

# DRAGON'S LAIR<sup>®</sup>

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## INSTRUCTIONS

Long ago, in a magical time, a good King named Aethelred ruled a peaceful kingdom. Now his kingdom had many treasures, but its greatest prize was Princess Daphne, the King's only child. Brave Knights and handsome Princes came from afar just to pay her court, for she was a maiden of exceeding beauty, and grace. But, though they laid vast riches at her feet and pleaded most earnestly for her hand, Princess Daphne refused them all. For her heart had long been given to another. . . Dirk the Daring, the King's champion and bravest Knight. Then one dark day, Singe, an evil dragon who ruled over a shadowed land, appeared in Aethelred's kingdom and demanded that the

King deliver up his kingdom and people to him. When Aethelred refused Singe's vile demand, the monster kidnapped the beautiful Daphne and imprisoned her in a crystal sphere in the horrible dungeons beneath his enchanted castle. Singe then sent Aethelred this message: Relinquish your kingdom before the setting sun or your beloved daughter will perish. Aethelred and all the people of the kingdom were plunged into despair. All except for Dirk who vowed to go to the enchanted castle and free the Princess. . . if he could survive the dungeon's many perils. . . if he could reach the Dragon's lair. . .



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### INTRODUCTION

Thank you for buying this Merlin game, we hope you enjoy playing Dragons Lair on your Einstein.

### LOADING INSTRUCTIONS

Place the Dragons Lair disk in drive 0 and press the reset button on your computer.

**WARNING:** This disk is protected, DO NOT attempt to make a copy as this may destroy the programme and will invalidate your guarantee.

### SPECIAL KEYS and JOYSTICK MOVEMENT

When playing the Ramps and Giddy Goons screen you will need to press the ENTER key to jump from ramp to ramp.

In the Skull Hallway, the Weapons Room and the Tentacle Room, the joystick will only accept the correct action at the correct time. The correct action at the wrong time will be ignored, and the wrong action at the correct time will result in an audible buzz. If you hold the joystick in anticipation of a move, it will be ignored, resulting in losing a life - so be warned - timing is very important in these rooms. To use your sword (at the correct time)... you always carry your sword with you, except on the final screen when you will need to collect it from the top of the cliff before slaying the dragon.

Z = LEFT  
X = RIGHT  
L = DRAW SWORD / JUMP

K = UP  
M = DOWN  
ENTER = JUMP ON GIDDY GOONS SCREEN

### BONUS DIRKS

You will earn Bonus Dirks (extra lives) after completing the weapons Room and one dirk for each screen completed after that up to a maximum of five dirks (you will need them).

### HIGH SCORE

to record your high score of the day just press the spacebar when on the title screen and you will be able to put your initials in.

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