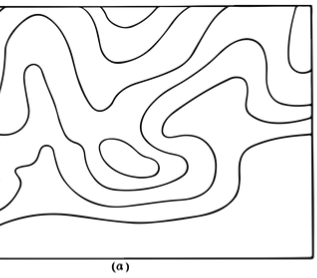

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pathways to action

First and next steps to nurture community amidst chaos, and harness the potential of gaming for good, right here in Dundee.

"i'm ready to get started!" (5 minutes)

- [ ] Get to know your neighbours! Have a chat when you see them in the close / garden; make small gifts and take them to their doors; have a gathering and invite folk around.
- [ ] Do you go to the same place for coffee every day? Strike up a conversation with the barista — ask them how their day is going, or compliment their coffee-making skills!

"let's dive in!" (20 mins-couple hours)

- [ ] More of an analogue gamer? Head to Cake or Dice to use their free board game library! bit.ly/47YJgCn
- [ ] Go to some events at your local community space. Whether that's your local community centre (bit.ly/47q5JYV), or a community-led creative space (bit.ly/4opDfVb), there's loads on, and lots of chances to meet new people!
- [ ] Host a video game night for your new or existing community. Here's a handy list of great co-op games: bit.ly/47X9gOu
- [ ] Raise some money for a worthy charity through video gaming by hosting a Gaming For Good event. Find out what's involved and how to get started: bit.ly/4oPzsAf

email a photo of your checklist – doesn't have to be completed – to info@takeoneaction.org.uk to enter a prize draw!

"i'd like to read more!"

- ARTICLE: ''i want community, but am I prepared to put the work in?' by Elle Hunt. bit.ly/4nD1b6k
- BOOK: 'Checkpoint: How Video Games Power Up Minds, Kick Ass and Save Lives' by Joe Donnelly
- BOOK: 'Gaming for Good: Unlock the power of gaming to create a better world for us all' by Jude Ower and Mathias Gredal Nørvig

"games to play?"

- GAME: The Endless Forest – a free co-op game where you play as a deer exploring a peaceful forest. bit.ly/47wvffe
- GAME: Tray Racers – a free co-op racing game set in a vibrant post-apocalyptic world, made in Dundee! trayracers.com

"more things to watch please!"

- Check out the YouTube channel of Dundee's gaming and digital art community, Biome Collective: bit.ly/4oiFOs6

"let's keep exploring!"

- Join Slow Game Club to play games and chat about them with others — it's like a book club for video games! slowgame.club
- Check out Total Refusal – a pseudo-marxist media group that upcycles video games to reveal the political apparatus beyond the glossy & hyperreal textures of the media. totalrefusal.com