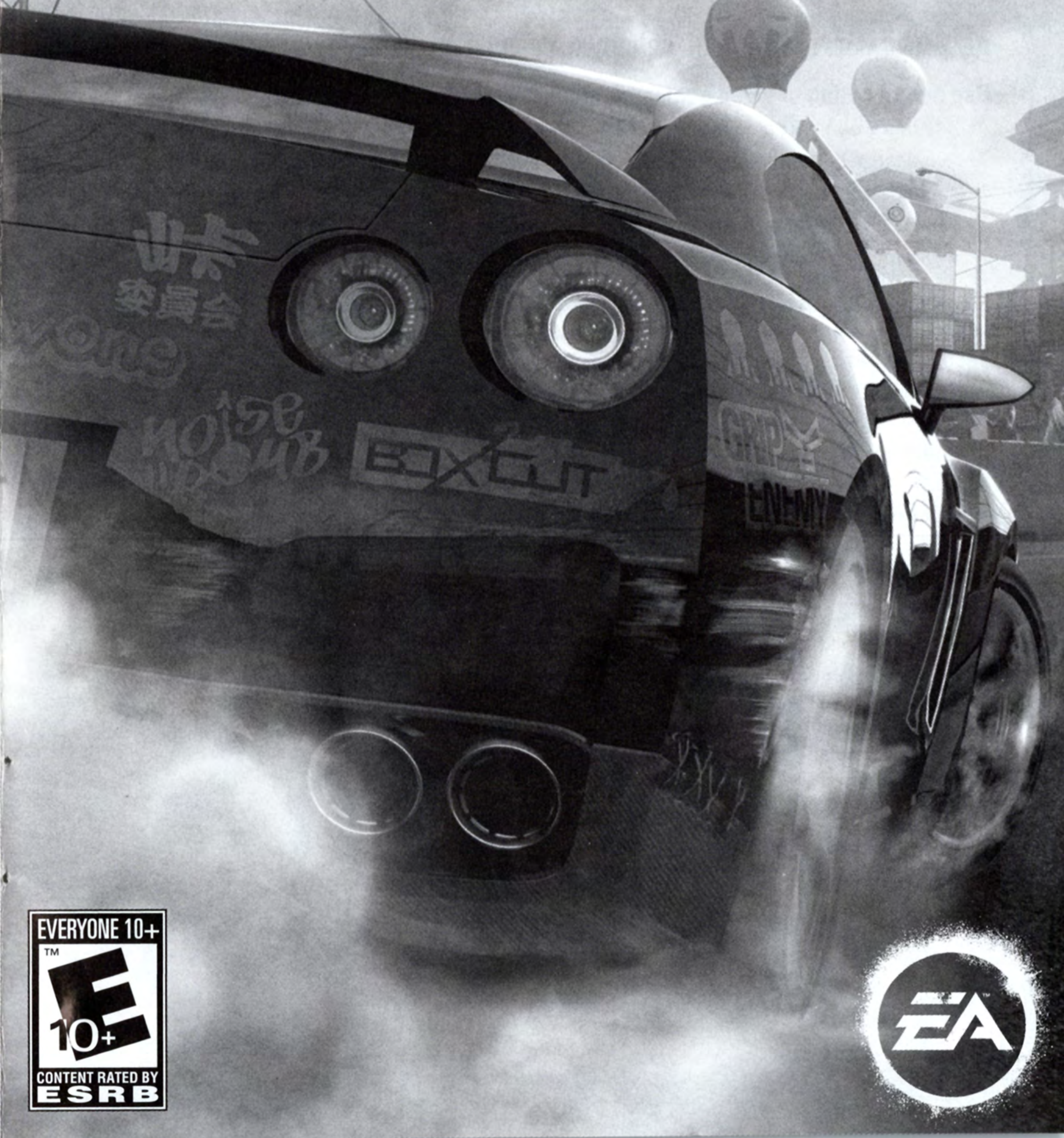


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- Avoid prolonged use of the PlayStation 2 system.
- Take a 15-minute break during each hour of play.
- Avoid playing when you are tired or need sleep.

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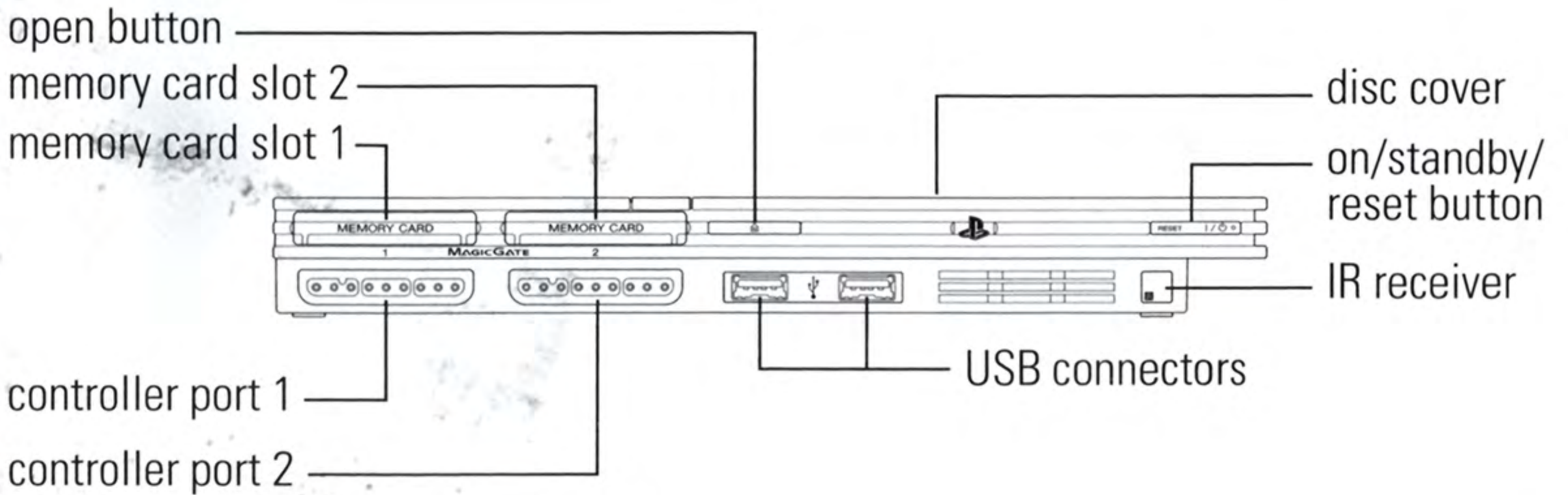
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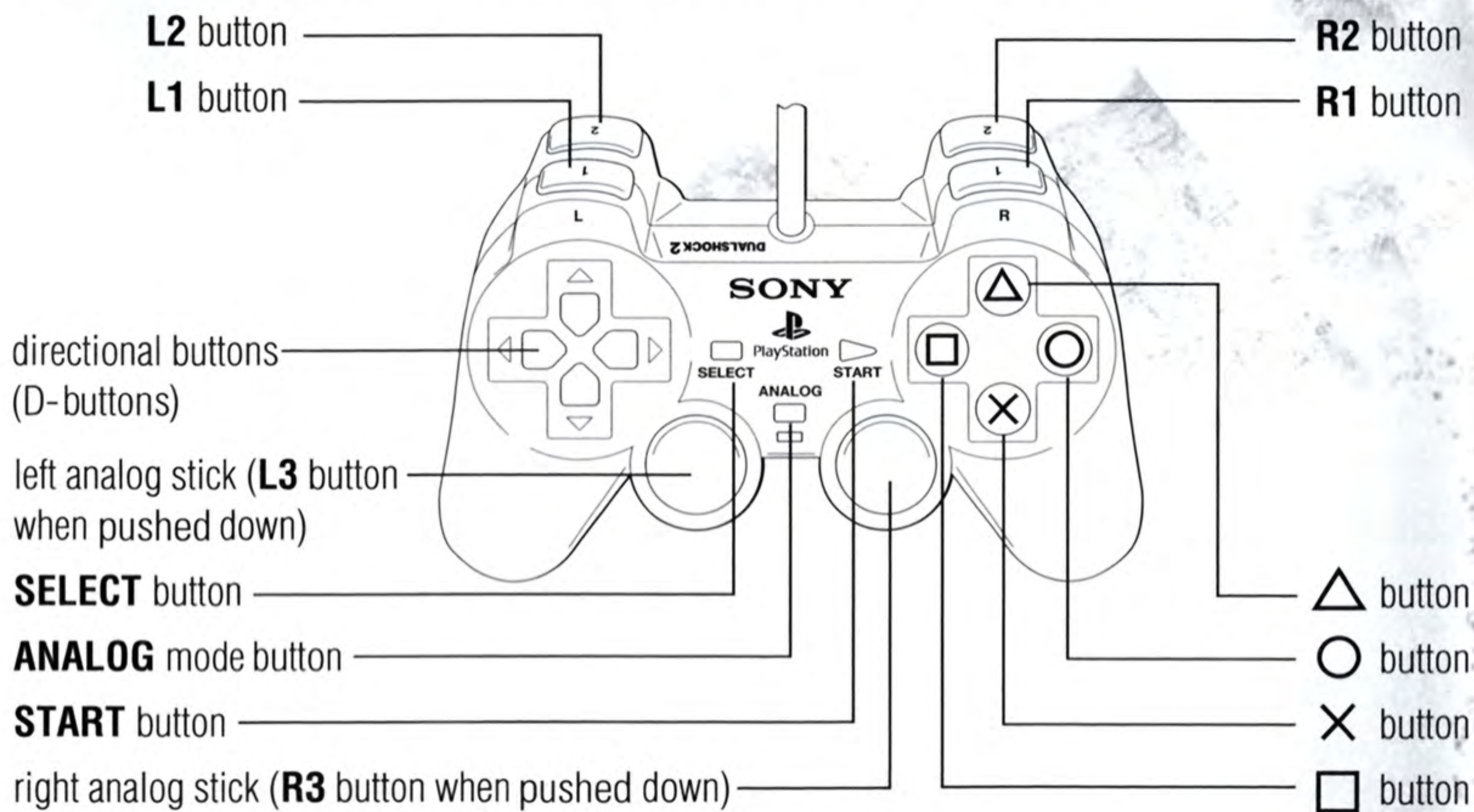
# GETTING STARTED



1. Set up your PlayStation®2 computer entertainment system according to the instructions supplied with your system.
2. Check that the system is turned on (the on/standby indicator is green).
3. Insert the *Need for Speed™ ProStreet* disc in the system with the label side facing up.
4. Attach game controllers and other peripherals as appropriate.
5. Follow the on-screen instructions and refer to this manual for information on using the software.

# STARTING UP

## DUALSHOCK®2 ANALOG CONTROLLER CONFIGURATIONS



# CONTROLS

There are two control configurations in *Need for Speed ProStreet*.

Action	Configuration 1	Configuration 2
Accelerate	X button	right analog stick ↑
Brake/Reverse	□ button	right analog stick ↓
Change view	right analog stick (click)	○ button
Steer	left analog stick	
Shift up/down	R1 button/R2 button	
Nitrous	L1 button	
Toggle arrow indicators/ best line indicators	D-button ↑/↓	
Toggle minimap/leaderboards	D-button ←/→	
Clutch (Clutch kick in Drift mode)	L2 button	
Look back	△ button	
E-brake	○ button	
Reset car	SELECT button	
Pause game	START button	

## TRANSMISSION OPTIONS

You have three transmission options in *Need for Speed ProStreet*: AUTOMATIC, MANUAL, and MANUAL CLUTCH.

- To configure your transmission preferences, select OPTIONS in the Main menu, then GAMEPLAY, then MODE OPTIONS. For each of the four racing modes—GRIP, DRIFT, DRAG, and SPEED—you can select a transmission preference. (**Note:** In drag racing, automatic transmissions are not available.)
- If you are driving with an automatic transmission, the shift and clutch controls in both control configurations are disabled.
- If you are driving with a manual transmission, the clutch control is disabled.
- If you are driving with a manual clutch transmission, all controls are available.

## ALIAS

Before you can begin racing in *Need for Speed ProStreet*, you must first create an Alias. Your Alias tracks your chosen preferences and custom Race Days.

## CREATING AN ALIAS

At the prompt, select YES to create an Alias. Use the on-screen keyboard to give your Alias a name, then select DONE. Your Alias is created.

## ASSISTS

When creating a new Alias, you are prompted to set your Assist level. Assists help novice racers get in the game faster by simplifying controls.

<b>Casual</b>	The best setting for inexperienced racers. The Casual setting manages the braking for you and assists you to the best line.
<b>Racer</b>	The best setting for intermediate-level racers. The Racer setting helps you brake in difficult corners.
<b>King</b>	The best setting for veteran racers. The King setting lets you feel the raw power of the car.

**Note:** You can also change your Assist level in the Options menu.

**Tip:** As your driving skills increase, try more advanced Assist levels for more control, faster races, and higher scores.

## MAIN MENU

From the Main menu you can access your Career, Race Days, or customize Options.

<b>CAREER</b>	Start—or continue—down the road towards becoming the Street King.
<b>RACE DAY</b>	Create your own Custom Race Day (Solo or Split-Screen), or play a Freestyle Race Day.
<b>OPTIONS</b>	Customize a variety of options (see below).
<b>CODE ENTRY</b>	Enter secret or promotional codes to unlock hidden bonuses.
<b>ALIAS</b>	Save your progress.

## OPTIONS

Adjust a variety of options to improve your *Need for Speed ProStreet* experience.

<b>AUDIO</b>	Adjust the game's master volume or the volume of sound effects, cars, speech, menus, and music in-game, select your menu music, or choose EA TRAX™ JUKEBOX to listen to your music selections throughout the game.
<b>AUTOSAVE</b>	Toggle the Autosave feature ON or OFF.

## GAMEPLAY

Select UNITS to choose between IMPERIAL (i.e. MPH) and METRIC (i.e. KPH) units in-game, or select MODE OPTIONS to choose an Assist (CASUAL, RACER, or KING) and to configure options for each of the four racing modes (GRIP, DRIFT, DRAG, and SPEED). Select GRIP, DRIFT, DRAG, or SPEED to choose a preferred transmission (AUTOMATIC, MANUAL, or MANUAL CLUTCH) and car camera location (HOOD, BUMPER, etc), or toggle Anti-Lock Brakes, Traction Control, and Electronic Stability Control ON or OFF (available in King Assist mode only).

**Note:** Anti-Lock Brakes are only available in Grip mode. Additionally, Traction Control, Electronic Stability Control, and automatic transmissions are not available in Drag mode. Furthermore, Anti-Lock Brakes and Traction Control cannot be turned off while using Casual Assists.

## CONTROLS

Choose one of two controller configurations (for more information, see *Controls* on p. 3).

## INTERFACE

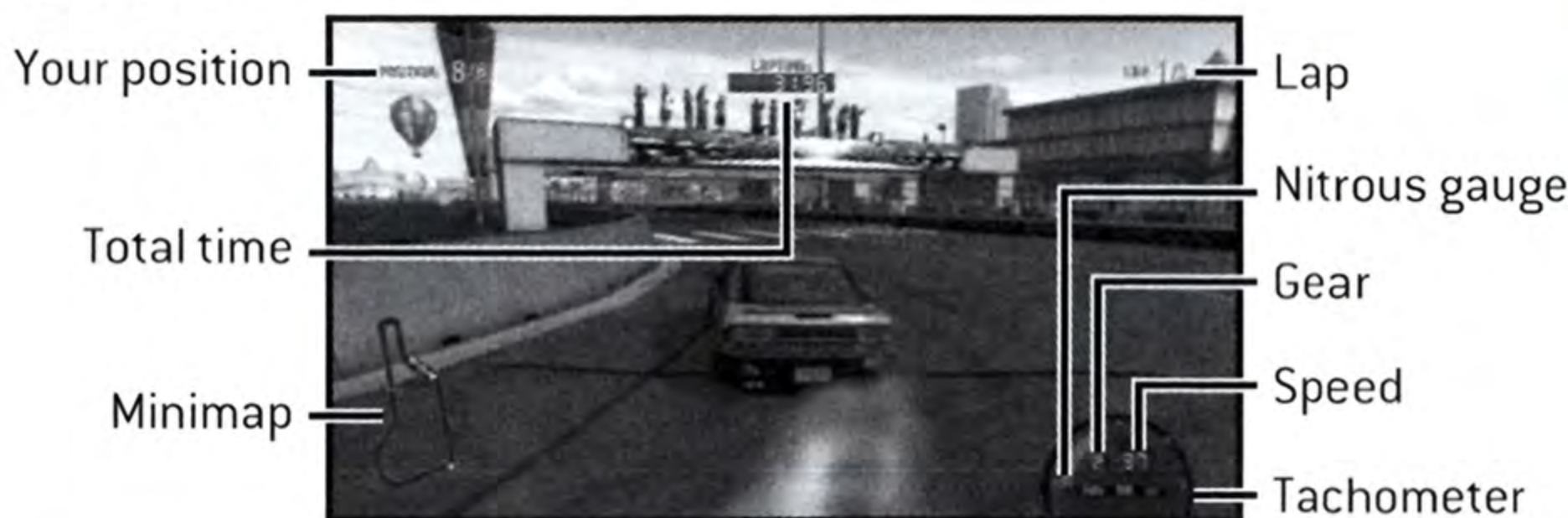
Toggle ON or OFF the following on-screen displays: leaderboard, best line indicator, turn indicators, and the minimap.

## CREDITS

Find out who made *Need for Speed ProStreet*.

# PLAYING THE GAME

## GAME SCREEN



## EVENT OPTIONS

When creating a race in either Quick Race or Race Day modes (for more info, see p. 8), you are asked to customize a variety of options, including preferred race mode and race variations.

## RACE MODES

Choose between race styles to test your skill at sliding, pedal mashing, or shifting gears. Master these four race modes and you'll defeat the top racers across all of *Need for Speed ProStreet's* racing organizations and, ultimately, become the Street King.

### Grip

Race around a circuit to prove you have the best handling and fastest car in the field.

### Drift

Win massive drift points by sliding sideways around bends. Tap your emergency brake to initiate a slide, then steer with the skid and feather the throttle to keep it going. But beware: the walls come up quickly and stopping isn't easy.

## Drag

A classic drag race tests the acceleration limits of your machine and your skill at shifting gears. Shift too early and you waste your car's power; shift too late and overrevving could fry your precious engine. Watch your tach carefully and shift up when the needle turns green.

## Speed

Challenge yourself to achieve and maintain your vehicle's top speed. Beware: with speed there is danger. Just one wipeout could spell disaster.

## RACE VARIATIONS

Determine the rules of the road here.

### Practice

Take a test run on the track where the results count as bragging rights only.

### Grip

It's anyone's race when you go up against cars with a wide variety of performance capabilities.

### Time Attack

Obtain the single best lap time out of all your competitors and you're the winner. It doesn't matter in what order you cross the finish line, only that you get the best lap.

### Sector Shootout

The track is split into four sectors. Get points for driving as fast as you can through each sector. Get the highest score in a sector and get bonus points for "owning" that sector.

### Drift

It's you against the track. Score maximum points by performing fast, high angle drifts. The driver with the greatest drifting score is victorious.

### 1/4 Mile Drag

A straight up drag race on a quarter mile track. The best time in three rounds is the winner.

### 1/2 Mile Drag

Twice the length of a Quarter Mile Drag—and double the intensity. The best time in three rounds is the winner.

### Wheelie Competition

A drag race where the highest performance cars compete for the best wheelie distance in three rounds. How long can you hold your nose in the air?

### Top Speed Run

Your clocked speeds from each checkpoint are added together. The driver with the highest total speed wins.

### Speed Challenge

A straight Speed race from point A to point B. Get to the finish line first.

## DAMAGE

Your driving has consequences. A particularly nasty run-in with a barrier or another car can cost you—literally. If you damage your car you'll need to pay to get it fixed, so drive like you mean it.

- Repair and Total Repair Markers, which can be won in Race Days or simply purchased with your winnings, can be used in lieu of cash to repair vehicles. Bonus Repair Markers are also awarded throughout Career mode for competing in select Race Days.

**Tip:** Using Repair Markers is an excellent way to lower the cost of repairs on the most expensive cars. Additionally, you can purchase extra Repair Markers whenever you need to in the Marker Management screen.

## SAVING AND LOADING

If the autosave featured is enabled (see *Options* on p. 4), your progress is automatically saved to your Alias after each Career mode race.

- To manually save, select ALIAS in the Main menu, then SAVE. A prompt appears asking if you wish to save changes to your Alias. Select YES.



# GAME MODES

## CAREER

You've got a decent ride, a bit of cash, and a lot of respect. In short, you think you've mastered the world of street racing. Guess again.

The party has gone public, which means high-stakes, street-style racing run by real organizations. Master all four racing types—Grip, Drag, Drift, and Speed—in Race Days held by organizations all over the world, working your way up the ranks in order to go head-to-head with each organization's King to ultimately become Street King—the best racer in the world.

- To begin a Career, select CAREER in the Main menu, then select NEW. To continue your Career, select CONTINUE.

## THE CAREER MAP

- The Career Map is your road guide to becoming the Street King. On the Career Map, you'll find Race Days sponsored by one of the many ProStreet organizations. Battle, win, and dominate each Race Day to unlock Showdowns.

## RACING ORGANIZATIONS

Play through a series of races hosted by each racing organization to ultimately go head-to-head with their top racers, or Kings.

- There are four elite organizations, each dedicated to one of the four race styles (Grip, Drag, Drift, and Speed). To unlock an elite Organization, beat 10 track records in that organization's race style.

## RACE DAYS

- On the map you'll find a variety of events called Race Days. Race Days are sponsored by a specific organization and offer you the chance to win races, dominate in all racing styles, and score a little cash in the process.
- Scoring in Race Days is based on points. You gain points for performing well in race events. Obtain a certain number of points (shown on the bar on the upper right hand corner of the screen) and you'll either win or dominate the Race Day. To rise to the top of an organization, you'll need to win a certain number of Race Days, and dominate in a few more.
- Finish in the top three to take a piece of the purse. Use this to make repairs, upgrade your ride with new parts, or even buy yourself a brand-new car.
- In addition to cash, winning or dominating a Race Day can earn you repair markers, free cars, and rare performance parts.
- Each Organization has a Challenge Series Race Day. These Race Days are an opportunity to earn rewards as well as a free car while not having to pay for any damage costs.

## SHOWDOWNS

- To unlock a Showdown, you must win and dominate a specific number of Race Days. Beating Showdown events unlocks the next racing organization—with its own brand-new Race Days and Challenge events.

## CUSTOMIZATION

Cash in your winnings to upgrade your cars with standard parts or use your imagination to create the car of your dreams with Autosculpt. Once you've picked out your parts, select UPDATE BLUEPRINT to purchase and install them on your vehicle.

**Tip:** Some rare parts can only be earned by winning markers in Race Days.

## RACE DAY

Select RACE DAY in the Main menu to create your own custom Race Days and play Freestyle Race Days. Custom Race Days can be created as either Solo or Split Screen Race Days.

### RACE DAY MAP

- The Race Day Map houses a variety of Freestyle Race Days as well as any custom Race Days you've created.

### CUSTOM RACE DAYS

- Choose from a selection of race events and settings to create, design, and customize your very own Race Day. Create a Solo Race Day to go up against AI-controlled opponents or create a Split Screen Race Day and challenge a friend in person.

### CREATING AND PLAYING CUSTOM RACE DAYS

#### To create a Custom Race Day:

1. Select an empty slot under My Race Day on the Race Day Map, then select SOLO or SPLIT SCREEN. The Create Race Day screen appears.
2. Select the location of your Race Day as well as the difficulty level (determines AI difficulty and the maximum car tier), number of repair markers available, and if it's a Challenge Race Day (see below), then select DEFINE RACE EVENTS.
3. You can choose up to eight events to add to your Race Day and customize settings for each event. When you are done defining your events, select SAVE RACE DAY. You return to Race Day Map where you can start playing your new custom Race Day.

#### To play a Custom Race Day:

1. Select a Race Day under My Race Day that you've created then select PLAY.
2. Choose between cars you've purchased in Career mode and any Bonus cars that are available. The Race Day begins.

### CHALLENGE RACE DAYS

Create the ultimate Race Day challenge where you get to choose the cars that are used for each event.

- In the Create Race Day screen you have the option to make a Challenge Race Day. Select YES and continue along as if you were creating a normal Race Day. When you are done defining your events, the Car Select screen appears. Choose the car you want for each race type in your Race Day. When you and a friend play this Race Day, you will only be allowed to use the cars you specified when you created the Race Day.

### FREESTYLE RACE DAYS

Freestyle Race Days are Race Days that can be played in Solo or Split Screen modes. Each Race Day is sponsored by an organization and has a set difficulty level, that determines the AI difficulty and the maximum car tier.

#### To play a freestyle Race Day:

1. Select the Freestyle Race Day you wish to play on the Race Day Map and then select a play mode: SOLO or SPLIT SCREEN.
2. Choose between cars of an appropriate tier you've purchased in Career mode and any Bonus cars available. The Race Day begins.

**Note:** Unlike other Race Days, when playing in Split Screen, both players race each event once. After the final event, the player with the most points wins.

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