

Born to be Wild

Episode 193 - twist needs to be put on a performance improvement plan Friday, March 1, 2024
INTRO
ElectricSheepCity:
Welcome welcome everyone to Episode 193 of BORN TO BE WILD, a Wild and Wild-adjacent Hearthstone podcast where we have fun hanging out with friends, talking about the Wild (and wild-adjacent) formats of Hearthstone and spotlighting members of the Wild Community!
I'm your host, ElectricSheepCity!! It's great to be back on this beautiful Friday evening here in Colorado
I'm joined tonight two of my favorite people, Hydra how you doin?
Hydralisk: Was it just snowing or hailing? I was not sure but it was heavy and now its already melted haha
SchmoopieDaddy:
Hello from snowy but sloppy Orange county!

------HOUSEKEEPING------

SHOW FORMAT:

Hydralisk:

For those of you joining us for the first time, welcome aboard! Let me briefly explain how this show works - we record this podcast live every Friday evening at twitch.tv/BornToBeWildHS and the video version of this podcast is then posted to YouTube shortly thereafter. Audio versions are also distributed to all podcast apps. However you're watching, listening (or absorbing via osmosis) this podcast today... THANK YOU! Yes, you!

CONTENT PLUG:

SchmoopieDaddy:

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ElectricSheepCity:

Bread N Butter with Hydra, work work, parents came and went (bye Felicia) I've played Twist to Diamond 3 (so far...) before show tonight, and I'm ready to talk some HS with my buddies. Hydra how was ur week?

Hydralisk:

- B&B was great!
- Finished off The adventures of Tom Sawyer and and now part way through Ernest Hemmingway's first novel The Sun also rises.
- I am at 5/33+ after 2 months so I have to pick it up! At this rate I will get only to 30 books read
- I played a bunch of aggro druid last week but that's not relevant now
- Hoping to hop on after the show and play some day 1 twist as I just got home from work! Made a zoolock and played a couple right before the show

SchmoopieDaddy:

------THIS WEEK's NEWS: *Welcome to the News! The News is S000000 Good!*------

Eliminating Bots has transformed the Wild meta (TS report)

Lots of card reveals!

Highlights:

- -Play House Giant
- -Treasure Distributor
- -Sing Along Buddy

Neutrals:

-Mostly good/busted arena cards

Warrior:

-Fun Dr stuff, some of it seems playable

Druid:

-Spell Damage stuff seems weird but cool

Paladin:

- -Flash Sale
- -Painter's Virtue
- -Neat Aura stuff

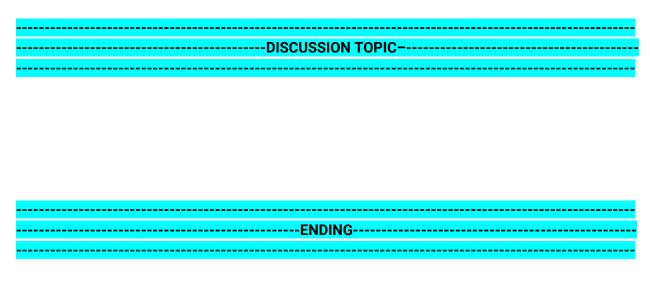


Twist debacle!

Bots in HS at large

Class Frequency Discussion

Deck frequency data now includes the Asia server, but not because the bot problem in Hearthstone has been alleviated. It's because the America server has become almost as bad, so there's little point excluding one of the servers. It does make the ladder climb much easier for the average Hearthstone deck, but the botting plague might be the most serious problem currently facing the game. We noticed the most recent ban wave, but bans need to come in more frequently and at a bigger scale for this issue to be dealt with effectively.



Hydralisk: Unrelated Advice

That wraps up this week's show!

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