2017 BOSA Arcade Machine Award Winners Revealed

BMIGaming.com Announces Annual 'Best Of Show Awards' for New Amusement Devices

(Boca Raton, FL) - Apr 25, 2017 – *BMIGaming.com*, in conjunction with *The Stinger Report* and *Arcade Heroes* announced the winners of the annual *Best Of Show Arcade Machine Awards* today. The *BOSA Awards is a* independent amusement products awards program, judged solely by members of the amusement press and prominent arcade industry pioneers.

Amusement Companies awarded a BOSA Medal this year include Raw Thrills (3 Awards), Universal Space (2 Awards), LAI Games (2 Awards), with Nintendo, Bandai Namco Games, Adrenaline Amusements, Coastal Amusements, Atari Games, DOF Robotics, Andamiro Entertainment, VRStudios, Team Play, CJ 4DPlex, Fun VR Tech, Taito, Virtuix Omni, Unit-e and World's Fastest Drummer (WFD), all receiving a single BOSA Award.

The Sixth Annual Best Of Show Arcade Machine Awards, which covers new and emerging out-of-home amusement and arcade technology and innovations as seen at the recent *IAAPA Attractions Expo* in Orlando, Florida, was the most competitive in its history, with the highest number of contenders to date, and with the most distinguished judging panel yet assembled. BOSA Nominees included a vast array of both established and new amusement firms

The Best Of Show Arcade Awards 2017 covered four product categories this year, including 1) *Video Arcade Games*, 2) *Video Redemption (Videmption) Arcade Games*, 3) *Redemption Arcade Games*, and 4) Immersive Gaming, which includes VR / *Virtual Reality Gaming Systems, Virtual Reality Rides, Motion Simulator Rides and Motion Theaters*.

The criteria used to select BOSA Award Winners are based on products reviewed at the *IAAPA Expo*, and products must be expected to ship by early Summer 2017 to qualify. Qualifying products are then reviewed and nominated for a BOSA Award by our panel of judges, then voted upon, with BOSA Nominees assigned a weighted product score after a full review and lengthy 'live' debate between the judges, with the final scoring based on these areas of importance:

Originality, Uniqueness, Playability + Enjoyment, Relevance, Market Earning Potential and Product Pricing.

To get more information for all 2017 BOSA / Best Of Show Arcade Machine Award winners, along with game pictures, product dimensions, product descriptions, product brochures, product videos and much more, please visit:

http://www.bmigaming.com/bosa-arcade-machine-awards-2017.htm

Best Of Show Arcade Awards | Category One : Video Arcade Games

BOSA 2017 Gold Medal Award | The Walking Dead Arcade | From Raw Thrills / PlayMechanix









BOSA 2017 Bronze Medal Award | Cruis'n Blast Arcade | From Raw Thrills / Nintendo





BOSA 2017 Honorable Mention Award | Outback Hunter / Dino Invasion | From UNIS





Best Of Show Arcade Awards | Category Two: Videmption Arcade Games

BOSA 2017 Gold Medal Award | Crazy Tower Arcade | From Adrenaline Amusements





BOSA 2017 Silver Medal Award | Space Invaders Frenzy | From Raw Thrills / Taito





BOSA 2017 Bronze Medal Award | Atari Breakout Arcade | From Coastal Amusements / Atari









Best Of Show Arcade Awards | Category Three: Redemption Arcade Games

BOSA 2017 Gold Medal Award | Baseball Pro Arcade | From Andamiro Entertainment





BOSA 2017 Silver Medal Award | Let's Bounce Arcade | From LAI Games









BOSA 2017 Honorable Mention Award | DC Superheroes Arcade | From Bandai Namco





Best Of Show Arcade Awards | Category Four: VR / Motion Simulators

BOSA 2017 Gold Medal Award | VRcade Gaming System | From CJ 4DPlex / VRStudios









BOSA 2017 Bronze Medal Award | Omni Arena VR | From Fun VR Tech / Virtuix Omni





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BOSA Award Presenter Backgrounds



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The Stinger Report - This highly acclaimed, widely circulated newsletter published bi-weekly since 1994 provides global subscribers up-to-date news and feature reports covering all facets of the worldwide amusement, arcade and digital "out-of-home" (DOOH) entertainment sector.

TSR specializes in publishing "insider" industry information on the current trends and news in the amusement world - Since launching in 1994, TSR has provided industry news, hard-hitting investigative reports, "behind-the-scenes" expose, product reviews on new arcade machines, motion simulators, amusement and entertainment products, along with very thought-provoking articles and in-depth analysis on the current and future state of the global amusement

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Arcade Heroes - This widely recognized arcade and out-of-home entertainment news and video review website was launched back in 2006 by a couple of UK arcade enthusiasts who saw the blogosphere as an opportunity to provide readers with a reliable source of detailed arcade industry news and game reviews, which at the time had almost completely stopped, except for a handful of commercial new sources. After its launch, Arcade Heroes (AH) grew as The Stinger Report began to contribute arcade industry stories. In 2007, **Adam Pratt** (AH's Owner and Publisher since 2010) first joined the AH Editorial Team, and was quickly followed by many other US-based contributors.

Adam Pratt (aka "*Shaggy*") is a very avid arcade fan, and along with publishing AH, also owns *The Game Grid Arcade* in Salt Lake City, Utah, which provides him a very unique perspective in covering arcade games and news from the point-of-view of a both a Player and Operator.

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