

Let the Games Begin

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Every year, St. Norbert students are presented with a number of student organizations to join. One of the newest organizations on campus is the eSports Association, which, as the name suggests, is the group for its members to gather and play video games.

Nick Hemschemeyer, the advisor of the association, said that the group was formed to be a space for people to explore different games. It is meant to connect everyone interested in meeting others who enjoy video games, and it is a starting pad for those who are unfamiliar with the world of video gaming. Hemschemeyer said, “We want the ability for competitive gamers to be competitive but also casual gamers to be casual and have fun. We hope to create a space where everyone can find and express their interests.” Currently, the association has no preprogrammed list of games, but the members are encouraged to explore whatever piqued their interest.

As a new organization, the main objective of the association is to grow its ranks as well as raising awareness about the group to the rest of the student body. Hemschemeyer stated, “The eSports Association welcomes everyone to join or attend a meeting or event, whether a lifelong gamer, someone that enjoys the casual livestream or someone that has never played a game before. eSports and gaming is a great place to meet new people, and we look forward to seeing it grow on campus.”