

Asphalt 8 Update 55 Patch Notes

Are you ready for a crazy race, Gangstars? A never-seen-before collaboration with Gangstar Vegas is here! The iconic Ramona (and it's soul!) joins Asphalt 8 along with Jason in the new themed season. Many gifts, rewards, events and activations await you in this crazy collaboration, as well as brand new upgrades system rework and balancing improvements to make your game experience better than ever!

1. Gangstar Vegas Collaboration Season

- Themed event, available to all players and featuring the Season Pass mechanics starting on the 30th of September
- Collaboration with incredible Gangstar universe
- Featuring Gangstar Vegas Ramona car
- Players who own Ramona can see special Ramona's soul outside of the race
- And JASON as an avatar costume
- GANGSTAR VEGAS profile picture and profile background
- Ultimate Upgrades and other valuable rewards!
- New memorable soundtrack in main menu and new thematic radio station in race are available exclusively for the Gangstar Season duration.
- Claim Page button is available if you have enough Mileage Coins to claim all remaining rewards in one click

2. Upgrades System Revamp

- Introducing DIRECT UPGRADES, entity which allows to skip Cards and Currency requirement and apply PRO upgrade directly by consuming corresponding class item
- All FREE UPGRADES will be converted into DIRECT UPGRADES automatically and would be applicable to PRO upgrades on top of previous possibility to apply them to MAX upgrades
 - Class X Free Upgrade → Class X Direct Upgrade (ex: Class A Free Upgrade → Class A Direct Upgrade)
 - Class X Stat N Free Upgrade → Class X Direct Upgrade (ex: Class A Acceleration Free Upgrade → Class A Direct Upgrade)
 - Vehicle XXX Free Upgrade → vehicle's class Class X Direct Upgrade (ex. Dodge Dart Free Upgrade → Class D Direct Upgrade, Lamborghini Centenario Free Upgrade → Class S Direct Upgrade)
- Upgrades receipts for old cars are now same to those of new cars released during 2022:
 - No MAX upgrades, 10 PRO upgrades possible
 - Requires Tires / Drive Trains / Suspension / Exhaust + Research (except for D-class) + Engine (except for D- and C-class) cards for steps 1-5 and Tires / Drive Trains / Suspension / Exhaust + car-specific Kit Cards for steps 6-10
 - Cars which previously supported missing cards purchase are still supporting this option and it is priced in Fusion Coins (previously Tokens)
 - Pool of early game cars which can be upgraded by watching ads extended to 25 cars

- Cars which previously had MAX and PRO upgrades will be converted into PRO-only (ex.: 5/5 MAX & 2/5 PRO → 7/10 PRO).
 - Acceleration → Tires
 - Top Speed → Suspension
 - Handling → Drivetrain
 - Nitro → Exhaust
 - Cars which previously had less than 10 upgrade levels will keep their upgrade step (ex.: 5/5 MAX & 2/2 PRO → 7/10 PRO); affected users will receive compensation: 100 000 Fusion Coins, 5 S-class Wild Cards, 5 A-class Wild Cards, 5 B-class Wild Cards, 5 C-class Wild Cards, 5 D-class wild cards, available before November 10
 - Exceptions: upgrade system for bikes is not affected by changes in car upgrades; Dodge Dart and Audi r8 e-Tron will have only 7 PRO upgrade levels.
- Wild Cards reworked
 - New visuals for Wild Cards, better indicating the purpose of cards
 - Reworked segmentation from Superb (gold), Prime (silver), Optimal (bronze) to S-class (legendary), A-class (epic), B-class (rare), C-class (uncommon), D-class (common)
 - Superb Wild Cards are automatically converted into S-class Wild Cards
 - Prime Wild Cards are automatically converted into A-class Wild Cards
 - Optimal Wild Cards are automatically converted into B-class Wild Cards and cannot longer be used for conversion into C- and D-class cars
 - All Wild Cards can be downgraded into lower rank Wild Cards in conversion menu (ex.: B-class Wild Card can be converted into B-class car-specific Kit or C-class Wild Card)
 - Available for conversion cards are sorted to prioritize owned cars
 - Added indicator of not owned car in the conversion menu
 - Car-specific cards rarity and visuals updated according to class-specific rarities
 - S-class car-specific Kits are now Legendary (previously gold)
 - A-class car-specific Kits are now Epic (previously silver)
 - B-class car-specific Kits are now Rare (previously bronze)
 - C-class car-specific Kits are now Uncommon (previously bronze)
 - D-class car-specific Kits are now Common (previously bronze)

3. Balancing Adjustments:

- **Maserati GranTurismo Sport**
Optimized performance in World Series by placing into competitive ranks
 - Fully upgraded Car Rank increased from 1401 to 1410
 - Fully upgraded Top Speed increased from 333.1 to 335.8 (km/h)
 - Fully upgraded Nitro decreased from 37.5 to 37.3 (km/h)
 - Improved fully upgraded acceleration
 - Aligned drift radius with competitors
 - Improved Nitro consumption
- **2015 Ford Mustang**
Optimized performance in World Series by placing into competitive ranks
 - Fully upgraded Car Rank decreased from 1305 to 1230
 - Fully upgraded Top Speed decreased from 311.7 to 292.6 (km/h)

- Fully upgraded Nitro decreased from 33.3 to 32.5 (km/h)
 - Improved fully upgraded acceleration
 - Aligned drift radius with competitors
 - Improved Nitro consumption
 - Complimentary gift to car owners available until November 10: 10 000 Fusion Coins, 15-minutes Nitro Starter, 15-minutes Tuning Kit, 15-minutes Extra Tank.
- **Lamborghini Asterion**
Optimized performance in World Series by placing into competitive ranks
 - Fully upgraded Car Rank decreased from 1670 to 1501
 - Fully upgraded Top Speed decreased from 399 to 357.6 (km/h)
 - Fully upgraded Nitro decreased from 43.4 to 39.7 (km/h)
 - Improved fully upgraded acceleration
 - Aligned drift radius with competitors
 - Improved Nitro consumption
 - Downgraded to class C (previously class B)
 - Complimentary gift to car owners available until November 10: 300 000 Fusion Coins, 30-minutes Nitro Starter, 30-minutes Tuning Kit, 30-minutes Extra Tank.

4. Other Notes and Bug Fixes

- Added redirection button from Inventory menu to Car Upgrades menu when viewing car-specific cards (Kits, Discount Cards)
- Solved known issues with crashes on Android devices
- Added x64 architecture support for Windows which improved game performance and reduced amount of crashes and hangs on corresponding devices
- Solved issue with Series Logo overlap in Thematic World Series
- Fixed visual glitch indicating '0x Ultimate Upgrades received' under certain circumstances
- Solved issue with certain users not being able to timely receive new Season Pass event
- Improved visual indication of Mileage Coins receipt
- Improved visual adaptation of Season Pass menu for 16:10 screens