

THE END OF PIXEL PUPS EVENT
(or in other words, PP is over Party)
10/1-11/1 (FOR EXAMPLE)

~~*This event's duration is the last chance you get to trade (or make use of any other way to get cherries) for cherries! After this event ends, you'll no longer be able to get cherries, unless you get really lucky in trialling or someone gives them to you. If you're unlimited, you can gift a maximum of 200 cherries. Anything I say might change, I'm not too sure just yet!~~

*The store won't close! At least, not if I can help it! Raspberries and trialling should also be permanently open. Customs probably won't open, sorry man. Unless I feel like it? People can still trade PPs/items, please tell me, though! I'll still be updating archives and banks, probably.

Now without further ado, happy reading!

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Alright guys, you knew this was coming, right? We had to end at some point, and I guess I've gotten too busy to keep this adopts running. BUT! It'll only partially close! Which isn't exactly good news, but well, just continue reading.

Now, I'm not joking when I say we're ending. I feel like I'm writing this rather unseriously, but I don't want to get all sad on you. We're going to have one last event! I hope it's fun, I've worked a lot on it! There'll be several things you can do during this event!

♦For one, there'll be several big raffles each week until I run out of PPs! These raffles will be consisting of any PPs I've got left over from holiday events, some premade PPs from event stores, etc. All users can only win 1 PP! I think! I might change this, I'm not sure yet. Either way, you participants can choose in order of preference, what PP you want. Just fill out the form, you'll see.

♦And another thing you can do: Mips! Mips item exchange will [i]probably[/i] be only going on for 1 week! And after that, they'll probably be gone forever. I have to be honest, I'm not too sure if they'll really go away forever or not. BUT! For this one week of Mips, they'll be getting a limited special going away item! (Like just an accessory probably, nothing too big haha) No slots for them, but you can only send an item trade for 1 Mip, no more than. I'll try to go through the trades one at a time, but there may be a long waiting time. Or maybe a short one, if we're lucky.

♦Now for the main part of the event: a CYOA story! Pretty self explanatory, except this'll give you rewards! Nothing too big, just a nice experience to wrap up the PP universe and a pre made, limited ending exclusive PP! Please participate, I put effort into it :L
[url=]Here's the link to the start of the story![/url]

♦Now, you might be wondering, "Can we use the PP lines, since you're never going to use them?" And well, I don't know! (I might use them sometimes, too)
So it's up to you! I'll be running a month long poll on this thread, and for the whole month you get to choose whether the lines will be open use or not! Majority of the vote wins, so make sure to vote if you want to have an input!

I think I'll have some rules on the lines/species if they do get to be open use though. Nothing too big, just something like crediting, can you sell stuff, etc.

--Will items be open use?

No, sorry D:

But feel free to use inspiration, just don't copy and paste or trace over them. Anything along those lines.

Can you let us reopen PPs?

I included this option in the poll, but I've seen how this often ends lol. The species usually never reopens again or runs for several weeks and then dies. If someone with a lot of experience and dedication offers to open it though, I just might (PM me if you think you wanna)! That'd take a looooot of work on both our

ends though, so just because this option wins doesn't mean I'll go along with it. I might go with the 2nd most voted option, but if I don't and reopen them, things would probably change, it won't be the same PPs!

[url=https://www.chickensmoothie.com/Forum/memberlist.php?mode=viewprofile&u=748575],sayu[url] actually offered to reopen/take over for me in November, and if they're still willing, there's an option c:

Poll: Should PP lines be open use? Ends on 11/1

Yup!

Nah!

No! Let someone remake PPs! (Before choosing this, please read "Can you let us reopen PPs?")

[quote]And... that's all our attractions!

Thank you for sticking with PPs all this time! If you're new to PPs, thanks for checking it out! I'm sorry you couldn't play along longer, but the end is inevitable and all that, right? Either way, I hope you've had fun with Pixel Pup's last hurrah! This journey of _ years has been full of ups and downs, but I've really had an amazing time! I hope you guys have had fun too, whether new or old. I probably won't open up another adoptables sort of thing, but who knows?

It's been fun interacting with all of you, and I hope to see you guys around sometime. Maybe it won't be at PPs or even CS, but don't be a stranger! Seriously, message me if you want! You can also ask me stuff like PP secrets or whatever, idk lol. If I don't respond for a while, don't take it personally, I'm just preoccupied proly...

-Me (2FrostyPaws)[/quote]

THE END OF PIXEL PUPS CYOA EVENT 10/1-11/1 (FOR EXAMPLE)

You are free to play through all the endings (there are 5 + an easter egg kinda) to see all the Ending PPs! Use them as you wish! You can post in this thread if you'd like as well, I'd actually love your thoughts. Tell me the first ending you got :D? With that disclaimer over and done with, proceed to the next passage!

You find yourself without your PPs. It's your day off of being subjected to their whims and you decide to make good use of it. You find yourself at the beach, relaxing on a chair under the shade of a large umbrella. The sound of the rhythmic waves sooth you and you almost fall asleep. As your eyes close, you hear someone running up to you. It appears to be Pixel!
"Hey! I was looking for you! I felt like going to visit my siblings and cousins, wanna tag along?"

Choose your option:

1. >"Yeah, let's do it!"

"Alright, cool! The Flamies you're going to meet are in outer space. I don't really know how the science of this works, but they weren't made in labs, I really am related to them, you know? I mean, that's what I think anyway... Ok, give me a chance to ask the NAU to boot up the spaceship. You seriously don't want to ask me how this works, because I don't know either."

You get off your chair and stretch with a sigh. Pixel walks a little ways away, but looks back, waiting for you. He looks happy. You catch up with him and ask how he has a space ship.

"Uh... I just came into ownership of it, I guess? My siblings and cousins are really cool, they got all sorts of achievements! They wanted to research space, and they worked for their rights and credentials to go up there, but one of my brothers ended up with two and gave me the second one. Well, I don't use it that much, I just ask if I can hop along on a ride with them sometimes.

"To be honest, I'm not that good at driving one, but don't worry! I practiced and got my license!
We won't crash, I think!"

Choose your sub-option:

2. >"Wait, actually, I think I'd rather go off and explore."

>"Ok, if you say so... I'm trusting you."

"Don't worry, your trust isn't misplaced! The chance of us both dying in a fiery crash isn't 0%, but it isn't like it's 59.98% or something!" He nervously laughs which makes you stare at him in skepticism. The percent is strangely specific. It better not be 59.99%, if it is, your time would be better spent buying a lottery ticket. There's no way he'd be granted a license if he crashed half the time after all, right?

Unable to ignore the pressure of your stare, he starts into a run. "There's no backing out now! We're already halfway to where I left it!"

You simply shrug your shoulders and run after him. It's not every day you get to go to space. I mean, what kind of vacation would end in death?

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"Alright, here goes nothing!" With a loud sound, the thrusters start up. Wait... is it called a thruster? Actually-- who cares! There's more important things to worry about at the moment! You might die! You're sitting in the co-pilot seat of Pixel's spaceship, with pretty much front row seats to your funeral! Pixel, noticing your expression, tries to reassure you with a smile in between pulling levers and pushing buttons.

"Don't worry, I've got this handled!" You can't help but not trust him after talking about death just 20 minutes earlier. As the spaceship starts lifting from the ground, you close your eyes as your regrets flash in your mind. What a shame, you never did get to visit that summer carnival...

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"Hey, wake up! Did you pass out?"

Did you? Or is this the afterlife? You open your eyes to a concerned grey dog and nod to yourself. No place on Earth would ever have a talking dog.

"This isn't Earth, though? Have you been reading too many books?" It seems like you accidentally said that part out loud. Oops.

"You're okay, right? You seem kind of out of it, but look, you're missing it! A meteor shower right outside the window! Isn't that pretty?!" ...He's right, it's downright amazing. In the dark void of the sky, floating above the planet, you realize how tiny everything is. As the falling stars streak towards the land below, you can't help but feel at peace.

"How lucky, a meteor shower right on your first trip to outer space." Pixel grins at you from his seat. "But we can't stay here all day, let's go meet my family already. I promise you, it's a thousand times more interesting there than here." Guiding the vessel towards a small purple sphere far from where you currently are, you both head towards the planet's moon.

"They've actually got a whole kinda space hotel there! Do you want to stay a while? They said they're currently trying grow plants there. If that's interesting to you, you should ask questions while you can. Actually, I can't wait to show you everything, I told you your trust wasn't misplaced!"

I mean... there's the return flight to think of. Maybe you'll ask one of his relatives to fly you back instead.

[center][quote][left][img][img]/left]Achievement unlocked: You visited Pixel's cousins/siblings!
ENDING 1: FLAMEY[/quote]/center]

3. "I'm good, I think I'll stay at the beach."
"Ah, relaxing? If you're sure!"

You nod and he eventually runs off. You close your eyes again and realize you wish you brought a fruity drink of some sort with you. To complete the experience, of course.

You've settled far too much to get up though, so you remain immobile, hoping to fall asleep again.

Before long, you hear a rustle in the bushes nearby and wonder if Pixel came back again.

Opening your eyes, you wait. No one comes out of the bushes, and realizing there's no way you're going to fall asleep now, you get up and walk over to where the noise continued from. You push the leaves aside and you see a Blob. Its eating worms. You hope your disgust doesn't show on your face. It realizes you're staring at it and it shakes the dirt off its fur to look at you.

"Oh, hello. Why're you looking at me, peasant?"

You ignore its choice of words and reply that you heard it playing around in the bushes.

"Yes, well, now that you've seen me, you can go back to whatever you're doing, right? I imagine it's probably something sad, like, laying on the ground or being a rock."

Before you can answer it, it interrupts you saying, "Wait, no! You must help me, weakling! My brethren and I have been working to take over the world, but we need more beings with hands to help us!"

Choose your sub-option:

>"Yeeeeaaaahhh, I think I'll just go back to sleep."

You ignore the protests of the short, round creature behind you. Eventually, it stops complaining as you go back to your chair. This time, after several minutes of closed eyes and nothing-ness, you actually fall asleep. Soon, minutes turn to hours, and hours turn into days. For the first several weeks or months, your PPs visit you, concerned and confused at how you've slept yourself into a coma. After finding out you could actually wake up and instead [i]chose[/i] to return to sleep, they eventually got bored of waiting for you to play with them. You slept for years and eventually, plants grew over you. Some say you're still sleeping on the beach to this day.

[center][quote][left][img]/img[/left]Achievement unlocked: Sleeping is addictive, I guess.
ENDING 2: TIMESTOPPED[/quote][center]

>"I, for one, welcome our new Blob overlords."

"Perfect! Follow me into our secret Secret Death Tunnel!" It runs off. Or, actually, it bounces off. You don't think it has legs and its gait reminds you of how you'd expect a water balloon to move. You wonder how secret the tunnel actually is if it's this easy to learn of its existence. All you did was look at the Blob to be told that. You sure hope the death part of it also doesn't ring true.

"The moment your eyes land on our hidden kingdom, you'll be frozen in wonder! We have riches beyond what you can imagine!"

Did Blobs build this so called kingdom? With... [i]those[/i] paws? They're awfully stubby. You decide to voice this question to the creature.

"Why, of course, you lowly creature. Who else but us Blobs would build such a magnificent kingdom? You'll start understanding our capabilities once you join our ranks." You decide to suspend your disbelief, at least until you can actually get a closer look at whatever resistance is being built. It's challenging though, considering the way to wherever it is appears to be quite long.

Across the river, under the bridges, on top of the mountain-- wait, is this a wild goose chase? You seriously wonder if you were just duped by this rotund... dog thing, and grab it by its tail to question it.

"Hands off, peasant! How dare you lay your fingers on my rich coat! Look at how the tips gently drift in the breeze, does this look cheap to you?!" Before it can spout more insults at you, you ask it if this kingdom was a lie.

"You truly are a naysayer, stop your feeble whimpering and look me in my eyes!" They're hard to find, but they're there, buried under layers of fur.

"Do these eyes look like the gaze of a fabricator to you?!" Yes. They do. "If you have no other remarks left in you, then follow me like the sheep you are, understand?" Alright, enough's enough, time to assert your dominance! You grab it by its cheeks and pull. Soon enough, it's begging for mercy, those fluffy, fluffy cheeks can only withstand so much. "I'm... sowwy. Pleash stap pulling..."

It stretched quite admirably but any more would be really mean. I mean, it's tearing up and you aren't a monster, are you? You tell it to stop insulting you and to hurry up and find a shortcut already.

[center][quote][left][img]/img[/left]Achievement unlocked: The Blobs took over the world...
ENDING 3: BLOB
To claim this PP, post in this thread! Remember, you can only get one Ending PP![/quote]/center]

2. >"Nah, I'mma go off and explore."
"Oh, okay! You've never really gotten a chance to see the place, so I hope you'll find something cool!"

Choose your sub-option:
2C. >"It's just the season for the Color Forests!"

2B. >"Dragons are really rare. I think I'd like to see the Melted Volcanoes."
Nodding to yourself, you set off toward your house to prepare. The Melted Volcanoes are quite far from where you are, so you can expect it to be a several days long trip.
Similar endings (you venture to their land and befriend someone) VV

2BA. >"I think I'd like to meet an Eastern Dragon."
[center][quote][left][img]/img[/left]Achievement unlocked: Dot Dragons, anyone?
ENDING 4: Eastern Dragon
To claim this PP, post in this thread! Remember, you can only get one Ending PP![/quote]/center]

2BB. >"I think I'd like to meet a Western Dragon."
[center][quote][left][img]/img[/left]Achievement unlocked: Dot Dragons, anyone?
ENDING 5: Western Dragon
To claim this PP, post in this thread! Remember, you can only get one Ending PP![/quote]/center]

2A. >"You know what? I feel like finally visiting that strangely ominous trapdoor that probably leads to a scary, dark basement in Pixel's house."
With a surge of energy, you set off toward the grey pup's house. You've been over there several times, but have never been able to bring yourself to take a trip down his basement. Despite the fact that Pixel has not even put a smidge of effort in hiding the little trapdoor, you've always felt that it hid something... dark. Maybe even immoral.

Either way, you're sure you'll find something crazy. If it's incriminating, maybe it's time to take down Pixel once and for all. Even if he's never done something to warrant this. The most innocent ones are always the ones hiding crimes, after all. You stop outside his house, forgetting the door was locked. You should've expected this, really. Not only did the PP say he was going on a trip, everyone locks their doors nowadays to prevent deranged Mips from looting the place.

You shrug to yourself. Looks like its time to exercise your lock picking experience. You've never told anyone you've learned of this skill, so as to evade any suspicion. You knew it'd come in handy one day and so you pulled it out of your pocket where you kept it all times. Crouching at the door, you set to work...

With a click, you rejoice! Easy as hunting down Cloudies on a stormy day!

You smile to yourself in success and let yourself in. Making sure to close it behind you, you walk over to the door in the floor. With a creak it opens to reveal... lots of sticky notes and a computer in the corner of the room. Nothing really interesting, if you're being honest.

IN HARM OF BREAKING THE 3RD WALL, CONGRATS ON FINDING THIS NOT REALLY SECRET
EASTER EGG!

There's no PPs here to find, but now I can give you some behind the scene things/scraped stuff and stuff I've entertained implementing, but now never will lol. Hope you don't find that too disappointing...

[quote]Note 1. (vague layout of a crafting system.)
Item crafting!! Super cool shit man
(2 strawberry cakes=1 chocolate cake
1 Head bow+ 1 collar=1 bow collar
1 head bow+1 bow collar+1 green ribbon or 1x bow=1 bow set
1 socks+stocking=1 holiday sock
1 bell collar+1 bell bracelet+1 earrings+1 gold bracelet=1 jewelry set)/[quote]

[quote]Note 2. (vague layout of the world. dated around sept 20, 2018))
Frosted Isles-Color Forest; Himalayas
Melted Volcanoes
Arid Borderlands (desert/sand)
(seven seas)
Pixel Pup universe-Pixel planet[/quote]

[quote]Note 2. (an expensive shop for rich users. suggested by cqnstellation. dated around sept 20, 2018)
expensive shit
-once a month raffle of 3 event/limited pups-100 cherries for 1 ticket
-custom item-100 cherries
-myo custom 200 cherries
-1x cherry pile-60 cherries
-1x money bags-60 cherries
-1x glittering coins-70 cherries
-ultimate license(own up to 6, get 1 [only buy-able once])-200 cherries
-Shiny pupper-100 cherries
-Breeding pass(gives 2 puppies, frost heart usable[only buy-able once a month])-200 cherries[/quote]

[quote]Note 3.
clocks were thought up around sept 20, 2018. timestopped pups had a one time event thought up by nubbyshouts around jul 22, 2016. consisted of increased rates of timestopped pups in litters and hunting.
data lost.[/quote]

[quote]Note 4.
hunting used to include an example blurb because wild pps were not owned until tamed. would include PP community members with "humourously" butchered names. old passage found:
[color=#FF0000]If you have a PP encounter, quote your Column (Non-users, blue amulets, etc.) and your username![/color]

ex.
[quote][color=#00BF00]_____♥_____Non-Users[/color]
Applemoomoo
Snowyrock
Always stalking
Angel Lady Onetail
2FrostyLegs-[color=#00BFFF]Pixel pup encounter[/color]
*Human[/quote]
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[quote]Note 5.
breeding nests used to be code dropped onto the thread instead of by PMs.[/quote]

[quote]Note 6.
headlines of forms along with coding were updated around 2020 for consistency and color upgrades. pale purple was the original long standing color for litter adopts.[/quote]

[quote]Note 7. (original trial notes in correspondance with cqnstellation. dated around oct 23, 2019)
trials!

- runs bi-weekly, on the opposite to hunting.
- given three types of options for trials
 - tracking - wiolds animal items primarily, chance of pups + other items
 - sparring - brings back scars (new items?) / emotions, chance of pups + other items
 - playing - brings back dress up items, chance of pups + other items
- unlike hunting, no cherries can be dropped
- however, the other items included items you can't get from hunting (excluding items)
 - trials actually cost a secondary currency, called raspberries
- raspberries are gained by firstly, the tiers, secondly can be bought with left over event currency / cherries

But trials are a really cool idea! Bi-weekly's not bad, but I might have to do it once a month, so I don't get burnt out or something. I also don't think I'd be able to do a chance for pups, unless I do it w/o amulet assisting chances, since just twice a month, hunting gets me to run out of stock really easily.

I think I'd still like a cherry drop chance, but maybe only in sparring/tracking-though i'd take it away with the idea of raspberries! Nice idea w/ the leftover event currency!

I agree on the addition of exclusive items! Though they'd probably only be dress up stuffs, not tickets. Any doable suggestions? (scars+animals are a-okay I think!)

- feathers (sing/plural)
 - muddy paws
 - muddy trails
 - mud splashes
 - bone
 - bone pile (SKULLS?)
- various scars[/quote]

[quote]Note 8.

mips were intended to be a hole you'd throw items in for cherries. a pet was not included until the 2nd iteration, where the creatures would live in the holes. 3rd iteration was the mips we know today, upon 2frostypaws realizing she did not know how to draw a nice looking hole. mip sounds were also retconned. they'd originally make a platypus sound but now they say "mip"
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[quote]Note 9. (long furred mips teaser image.)

[img]<https://i.imgur.com/rEhrcjh.png?1>[/img]

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[quote]Note 10. (updated piskel tutorial notes. original iteration dated around jul 2, 2017)
note: Mousing over a tool or the sheep explains in detail what it does, and what keyboard commands you can use to do things like clone the layer you're on, onto all FRAMES or LAYER.

-Save the desired PP line art to your computer. You can't copy and paste it into piskelapp, because it'll make it a png rather than a gif.

-Import it into piskel by clicking "create sprite" and then clicking the lower right button that says import.

-Now that it's in the program, you'll have to make a new LAYER on top of the already animated lineart. You do this by clicking the + button in the layers box.

-On that layer, design your PP! Stay within the lines of the layer under it!

--EXTRA: You can use the lasso tool to highlight the animated line art when you're on the 1st layer; pressing ctrl+c to copy, clicking onto the design layer and pressing ctrl+v to paste. You can then design within the lines (ERASE THE TAIL)

-After you're done designing, click the sheep! It should clone the layer you're currently on, onto all FRAMES. Be sure you're on the design layer, NOT on the 1st layer with the tail!

Alright, so the magic bucket(bucket with swirl behind it) has keyboard commands to "extend" the LAYER that you're currently on, onto all FRAMES of the animation. Mouse over it to see.

Honestly, that's really all I need to tell you about the magic bucket tool. You use it like the bucket tool, but you have to hold down the keyboard commands at the same time as you click on the icon.

You can also ignore the keyboard commands for it if you only want to change one color into another across the entire design-only for that one layer.

It's useful if you'd like to change one color into another across all FRAMES (AKA recoloring line art, or tail color; so you don't have to paint bucket it over and over again[/quote]

[quote]Note 11. (2frostypaws' actual sticky note for cs and pps)

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No one! This pup'll be at the pound :c
Here's your new pet, take good care of them!
Sorry, you can only adopt pound pets if you have 2 or less.
Sorry, you were too late! :c

➡️ This week should allow for trialling if you've got enough raspberries :D
➡️ Hunting will be open on the 14th! 28th! Go hunt down those PPs/item drops!

A common cat cuddled up to your Pixel Pup! (3/6) (2/6) (1/6)
An uncommon cat cuddled up to your Pixel Pup! Score!
A rare cat cuddled up to your Pixel Pup! How lucky!

You exit the research building, savoring the warmth of the Flamey besides you.
Let's hope this pup gets its forever home. +10 cherries!
Accepted! You rolled for # puppies! Once your breeding is done, you'll be PMed the pups.

[name]'s job has been assigned!
You and [name] practice tracking.
Looks like your pup got lucky and found __, __, and __! IMG
Your pup proudly brings back __ and __! IMG
[/quote]

[quote]Note 11. (old events that were updated/changed and so were scrapped)
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1z7vlnHl6bmeDAnWcNkKfJOhdvqFEr8u3ATqrJ_44p8s/edit?usp=sharing

https://docs.google.com/document/d/16qYLGptzLOISmWO_Ahp1SU17sfirQBMu-IQwEpZymeU/edit?usp=sharing

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[quote]Note 12. (one time perseid meteor event thought up by sharpiesandhamilton. was scrapped because apparently googling “when is the next perseid meteor shower” was too much work. items reworked into the system. dated around August 3, 2019)
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1K4-cRAeD6tRLMcoZwVur-ZFyX37LtLXXM86yHA9lzfk/edit?usp=sharing[/quote]

[quote]Note 13.
in the archives, “Part 2: Bye Bye Me!” was in reference to 2frostypaw’s archive entry being deleted due to running out of table of content space. her archive entry was moved to her adoptables storage labeled “★. . . .★ PLANET MARS ★. . . .★”
<https://www.chickensmoothie.com/Forum/viewtopic.php?f=4&t=2843125#p91768775>
npcs/mascots/characters of pps were moved to her toyhouse
later on, everything else was moved to the TH as well[/quote]

[quote]Note 14.
pps used to have a scuffed bank housed on cs. It was moved due to character limits and the pains 2frostypaws went through with ctrl+f
<https://www.chickensmoothie.com/Forum/viewtopic.php?f=4&t=2843125#p91768775>[/quote]

[quote]Note 15.
THE END OF PIXEL PUPS EVENT was thought up on a spur of inspiration on oct 17, 2020
data lost.[/quote]

[center][quote]Achievement unlocked: Behind the scenes
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