

Bard's Tale: A Venti Zine

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Mods: [Fish](#), [Gab](#), [Jinx](#), and [Abyss](#)

-Theme-

This zine will focus on the life of Venti!

Contributors will be able to pick between:

- Dragons—travelling with Dvalin, their friendship, etc
- Flowers—Cecilias and other flowers in Teyvat
- Wine—Drinks and food across Mondstadt
- Music—Venti travelling with his harp, telling multiple stories across Teyvat
- Life—Venti hanging out with friends (Traveler, Vennessa, etc)

-About-

- This is a for-charity zine. The money made will first go into shipping and production as well as ensuring that contributors get the full bundle. The rest of the funds will be given to a charity.
- SFW only
- Both digital and physical, all physical bundles will include a digital PDF
- We'd like to avoid shippy relationships if possible. Platonic pairings are okay, but the focus of this zine is Venti.

-Roles-

- 7 merch artists
- 20 page artists
 - page illustrations, two-page spreads, and half-page collab artwork, comics
- 4 poets
- 3 fic writers
- 1 cover artist

-Specs-

- Artwork must be in CMYK and 300 DPI minimum
- Portrait orientation
- The zine will be 5.5 x 8 inches
- Templates will be provided to the contributors
- WIPs can be sent as a **PNG/JPG**, but we require that final submissions be **TIFF** and sent through **Google Drive**
- For poems, you can write in the style of Venti's poems as seen in the in-game cutscenes, or you can play around with style and form to create a different kind of poem that explores Venti's character, experiences, and feelings.
- [Contributor expectations and requirements](#)

-Guest Contributors-

- [@MILKURIEM](#)
- [@Chunnyeol](#)
- [@N4391](#)
- [@Poruvoron](#)
- [@momo_krys](#)

-Schedule-

- ~~10/23 - 11/6: Interest Check~~
- ~~11/6 - 11/20 Mod Applications~~
- ~~12/01 - 12/31: Contributor Apps~~
- ~~01/07: Emails Sent~~
- ~~01/14 - 04/08: Creation Period~~
 - ~~Check in 1: 02/04~~
 - ~~Check in 2: 03/11~~
 - ~~Final Submissions: 04/08~~
- May 20th - June 30th: Pre-Orders
- July - September: Printing and Production
- September - October: Shipping

Note: Due to COVID, all of our deadlines may be subject to change. We'll make announcements if such a delay occurs.

-Mods-

- Fish - Shipping and Production, Head, and Art Mod
- Gab - Graphics and Formatting Mod
- Jinx - Finance Mod
- Abyss - Poet and Writer Mod

All Mods have prior experience with Zines.

-Forms-

- [Apply as a Page Artist](#)
- [Apply as a Merch Artist](#)
- [Apply as a Poet or Fic Writer](#)

-Charity-

- [Dogs for Better Lives](#)