There is Well and Truly a Functioning KFC Game Console and it Keeps Your Chicken Warm

We would not blame anyone for thinking that the title of this article is simply a joke. I assure you, this is real, and it brings me so much joy to say that. It may be hard to believe, but KFC, yes, *that* KFC, has manufactured a gaming console the likes of which the world has never seen. Because this incredible piece of technology not only plays games, but it *keeps your fried chicken warm*.

Actually, maybe it isn't that hard to believe. KFC has been a fantastic source of memes over the past few years, after all. A weirdly diverse cast of celebrities has been portraying Colonel Sanders in commercials lately, and on top of that, Mario Lopez even starred as the long-dead founder in a romance film that was on Lifetime. What a time to be alive, huh? The KFC Gaming Twitter provided a few hints and teases about a fabled KFC-branded game console over the course of several months, but naturally, most everyone assumed that it was just another meme designed to generate social media attention. Well, it did do that, but little did we know that those tweets were dead serious.

Introducing the KFConsole

I'll cut right to the chase: it's a game console that uses its own generated heat to keep your chicken warm. It sounds like a hoax, but according to Mark Walton, the guy who runs Intel, it is very much legitimate. He would know, since the console, dubbed the KFConsole, is powered by Intel.

We actually know a fair deal about the system at this time. It's allegedly capable of 4K resolution and 240fps gameplay. We're not sure why it would need to be capable of such a high framerate, but there's probably someone out there who loves the idea of it. This is also the funniest thing about the whole situation: it would be one thing for KFC to make a meme machine that is all flash and no substance, but the KFConsole is actually *good*.

A Shockingly Good Console from a Chicken Joint

The KFConsole uses a Cooler Master NC100 chassis and a Core i9 Intel Nuc 9 Extreme Computer Element. It also includes a swappable GPU slot, which allows you to customize and upgrade at your own discretion. On top of that, it even has a PCIe NVMe SSD and two Seagate Barracuda 1TB SSDs.

That's already way more than any reasonable person would have expected from a gaming console presented by Kentucky Fried Chicken. But it goes even further beyond, also possessing a chicken-warming compartment, which utilizes the heat produced by the console to keep your KFC chicken warm. We're assuming you could fit some other food items in there too, which means we've finally advanced to the utopian future everybody thought we'd be living in forty years ago.

Even then, there's more to be said. You can even use VR with this console from a fast-food chain. Why? Maybe so you can look at chicken while waiting for your chicken to heat up so you can enjoy eating chicken. We promise, that's the future Colonel Sanders envisioned all the way back in 1930. Truly, a man ahead of his time.

Frankly, this is all very impressive considering that it was branded by KFC of all places. Next thing you know, McDonald's is going to do the same, then Taco Bell, and soon we'll have a totally new type of console war to worry about. Unfortunately, there's no confirmed price for the KFConsole yet, but

judging by its admittedly impressive specs, we're assuming that it's not going to be cheap, which is also a tad odd considering its origins.

Is KFC actually looking to make a profit with this unexpected maneuver? Or are they just trying to stir up some great advertising? Time will tell if the KFConsole actually revolutionizes the gaming world, but if I had to bet any substantial amount of money on it, I doubt it. The KFConsole will probably just become a novel meme, but I can't lie: this has definitely given KFC some brownie points in my eyes. Popeye's, you have to step up your game.