# This is a quick Tips and Tricks memo, just for you! Hi! Thank you for the purchase of your Wi-Fi or offline kit(s)!

I wanted to take the time to write out these basic functions for you to enjoy your new Free Play and High Score Save Kit, LOADED with features for you to enjoy your classic arcade game even more than you already do!

# THIS PAGE IS FOR HIGHSCORESAVES FREEPLAY AND HIGH SCORE SAVE BRANDED KITS.

- Whether you use Wi-Fi (which I will explain shortly) or the offline kit, it
  makes no difference. The difference between these styles of kits is that
  the Wi-Fi kit will upload your high scores wirelessly to your own personal
  webpage.
- If you are not wanting to connect to the internet all the time, you can turn the Wi-Fi option off in the menu. To access menu, hold p1 while powering on game.
- Online Accessibility –" You can purchase the Wi-Fi version of the save kit that features the high score upload to the internet above on its own product page [in the dropdown choice of each save kit].
- A specific SK and PK key will be provided for your kit, which should be entered in the on-screen settings menu. These keys can be used with all Wi-Fi kits.
- The Wi-Fi module will allow you to display your own arcade score board, and you can compete against other game players with our save kits globally, in your own country or just in your own game room! \*
- You can have multiple games with online capabilities on your network.

Once you have your games online, you will wonder why you didn't do it sooner!

You cannot add the Wi-Fi module after the initial purchase as the socket and connectivity LED lights for it will not be populated."

### Most questions asked:

Now, we will get down to the nitty gritty and explain the menu options. I do suggest that you watch our YouTube Channel and **subscribe**, as I try to make a menu run down of each game...click the button to reach our YouTube Channel...



### How do I get to the menu settings?

With the power off on your game. **Press and hold P1 while you turn the game on**. Release P1 button when the screen tells you to. You are now in the main menu settings. This is a feature built into your kits, so the menu settings are not accessible to your guests or family. Now, having said that, you need to enable this feature in the menu settings, or disable if you want your kit to give you approximately 5 seconds every time you turn on your game.

### Here is an example with the Ladybug HSS kit -

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BUG
          SAVEKIT V1.0
     YOUR CHANGES
USE UP.
        DOWN AND
    MAIN
          SETTINGS
         HIGHSCORES
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The boot up menu option is enabled. See above highlighted in red. This will have your kit give you 5 seconds or so upon each time the game is turned on to access the menu. If it is disabled, you will need to hold down Player 1 while powering on your machine to access menu. I like this feature since it is in "stealth mode" as you cannot tell if you have a kit installed (and still get to enjoy all the features!)

## Arrrgh! I cannot get into the menu -

Ok, no worries! There is a built-in function on all the kits that will RESET ALL THE DIP SETTINGS if you use it.

**CAUTION!** Doing this will result in all the dip settings being set to our factory default settings (exactly how you received the HSS kit in the mail) With the power off on your game, hold down Player 1 AND Player 2 at the same time. Turn on the power (with the buttons being held down) and follow the instructions on the screen. Poof! Instant factory reset.

### How do I reset DIPS to default?

You can use the option in the menu to reset the DIPS back to default (factory settings – like when you first received the kit. There is also a second option! Hold down Player 1 AND Player 2 while you are turning on the game. This option was added if there is a corruption in the serial eeprom for example and cannot get into the menu system.

### Backup and Restoring scores –

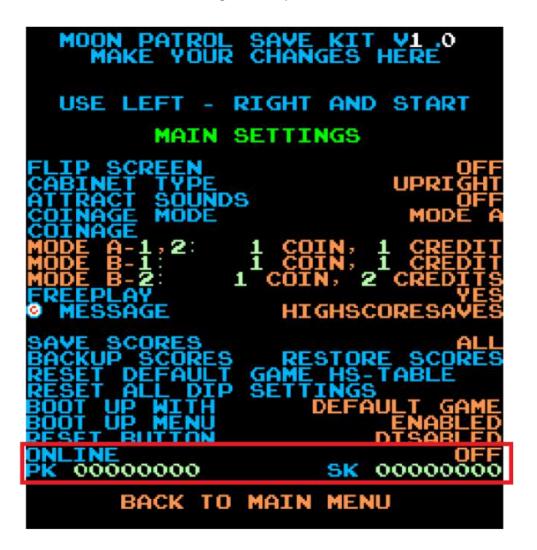
The absolute BEST feature in all our kits! You can back up and restore your scoreboard! Think about this...you are about to have a party and have some great players that will just destroy your scores you worked so hard to get. Well, before they arrive, backup your scores by selecting them from your menu. Just follow the prompts and the screen will tell you when it's done. It usually takes about 5 to 10 seconds. Now, let everyone play away and have fun putting up their scores! After everyone goes home...you can go back into the menu and select the Restore Scores option. Again, it will take about 5 to 10 seconds. Notice how all the scores are gone from when you hit backup to when you hit restore are now gone! Pretty cool, huh? This only works if you BACKUP your scores first. There is no time frame to RESTORE your scores after the backup, but I recommend doing it as soon as possible. This way, you will not lose any of your scores before you do the restore.

# What's the reset option in the menu for?

The reset option in the menu, when it is enabled, holding down the P1 and P2 while the power is on (not in the menu) will do a soft boot. It will reset the game and go back to the startup sequence. If it is disabled, you cannot.

### What's the online stuff in the menu do?

Well, simply put, the Online function is able to upload your scores. But your kit needs to have the Cat5 module to do so...and you need to have the right settings. Here is an example from the Moon Patrol HSS kit. Again, every kit has a similar menu to the one below.



Look at the box highlighted in red. This is the online section of the menu. If you did not get the online upgrade, leave the settings like shown above.

If you did get the online kit, highlight the online section and change the OFF to ON-T. This will direct your scores to upload to your personal web page! But you need to tell it where to go. That is what the PK and SK keys are for. When you ordered your kit, the site sent you an email if you ordered an online kit. It asked you to send in certain bits of info like what background pic do you want to use, your initials, time zone, etc. Then, you were emailed with a set of keys and a link to your new web page. This is where your PK and SK keys get entered. Take your time and enter them exactly how they were sent.

The PK (Personal Key) and the SK (Security Key) are unique to only you.

If you have more than one online kit you will still use the same keys in each game.

# How do I get to the game menu to switch games if I have a Multigame Kit?

This is standard for every kit we sell. You will press and hold Player 1 while the game is on fo approximately 4 seconds, the game will "freeze" then you release the button, and the game menu will appear.

**IMPORTANT** – The Game Menu and at least ONE game needs to be enabled.

If you have a Multi Kit (ie. Pacman, Tron, Hypersports Rearranged, 3DK Donkey Kong, etc.) this will bring up the GAME MENU and let you select what game you want to play on the screen.

Hope these tips help you get the most out of your purchase and get your scores saving! If you have a question about any of our kits, please ask! I'll get it added here for the next customer that has the same question...

Also, please take the time to leave a review on the product page.

We deeply appreciate your business and support! If you have any questions or comments, please reach out to us at info@highscoresaves.com

# Free Play and High Score Save Kit: Tips and User Guide

This memo provides essential tips and tricks to help you make the most of your new Free Play and High Score Save Kit, whether you have the Wi-Fi or offline version. These instructions apply specifically to HighScoreSaves Free Play and High Score Save branded kits.

### **About Your Kit**

Whether you own a Wi-Fi or offline kit, the main difference is that the Wi-Fi version allows you to upload high scores wirelessly to your personalized web page. If you prefer not to stay connected to the internet, you can disable the online option from the menu. To access the menu, simply hold the Player 1 (P1) button while powering on your game.

The Wi-Fi version comes with a specific SK and PK Key to unlock online features and includes a module that connects wirelessly. You'll find more details below regarding DHCP and DNS settings. With the online module, you can display your own arcade scoreboard and compete with players worldwide, within your country, or even just in your own game room. Multiple online-capable games can be added to your network. Once you set up the online features, you may wonder how you managed without them!

Note: The Wi-Fi module cannot be added after purchase; the required socket and connectivity LEDs are installed only with the original order.

# Frequently Asked Questions

## Accessing the Menu Settings

With your game powered off, press and hold the P1 button while turning the game on. Release the button when prompted on screen. This access is built into the kit so only you, not guests or family, can reach the settings. If you enable the boot-up menu, you'll have about five seconds at every start-up to access the menu; otherwise, you'll need to use the P1 button as described above.

### Trouble Entering the Menu?

If you're unable to access the menu, there is a built-in reset function for all DIP settings.

Caution: This will revert all settings to factory defaults. To perform a reset, power off the game, hold both Player 1 and Player 2 buttons, turn the power back on while holding the buttons, and follow the on-screen instructions. You can also reset the DIP settings from within the menu or use this button sequence if there is a system corruption.

### **Backing Up and Restoring Scores**

A standout feature of these kits is the ability to back up and restore your scoreboard. Before hosting a party, you can back up your scores through the menu. After your guests play, simply restore your scores, returning the game to its previous state. This process takes about 5–10 seconds and can be done anytime, but it's recommended to restore as soon as possible to avoid losing data.

### Menu Reset Option

When enabled, holding P1 and P2 during gameplay (not in the menu) performs a soft boot, restarting your game. This feature is disabled if not turned on in the settings.

### Online Features in the Menu

If your kit supports Wi-Fi features, you can enable Wi-Fi score uploads by selecting ON-T in the menu and entering your PK (Personal Key) and SK (Security Key), which are unique to you. You'll have received an email with your keys and your web page link after your online

kit purchase. Enter these keys exactly as provided. The same keys apply for multiple online kits.

## Accessing the Game Menu on Multigame Kits

For all multigame kits, to bring up the game selection menu, press and hold P1 for about four seconds during gameplay. Once the game "freezes," release the button to display the menu.

Note: The Game Menu and at least one game must be enabled.

## Support and Feedback

We hope these tips enhance your experience and help you get the most from your kit. If you have any questions, visit our YouTube channel, check the product page videos, or reach out to us at info@highscoresaves.com. Please consider leaving a review on the product page—we hugely appreciate your support!