# iG PRODUCTS

**CHRIS WOSU TAKES A LOOK AT THE PRODUCTS IN DEVELOPMENT OR READY FOR MARKET**

## PRODUCT SPOTLIGHT

# FISHBOWL FRENZY - BETSON

**FISHBOWL Frenzy is a new redemption game being handled by major distributor Betson and was given its international debut at the EAS trade show in Amsterdam where it was displayed on the Game Castle booth.**

The game is reported to be earning very high revenues in US tests, said Betson's Bob Boals, and is noted for its spectacular effects when a win is achieved on the tall playfield. Fishbowl is one of a new genre of redemption games played on a high vertical playfield with cups to catch a ball fired up to the top of the deck. They fall between pins, bagatelle-style, and hopefully into cups, each with a value of up to 500 tickets.

In the US, said Boals, the game is played on some top locations at $2 a time, but mainly on $1 play. A feature includes one target which will release multi-ball play for a limited time.
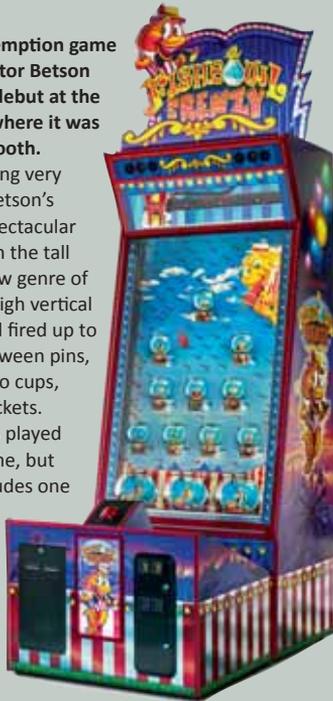
## SUBWAY SURFERS - COASTAL

**SUBWAY Surfers is a new redemption game from Coastal in the US.**

The gameplay involves the choice of two characters which race along the underground railway system, with the player using the controls to make the characters leap over onrushing trains or run along the tops of the carriages, picking up ticket-winning coin images on the way. The coins are transferred into winning tickets. The threats to the characters are of course crashing into trains or falling between the tracks. There is a ramp feature which enables the character to power up and leap tracks. The game comes on a new 42ins vertical monitor, reflecting a current trend in the design of new redemption games.


**Michael Dean of Coastal with Subway Surfers**

## FLAPPY TICKETS - ADRENALINE AMUSEMENTS


**Francois Lachance of Adrenaline with Flappy Tickets**

**FLAPPY Tickets takes its inspiration from the very popular mobile app game, which in turn has overtones of Mario to it, as the bird character has to fly over chimney stacks collecting points for tickets.** The movement is controlled by tapping buttons on the front of the tall, vertical monitor game. Built by Canadian developer Adrenaline, Flappy Tickets is likely to be one of the hit games at the IAAPA show this month, says Adrenaline's Francois Lachance. Beating a set score on the game gives a bonus award of 1,000 tickets. It is a one or two-player game with blue or red birds.

## FIRE ENGINE - FALGAS


**Pictured with the Fire Engine is Christian Ribot from Falgas**

**THE Fire Engine is a new kiddie ride from major developer Falgas of Spain. The ride was given a debut at the EAS trade show in Amsterdam at the end of September.**
The ride has all of the safety devices one would expect from one of the world leaders in kiddie ride development and a number of sound and lighting effects. It also has a fire engine themed video game mounted in the front of the driver.

## BUNNY POND - UNIS



**FRESH from Chinese redemption game developer Universal Space is Bunny Pond, a water device. The player uses a water cannon shaped like an elephant, firing a jet of water from its trunk at a rotating lazy river with characters sitting on tyres. The object is to use the jet of water to push them through targets. The player's success with the water jet determines the number of tickets won, which are indicated by an LED mounted on top of the game.**