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Voice commentary, the next level!



Mario Kart Arcade GP 2

Namco is pleased to announce the sequel to last year's hit Mario Kart Arcade GP. The sequel adds two new characters focusing on licenses from Nintendo and Bandai - Waluigi and Mametchi. New worlds Waluigi Stadium and Yoshi Park have been added and now Rainbow Coaster is automatically unlocked. This adds a total of 12 new tracks! The item count has been upped from the original; over 100 items are now available ensuring fierce battles in versus play!

Now engine CC levels are selectable - 50cc for kids, 100cc for everyone, and 150cc for hardcore drivers! Selectable engine CC levels ensure every player can enjoy this game regardless of how experienced they are or are not. Additionally, each character now has two different selectable karts each with unique features and controls. There's a match for any play style imaginable.

Most important of all, Namco has taken the initiative to hire experienced voice talent to broadcast during the game. Clever programming ensures each broadcast is entirely unique and perfectly synchronized to the current race. Voice casting adds a previously unseen level of excitement and personality to the game - no other racing game features this.

To further the competitive element, Namco have upped the versus play count to four. Namcam and the voice broadcasting keeps pace with the heighten action making this the ideal casual game for any location.

