

Alcohol and gaming?

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I am not of drinking age yet, and have very little experience with it. When "on the scene" at a social event or bar/club, what are your alcohol limits? Do you use it to gain a social advantage, being more friendly inebriated? Or, do you stay sober to be mentally above everyone else.

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One drink max. Loosens the tongue while simultaneously keeping you mentally sharp. A drunken fool goes home alone. Can't learn to depend on alcohol for confidence.

siwhoaks • 2 points • 13 April, 2014 05:46 AM

Also: beer goggles, I believe there is a Simpsons clip on how they work. Booze raises testosterone levels in both male and females, for me anyway , after a heavy nights drinking I notice a near uncontrollable loneliness/neediness that is overall unpleasant and unhelpful (noticed it the older I got). If you can do it I'd stick to one drink or none at all.

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If you actually want to improve your game, go sober. If you just want to have fun, drink, but don't get wasted.

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You have to find your own level.

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Alcohol can change the game alot making it easier or harder depending on the situation and logistics. I do my best so not get blitzed when I go out to keep full control of myself be fully aware of the situation at hand.

Drinks are a great prop for social interactions (cheersing, comparing beers, etc). One of my favorite moves is at bars that have a minimum bar tab requirments (10\$ or more). I will get one drink and grab the nearest cute girl and tell her you need to buy a drink so you can pay you tab and take advantage of some what more of a warm approach.