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Alexey Pazhitnov's hat! Creator of Tetris! NR

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Description

THERE IS NO RESERVE ON THIS AUCTION!

You are bidding on an incredibly rare item, the hat of Alexey Pazhitnov, the creator or Tetris! This is an incredible once in a lifetime chance to own a military hat from Pazhitnov's aborted military experience! You will NEVER see this item again, as it will go into some lucky gamer's personal collection never to be seen or heard from again!

History

Very few people know that Alexey Pazhitnov, the creator of the famous game, Tetris, joined the USSR's paratrooper elite before resigning his commission to work at the Moscow Academy of Science's Computer Center. Although he left the military, his one memento was this hat, which he ended up keeping for many years before finally discarding it by giving it to a young missionary child. That child brought it back to the US and it found it's way into my hands! Now, I have graciously decided to part with it in the hopes that another long-time Tetris fan might get to own it!

Information

This is an official Soviet military paratrooper hat, worn by Alexey Pazhitnov, the creator of Tetris! In fact, he wore it so often, it still smells like his head! On one side, you will notice a small doodle in blue ink. It is believed that this doodle was from when he was daydreaming about game creation in the barracks one night. If you look closely, it resembles the long red block from Tetris, except for it's blue color. It is assumed that he refined the color before making the game, thereby proving that he had this hat before he designed Tetris! The hat is in worn but serviceable condition, excellent for such a rare piece of video game history!

Verification

I have had this hat checked with professional historians and it is confirmed that it is an official Soviet military paratrooper hat. All the lucky winner needs to do is get a sample of Alexey Pazhitnov's DNA and check it against the hairs found in the hat to confirm that it did indeed belong to him! This should not be a problem for any persistent Tetris fan!

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I accept the following forms of payment:

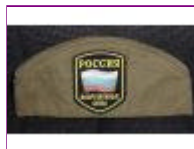
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- Paypal
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Shipping will be \$5.00, and insurance and tracking will be extra and at the discretion of the buyer. I am not responsible for lost or misdirected packages that are not insured!

This is probably not a hat that ever belonged to Alexey Pazhitnov, but it is the responsibility of the high bidder to determine that for certain. All bidders accept that I bear no responsibility for the above claims of this hat's history by bidding.



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