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From hot spots to hidden gems and lots of local flavor Eat your guide to L A the unscripted way and we're about to get our game on Hello everyone and welcome to L A unscripted from the beautiful La Meta Mansion in Beverly Hills Tonight we're exploring all the games people play in L A and you're going to want to pin this first place to your must see list Highland Park Bowl is the oldest bowling alley in Los Angeles And this was like one of the true first speakeasies During prohibition you go upstairs or at doctor's offices and you get your prescription you come downstairs go to the pharmacy and you know you fulfill your prescription you get your booze It had that kind of like sixties seventies drop ceiling vibe We peel all the layers back We decided to expose all the pin setters The original pin setters were no longer functional but we repurpose them We took them and we made a lot of chandeliers out of them We made the back bar from it So we wanted to create this kind of a steampunk affair You can see the mechanisms of the pins had dropped and you know and all that stuff is usually hidden between the box But here we kind of exposed it And then we also opened up the back wall and we found that beautiful mural back there So it was actually painted by these two brothers the Anderson brothers in the early twenties upstairs of the doctor's office they were as if they were untouched for 40 years We literally walked in and we saw a calendar that said 1972 on it We found old candy in the machines from the fifties up there It was a total time warp I found bowling shoes from the sixties We actually found somebody placed a huge liquor order in the early seventies and it was never used We found cases of old booze upstairs So the place was an incredible time War People don't build stuff like this anymore We try to modernize it to a point where it's practical today's life but there is nothing like the aesthetics of something from the past And so that we feel really strongly about that There's been so many film productions shot here We've had love shameless Lucifer There was a huge installation that they did activation with Hunters where they basically closed off the whole block for a week and turned it to New York City in the seventies Do you kind of line your thumb up I have a weird thing I'm very smooth I like literally roll it on the ground I'm gonna try and roll it more than throw it So we have an incredible cocktail program We have this amazing uh Neapolitan pizza program We make our own dough We have some of the best gluten free dough in Los Angeles and it's very authentic and very very proud of our pizza I think it's delicious We have live music that

plays here We have burlesque dancers on Fridays nights So this is a great place to spend you know the night at the bar or have special event birthday parties There's a lot to do here for me as an owner It's I love to come to a place and see people having a good time It makes me happy that it feels like we did something right No I got to throw a few balls around for my gaming story But we said Olivia out to get thrown around by a bull Sorry girl you know they made me do a lot of crazy things for a unscripted But this time I decided I will take some one in mechanical bull rental dot com is gonna be my company We are a bull rental company We specialize in entertainment So pretty much anywhere that you have a party or anything that you want We have uh mechanical bulls for rent You can basically much this is for you to try to conquer it What better way to celebrate with a bull in your backyard with your family We need to have a conversation You need to tell me what the trick to stay on is Um pretty much the the trick is just your grip You know you gotta hold on to it as much as you can even put your legs to work as well You can grip your legs to the blue as well and you can just stay on it as long as you can and then grip on the side or where where should I grip my leg Honestly it's wherever you feel comfortable So some people are taller and shorter than others So it's wherever you can grip the most Once you feel comfortable grip that's where you gotta hold it I'm gonna try it I feel better I feel better I feel worse I feel worse I'm supposed to hold on with one hand I know we only made it to level two but make me look good and take us to level four It's just fun You know it's something for teenagers adults you know a lot of kids these days you know they're not 10 years old anymore They don't want a jumper anymore So this is the next big idea right here Oh would I write a real book Uh yes Yes I would definitely write a real book that's gonna be a once in a lifetime chance and I'm not wasting it you know she actually makes falling look kind of fun Ok We'll be right back with Nerf Wars ax throwing and a new casino to place your bets get your games on next Welcome back to L A unscripted Look at games people play and wow have we found the ultimate spot for video and pinball gamers We are throwing it back to the eighties as we check out Highland Park's Barcade We are old school games So the name Barcade is trademark So noone else can actually call themselves Barcade One of the co-founders used to have parties in his loft in Brooklyn back in the day and loved craft beer loved video games had like four or five machines in his apartment and they all had day jobs and they were like hey why don't we just open a bar with beer craft beer and video games and that's what they did We're up to nine locations um

across the country L A This is the only location on the west coast They have almost every pinball machine under the sun monster bash demolition man Twilight zone Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory And that's not even counting all the video games They have like Frogger Mortal Combat Miss Pac Man So many tokens So little time I'm in the swamp The swamp is that bad And one of the big features here is this is the only location that we have Hydraulic Daytona So while you're driving the seats move we catered to baby boomers because they used to take their kids to arcades in the eighties we catered to Gen X's who grew up playing all these games originally But then the millennials the the Zoomers they love it as well because they get to come here and tell a story to their friends about the game they play and they already know how to play the games Cos they've already played them all online We have 24 beers on draught no bottles no cans no packaging and a full kitchen at this location as well Oh that's delicious It's a great cider One of the reasons why we chose Highland Park is we look at areas that are developing and that we want to be part of So you'll see tributes to the past in most of our spaces of what the building used to be My favorite game is Adam's family Pinball I grew up playing that when I was a teenager There you go You win Nice work Ok So it turns out I'm not exactly a pinball wizard but it's ok because I have other skills like this nerf wars I am taking on our own anya star and I even teamed up with my son Ok Dana Devin I know we're friends but today it is on because so and I challenge you and Cole to a nerve battle Dana we dare you This is my game You're on my nerve All right warriors So the rules no head shots no neck shots keep your distances when you get hit All you do is go back touch the money bag and you respond back in the game We're going to keep track of score and just remember guys the most important thing have fun out there but win get to your sides players Let's go Battle party L A is a mobile nerf party company So essentially anywhere that you want us to go a park your house anywhere we can bring a full paintball size battlefield we bring everything you don't need darts You don't need the blasters All you need is yourself and a good time Get you outside and get a little bit of exercise and it's socially distanced anyway So it's the perfect thing right now This dare was challenging Yes it was tested you mentally it tested you physically but most of all it tested your courage and your heart The second run on the score stand the blue team that's 17 confirmed hits the red team That's 30 confirmed hits good game good game good game That was so much fun Oh my God I loved it And coming back we're getting excellent and having lots of luck at a stunning

new casino Welcome back to L A unscripted All right Watch me have an ax to grind with fellow unscripted my girl Liberty chan The game was hurling hatchets but I think she came dressed for something else All right Any minute we're gonna throw these axes and I'm really excited I'm just waiting on liberty So she's changing any minute What we're throwing out What are you wearing Dip Just Gypsy You Where's your personal Thank This is a good throwing a tire Ok I can move I can move I feel I like to feel cute flannel turban flannel Come on Just tell me what went into the thought of this outfit I thought it was cute for action or for having tea What's my fortune You are so mean I wanna throw that ax at you It's a trailer with two lanes in it We could bring it anywhere we can bring it to your backyard We could bring it to a corporate function at a company We can even be like here at the brewery This is Wing Walker Brewery One of the best places in Monrovia to have a beer Ted is gonna teach us how to throw axes I love that Ted I've got to ask you a question Can you teach us how the whole trick is You want this blade or the ax to rope rope volve one time completely and then stick in Hold it almost like a tennis racket And you see where the fat part starts right here on the ax right there That little part right there That's what you aim with You put that at the top of that orange arch aim pull back and throughout and that's how it's done Cage ax throwing in the cage Ok I'm really excited about this Ok Mr Target Yeah God I like this too much That was excellent Actually Look Not bad Not bad No look I missed a few liberty All right Your next child Ok Same thing I told Dana You gonna aim with that part of the ax right there I'm ready All right Give it a shot Use your flower power and just look at that bull's eye and become the bull's eye Why di do the the Gypsy the hippie chic outfit worked and you just were making fun of me But yeah he brought the bull's eye I need another turn I need I need to kick her ass You know I don't want to tell you who I was thinking about while throwing an ax but they know who they are All right How about we throw some dice now Get ready to roll into one of the coolest casinos in Socal Our sponsor Yama Y Resort and Casino We have 432 rooms featuring 128 suites It's unlike anything you've ever seen This is one of the most visited places in southern California Aside from Disneyland of course we have six dining restaurants We have seven on the go options and then we have 10 bars for you to enjoy the IP Yama is actually the newest resort and casino in Southern California and this is the Buffalo it is one of the most popular slot games in any casino and they have over 600 of them here we're one of the few that have \$5000 slots California exclusive This is not something that you see very often very rare Largest jackpot on this particular game There's three diamonds and that's \$2.5 million Today we're gonna be making in Manhattan It is our uh \$10,000 cocktail rare and fine So that bottle usually retails for about 17,000 It's gonna be a high proof spirit infused with uh some more spices to bring out some of those flavors we're looking for in the vermouth and the bourbon Oh look how pretty Oh and how beautiful is that Wait a minute These are diamonds that is a 14 karat gold pick with encrusted with diamonds at the top Do you get to keep that You get to keep that I can honestly say I have never tried a \$10,000 drink I'm actually shaking I'm nervous to try it Ok Wow that is smooth It's called the Serrano Spa Each one of the journeys that a guest can choose from are based on those crystal journeys 28 different varieties And it's it's pretty impressive Every one of our journeys has a massage a facial a manicure pedicure and a body treatment The spa itself the Serrano Spa is 17,000 square feet Eight treatment rooms You also have a VIP tranquility space where we can do elevated you know private parties we can do acupuncture We have a beautiful water sanctuary Oh my God this is just this is just one room one room couple suites the pool has seven cabanas We have day beds We also wanted to elevate that experience You know we're all about taking service to the next level It's about having herbaceous popsicles having you know frozen grapes giving complimentary branded SPF When you rent a cabana you get a fresh bowl of fruit with ice and lavender infused towels to be able to cool down with You have electronic fans with Mrs that our guests can have everything's included in their experience here by the pool side It's an escape for our players You can come here and feel like you've been swept away to a whole new world I am in one of their famous spa suites right now and it's the moment I've been looking forward to all day I finally get to have a dream So excited Anyway I'm going to be here Thank you guys for joining us Peace out But I'm going to do a take on the soup and sandwich for lunch And I've got this amazing sourdough bread cut a thick slice that is one massive piece of bread to the tomato soup in the oven I have a bunch of tomatoes All I did is stick it on a cookie sheet Bake it in the oven with some thyme some shallots and garlic boom Olive oil of course And then this is kind of a trick when it comes to thickening a soup parsnip blender We'll add our veggies all of this going in time and all stick it all in there Our parsnip I have two parsnips cooked until nice and soft Some salt some olive oil to that And I'm gonna add some chicken stock to get it going And now we blend So what the parsnip did is make you think you're getting cream of tomato soup Let's pour it in here just to keep it warm while we make our sandwich And I might even add a little more chicken stock just to thin it out a tad There we go I'm gonna get my skillet going back here some olive oil and some butter I'm gonna make an open faced sandwich What I like to do is toast the bread so it gets nice and crispy both sides So we'll get that heated up avocado So yes I am making a take on an avocado toast So I just made slices take a spoon Try to scoop it out Looking at looking as neat as you can time to assemble Look I'm just gonna tiny bit of salt because the bacon is very salty and some pepper on our avocado Try to make it as pretty as you can pick our bacon crumble it or chop it up You could put a whole piece on there too But I kind of like chopping it up with it A bowl of soup soup and a sandwich be on us that we will continue to bring you all the hot spots and hidden gems and local flavor California has to offer until next time Good night All right I'm not very good at this but here we go