

Congratulations on being your community's representative!

Please follow the steps listed below in order to get yourself ready for the game. Except for maybe the bio part, this can all be done in a couple of minutes. Please do steps 4 and 5 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, don't delay this.

This is a copy pasted message to save myself some time. Just disregard the steps that obviously don't apply to you.

1) REGISTER ON THE SITE

Click here and get yourself registered: <http://www.mafiauniverse.com/forums/register.php>

Please use the same username as the one you have on here (or something close to it).

2) CHECK IN

Please make a post in this thread, confirming yourself as a representative:

<https://www.mafiauniverse.com/forums/threads/30376-Mafia-Championship-Season-8-General-Thread>

Also, feel free to chat with the other representatives in that thread. We love banter :)

3) BACKUP?

Have you guys elected a backup in case you have to drop out? Please let them know they should register on the site and either PM me or post in the thread above as well.

4) INFORM ME OF YOUR AVAILABILITY

Cross off which start dates suit your schedule: <https://doodle.com/poll/b97uraw38g4wrxin>

I will do my very best to make sure everyone plays during a time that suits them well.

5) STATE YOUR PREFERENCES

I need to know what phase lengths, deadlines, etc. you prefer.

Fill out this info here:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc8QGa2whCsTkZCtiHliT87cPulDFYkUdpUUolhL7oCjHgSNG/viewform>

6) READ THE RULES

These are the site rules: <http://www.mafiauniverse.com/forums/threads/27-Forum-Rules>

Be sure to check up on them. For some communities, an unusual rule might be that you're only allowed to post in the thread. I.e. you can't PM other players outside of the game thread (unless you're mafia).

Another important rule is basically that you can't be an asshole. Mafia is a confrontational game and all, but don't cross the line. Discriminatory language and name-calling is not tolerated, for example.

7) FINAL WARNING: THESE GAMES ARE VERY ACTIVE!

I am stating this once again because each year there are people that are overwhelmed by the level of activity and don't seem prepared. Be warned that you should at minimum expect 500 posts within a span of 24 hours in the early phases of the game, and maybe even several hundred more.

So if you only have one hour each day to play the game, for example, that won't cut it, since you wouldn't be able to even read all the posts in that amount of time, let alone have time to post and give your own thoughts.

I'm not trying to scare you away - most representatives ARE able to keep up, but I just want to make sure that you didn't gloss over this.

8) I NEED YOUR BIO

And lastly, I need a bio from you.

Please fill out the below form and then send it to me via PM on your home site or on Discord.

NATIONALITY: [...]

STARTED PLAYING MAFIA (YEAR): [...]

HAVE PLAYED MAFIA ON THE FOLLOWING SITES: [...]

BIO:

[Insert whatever information or fun facts that you wish here. Talk about your mafia-related accolades, impressive stats, fun anecdotes, favorite role to play, strengths and weaknesses, your approach to the game, other players' quotes about you, or take out the piss on the whole thing and make some jokes. The ball is entirely in your court, this will be how you present yourself to your fellow competitors and to the many spectating communities.]

Feel free to enlist the help of your community to make this bio.