABLES are the primordial ooze from which all games originate. The Geeks of RPGG present the results of their enthusiastic enumeration of eclectic effects - AKA the RPGG R-A-N-D-O-M Design Experience of 2022.

We did this in 2016 and it worked. Oops, we did it again in 2017. Then we forgot about it for 2 years. Then we did 2020. And it worked. As Ned Flanders might say:

> Ding dang diddly! If we did it once, we can do it again!

The theme this year was **events that I don't want to go through all the trouble to run**.

EVENTS THAT I DON'T WANT TO GO THROUGH ALL THE TROUBLE TO RUN

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	The *temporal conflict* between *faction* and *faction* brought on by the assassination of *leader*	Dutys_Fist
2	A sub-light voyage from *Planet* to *Star* in a *Spacecraft*	paulidale
3	A petty argument between *person* and *person* over a *petty thing* that results in *person* being hurt	taen
4	The *temperament* people of *location* are menaced by a *monster*	sbszine
5	The *monster* apocalypse brought on by the *leader*'s quest for forbidden *forbidden things*.	JugglinDan

FACTIONS

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	Thieves' Guild	Dutys_Fist
2	Bards	ThroughTheDeckGlass
3	Mutant Association	ThroughTheDeckGlass
4	The Posh Gentleman's Social Club (monocles at ten paces!)	paulidale
5	Grandma's Sewing and Knitting Group (beware all the sharp pointy things)	paulidale
6	Association for the Peaceful Annexation of *Planet* by our Benevolent Ancient Ones (APA*P*BAO for short)	Dutys_Fist
7	Coven of the Great Unwashed	Steerpike.Instance
8	7th Ave Window Cleaners	Steerpike.Instance

LEADERS

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	Portramax the rather large, chief accountant of *faction*	Dutys_Fist
2	Brain Mouse, the anthropomorphic mouse whose masterminding skills have kept *faction* running for years	ThroughTheDeckGlass
3	Average Stan, known best for being forgettable	ThroughTheDeckGlass
4	Sir Dreisal of Erestil, *temperament* knight of the realm	Dutys_Fist
5	Reverend Sir Dr Jonathon Wilhelm Mohammad Greenman-Suzuki the third	paulidale
6	The righteous queen of the realm	paulidale
7	Mighty Oath Healer of *planets*	Steerpike.Instance
8	Green Egg Ham	Steerpike.Instance

PLANETS

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	Earth	Dutys_Fist
2	Hardship	ThroughTheDeckGlass
3	At Last	ThroughTheDeckGlass
4	Not Pluto	paulidale
5	*Star* planet 4	paulidale
6	Galifour	Steerpike.Instance
7	Third Rock of the *size* celestial orb	Steerpike.Instance

STARS

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	Betelgeuse	paulidale
2	Centauri	Volfield
3	Cygnus	Volfield
4	*planet*	ThroughTheDeckGlass
5	Cygnus X1	Steerpike.Instance
6	Bright Light	Steerpike.Instance

SIZES

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	Small	paulidale
2	Brobdingnagian	Volfield
3	Giant	ThroughTheDeckGlass
4	*monster*-sized	Dutys_Fist
5	Cow	Steerpike.Instance
6	most bodacious	Steerpike.Instance

SPACECRAFT

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	*Size* Shuttle	paulidale
2	Tramp Freighter	Volfield
3	self-sufficient carrier of air & space superiority fighters	ThroughTheDeckGlass
4	A bunch of *building material* welded together that's somehow flyable	Dutys_Fist
5	Heart of Gold	Steerpike.Instance
6	Mining Vessel	Steerpike.Instance
7	Cold sleep colony ship	ThroughTheDeckGlass

PETTY THINGS

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	the use of the Oxford comma	taen
2	Common sense political position	ThroughTheDeckGlass
3	The correct and precise way to make and serve tea	ThroughTheDeckGlass
4	Shades of mauve	paulidale
5	The proper way to pronounce scone	paulidale
6	who's been leaving the lid off the toothpaste tube	Steerpike.Instance
7	toilet seats being left up	Steerpike.Instance

PERSONS

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	lover	taen
2	*Leader*	ThroughTheDeckGlass
3	member of *faction*	ThroughTheDeckGlass
4	The crazy cat lady across the *street*	paulidale
5	Genghis Khan	paulidale
6	Jorge, the friendly town undertaker who looks like David Bowie	JugglinDan
7	an innocent bystander	Steerpike.Instance
8	*size* bad *monster* who's having some trouble blowing down a *building material* house	Dutys_Fist
9	Illegitmate child of *leader*	Steerpike.Instance

LOCATIONS

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	*planet*	sbszine
2	the *swampy-adjective* swamp	paulidale
3	a *distant* land	paulidale
4	St Pancras	Steerpike.Instance
5	Madame DuPont's back room at *faction*'s speakeasy	Steerpike.Instance
6	pond	ThroughTheDeckGlass

MONSTERS

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	*Size* Gelatinous cube	sbszine
2	Rogue, sentient, *spacecraft*	ThroughTheDeckGlass
3	clockwork robot inhabited by the consciousness of *person*	ThroughTheDeckGlass
4	*undead*	JugglinDan
5	*Goblinoid*	paulidale
6	*Faekind*	paulidale
7	*size planets* devourer	Steerpike.Instance
8	*star*ian *beast*	Steerpike.Instance

STREETS

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	Lane	paulidale
2	Dark Alley	Steerpike.Instance
3	Sunlit Uplands	Steerpike.Instance
4	*location*	ThroughTheDeckGlass

FORBIDDEN THINGS

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	artefacts	JugglinDan
2	consciousness transfer equipment and or spell	ThroughTheDeckGlass

UNDEAD

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	zombie	JugglinDan
2	ghost	ThroughTheDeckGlass
3	WereRabbit	Steerpike.Instance
4	The last vampire	Steerpike.Instance

GOBLINOID

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	goblin	paulidale
2	*beast* rider	ThroughTheDeckGlass
3	goblin *rank*	Dutys_Fist

FAEKIND

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	Pixie	paulidale
2	ancient elven *rank*	ThroughTheDeckGlass

BEASTS

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	*size* spider	ThroughTheDeckGlass
2	bestial *monster*	ThroughTheDeckGlass

Ranks

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	courtier	ThroughTheDeckGlass
2	captain	ThroughTheDeckGlass
3	Uber Associate	Steerpike.Instance
4	Underling	Steerpike.Instance

swampy-adjective

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	gloomy	paulidale
2	malodorous	Steerpike.Instance
3	heavy	Steerpike.Instance
4	three-danger	ThroughTheDeckGlass
5	*monster*-infested	ThroughTheDeckGlass

Distances

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	faraway	paulidale
2	far far away	Steerpike.Instance
3	2 meters	Steerpike.Instance

Temperaments

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	Good	sbszine
2	Volatile	paulidale
3	Stoic	paulidale
4	Tired	Steerpike.Instance
5	Buzzing	Steerpike.Instance
6	Noble	Dutys_Fist

Building Materials

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	Bricks	Dutys_Fist
2	Bones	Steerpike.Instance
3	Discarded leather shoes	Steerpike.Instance

Conflicts

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	Street fight	Dutys_Fist
2	Nuclear escalation	Steerpike.Instance
3	Online trolling	Steerpike.Instance
4	duel between the elected champions *leader* & *leader*	ThroughTheDeckGlass

Temporal

Roll	Result	Contributor
1	sudden	Dutys_Fist
2	Lingering	Steerpike.Instance
3	yet to be announced	Steerpike.Instance
4	spontaneous	ThroughTheDeckGlass