

GAYDAR YAHTZEE

[a game for two players aged 18 and up]

The Background

The game of Gaydar Yahtzee was born in an idle evening, when, distracted from my studies by an obstinate and feverish erection, I heaved shut my weighty digest on the discovery of a new breed of burrowing dinosaur, and proceeded to milk myself. Gaydar, the preferred website for expedient palmistry, was not letting me log in, because I refused to pay for their services. Circumventing their rules, which I will not explain at length, I attempted to guess at profile names that might provide photographic images that would quicken, ever quicken, the process of purging myself. That evening, in the reading room of my stately home, I never completed my manly duties; I became wholly obsessed with cultivating the rules of Gaydar Yahtzee. What follows is the fruit of my year long travails.

The Rules

- **Players take it in turns to select a name that they think a gay man looking for sex on the internet might call themselves.**
- **The profile name is checked at [gaydar.co.uk](http://www.gaydar.co.uk). This is done by visiting <http://www.gaydar.co.uk/profilename>**
- **Players score points according to what (often surprising) sights appear.**

Scoring

This is a summary of the different scoring methods available. You may use as many or as little as you please. You may also, of course, invent new categories.

SCORE	REASON	EXPLANATION
0	"UNKNOWN PROFILE"	The name you have chosen has not been grabbed. Try something a little more obvious. Think <i>gay</i> , for heaven's sake.
5	"INACTIVE PROFILE"	The name has been registered, but not used. A consolatory five points are awarded for thinking cleverly.
10	ACTIVE PROFILE	Congratulations. A profile

Further Scoring

2	PHOTO	There is a photograph of the person on the main page.
-2	FAKE PHOTO	There is a photograph that is <i>patently</i> not of the person. This may include a Tom of Finland cartoon, or someone who says "this really is me!"
2	PRIMARY COCK SHOT	The main profile page contains a wonderful picture of a fantastic cock.
-5	PRIMARY ANUS SHOT	The main photo of the profile has a visible anus. This means the hole. A semi-profile of two buttocks does not count.
GAMBLE	SECONDARY PHOTO COCK SHOTS	If the text "View Picture ..." appears under the main photograph, you may gamble up to five points that a nominated photo will reveal a cock.

Advanced Scoring

5 -5	ROLE BONUS / ROLE PENALTY	Before the game you may select a "role". You can be Active, Passive, or Versatile. Versatiles get no bonus. Actives get five points for a passive, and minus five for another active. Vice versa for Passives.
20	FAVOURITE ACTOR BONUS	You may nominate a favourite actor. If any of your profiles match this actor, you get a twenty point bonus. Note; you are not allowed to say "Brad Pitt" or "Anyone Hot".
-10	UNPOPULARITY PENALTY	Minus ten points if your profile has been visited less than 1,000 times.
10	POPULARITY BONUS	Bonus ten points if your profile has been visited more than 10,000 times.
-?	DISCRETIONARY MUNTER PENALTY	If your profile is a fresh arrival from Ming Star Five, you may award a discretionary penalty. See the example round, below.

SCORE SHEET

PROFILE NAME					
"UNKNOWN" Zero Points Turn Over					
"INACTIVE" Five Points Turn Over					
"ACTIVE" Ten Points Continue					

ACTIVE PROFILE SCORING

PHOTO? Two points					
FAKE PHOTO? Minus Two					
COCK SHOT BONUS					
HOOP SHOOT PENALTY					
SECONDARY PHOTO GAMBLE?					

ADVANCED MATCH SCORING

ROLE : A / V / P 5 : match -5 : mismatch					
ACTOR Nominate actor before play (20 pts for match)					
POPULARITY -5 : Under 1,000 5 : Over 10,000					
JOE BUGNER AWARD FOR HORRIFIC APPEARANCE					
TOTAL					

