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## Lyons Classic Video

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### The Joy of Sticks

Video games go retro at Lyons Classic Video.

*Michael Roberts*

Dale Katechis, owner of Oskar Blues, gave up his office to provide a home for Lyons Classic Video in the lower level of his restaurant — but it was worth the sacrifice to save a life. Kevin Carroll, owner of Lyons Classic Pinball (located next to Oskar Blues), "has this illness," Katechis explains. "He purchases games as a hobby, and he can't stop. After he basically overran his house with games, he came to me and said, 'You've got to give me a place to put them or my wife will kill me.'"



Luckily for Carroll, Katechis agreed to serve as curator of this living video-game museum. Favorites such as *Ms. Pac Man* and *Asteroids* are among the more than twenty games in the space, but Katechis is most excited by such rarities as *Tron*, based on the '80s-era Disney movie. "There's *Missile Command*, *Paperboy*, *Galaga*, *Gorf*," he notes. "You never see those anymore." As a bonus, the cost of the games is the same as it was back in the day: a quarter. And although Katechis would love it if everyone bought dinner and a brew before grabbing joysticks, players are only required to follow Oskar Blues' simple motto: "Be nice or leave." Otherwise, it's game over.

Lyons Classic Video shares its address — 303 Main Street in Lyons — with Oskar Blues, and is open during the eatery's regular hours: 11 a.m. to midnight Sunday through Thursday, and 11 a.m. to 2 a.m. Friday through Saturday. Call 303-823-6685 or visit [www.oskarblues.com](http://www.oskarblues.com) for more info.

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