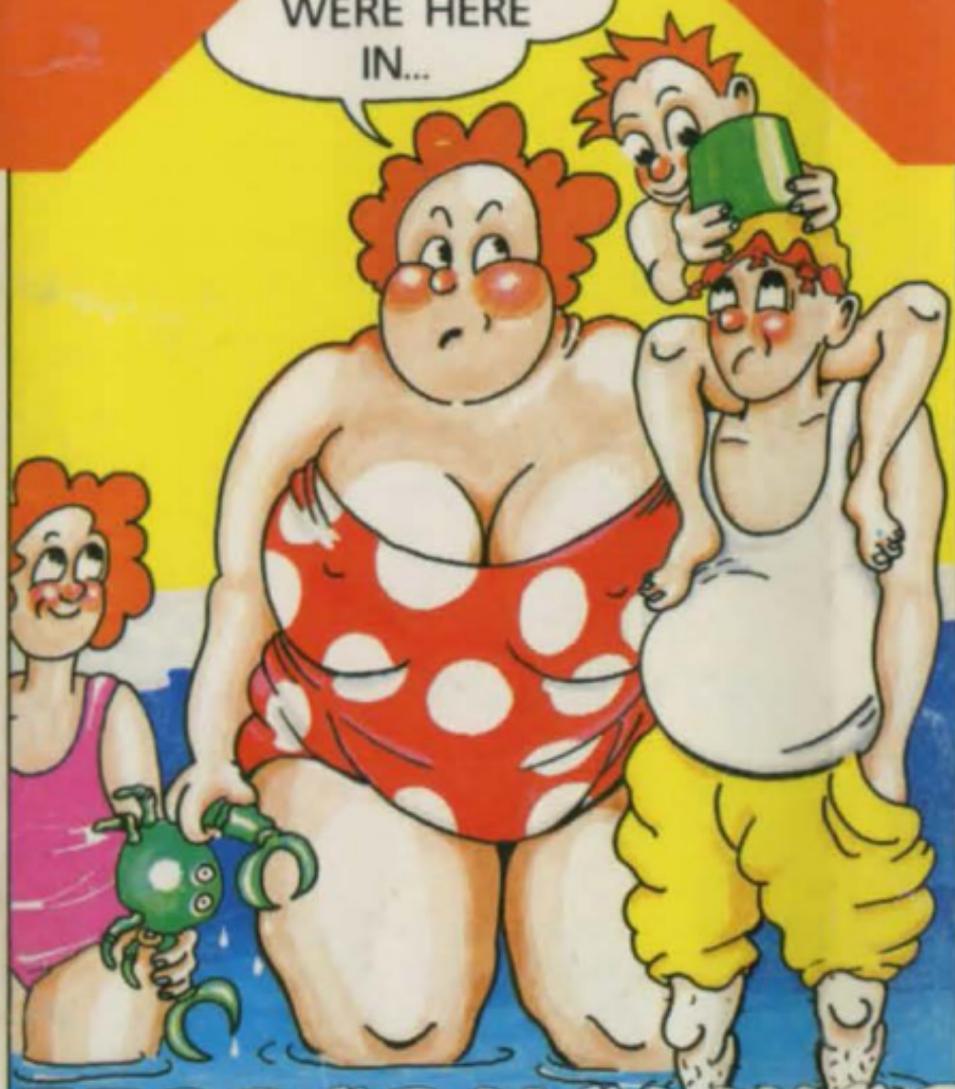


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TERRORMOLINOS

...INSTEAD OF ME!

TERRORMOLINOS!

When chubby-cheeked Cliff Richard first sang "We're all going on a summer holiday" it's unlikely that he was referring to the Costa Brava resort of Terrormolinos, because Terrormolinos is the kind of place you only visit once.

Could you survive a two-week package holiday there, with wife Beryl and kids Doreen and Ken? Among the many perils, you risk being gored by a bull, buried up to your neck in sand, being poisoned, dying of heatstroke, losing an argument with a shark and being run over by a Euro-juggernaut.

The object of the game is not merely to survive the holiday, but to take ten snapshots to prove you did it.

LOADING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Place the cassette in your player and ensure that it is properly connected and that the tape is fully rewound.
2. Enter the command CHAIN "" or CH. "" then press the ENTER key.
3. Start the tape player. The game will now load automatically.
4. In case of difficulty alter the volume level and consult your user manual.
5. In the most unlikely event of a genuine fault, please return the complete package to Melbourne House Publishers at the nearest to you of the addresses shown. We will gladly replace it. PLEASE DO NOT RETURN IT TO THE PLACE OF PURCHASE.

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MOVING OFF

When the program is fully loaded the message

WELCOME TO TERRORMOLINOS! will appear, followed by some initial instructions.

As the game begins you are not in Spain but at home in Slough. Beryl has booked a taxi to take you all to the airport. The taxi is now on its way and could arrive at any minute!

Since you have typically left all the packing until the last minute, you must quickly scoot around the house collecting everything you will need to take on holiday. In particular, don't forget your passport, tickets, camera and suitcase. They are all somewhere in the house, and there are other things to be found, too, which you will also need.

BASICS

To move around, use the normal compass directions N,S,E,W,NE,SE,NW,SW. You can also sometimes go up (U) or down (D). When using a stepladder, remember to specify UP STEPS or DOWN STEPS.

Apart from movements, most of your commands will be in the form of VERB NOUN. You will often want to pick things up or put them down, e.g. GET SNORKEL or DROP HANKY. If you want to look at something more closely, EXAMINE SETTEE, EXAMINE STEPS, or whatever.

Members of the family, and also certain other characters you will meet later, can sometimes be summoned if you CALL them.

Other useful commands are SCORE, which speaks for itself; I for Inventory, i.e. what you are carrying and wearing; R for Re-describe, in case you've forgotten where you are and what objects are visible; QUIT, when you've done enough holiday-making for one day; and SAVE GAME/LOAD GAME, to enable you to save the adventure up to the point you've reached and resume later. Check your computer manual for instructions.

HAPPY SNAPS

Don't forget that your primary task, apart from keeping the family together, is to take those ten photographs. You must use your judgement as to where and when these are to be taken. Your film will have only 12 exposures, so there can be only two duds.

When you take a correct photo, a congratulatory message will appear on the screen. If you take a dud, all you will get is a sarcastic message. Make sure you don't take the same photo twice! Finally, you will have to make special arrangements for locations where there isn't much light.

You can also see on the screen during the game how many correct snaps you have taken.

EXCURSIONS

One of the joys of going on holiday is sitting in a clapped-out bus and being jolted down a hundred miles of cart track on your way to visit some site of interest. TERRORMOLINOS! boasts three such excursions. We suggest you go on all of them - after all, some of the best snaps are taken on sightseeing trips.

SCORING

It is possible to complete the adventure with a score of less than 100%: the extra points come from the other various activities you can engage in - which you will have to discover for yourself!

WANDERING OFF

Be prepared for members of the family - and others - wandering off. You must retrieve them when they do this, otherwise who knows what could happen?

IN TERRORMOLINOS

On arrival, check immediately into your hotel. Only then can you really start to "enjoy" your holiday.

Some Spanish phrases may come in useful from time to time: HOLA means "Hello", SI means "YES", NO means "No", if you do want a room, ask for UNA HABITACION. That should do!

You may also be asked such questions as QUE QUIERE USTED? ("What do you want?") and HAYEN GRUPO KWIKHOL TOURS? ("Are you with the Kwikhol Tours party?").

SOME USEFUL VERBS

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|---------|------|-------|--------|-------|
| GET | ADD | FIT | REMOVE | WIPE |
| TAKE | SWIM | RUB | RING | LEAVE |
| OPEN | EAT | ORDER | APPLY | KILL |
| JUMP | DROP | CALL | KNOT | HIRE |
| EXAMINE | READ | CLIMB | ENTER | GO |
| WAVE | WEAR | LOCK | FIRE | BOARD |
| LOAD | | | | |

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The game has been created by the authors of the cult hit HAMPSTEAD and as would be expected there are no wizards or dragons to be found! Instead the perils lie on the beach, in the sea, at the bullring...and of course, in the restaurant!

And that's not all...the various characters you meet in TERRORMOLINOS come and go - including your own family, which you must try to keep together at all times.

In TERRORMOLINOS, every holiday disaster can come true! So why spend a fortune going

abroad when you can get gippy tummy in the privacy of your own living room?



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