Hidden Malice v1.0.4 *by C*

Spirit of Ivory · Djinn

TOWNSFOLK



Noble
You start knowing 3 players, 1 and only 1 of which is evil.



Shugenja
You start knowing if your closest evil player is clockwise or anti-clockwise. If equidistant, this info is arbitrary.



Bounty Hunter
You start knowing 1 evil player. If the player you know dies, you learn another evil player tonight. [1 Townsfolk is evil]



Balloonist
Each night, you learn 1 player of each character type, until there are no more types to learn. [+1 Outsider]



General
Each night, you learn which alignment the Storyteller believes is winning: good, evil, or neither.



Preacher
Each night, choose a player: a Minion, if chosen, learns this. All chosen Minions have no ability.



Village Idiot
Each night, choose a player: you learn their alignment. [+0 to +2 Village Idiots. 1 of the extras is drunk]



Town Crier
Each night*, you learn if a Minion nominated today.



Seamstress
Once per game, at night, choose 2 players (not yourself): you learn if they are the same alignment.



Philosopher
Once per game, at night, choose a good character: gain that ability. If this character is in play, they are drunk.



Slayer
Once per game, during the day, publicly choose a player: if they are the Demon, they die.



Banshee
If the Demon kills you, all players learn this. From now on, you may nominate twice per day and vote twice per nomination.



Mayor
If only 3 players live & no execution occurs, your team wins. If you die at night, another player might die instead.

OUTSIDER



Recluse
You might register as evil & as a Minion or Demon, even if dead.



Plague Doctor
When you die, the Storyteller gains a Minion ability.



Klutz
When you learn that you died, publicly choose 1 alive player: if they are evil, your team loses.



Puzzlemaster
1 player is drunk, even if you die. If you guess (once) who it is, learn the Demon player, but guess wrong & get false info.

MINION



Poisoner
Each night, choose a player: they are poisoned tonight and tomorrow day.



Spy
Each night, you see the Grimoire. You might register as good & as a Townsfolk or Outsider, even if dead.



Harpy
Each night, choose 2 players: tomorrow, the 1st player is mad that the 2nd is evil, or one or both might die.



Witch
Each night, choose a player: if they nominate tomorrow, they die. If just 3 players live, you lose this ability.



Fearmonger
Each night, choose a player. If you nominate & execute them, their team loses. All players know if you choose a new player.

DEMON



Lil' Monsta
Each night, Minions choose who babysits Lil' Monsta's token & "is the Demon". A player dies each night*. [+1 Minion]



Kazali
Each night*, choose a player: they die. [You choose which players are which Minions. -? to +? Outsiders]



Lord of Typhon
Each night*, choose a player: they die. [Evil characters are in a line. You are in the middle. +1 Minion. -? to +? Outsiders]

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FABLED, JINXES & LORIC

Bounty Hunter & Kazali

If the Kazali turns the Bounty Hunter into a Minion, an evil Townsfolk is not created.

Plague Doctor & Spy

If the Storyteller would gain the Spy ability, a Minion gains it, and learns this.

Bounty Hunter & Philosopher

If the Philosopher gains the Bounty Hunter ability, a Townsfolk might turn evil.

Plague Doctor & Fearmonger

If the Storyteller would gain the Fearmonger ability, a Minion gains it, and learns this.

FABLED

Spirit of Ivory

There can't be more than 1 extra evil player.

Djinn

Use the Djinn's special rule. All players know what it is.

RECOMMENDED TRAVELLERS

Matron

Each day, you may choose up to 3 sets of 2 players to swap seats. Players may not leave their seats to talk in private.

Gangster

Once per day, you may choose to kill an alive neighbour, if your other alive neighbour agrees.

Apprentice

On your 1st night, you gain a Townsfolk ability (if good), or a Minion ability (if evil).

Gnome

All players start knowing a player of your alignment. You may choose to kill anyone who nominates them.

Voudon

Only you and the dead can vote. They don't need a vote token to do so. A 50% majority is not required.

OTHER NIGHTS

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PLAYER COUNT

PLAYERS	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15+
TOWNSFOLK	3	3	5	5	5	7	7	7	9	9	9
OUTSIDERS	0	1	0	1	2	0	1	2	0	1	2
MINIONS	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	3	3	3
DEMONS	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

First Night

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1 D **Dusk**
Start the Night Phase.

2 M **Minion Info**
If there are 7 or more players, wake all Minions: Show the THIS IS THE DEMON token. Point to the Demon. Show THESE ARE YOUR MINIONS token. Point to the other Minions.

3 D **Demon Info**
If there are 7 or more players, wake the Demon. Show the Demon token. Show all Minions. Show the THESE CHARACTERS ARE NOT IN PLAY token. Show 3 not-in-play good character tokens.

4  **Philosopher**
The Philosopher either shows a 'no' head signal, or points to a good character on their sheet. If they chose a character: Swap the out-of-play character token with the Philosopher token and add the 'Is the Philosopher' reminder. If the character is in play, place the drunk marker by that player.

5  **Preacher**
The Preacher chooses a player. If a Minion is chosen, wake the Minion and show the 'This character selected you' card and then the Preacher token.

6  **Lil' Monsta**
Wake all Minions together, allow them to vote by pointing at who they want to babysit Lil' Monsta.

7  **Poisoner**
The Poisoner points to a player. That player is poisoned.

8  **Witch**
The Witch points to a player. If that player nominates tomorrow they die immediately.

9  **Fearmonger**
The Fearmonger points to a player. Place the Fear token next to that player and announce that a new player has been selected with the Fearmonger ability.

10  **Seamstress**
The Seamstress either shows a 'no' head signal, or points to two other players. If the Seamstress chose players , nod 'yes' or shake 'no' for whether they are of same alignment.

11  **Noble**
Point to 3 players including one evil player, in no particular order.

12  **Balloonist**
Choose a character type. Point to a player whose character is of that type. Place the Balloonist's Seen reminder next to that character.

13  **Bounty Hunter**
Point to 1 evil player. Wake the townsfolk who is evil and show them the 'You are' card and the thumbs down evil sign.

14  **Spy**
Show the Grimoire to the Spy for as long as they need.

15  **General**
Show the General thumbs up for good winning, thumbs down for evil winning or thumb to the side for neither.

16 D **Dawn**
Wait for a few seconds. End the Night Phase.

Other Nights

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1 D

Dusk

Start the Night Phase.

2 

Philosopher

If the Philosopher has not used their ability: the Philosopher either shows a 'no' head signal, or points to a good character on their sheet. If they chose a character: Swap the out-of-play character token with the Philosopher token and add the 'Is the Philosopher' reminder. If the character is in play, place the drunk marker by that player.

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Preacher

The Preacher chooses a player. If a Minion is chosen, wake the Minion and show the 'This character selected you' card and then the Preacher token.

4 

Poisoner

The previously poisoned player is no longer poisoned. The Poisoner points to a player. That player is poisoned.

5 

Witch

If there are 4 or more players alive: The Witch points to a player. If that player nominates tomorrow they die immediately.

6 

Fearmonger

The Fearmonger points to a player. If different from the previous night, place the Fear token next to that player and announce that a new player has been selected with the Fearmonger ability.

7 

Lil' Monsta

Wake all Minions together, allow them to vote by pointing at who they want to babysit Lil' Monsta. Choose a player, that player dies.

8 

Town Crier

Nod 'yes' or shake head 'no' for whether a Minion nominated today. Place the 'Minion not nominated' marker (remove 'Minion nominated', if any).

9 

Seamstress

If the Seamstress has not yet used their ability: the Seamstress either shows a 'no' head signal, or points to two other players. If the Seamstress chose players , nod 'yes' or shake 'no' for whether they are of same alignment.

10 

Balloonist

Choose a character type that does not yet have a Seen reminder next to a character of that type. Point to a player whose character is of that type, if there are any. Place the Balloonist's Seen reminder next to that character.

11

Bounty Hunter

If the known evil player has died, point to another evil player.

12 

Spy

Show the Grimoire to the Spy for as long as they need.

13 

General

Show the General thumbs up for good winning, thumbs down for evil winning or thumb to the side for neither.

14 D

Dawn

Wait for a few seconds. End the Night Phase.