TABLE TALK

A PwYF Newsletter

August 2026

A TASTE OF SUMMER

Luxe BBQ Event

Play with Your Food is very excited to be partnering again with Luxe BBQ and Carmichael Outreach to help bring you the 2nd Annual Saskatchewan Weekend Warrier event! Backyard BBQ Teams are going to be competing in both Chicken and Ribs and you can come and taste the results! Bring your friends and family for free samples. It's also very kid friendly, even hosting a kids BBQ competition!

PwYF will be there helping to promote our yearly campaign and we're also going with the Backyard theme and we'll be bringing out all of our best backyard games! Come play Crokinole, Swiss Cheese and oversize backyard versions of the classics, Connect 4, Guess Who and who doesn't want to play a 5 foot tall version of Kerplunk? Our Chewsday Challenge crew will be on hand to help you learn a new game or have a great time on an old favourite!

Join the fun between 11:00 - 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 22nd just north of 1980 Park St. (the old Leader Post building) for BBQ deliciousness, games and demos and deals from Luxe BBQ, a proud sponsor of PwYF and supporter of Carmichael Outreach!

PWYF AT A GLANCE!
WWW.PYWF.CA/REGISTER

TEAMS REGISTERED : 16
REGISTERED ATTENDEES : 76

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WHAT'S ON YOUR SHELF?

Ali Thompson's Favourites

I grew up in the age of Blockbuster (RIP) and VHS tapes. There was truly nothing better than perusing the aisles of a movie store, looking for the perfect selection of movies to watch over the weekend. During one of my movie hunting sessions, with my Mom patiently waiting in the car for me, I found what I will argue, is one of the best films ever created – **Clue**.

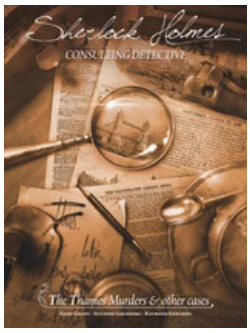
I mean, Tim Curry (but honestly, the entire cast is pure gold), a classic murder mystery board game turned movie, multiple endings (sorry, spoiler!), what's not to love!? I rented this movie so many times over the years my local store actually needed to purchase a replacement copy. And, before that store locked its doors for the very last time, I was there to purchase that well-loved VHS from their closing sale.

Because of my love for this movie, I've sought out tabletop games with a similar vibe that I want to share.

Mansions of Madness – When you pair the app with the game play, there's this really fun mystery that plays out both on the screen and the board. You move through the rooms of the house, much like Clue, encountering and (hopefully) defeating monsters. As the game wraps there's always this big finale that feels very Clue-esque.

Sherlock Holmes Consulting Detective – In this game you read the story of the case Holmes is working on and then sort through old newspapers, maps, and directories to help solve the crime. This game feels like a bird's-eye view of the Clue movie. It is one you can sit around and play with a large group or entirely on your own. I love that there isn't a board or a bunch of little pieces which lends itself to more of a conversation as you play through each case.

Perspectives – Each player has information that the other doesn't have so there's a big focus on effective communication. It could turn out like the scenes in the movie where everyone is running around the house frantic and things are chaotic, or it could go smoothly. The choice is yours.



REGISTRATION UPDATE!

We're seeing new teams registering every week! We can't wait to get everyone on board for this year's campaign! We're already seeing amazing events being planned and posted and it's shaping up to be an amazing year! When you're ready to get your team registered, go to **www.pwyf.ca** and get the ball rolling! We've made a slight change this year to our registration guideline and we have removed the extra fee for adding team members after your initial registration. We would still encourage you to get your team fully together before registering, for maximum prize entries! Any team members leaving the team, will not reduce the team's minimum fundraising requirements however, so keep that in mind!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, August 18th - Chewsday Challenge at the Legion! - Due to work on the carpets at Boston Pizza, our August 18th Chewsday Challenge will be hosted at the Royal Canadian Legion building! **Check out the event on the Community forums for all the info!**

September 25, 26, 27 - Queen City Meeple Community Convention - Stay tuned to their Facebook page for details and updates on registration on their three day gaming con! They are also currently looking for volunteers!

Saturday, October 3rd - 1-6 p.m. - Nachos and Card Games - $10 - Come enjoy nachos and card games for an afternoon of tricks and snacks! *(The Wildcards)*

THE MEEPLE'S CHOICE...

July was an overwheming vote towards our winner, Castles of Burgundy! We had 73% of our voters leaning towards the markets and castles of France!

JULY WINNER - CASTLES OF BURGUNDY

7 WONDERS VS FLIP 7
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TERRAFORMING MARS VS POWER GRID

This month we have two card based games, althought very different ones! Which one is your favourite?

Don't forget to vote each month for an entry into our prize draw at the end of the tournament!

7 WONDERS VS FLIP 7

Click here to cast your vote on this month's match-up!