

Scrabble 3

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1 System Requirements & App Launch

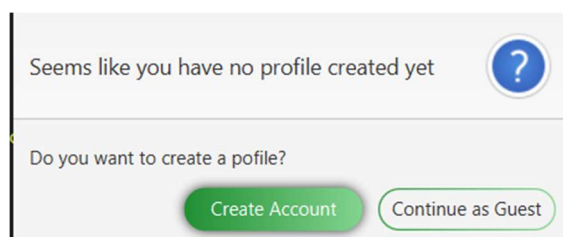
To launch the Game simply run our executable jar. Make sure you have the jdk-11 installed. Normally the app should launch when double clicking the jar. If not try using the command line “cd” to the directory where the jar lies and type “java -jar SCRABBLE3.jar”. In case this doesn’t launch the app, please check your java installation.

The App will create a .scrabble folder in your home directory, storing your userprofile, the dictionary and settings. Make sure there is no such folder before the first game launch. If you no longer want to play the game you can delete the folder.

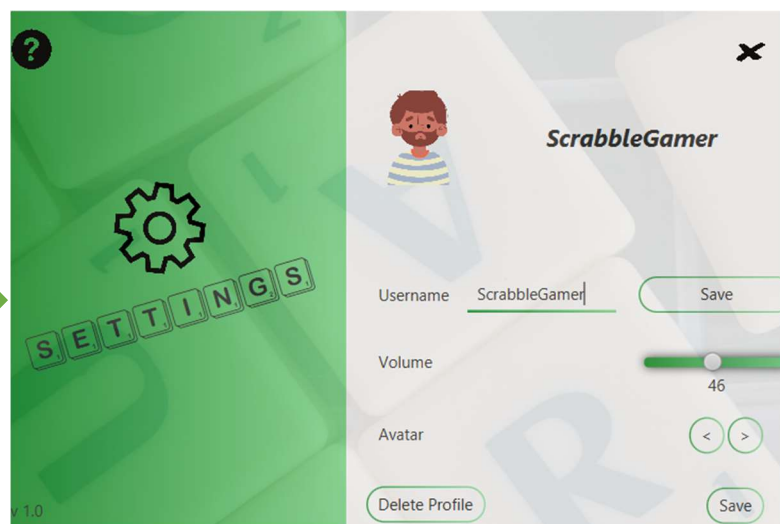
If you log in to the same local network e.g. via the Uni Mannheim VPN, you can join your friends and play together. Have fun!

2 Start a Game

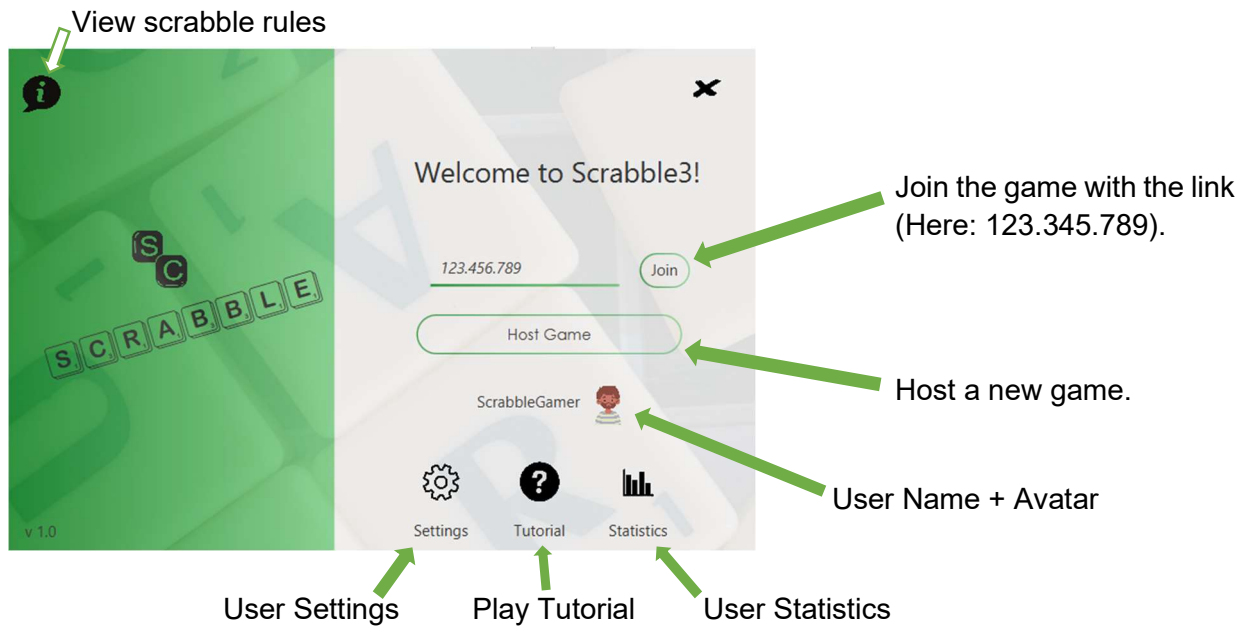
2.1 Create User Profile



Select “Create Account” to create a persistent new account. Upon creation, set up username, volume and select one out of ten avatars.

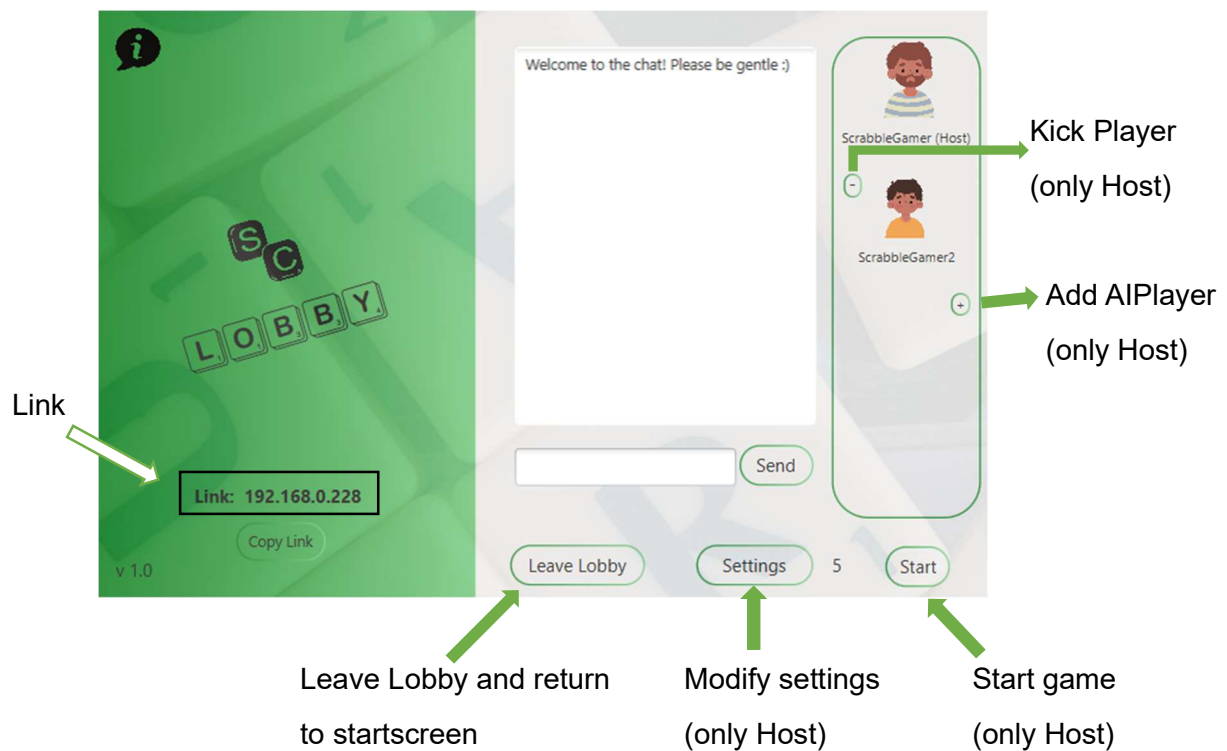


2.2 Host/ Join Game



3 Lobby

3.1 Functionalities



3.2 Modify Settings

The screenshot shows the 'SETTINGS' menu for ScrabbleGamer. The menu is divided into two main sections: a green background on the left with the word 'SETTINGS' in large letters, and a white background on the right with a list of settings. The settings are as follows:

Setting	Value	Unit	Controls
Time per Player	120	seconds	< Change >
Max Score	150	points	< Change >
Bingo	50	points	< Change >
Difficulty	Easy		Change
Dictionary	D:\Eclipse\SE2021\scr...		Change View
Tiles on rack	7		< >
Letter	A		< >
Value/ Amout	1	9	< > < >

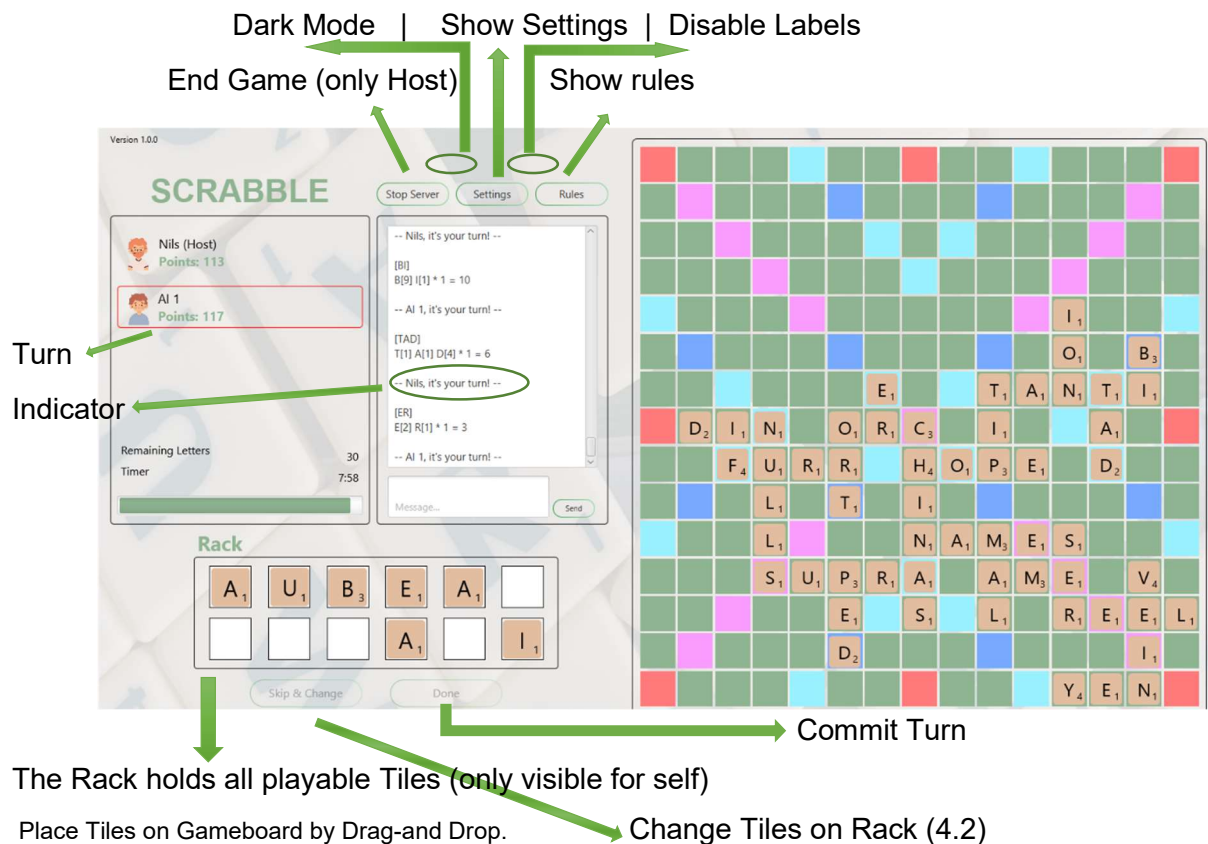
At the bottom of the settings menu are two buttons: 'Restore Defaults' and 'Save'.

Annotations with arrows point to various elements:

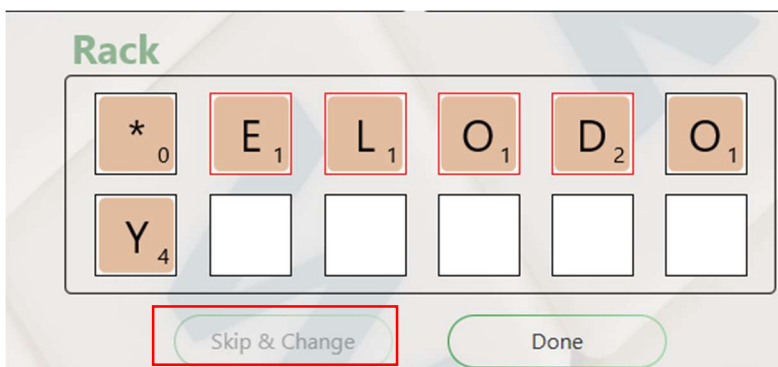
- Decrement value**: Points to the left arrow button next to 'Time per Player'.
- Increment value**: Points to the right arrow button next to 'Time per Player'.
- Change value manually**: Points to the 'Change' button next to 'Max Score'.
- Change dictionary**: Points to the 'Change' button next to 'Dictionary'.
- Note: One word per line and word at beginning of the line**: A red note pointing to the 'View' button next to 'Dictionary'.
- Restore default game settings**: Points to the 'Restore Defaults' button.
- Save all changes and return to lobby**: Points to the 'Save' button.

4 Play Scrabble

4.1 Functionalities

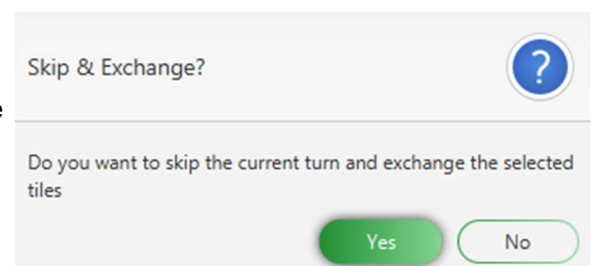


4.2 Skip and Change Tiles



Select tiles to be exchanged by clicking on them. Selected tiles will have a red border. Once you have finished the selection, confirm with "Done"

Confirm that you want to change
Your tiles and skip the turn.



5 After the Game

5.1 Leaderboard

