

BOOKMARKS:



OUR DESIRES: Jayvik Secret Journal

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ABOUT:

Our Desires is an NSFW fanzine spotlighting the sexual relationship between Jayce Talis and Viktor from Arcane through creating their private journal! We will be including hextech contraption concepts, photographs and drawings, diagrams, written entries of moments, and other explicit content of that variety. The zine will progress chronologically, depicting their shifting relationship throughout the show through a unique and personal format!

While organisationally separate, this zine is affiliated with [Our Eternity](#), the SFW Jayvik journal zine. The digital zine will be released around the time Our Eternity's physical sales should arrive to buyers so that you can enjoy both together!

PUBLIC SCHEDULE:

All deadlines are at **23:59 UTC** unless otherwise specified.

DATE	EVENT
11 - 25 August (2 weeks)	Promo + Interest Check
29 August - 19 September (3 weeks)	Contributor Applications open
22 - 26 September	Contributor Results sent
3 October	Deadline to accept

10 October	Pitches due
15 October	Pitches approved + assigned
5 November	Check-in 1 (25%)
5 December	Check-in 2 (50%)
5 January	Check-in 3 (75%)
5 February	Finished Drafts
7 - 21 February (2 weeks)	Refinement / Layout
22 - 28 February (1 week)	Promoting
March	Zine is released for sale
April	Donation made, Zine close

ZINE CONTENT:

Our Desires will feature 4 sections:

I. A Lifetime Ago

◆ A new dream is born of two brilliant minds, though naive and perhaps too ambitious. <From first meeting to start of their breakup era>

II. Mending A Rift

◆ Their search for each other as they desperately seek the partner they had lost. <From breakup to their reconciliation>

III. Eternity With You

◆ Their final moments reunited, finally reaching each other. Together at the end of it all. <From reconciliation to curtain close of Season 2>

IV. A World Beyond?

◆ *"In another life, I would have really liked just doing laundry and taxes with you."* <Post canon and alternate universes>

As this zine focuses on telling their relationship through a journal, these sections are more of a rough guideline to keep the progression of zine contents organized!

ZINE SPECS:

- ◆ Digest size
 - ◆ 150+ pages
 - ◆ Digital PDF (printable)
 - ◆ Contributors
 - ◆ 3 types of writers: fic, journal, and article
 - ◆ 5 types of artists: cover, page, spot, comic, and merch
 - ◆ Exact numbers determined by our interest check! We are looking for a higher proportion of artists to writers.
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BRIEF CONTRIBUTOR GUIDE

GENERAL GUIDELINES:

Originality:

- ◆ All works must be original and created for this zine.
- ◆ AI Content is strictly prohibited.
- ◆ Artwork and writing must be created by one person. While beta reading and feedback is allowed (and encouraged!), one person should primarily be working on each work.

Cohesion and Quality:

- ◆ All artworks should be 300 dpi minimum and meet the resolution requirements (Will depend for spreads or single page illustration).
- ◆ All artworks should be digital or high quality scanned traditional. 3D art (3D modeled scenes, physical sculpted scenes, etc.) are allowed but will be more selectively judged to maintain a cohesive feel throughout our zine!
- ◆ All writing should be within the recommended word count limit of their content form (4k for fic writers, 300 for journal entry writers, 500 for article writers).
- ◆ All writing should be edited to be free of spelling, punctuation, and grammar errors.
- ◆ All works should maintain a somewhat cohesive and coherent storyline and characterization.

Content guidelines and prohibited content:

- ◆ As the zine is NSFW, all works will depict sexually explicit or suggestive content, including but not limited to kink and fetish!
- ◆ Dark and certain dead dove-applicable content should be kept to a minimum in reference to canonical events (examples: Jayce's non-consensual body modification of Viktor, the dubious consent present in the commune hivemind, etc). BUT, if you are unsure about your pitches—perhaps there's a certain kink you want to write or draw—don't hesitate to ask the mod team! We are aware that this guideline may be vague. Given the flexible definitions of dark and dead dove-applicable content from person to person, we are happy to review your work case-by-case.
 - ◆ If there is dark or dead-dove content on your social media accounts, that is okay and does *not* disqualify you from joining this zine!
- ◆ Violence is acceptable, but please try to keep things on-topic. Again, if you are unsure about your pitches, don't hesitate to ask the mod team! We are happy to review your work case-by-case.
- ◆ Sexual content involving underage characters (below 18) and non-consensual content are prohibited.
- ◆ To reiterate, AI content will result in a ban from this project.
- ◆ **For contributors:** we are not a fixed dynamic or fixed gender identity zine. Writing top/bottom/switch or cisgender/transgender characters is all okay. The choice is up to you!

- ◆ For readers: with personal tastes in mind, especially when it comes to NSFW, we will be including a page of content warnings at the start of the zine!

Deadlines:

- ◆ All deadlines should ideally be met. Extensions are permitted for every check in except the final 100% check-in in order to give our layout mod time to put the zine together!
- ◆ If you are unable to continue working on this project, please inform a moderator as soon as possible! A pinch hitter will fill in your slot.

Confidentiality:

- ◆ Please do not share WIPs, drafts, or completed works publicly until leftover sales are complete. Sharing within the zine discord or to other contributors is permitted.
- ◆ Once the zine has fully concluded, all creators retain all rights to their own work and will be able to share it on their own platforms should they wish!

Communication and Conduct:

- ◆ Contributors must be **18** years or older when applying to participate.
- ◆ Please maintain a respectful and cooperative attitude towards moderators and fellow contributors. Bearing in mind that contributors are all NSFW creators, people may create content outside of the zine that is not everyone's cup of tea. Offensive remarks, hate speech, or ill-intended attempts to stir up discourse will warrant a ban from this project.
 - ◆ Specifically: Racism, sexism, homophobia, transphobia, and ableism will not be tolerated.
- ◆ Please communicate with moderators if you are having any issues, or if you are unable to meet a deadline.
- ◆ We ask that all contributors have a discord (or are able to create one for this project) to make communication smoother!

COMPENSATION:

Our zine project is For-Charity, and funds will be donated to a charity selected further down the line! All contributors (Mods, writers, and artists) will receive a free PDF copy of the zine and all of our digital merch!

CONTRIBUTOR DOC LINK

(Detailed contributor info including roles, application guidelines, etc can be found in the link above!)

FAQ:

What is a fanzine?

- ◆ A fanzine (short for fan magazine) is a collection of artwork and/or writing that is self published by fans for other fans. Our zine will include artwork, fanfiction, and digital merch bundles!

Is this zine for profit or for charity?

- ◆ Our project is for-charity. A more detailed breakdown of compensation can be found in the Contributor Guide.

Will there be a digital or physical copy?

- ◆ This zine will be digital only! However, there will be instructions provided to make a physical copy yourself or get one printed!

What types of merchandise will be included?

- ◆ We aim to include digital merchandise such as wallpapers, planner templates, and emotes, though other merch options will be explored through our interest check!

How many contributors are you seeking?

- ◆ We are seeking to have a larger portion of page artists to spot artists and fic writers along with merch artists; however, the exact specifications will be determined by our interest check!

I have other questions!

- ◆ Feel free to direct any further questions to our [Email](#) or anonymously through our [Alterspring](#)!