Burnout Paradise (Xbox 360)

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A very small percentage of people may experience a seizure when exposed to certain visual images, including flashing lights or patterns that may appear in video games. Even people who have no history of seizures or epilepsy may have an undiagnosed condition that can cause these "photosensitive epileptic seizures" while watching video games.

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Complete Controls

Crash Nav/Menu controls

Switch between menus	LB/RB
Highlight item/option	◌/L
Select highlighted item/option	A
Go back/Cancel	B

In-Game Controls

Crash Nav	BACK
Driver details	START
Change view	Y
Boost/Ground Break (during Showtime)	A
E-brake/Handbrake	X
Steer	L
Hard left/right (during Showtime)	LB/RB
Camera	R
Rear view	LB
Start engine/Accelerate	RT
Brake/Reverse	LT
Showtime (see p. 3)	LB+RB
Start Event (see p. 4)	LT+RT
Toggle Road Rules (see p. 3)	◌↑
Open/close Easy drive menu (see p. 7)	◌←/→
Next EA TRAX song	RB

Note: If you prefer to use a steering wheel and pedals to control your cars, *Burnout Paradise* supports the Xbox 360 Wireless Racing Wheel.

Welcome to Paradise

Pocket your license, pick up your wheels, and hit the streets. There's a whole city to discover out there—how and when you discover it is up to you.

Freeburn the Streets

Smashes

Keep your eyes peeled for barriers marked with yellow Private Property signs—then crash straight through them to uncover secret shortcut routes and rack up the Smashes.

Billboards

The easy part is finding the *Burnout*™ billboards posted around the city. The hard part is figuring out ways to crash through them.

Super Jumps

Paradise City's most dangerous ramps and jumps are marked with bright yellow warning signs and lights. Launch off these at insane speeds to fire up the Super Jump camera.

Power Parking

To Power Park, hit the e-brake (press Ⓧ) to spin your car into the space between two parked vehicles. To bag a good score, park as neatly as you can without any dings.

Road Rules

Every single street in Paradise City has two Road Rules waiting to be broken. Each one has been set by another *Burnout* driver. The Time Road Rule is the fastest time driven down the length of the road. The Showtime Road Rule is the highest total scored in a Showtime crash (see p. 3) started on that road.

- To switch to Road Rules, press ↑ to toggle between Best Time and Best Crash information, or press → to open the Easy Drive menu, then select Road Rules.
- When Time or Showtime Road Rules are on, the road name sign(s) at the top of the screen turn red, indicating Road Rules that need to be beaten. Break one Road Rule and the street sign turns silver. Break both and it turns gold.

Switch to **Best Time** to view the current record and its holder. Go to the end of the street and put your foot down to start the clock.

Switch to **Best Crash** to view the highest Showtime cash total and ruling driver's name. To break this Road Rule, switch to Showtime (see p. 3).

Note: If an online friend has set a Road Rule target, their record appears under Friend's Best.

Note: To switch between displaying Offline or Online Road Rules during gameplay, open the map (see p. 6), switch the display to Road Rules, then press Ⓐ to toggle between Offline and Online information for each road.

Showtime

Note: In offline play, you must win four events before you can activate Showtime. During Xbox LIVE play, Showtime is always available. In addition, setting a Showtime Road Rule in Xbox LIVE play unlocks Showtime for offline play.

To enter Showtime, press LB+RB at any time. Then, smash into vehicles to earn Boost that you can use in Ground Breaks. Whenever you smack the pavement, press Ⓐ to use a Ground Break to bounce your car into another one. Aim for the highest total Showtime score by causing maximum damage and traveling as far as you can. When your wreck comes to a halt, Showtime's over.

Note: Switching to Showtime quits any current Event or Time Road Rule you are competing in.

Events

Every junction is the starting point for a new event—and winning events is the way to upgrade your license. Pull up to any junction and check the name above your mini-map to find out what type of event it hosts.

- To compete, pull and hold LT+RT to spin your wheels. To quit, come to a halt or enter Showtime.

Races

Buckle up for point-to-point races of varying lengths. There's no fixed route so check the Paradise City map and use the compass at the top of the screen to navigate. The top arrow shows the direction of your destination, the bottom arrow shows your current heading, and the distance counter shows how far you've got left to go (road signs flash as you near a junction to indicate the recommended route to the finish). Look out for the red overhead banner when you cross the finish line.

Road Rage

The aim is simple—take down the opposition! Smash enough rivals off the road within the time limit to hit the Takedown total target before you total your car.

Marked Man

In this point-to-point race, you're the prey—and the other drivers are aiming to smash you off course. Survive all the way to the finish line without being totalled and you've won.

Stunt Run

Boost and drift between the best stunt locations in the city, pulling outrageous manoeuvres to beat the target score within the time limit. Once you've started a point-scoring stunt, Boost, or drift, a countdown timer appears at the top of the screen. Quickly start another move before the countdown ends to create a combo. Stunts and combo scores are added to your overall score.

- Land flash moves like Super Jumps, Billboard Smashes, or Barrel Rolls to earn a score-boosting multiplier.

Burning Route

In Burning Route events, you have to be driving a certain car to compete. When you arrive at a Burning Route event junction, the name of the car you need to be driving pops up in the event area of the screen. (Note: If you are not driving the car listed but have won it previously, return to the Junkyard and pick up the right car, then return to the Burning Route junction to compete.) Winning a Burning Route event earns you a brand-new ride.

License and Shut-Downs

Upgrade that embarrassing learner's permit by winning events around the city.

License

- Press START to view your license at the Driver Details screen (see p. 6).

Tip: You can personalize your license by adding your photo to it.

Every event you win adds another point to your license. Although you can compete and win in any event as many times as you want, winning it only counts as one point towards your upgrade. Once you earn a license upgrade, the status of all events is reset, so you can compete in previously-won events again to earn points.

Shut-Downs

Winning events will get you recognized in Paradise City, so be prepared for other drivers coming after you. Look out for rivals buzzing the streets, then shut them down. Their newly wrecked car is taken to the Junkyard, ready for you to pick up.

Hit the Drive-Thru

Speed your way to one of Paradise City's Drive-Thrus for an instant service.

Gas Station	Stop at one of these for a Boost Refill.
Auto Repair	Your destination for speedy repairs.
Paint Shop	Pay this a visit for an instant spray job.
Junkyard	This is where all your cars are stored. Drop in to change your current car's look, or pick out a new set of wheels.

Note: To view the cars in your Junkyard, press ◇←/→ or move L←/→. To select it, press A. To change its appearance, press ◇↑/↓ or move L↑/↓ to select Paint Finish, Type or Color and then press A.

Boost Types

Whatever your driving style, there's a type of car to match. Different car types offer different handling styles, and earn and use Boost in different ways.

Stunt

Stunt cars are built for rolls, jumps, drifts, spins, and catching air. Pulling moves like these is the quickest way to max out their green Boost bar.

Aggression

Aggression vehicles allow you to build that rage-red Boost bar quickly with hostile driving. The bad news? Every time you're taken down, your Boost bar takes a hit.

Note: You can earn Boost and burn it as the same time with the Stunt and Aggression Boost types. Press A for an exhilarating burst of speed, then refill your Boost bar as you go by engaging in some more dangerous driving.

Speed

Fill your yellow Boost bar by taking serious risks. And build it up quickly, because the Speed Boost can't be used until the bar is completely filled. Once it's full though, you can start Boost chaining!

How to chain Boosts:

1. Use up your full Boost bar in one burst of acceleration and you'll achieve a Burnout.
2. Achieving a Burnout automatically refills part of your Boost bar.
3. Now fill the rest of the bar with more dangerous driving, and you'll achieve *another* Burnout!
4. Keep it up as long as you can—the Boost chain ends either when you crash or run out of Boost.

Crash Nav

Press BACK to open your in-car Crash Nav system for instant access to all the info you need. Press LB/RB to switch through the Crash Nav menus: Driver Details, Under the Hood, Paradise City Online, and the Paradise City map.

Under the Hood

This is the place to set up the game the way you want to play it. Here, you can SAVE/LOAD a game (see *Saving and Loading* on p. 8), adjust game settings, tinker with your EA TRAX, see the game credits, manage your account, or adjust visual, audio ,and communication preferences.

Tip: If you have a sponsor product code, enter it to add a special car to your collection. Please note that you must be signed in to use your sponsor product code.

Paradise City Map

When you start out, there won't be much marked on the map—you'll need to find events and other Drive-Thrus to get them added. Different events are marked with different colored icons. Completed events are marked with a tick.

- Move L to navigate between locations. Move R to explore the map. Pull LT to zoom out.
- Press ◌ ⬅/➡ to display Drive-Thrus, Road Rules, and events. With events or Road Rules selected, press ◌ ⬆/⬇ to switch types.
- Pull RT to view the start and finish of the highlighted event.
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Driver Details

As well as viewing your license, you can also check out your other achievements here. Select RECORDS to view your driving statistics, DISCOVERY to see how many Drive-Thrus, Billboards, Jumps, Stunts, and Smashes you've found in each of Paradise City's five boroughs.

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Family Settings

These easy and flexible tools enable parents and caregivers to decide which games young game players can access based on the content rating. For more information, go to www.xbox.com/familysettings.

Friends

Select a name with a icon and select JOIN GAME to Freeburn Online with them. Alternatively select SEND INVITE to ask a player to join you (a icon appears next to their name). If someone invites you, a icon appears next to their name—select their name to accept or decline.

Freeburn Online

Tear up Paradise City online with up to seven other drivers. On top of the usual Freeburn activities (see *Freeburn the Streets* on p. 2), you can also view Today's Best stats (shown at the top right of the screen), collect Mugshots, and join with other drivers to complete Challenges.

Note: On occasion, Freeburn Online may be limited to six drivers.

Road Rules

Activate Road Rules for the chance to beat your friends' records.

The Lineup

Take down another player, then take a Mugshot to keep as a memento of the occasion.

Setting Up Your Camera

In order to send and receive photo Mugshots, an Xbox LIVE Vision camera is required. To ensure Xbox LIVE Vision camera is working, select OPTIONS in the Under the Hood menu and make sure Xbox LIVE Vision is ON.

- For Photo Finishes and Event Mugshots only, players without an Xbox LIVE Vision camera will send their gamer picture.

Challenges

Co-operate with other drivers to complete online Challenges. A Freeburn Online host can start a Challenge by choosing SELECT CHALLENGE in the Easy Drive menu. Press ◌ ⬅/➡ to view available challenges (organized by the number of players required), then press ◌ ⬆/⬇ to highlight a Challenge. The challenge's requirements are listed in the top right of the screen (the challenge is cancelled if any player leaves).

Note: The host can prevent additional players from entering by using Change Access in the Easy Drive menu.

Races

To start racing, select UNRANKED RACE or RANKED RACE from the Easy Drive menu, then choose PLAY NOW or SEARCH to join a pending race (or select CREATE to start one). A Freeburn Online host can start a race by selecting CREATE RACE from the Easy Drive menu. To choose a route, either press Ⓐ and select EDIT ROUTE, or select PARADISE DRIVES to find a pre-designed one (to load a saved or recently-played route, press Ⓧ after adjusting settings).

Leaderboards

View your Race, Road Rules, and Showtime rankings.

News

Select NEWS for updates on your *Burnout Paradise* online experience.

Saving and Loading

Burnout Paradise autosaves your progress at certain points during the game.

Note: Do not switch off the console when the arrow autosave icon (rotating arrow) appears in the top left-hand corner of the screen.

If you have previously played the game, *Burnout Paradise* autoloads your progress when you start.

- To save or load your game manually, select SAVE/LOAD at the Under the Hood menu, then choose SAVE or LOAD and follow the on-screen instructions.

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