SQL Games

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The Problem & Purpose

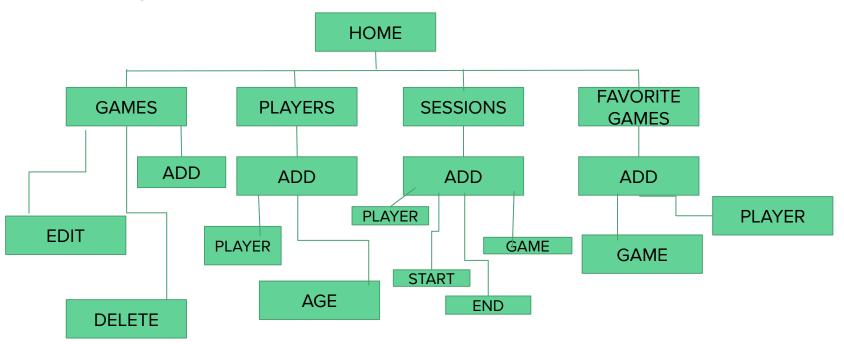
I have so many games. I need to track them all and want to ensure I play them and don't forget about them. I also want a way to track when my family plays them and for how long. Some additional information I want to be able to track:

- videos games
- puzzles
- Include family members interests
- Record play sessions and who is present!

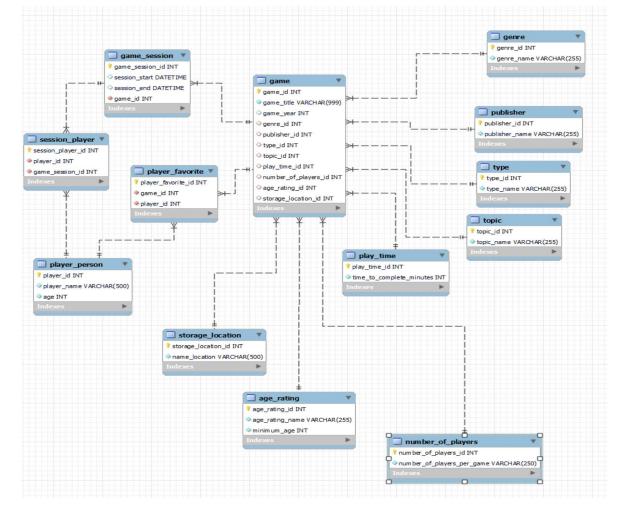
Query goals

- I can enter my game's details into the app
- I can get a listing of games that my 5 year old likes
- I can list cooperative games that 4 players can play
- I can see what games haven't been played this year

Site Map

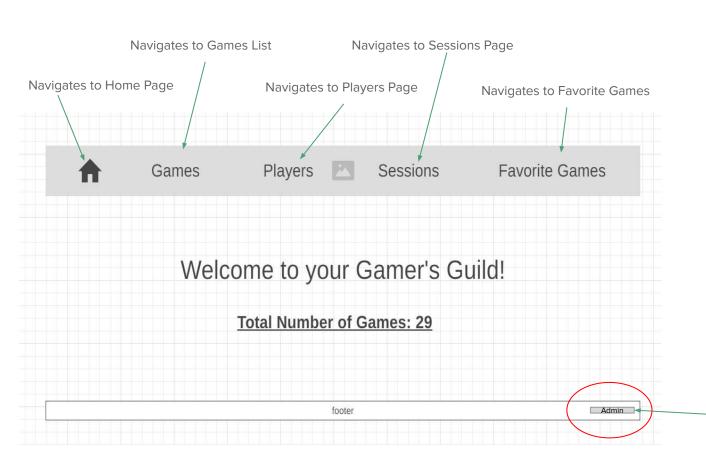


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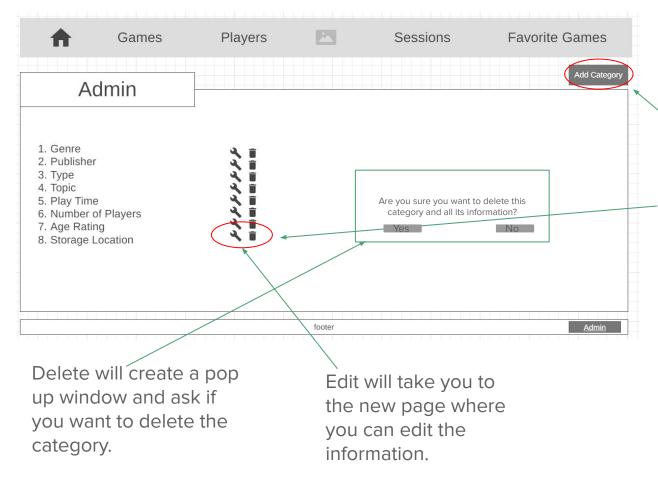


UI for Admin

- Following is the Admin UI
 - Add, Edit, Delete and Display lists for all the admin tables
 - These are used in the searches and connecting of the other tables



Admin button that goes to the pages to input, update & delete information about games.



Here is the admin page where you can click to add new category if need.

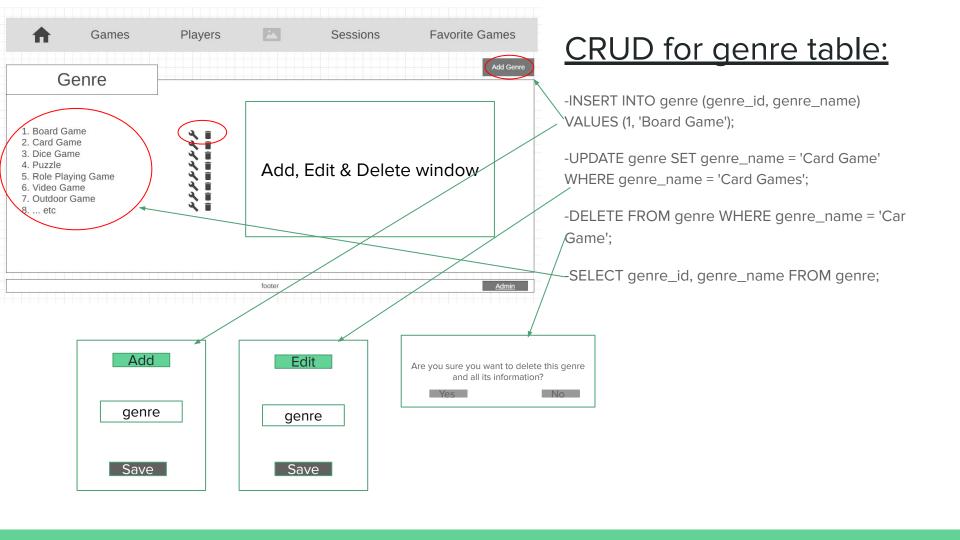
Then you can choose to edit or delete the other categories.

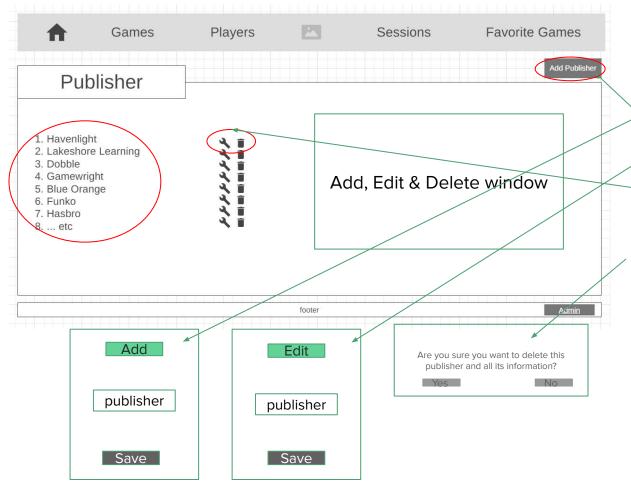
The following slides for Admin will show the category pages.

<u>Creating Tables (Categories):</u>

- The following slides are how I created my tables to be able to populate my data in my UI, etc
- I started by creating each table in my schema: gamers_guild
 - CREATE TABLE <u>IF NOT EXISTS</u> publisher (
 - publisher_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
 - publisher_name VARCHAR(255) NOT NULL
 -) ENGINE=INNODB;
 - This helped so I wouldn't create duplicate tables.

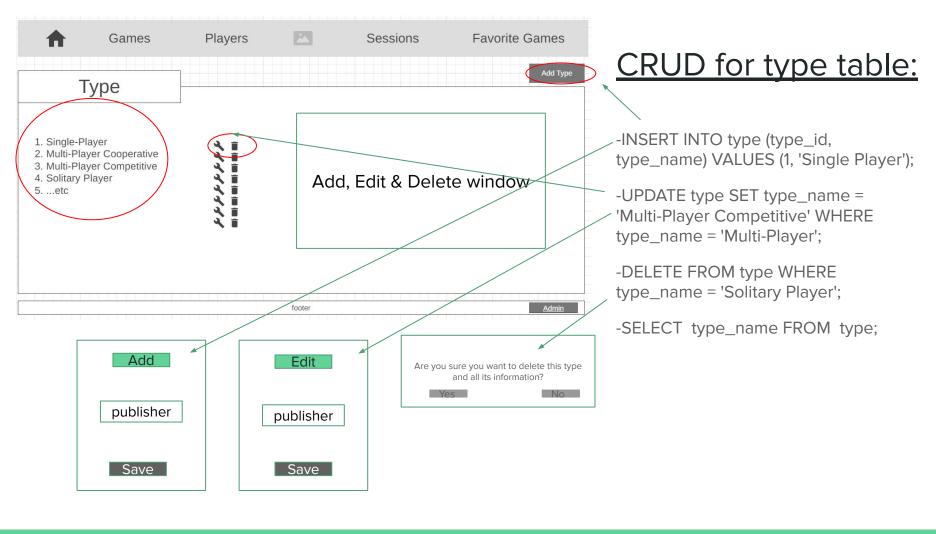
- Then tables with foreign keys:
 - CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS session_player (
 - session_player_id INT
 AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY
 KEY,
 - player_id INT NOT NULL,
 - game_session_id INT NOT NULL,
 - FOREIGN KEY (player_id)
 - REFERENCES
 - player_person (player_id),
 - FOREIGN KEY (game_session_id)
 - REFERENCES game_session (game_session_id)
 -);
 - As Admin...

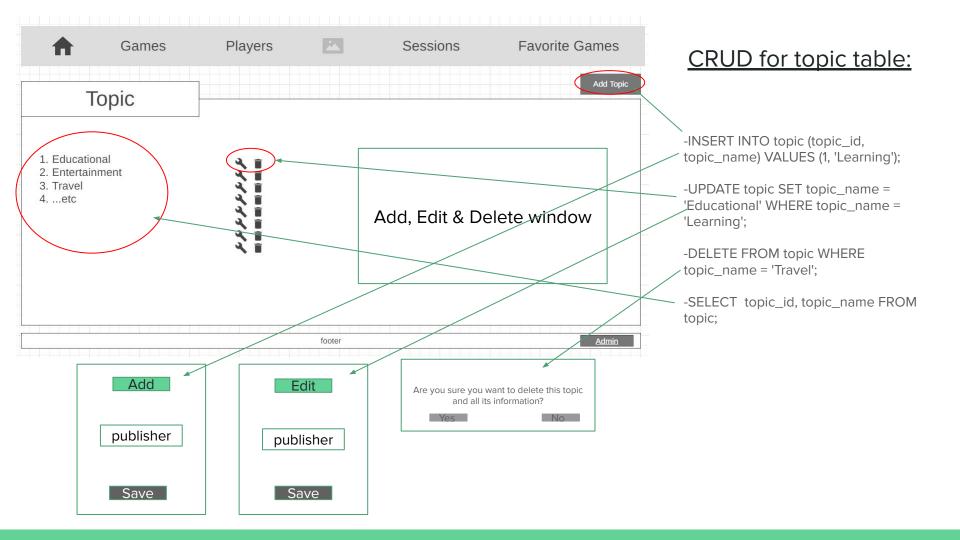


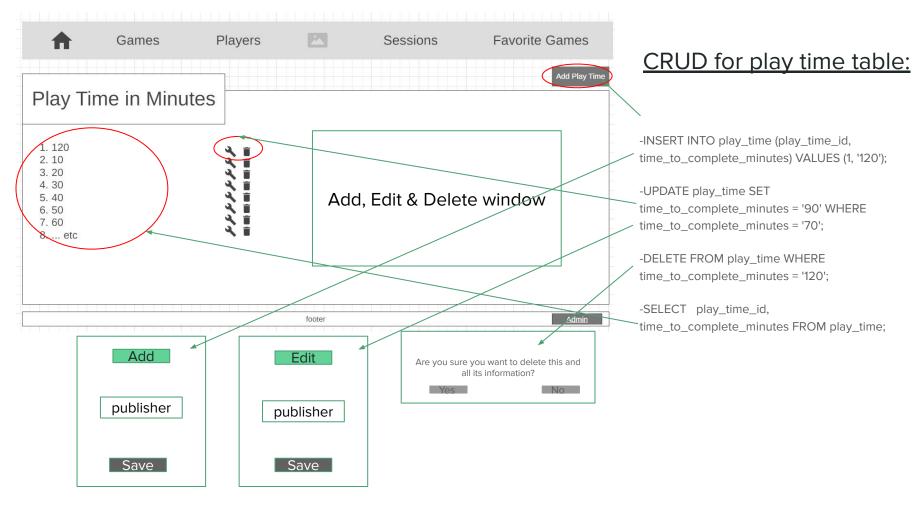


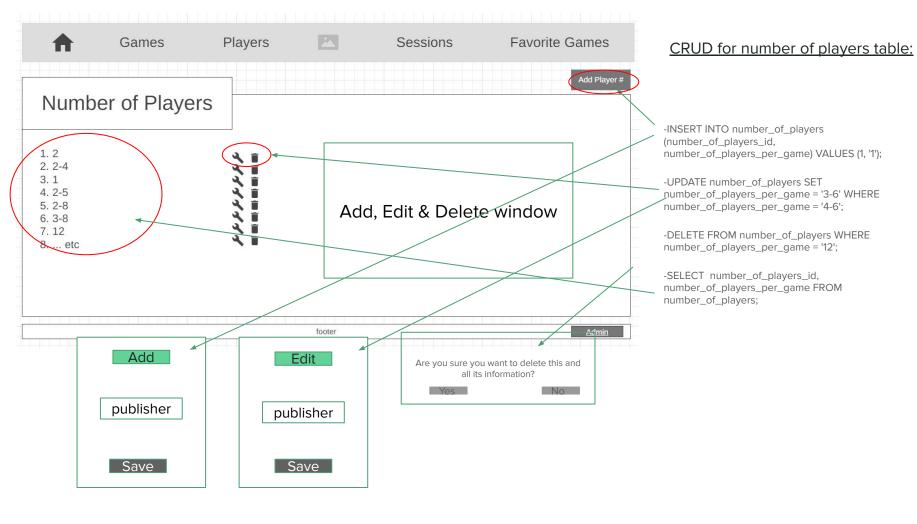
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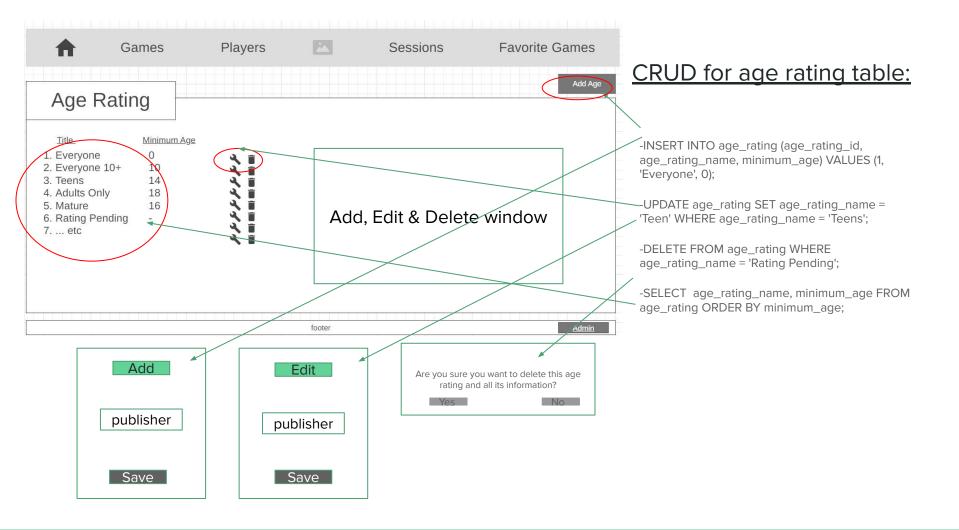
- -INSERT INTO publisher (publisher_id, publisher_name) VALUES (1, 'Havenlight');
- ~-UPDATE publisher SET
 ~publisher_name = 'Funko' WHERE
 publisher_name = 'Funki';
- -DELETE FROM publisher WHERE publisher_name = 'Beech Works';
- -SELECT publisher_id, publisher_name FROM publisher;

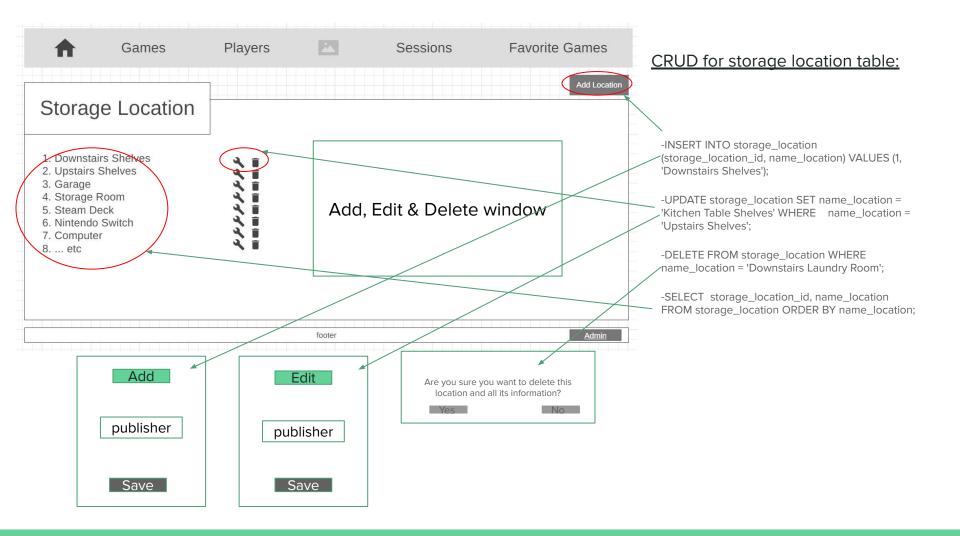












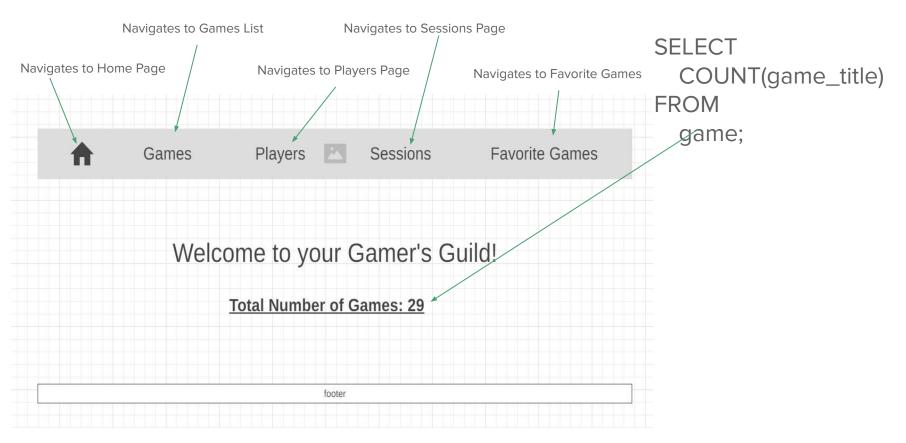
Now the UI for inputting Games, etc

- Here is how I was able to use all of the tables and the information I created into a usable (outside of the Admin) UI.



- Games
 - Publishers
 - Type (Board game, Video Game, Puzzle)
 - Genre (Competitive, Cooperative, Solo)
 - Topic (Educational, Entertainment, Memory)
- Family members
 - Favorites
 - Ages
- Play sessions
 - Dates
 - Game played
 - People included
- Total Count of Games in Database

Tells Number of Games in Game Table:





- ADD

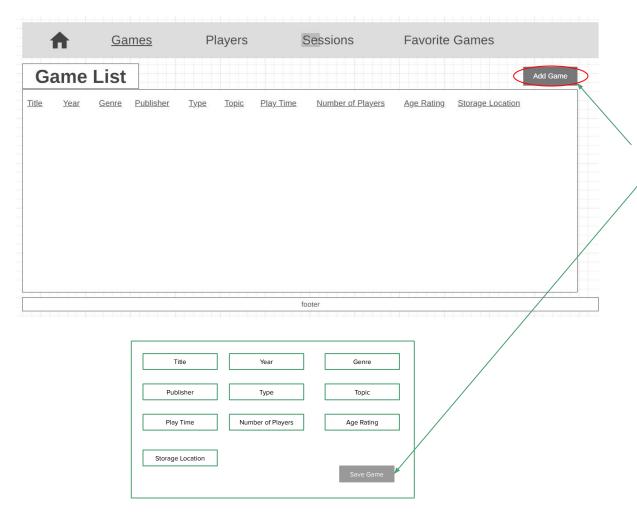
- A button you can click on that allows you to add games with their information.

- EDIT

- If you messed up spelling a name or the wrong publisher, etc you can click the edit button and update the information.

- DELETE

- When you click the trash can, you can delete a game that you no longer have, use, or give away.



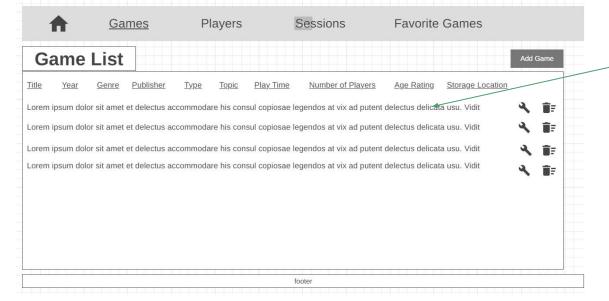
Here is where you can add games:

You would type the information into a separate window pop up and fill out the information.

Then when finished click the add game button on pop up window and it will appear in master list.

INSERT INTO game
(game_id, game_title,
game_year, genre_id, publisher_id,
type_id, topic_id, play_time_id,
number_of_players_id, age_rating_id,
storage_location_id)
VALUES

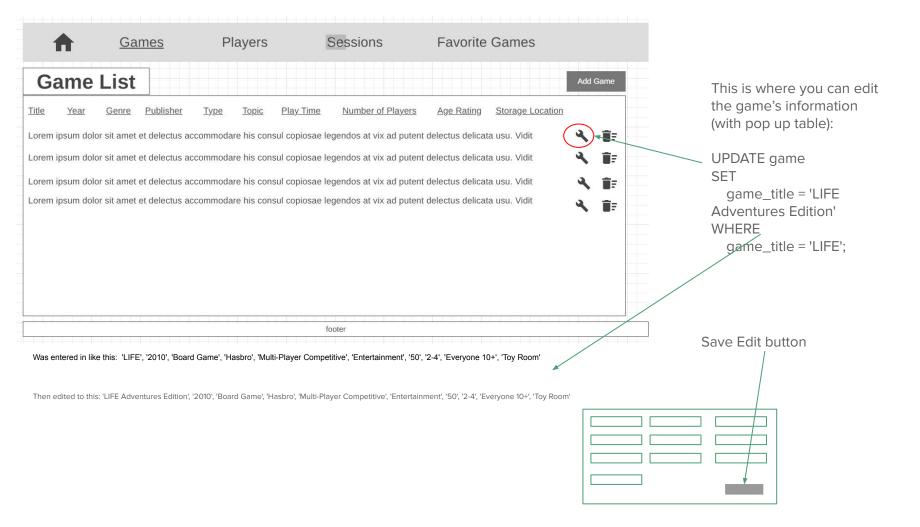
(1, 'The Light Rested Upon Me by Dan Burr', NULL, 4, 1, 3, 2, 8, 5, 1, 2); etc....

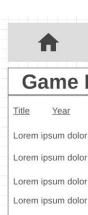


All the games would be queried and displayed here on the game list page.

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ga.game_title AS 'Title',
  ga.game_year AS 'Year',
  ge.genre_name AS 'Genre',
  p.publisher_name AS 'Publisher',
 ty.type_name AS 'Type',
 top.topic_name AS 'Topic',
  pt.time_to_complete_minutes AS 'Play Time',
 n.number_of_players_per_game AS 'Number of Players',
 ar.age_rating_name AS 'Age Rating',
 st.name_location AS 'Storage Location'
FROM
  game ga
    LEFT JOIN
 genre ge ON ga.genre_id = ge.genre_id
                   LEFT JOIN
         publisher p ON p.publisher_id = ga.publisher_id
                   LEFT JOIN
         type ty ON ty.type_id = ga.type_id
                   LEFT JOIN
         topic top ON top.topic_id = ga.topic_id
                   LEFT JOIN
         play_time pt ON pt.play_time_id =
ga.play_time_id
    LEFT JOIN
 number_of_players n ON n.number_of_players_id =
ga.number_of_players_id
    LEFT JOIN
 age_rating ar ON ar.age_rating_id = ga.age_rating_id
                   LEFT JOIN
         storage_location st ON st.storage_location_id =
ga.storage_location_id
ORDER BY game_title;
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SELECT





Games

Players

Sessions

Favorite Games

Game List

Play Time Number of Players

Age Rating Storage Location

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Add Game

This is where you can delete game, like when you decide you don't like it or DI it or missing pieces you can't find:

DELETE FROM game WHERE

game title = 'Monopoly';

A pop-up would say, "Are you sure you want to delete this game and all its information?" Then you

would click, "Yes" or "No" and the game would

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disappear from list.

Are you sure you want to delete this game and all its information?

No

<u>Players</u>

- Family Members & Friends
 - Here is a place to keep track of everyone playing the games.
- Ages
 - Ages of each member to know what games are appropriate for them to play.



When you click the player add button, it opens a window to the left side. Then you type in your information and click the save player button. That inserts the information into the table.

How info inserted using SQL:

INSERT INTO player_person (player_name, age)
VALUES ('Adam', 35);

INSERT INTO player_person (player_name, age) VALUES ('Benjamin', 34);

INSERT INTO player_person (player_name, age) VALUES ('Caleb', 32);

INSERT INTO player_person (player_name, age) VALUES ('Daniel', 30);

INSERT INTO player_person (player_name, age) VALUES ('Ephraim', 28);

INSERT INTO player_person (player_name, age) VALUES ('Kolob', 15);



How list read after values inserted:

SELECT player_name AS 'Name' , age AS 'Age' FROM player_person;

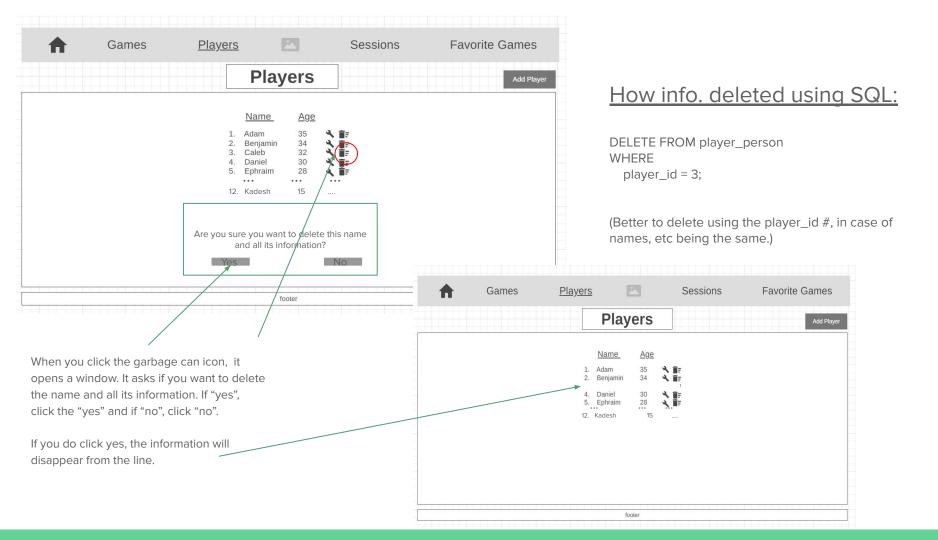


window to the right side. Then you type in your information and click the save player button. That updates the player's name and

age.

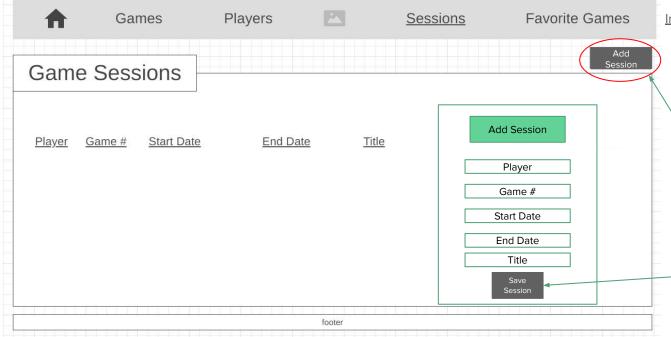
How info. updated using SQL:

UPDATE player_person SET player_name = 'Kadesh' WHERE player_id = 12;



Play Sessions

- Keeps track of When Game Started
- Keeps track of When the Game Ended
- Keeps track of Who Played the game
 - Also if multiplayer, then that player can be added
- Keeps track of The Game played



Inserting values to create play session list:

INSERT INTO session_player (player_id, game_session_id)

VALUES (1, 2);

INSERT INTO session_player (player_id, game_session_id)

VALUES (5, 3);

INSERT INTO session_player (player_id, game_session_id)

VALUES (8, 2);

INSERT INTO session_player (player_id, game_session_id)

VALUES (7, 5);

INSERT INTO session_player (player_id, game_session_id)

VALUES (8, 5);

INSERT INTO session_player (player_id, game_session_id)

VALUES (2, 2);

INSERT INTO session_player (player_id, game_session_id)

VALUES (4, 2);

INSERT INTO session_player (player_id, game_session_id)

VALUES (12, 1);

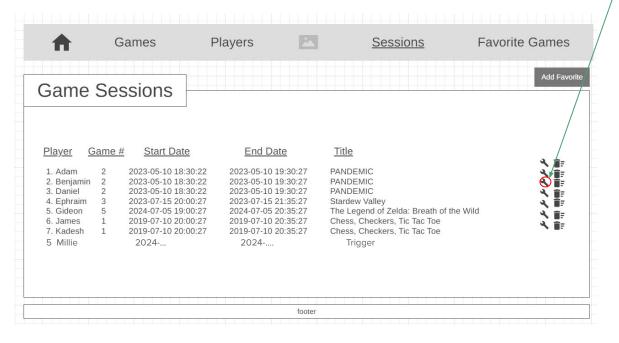
Reading Session List & Displaying:

П	Games	Players	<u>Sessions</u>	Favorite Games Add Favor
Game :	Sessions			
<u>Player</u> <u>Ga</u>	ame # Start Date	End Date	Title	
1. Adam 2. Benjamin 3. Daniel 4. Ephraim 5. Gideon 6. James 7. Kadesh	2 2023-05-10 18:30 2 2023-05-10 18:30 2 2023-05-10 18:30 3 2023-07-15 20:00 5 2024-07-05 19:00 1 2019-07-10 20:00 1 2019-07-10 20:00	22 2023-05-10 19:30:27 22 2023-05-10 19:30:27 22 2023-05-10 19:30:27 22 2023-07-15 21:35:27 2024-07-05 20:35:27 2019-07-10 20:35:27	PANDEMIC PANDEMIC PANDEMIC Stardew Valley The Legend of Zelda: Breath of the Wi Chess, Checkers, Tic Tac Toe Chess, Checkers, Tic Tac Toe	
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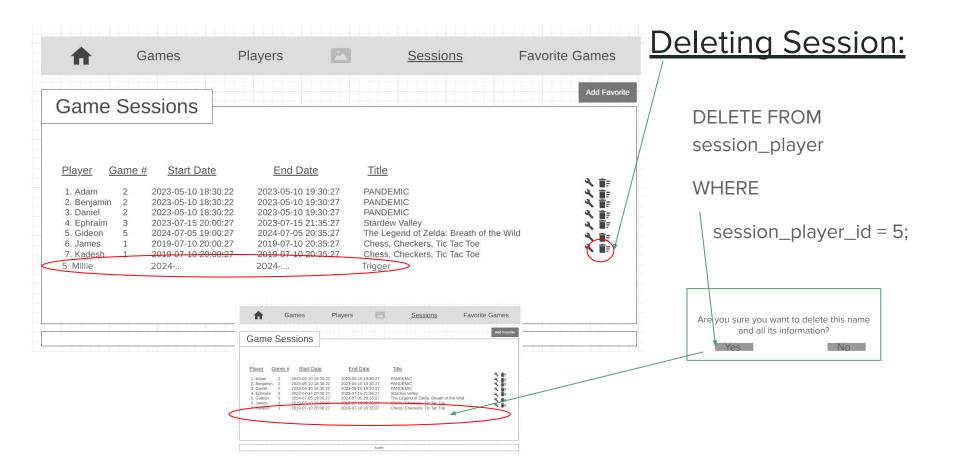
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SELECT
  pp.player_name,
  gs.game_session_id,
  gs.session_start,
  gs.session_end,
  g.game_title
FROM
  session_player sp
    LEFT JOIN
  player_person pp ON
sp.player_id = pp.player_id
    LEFT JOIN
  game_session gs ON
gs.game_session_id =
sp.game_session_id
    LEFT JOIN
  game g ON g.game_id =
gs.game_id
ORDER BY player_name;
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Updating List:

session_player_id = 3;

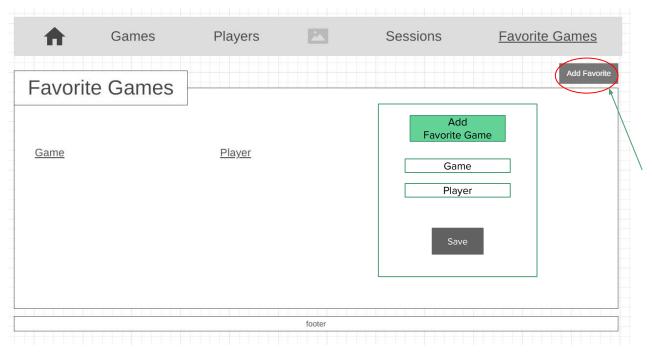


UPDATE session_player **SET** Edit game_session_id = 1 Game Session Player WHERE Start Date **End Date** session_player_id = 3; Title UPDATE session_player **SET** $player_id = 11$ WHERE



Favorite Games

- A way to see what family members and friends love playing the most
 - Especially the youngest
- Follows the same format as previous pages



Adding Favorite Games:

INSERT INTO player_favorite (game_id, player_id) VALUES (1, 1);

INSERT INTO player_favorite (game_id, player_id) VALUES (16, 2);

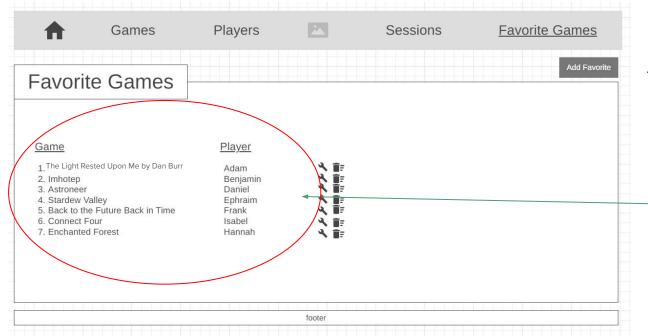
INSERT INTO player_favorite (game_id, player_id) VALUES (22, 4);

INSERT INTO player_favorite (game_id, player_id) VALUES (24, 5);

INSERT INTO player_favorite (game_id, player_id) VALUES (7, 6);

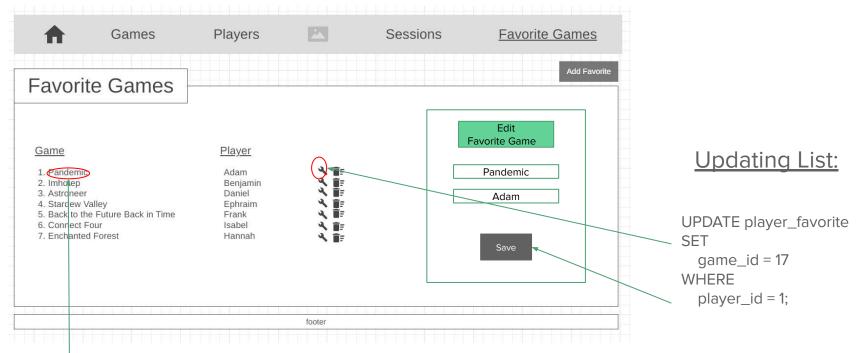
INSERT INTO player_favorite (game_id, player_id) VALUES (13, 10);

INSERT INTO player_favorite (game_id, player_id) VALUES (20, 9);

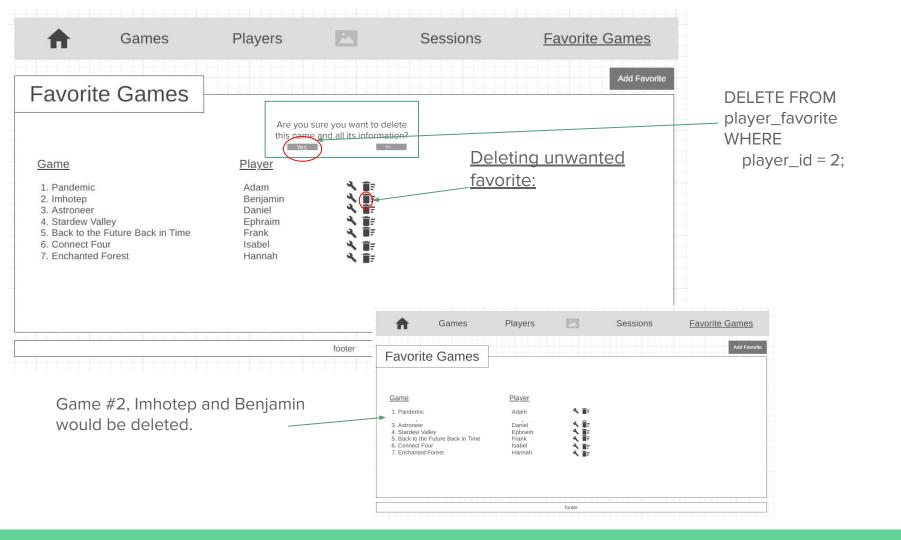


<u>Displaying Players & their favorite game:</u>

SELECT
ga.game_title AS 'Favorite Game',
pp.player_name AS 'Player'
FROM
player_favorite pf
LEFT JOIN
game ga ON pf.game_id =
ga.game_id
LEFT JOIN
player_person pp ON
pp.player_id = pf.player_id;



Here, Adam previously had a puzzle, but it was changed to a board game, "Pandemic".



What I have learned

- In the next few slides are some things I have learned and hope for in the future with this project as I continue to work and improve on it after this class.
- I hope that this will be beneficial for my family and I to use and help us play more games together and get rid of the ones we don't like or use often.

<u>Initial Problems</u>

- I got confused initially with the diagramming website
 - The site helped me visualize which attributes should exist on which table
 - Foreign keys helped depict the relationships
 - Before adding the keys I accidentally duplicated fields on tables (game name for example)
 - Having to go back and change some fields from integer to varchar() and dropping the schema
 - Disabling the Safe Mode to be able to update and delete
 - Re-starting the server after disabling safe mode

Naming standards

- After creating several table I decided on a few standards I wanted to use to be consistent
- Table names 'singular'
 - Game, User, Play_Session
- Primary key IDs match the table they represent
 - Ensured ID was consistent between tables.
 - game_id
 - user_id

Adding features Eventually

- Once the game entity was complete, I added more tables for family members and play sessions
- I can add more fields like year created and game state (if the game is missing pieces for example)
- Another attribute for 'last modified' or 'last reviewed' to easily see what games need to be checked and updated
- App for phone
- Have the computer pick a random game I haven't played recently, which could be fun