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BUSHIROAD WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP 2016 TO TAKE PLACE AT A RECORD 25 CITIES



Singapore (June 22, 2016) – Bushiroad announced the major tournament series, Bushiroad World Championship 2016, will be held worldwide across 25 cities, from August to January next year. The four English edition trading card game titles; Cardfight!! Vanguard, Weiss Schwarz, Future Card Buddyfight and Luck & Logic will feature in the World Championship.

This marks Bushiroad’s latest trading card game, Luck & Logic’s first appearance in a major English edition tournament series. The game will debut at the World Championship as a side event.

Compared to the previous year, a record 25 cities have been selected to hold the Bushiroad World Championship 2016 with Chile and Surabaya, Indonesia, amongst the new additions to this tournament series.

Participants of the Bushiroad World Championship 2016 will have the chance to receive an assortment of goods including an exclusive vertical deck case, promotional cards and special lapel pins given to the top eight players of the regional qualifiers. The vertical deck case is the first promotional goods of its kind for Bushiroad’s English edition trading card game events.





The Bushiroad World Championship 2016 will start at the regional level with the top players advancing to the continental tournaments before culminating in the World Finals in Tokyo, Japan.

A new Store Championship Circuit currently taking place in the United Kingdom has also been introduced in relation to the Bushiroad World Championship 2016. Winners from the store events included in the circuit will receive two automatic byes during the first two elimination rounds of the respective World Championship Regional Qualifiers. This special event will be subsequently held in Germany as well.

The Bushiroad World Championship 2016 will be taking place at the following locations:

Country/State	City	Dates	Venue
North and Latin America			
New York	White Plains	Aug 6-7	Westchester County Center
Puerto Rico	Caguas	Aug 20-21	Complejo Deportivo de Caguas, Coliseo Hector Solá Bezares
Georgia	Atlanta	Aug 27-28	Omni Atlanta Hotel at CNN Center
Canada	Toronto	Sept 10-11	Sheraton Toronto Airport Hotel and Conference Centre
Canada	Vancouver	Sep 24-25	Executive Airport Plaza Hotel & Conference Centre
Costa Rica	San José	Sep 24	Hotel Best Western Irazú
Chile	Santiago	Oct 1	Hotel Neruda
Mexico	Mexico City	Oct 8-9	Expo Reforma
California	Pomona	Oct 22-23	Pomona Fairplex
Illinois	Chicago	Oct 29-30	Crown Plaza Chicago O'Hare
Texas	Houston	Nov 5-6	Sheraton North Houston at George Bush Intercontinental
Europe			
United Kingdom	Telford	Aug 27-28	Strategy GameCon at Telford International Centre
Italy	Rome	Sep-4	Angeli e Draghi
Belgium	Brussels	Sep-10	Outpost Brussels
Greece	Athens	Sep 24-25	Kaissa Cafe
Germany	Cologne	Oct 29-30	Foyer im Mediapark 6
France	Paris	TBD	TBD
Asia-Oceania			
Australia	Melbourne	Sep 3-4	Madman Anime Festival at Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre
New Zealand	Auckland	Oct 1-2	Hobbymaster (Takapuna Store)
Indonesia	Jakarta	Oct 15-16	Toys City Lotte Shopping Avenue
Philippines	Manila	Oct 15-16	Glorietta Activity Center
Singapore	Singapore	Oct 29-30	Suntec Convention & Exhibition Centre
Malaysia	Kuala Lumpur	Oct 29-30	Evolve Mall
Philippines	Cebu	Nov-5	Ayala Activity Center
Indonesia	Surabaya	Nov 6	Marvell City Mall



Continental Championships			
North America/Latin America Continental Championship			
California	Los Angeles	Nov-19	Crowne Plaza Los Angeles International Airport
Europe Continental Championship			
Germany	Düsseldorf	Nov-26	BEST WESTERN Savoy Hotel Düsseldorf
Asia-Oceania Continental Championship			
TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD

*Information is subject to change.

For more information, please visit:

<http://bushiroad.com/en/events/worlds2016/>

Bushiroad Inc. is an entertainment company known for developing Cardfight!! Vanguard, Future Card Buddyfight, Weiss Schwarz, Luck & Logic and other card games, promotional items, smartphone applications around the world.

Bushiroad Inc. consists of 7 sub-entities: Bushiroad Inc., Bushiroad South East Asia Pte Ltd, Bushiroad USA Inc., Bushiroad Europe GmbH, Bushiroad Media, Bushiroad Music, and New Japan Pro-Wrestling Co., Ltd.

Bushiroad South East Asia Pte Ltd was established in Singapore on November 12, 2011 in order to expand the overseas market for Bushiroad card games.

Bushiroad USA Inc. was established in Los Angeles, California on May 18, 2012, to better cater to the growing demand and interest in Bushiroad products from both players and retailers in the USA.

Bushiroad Europe GmbH was established in Duisburg, Germany on October 28, 2014 to support and service Organized play and marketing in the European Region.

Bushiroad (English) - <http://bushiroad.com/en/>

Cardfight!! Vanguard Website (English) - <http://cf-vanguard.com/en/>

Weiß Schwarz (English) - <http://ws-tcg.com/en/>

Future Card Buddyfight (English) - <http://fc-buddyfight.com/en/>

Luck & Logic (Japanese) – <http://luck-and-logic.com/>