Gematsu cancels "Life by You"

Description

Paradox Interactive and Paradox Tectonic have **cancelled** the highly-anticipated life **simulation** game, "Life by You." The game, which was set to be released on PC through **platforms** such as Steam and Epic Games Store, faced multiple delays before ultimately being scrapped.

Deputy CEO Mattias Lilja **expressed** regret over the decision to **cancel** the game, citing a failure to meet both the company's and the community's **expectations**. Despite the game showing **promising** qualities, the team felt that more time and effort would not bring it up to the **standard** they desired.

Lilja emphasized the importance of delivering fun and challenging games to players, acknowledging that mistakes may happen in the **development** process. Moving forward, the company plans to analyze what went wrong with "Life by You" and make necessary changes to ensure better future releases.

Fans of life **simulation** games will have to wait for a new title to fill the void left by the **cancellation** of "Life by You." This decision has disappointed many fans who were eagerly looking forward to the game's release. Paradox Interactive is committed to learning from this experience to improve their future games and meet player **expectations**.

Vocabulary List

1. **Cancelled** /?kæns?ld/ (verb): Decided that an event will not take place.
2. **Highly-anticipated** /?ha?li æn?t?s?pe?t?d/ (adjective): Expected with excitement.
3. **Simulation** /?s?mj??le???n/ (noun): Imitation of a real-world process or system over time.
4. **Platforms** /?plæt?f?rmz/ (noun): Digital services where applications or software can be used.
5. **Expressed** /?k?spr?st/ (verb): Conveyed a thought or feeling in words or gestures.
6. **Regret** /r???r?t/ (noun): A feeling of sadness or disappointment over something that has happened.
7. **Expectations** /??ksp?k?te???nz/ (noun): Beliefs about what will happen in the future.
8. **Promising** /?pr?m?s??/ (adjective): Showing signs of future success.
9. **Standard** /?stænd?rd/ (noun): A level of quality or attainment.
10. **Development** /d??v?l?pm?nt/ (noun): The process of creating or improving a product or service.

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Comprehension Questions

Multiple Choice

1. What was the title of the cancelled life simulation game by Paradox Interactive and Paradox Tectonic?

   Option: Life of the Future
   Option: Life by You
   Option: Simulated Reality
   Option: Virtual Existence

2. Where was the cancelled game

   Option: PlayStation
   Option: Xbox
   Option: Steam
   Option: Nintendo Switch

3. What did Deputy CEO Mattias Lilja emphasize as important in game development?

   Option: High graphics quality
   Option: Delivering fun and challenging games
   Option: Short development time
   Option: Frequent delays

4. Why was the game

   Option: Lack of funding
   Option: Failure to meet expectations
   Option: Technical difficulties
   Option: Team disagreement

5. What is the main goal of Paradox Interactive moving forward after the cancellation?

   Option: Analyze the market
   Option: Make necessary changes for better releases
   Option: Discontinue game development
   Option: Expand into mobile gaming

6. How did fans react to the cancellation of

Option: Excited for new releases
Option: Disappointed and eager for the game
Option: Indifferent
Option: Angry at the decision

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Life by You 2. Steam 3. Delivering fun and challenging games 4. Failure to meet expectations 5. Make necessary changes for better releases 6. Disappointed and eager for the game

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What type of black hole is typically found at the center of a galaxy?

   Option: Supermassive
   Option: Stellar
   Option: Intermediate
   Option: Primordial

2. What term is used to describe the region around a body where another body experiences a force?

   Option: Gravitational field
   Option: Magnetic field
   Option: Electric field
   Option: Radiation field

3. What happened to the highly-anticipated event due to unforeseen circumstances?

   Option: Cancelled
   Option: Rescheduled
   Option: Postponed
   Option: Concluded

4. What process involves growth or advancement in knowledge technology or infrastructure?

   Option: Development
   Option: Stagnation
   Option: Decline
   Option: Regression

5. What is the exchange of information between individuals or groups called?

   Option: Communication

Option: Isolation
Option: Silence
Option: Confrontation

6. Which term describes something that is at the forefront of innovation or progress?

   Option: Cutting-edge
   Option: Obsolete
   Option: Outdated
   Option: Ancient

7. What are new ideas methods or products introduced to bring about change or improvement?

   Option: Innovations
   Option: Traditions
   Option: Conventions
   Option: Habits

8. What term describes something that is intricate detailed or difficult to understand?

   Option: Complex
   Option: Simple
   Option: Basic
   Option: Clear

9. Which term is used to describe something extremely large or related to celestial objects?

   Option: Astronomical
   Option: Microscopic
   Option: Tiny
   Option: Negligible

10. What term describes something that is absolutely necessary or fundamental?

   Option: Essential
   Option: Optional
   Option: Extraneous
   Option: Superfluous

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. _____ are sudden releases of energy in the form of X-rays often observed from black

hole systems.

12. The scientists used a computer _____ to model the behavior of the galaxy.

13. The data _____ that there may be a correlation between the two variables.

14. In order to ensure accuracy the instruments must be properly _____ before use.

15. The scientists studied various natural _____ to understand their underlying causes.

16. The medical team performed multiple _____ to get a detailed view of the patient's

internal organs.

17. The director's new film was _____ by fans who had been eagerly waiting for its

release.

18. The team had high _____ for the outcome of the experiment based on previous

results.

19. A _____ is a region in space where gas and dust come together to form new stars.

20. Photography _____ often gather to share tips and tricks for capturing the perfect

shot.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. The intelligence displayed by the robot was so advanced that it seemed almost human.
22. The ceremony was conducted in a manner that followed the customs and practices of past generations.
23. The exhibition served as a platform to display the latest innovations in technology.
24. The initial test results were encouraging indicating a bright future for the new treatment.
25. The university has multiple locations where students attend classes and engage in academics and extracurricular activities.
26. The rumors regarding the merger between the two companies have been circulating for weeks.
27. The teacher assessed the students' understanding of the topic through a series of questions.

28. The detective applied logical thinking and deduction to solve the mystery of the missing artifact.

29. The concert was called off due to unforeseen circumstances disappointing many fans.

30. Water is for all living organisms to survive.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Supermassive 2. Gravitational field 3. Cancelled 4. Development 5. Communication 6. Cutting-edge 7. Innovations 8. Complex 9. Astronomical 10. Essential

Gap-Fill: 11. X-ray flares 12. Simulation 13. Suggests 14. Calibrated 15. Phenomena 16. Scans 17. Highly-anticipated 18. Expectations 19. Molecular cloud 20. Enthusiasts

Matching sentence: 1. Artificial 2. Traditionally 3. Showcase 4. Promising 5. Campuses 6. Speculated 7. Comprehension 8. Reasoning 9. Cancelled 10. Essential

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