



SteelSeries King of the Hill Moves to One Week Format

Since launching in December 2007, four SteelSeries King of the Hill match-ups have been played, over 50 teams have been voted on, and over 16,000 total votes have been cast by the community on GotFrag.com. Hundreds of Counter-strike 1.6 fans have gathered on IRC and HLTV to see who the next King of the Hill would be.

Today, nearly 100 teams are actively participating in the King of the Hill queue; with 100 more partially registered teams building their rosters toward queue eligibility. X3O has proven to be the dominate team, with 4 straight match-up wins and the potential for a 5th win on February 19th that would make them the first team inducted into the Hall of Kings.

The Hall of Kings represents one of several significant updates made to King of the Hill concept and will enable KotH's best talent to compete in a special event taking place later this year. In March, another exciting new addition will be introduced: The One Week Format.

The One Week Format will greatly accelerate the pace that teams move through the KotH Queue, allowing for comfortable, continued growth supporting up to as many as 1000 Counter-strike 1.6 teams. Match-ups will take place every Tuesday at 9:30pm EST, rather than once every two weeks. The total prize money per month remains the same and teams will have the opportunity to win \$250 per match-up four times per month.

Playing matches every week also has another advantage for teams: it better supports the Hall of Kings. Playing more matches makes it possible for more teams to qualify for the exclusive event within the year. The King of the Hill format will otherwise only change very slightly with regards to rules surrounding missed match-ups. The Hall of Kings, voting, and the match process will remain the same.

A reminder to ALL CS 1.6 teams: Registration for SteelSeries King of the Hill is open and will remain open. Who will be X3O's successor, bound for Hall of Kings fame? It could be your team.

Sign up today at <http://www.steelseries.com/us/events> !

SteelSeries King of the Hill 1 Week Format

Wednesday: Voting Begins on www.gotfrag.com

Sunday: Voting Ends

Monday: Match-up announcement, server selection

Tuesday: Match-up night, 9:30pm EST

Schedule repeats weekly... for more information please see

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