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The creators of the Evil Dead 2: DEAD BY DAWN™ Escape Room are proud to announce:

## **Arkham Horror Files™ Official Escape Room Mystery at Innsmouth**

### **Opening Summer 2020**

It's your chance to solve an unnatural mystery and escape the clutches of Lovecraftian monsters in the first official *Arkham Horror Files™* escape room in the United States, licensed and approved by Asmodee Entertainment and Fantasy Flight Games (the publisher of iconic game titles like *Arkham Horror*, *KeyForge*, *Legend of the Five Rings*, and many more).

Seattle-based Hourglass Escapes, LLC creates challenging and fun escape rooms known for superior production values and immersive storylines. Their officially licensed Evil Dead 2: DEAD BY DAWN™ Escape Room has received over one hundred five-star reviews on Yelp and Tripadvisor, and players have traveled from as far as NYC and Michigan just to help Ash face the Evil Dead.

"It was such an amazing experience developing and opening the Evil Dead 2™ Escape Room," said Hourglass Escapes founder/creative director Seth Wolfson. "We feel so lucky to have a chance to create a new experience based on the iconic board and card games set in the Arkham Horror Universe published by Fantasy Flight Games."

This summer, players will travel back to 1927 where the owner of the Gilman Hotel on the sea-worn coast of Innsmouth has died under mysterious circumstances. Players will have 70 minutes to solve this most unnatural mystery or fall prey to eldritch horrors.

Geek-icon Yuri Lowenthal (Spider-Man himself from the hit PS4 game *Marvel's Spider-Man*) stars as the in-game narrator. In a fan-favorite addition used in the Evil Dead 2 game, players will be able to download their characters and costume ideas. They will also receive a special item on arrival that will help their chosen character within the game.

"This new game is going to blow both Arkham Horror and Lovecraftian fans away," said Wolfson. "Based on *A Shadow Over Innsmouth*, this will be a story driven escape room with the classic *Arkham Horror Files™* game mechanics woven in."

Fire Opal Media (creator of the award-winning RPG *13<sup>th</sup> Age*) is helping to design the game along with David Iezzi (developer of the hit Kickstarter-funded board game *Calico*).

**The official Arkham Horror Files™ Escape Room: Mystery at Innsmouth** opens this summer in Seattle, WA and will be a scary and fun experience appropriate for ages 13 and up. For design photos and production updates, go to:

<https://hourglassescapes.com/>

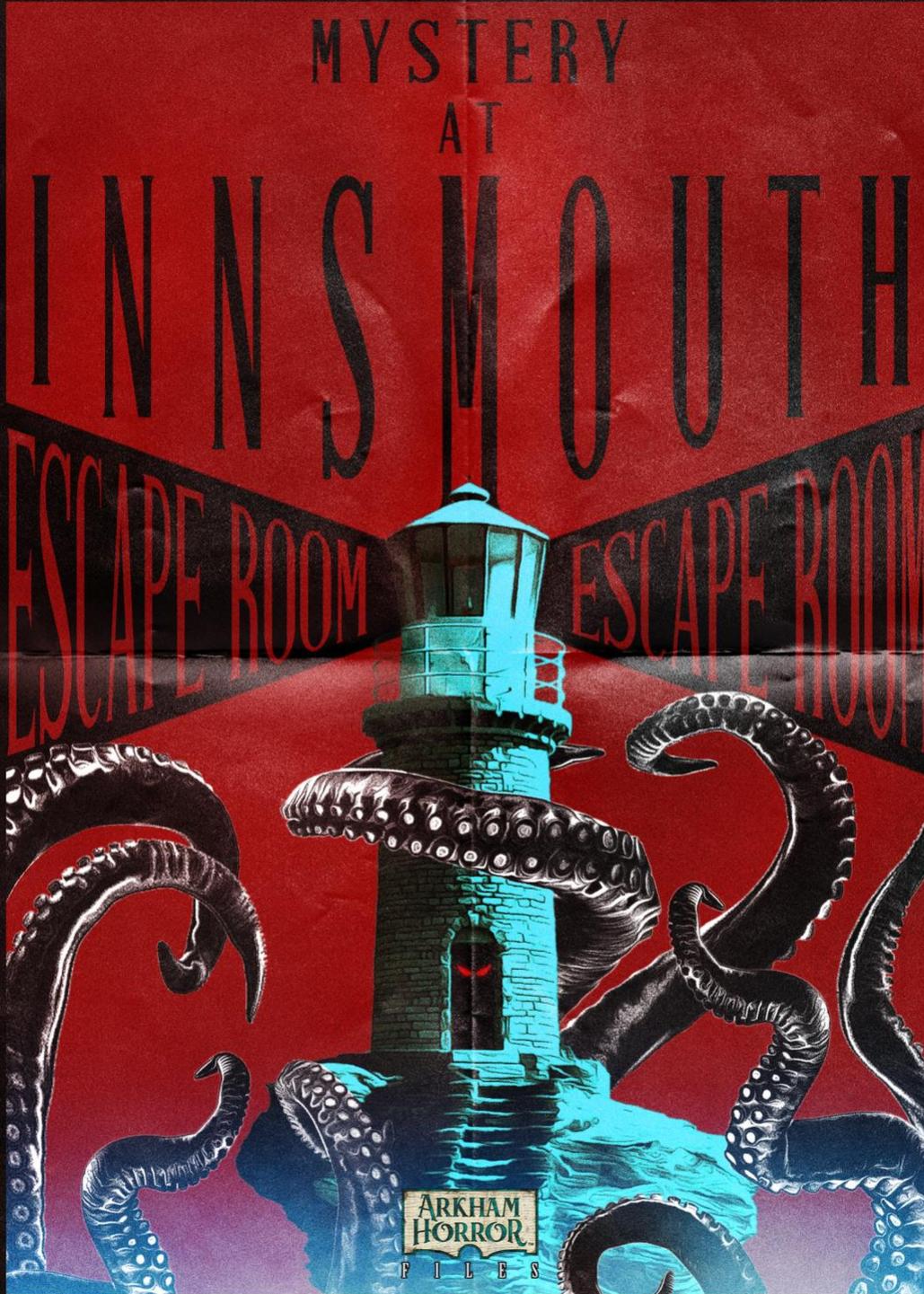
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