
Subject: ATTN DAVID - Linux Help

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Mon, 26 Apr 2004 08:15:27 GMT

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We've got a bunch of old p1's and p2's that we want to install linux on and get sell for \$99

What distro should I install?

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Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Mon, 26 Apr 2004 08:36:31 GMT

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ahh aparently Vector Linux is very customisble, but i would say you'd need to know what ya doing in terms of loading modules and compiling source code etc.

A great little OS is "Damn Small Linux"

Its ~50MB CD thats a Live CD but can also be installed to the HDD by issuing a few commands.

Has a browser (supports SSL) a few games, mail client, IM client. and several other things (Office software too i think)

You could easily install OpenOffice to it (a HDD installed one)

<http://www.damsmalllinux.org> i think is the URL.

Personally what i do is install one ya like (eg Msndrake for me) and use a lightweight Window manager like XFCE4. I use XFCE4 with that onld 400mhz system at work and it flies along compared to running KDE (KDE like lots of memory and system resources)

well thats my experiences anyway.

Go the :pen

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Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Mon, 26 Apr 2004 10:48:17 GMT

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Damn Small Linux looks great so I'll give it a go and see how it runs

or eles I'll use mandrake or red Hat

Thanks for the help Dave _b

Subject: ATTN DAVID - Linux Help

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Mon, 26 Apr 2004 10:54:55 GMT

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king BRYAN

Thanks for the help Dave _b

No worries.

Whats the "_b" ??

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Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Mon, 26 Apr 2004 10:59:52 GMT

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Or if you want to get REALLY small

<http://blueflops.sourceforge.net/>

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Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Mon, 26 Apr 2004 11:49:40 GMT

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Only two floppies now that's small!!!! But I think I'll need a distro that has more than just a web browser and IRC client

_b = Thumbs up or Cheers

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Fri, 21 May 2004 14:53:19 GMT

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Well I've Finally canceled my dial-up internet connection and getting ADSL.

I have pretty much decided on using *DODO as their 256Kbps/64k with unlimited downloads at \$29.90 first three months and then \$49.90 with no Setup fee on the 18 month contract period looks to damn good to me.

Its BYO modem so I'm planning on getting the *BIPAC-5100 + a *Line Filter

Basicly I've been getting a mixed response from people about dodo,some say its the best ISP while others think its crap and then recommend their ISP which I have never heard of and is probably dodgy.

Dodo seems fine to me but I don't want to risk it and be stuck with a 18 month contract to an ISP whose always down and has crap tech support.

All I need is the thumbs up or an opinion from Da Man Dave and I'll be set

*Clicky for linky

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 21 May 2004 20:45:59 GMT
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Oic, now i am the man when ya want something, i see how you work

good choice in modem there; cant complain bout that.

I have never usedDodo nor have i heard anything substatial bout them.

But speaking of them man, John Linton (the mand in Broadband) left Swiftel (and they went to thw shit) when his contract ended with them say "i am not going to work any longer for these bastards" andstarted his own exetel.com.au

Been with them for bout 3-4 months now and nothing short of the excllant service Swiftel once had.

For low end plans, they have a 256/1gig for \$25/mth ... 6mths contract.

\$4 per gig for each gig over the 1gig that comes with the plan.

They have great games servers and giming community ran by 'the man "Ths Wizard" '.

Anyway, all i can say is cheack here.

http://www.exetel.com.au/a_plan_pricing_new.htm

PS dimple_boy is with them now too so maybe ask him

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)
Posted by [rick51](#) on Fri, 21 May 2004 23:12:12 GMT
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For pricing comparisons, etc.

visit

<http://bc.whirlpool.net.au/>

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sat, 22 May 2004 07:40:43 GMT
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Yeah Whirlpool was the first place I went to.Thats how I found out about Dodo.

Checked out the plans on Exetel and they don't have what I'm after.

I'm currently looking at Zebra

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Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sat, 22 May 2004 09:37:18 GMT

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well dave im with swiftel and so are many of my friends i cant see why your knocking them there service is great none of us have had any problems at all!

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Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Sat, 22 May 2004 13:00:13 GMT

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instead of sending ya a PM, bryan, ill just post here. im not with dodo, but im actually with exetel as well.... have never had a prob with their service, and have never had those stupid "line-outs" that i had with swiftel in my last month with them (which was march).

exetel has some great prices, so def. check out the link that dave gave above. swiftel might have a better service NOW, i dont know.... but exetels prices are fantastic and the contracts are not very long (so it gives the option of changing soon if youre not happy with the service). also, i paid \$55 a month with swiftel and only got 4 gig peak, 4 gig off-peak.... i get 8 gig now (with FREE downloads between 1am and 8 am) for \$45. def. cant complain

btw, good option to change from dial-up to adsl..... cause dial-up licks balls compared to adsl (yeah, im talkin about you nath get adsl so i can beat you in madden!)

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sat, 22 May 2004 14:19:01 GMT

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all in all it dosent matter who you go with because once your on adsl you wont care trust me its heaven

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Sat, 22 May 2004 15:51:56 GMT

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Swiftel was great, but once John Linton left servic fell to the shit!

What company in its right mind uses an answering machine for your first line of contact with the sompany ??

A answering machine service that they never actually got back to anyone

(yes one guy was waiting 8 weeks for a reply to his several emails and answering machine messages, i am still waiting for a reply , been bout 2-3 mths for me too)

Additionally whos puts on a 16 yr old Games server admin and bans/deletes ppl for mentioning Exetel ?

Very immature.

Theres loads more goss on that but i wont bore you with it, just to say that Swiftel themself actually finally admitted that they had big trouble.
Exetel all the way baby!!

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sat, 22 May 2004 17:21:03 GMT

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havent had any probs yet dave nor any of my mates its just a provider not personnel thing least im not with telstra or big pond fucking nazis

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Sat, 22 May 2004 23:35:23 GMT

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graeme97all in all it dosent matter who you go with because once your on adsl you wont care trust me its heaven

youll care when youre a struggling uni student who has a whole heap of shit to pay for and finding a cheap adsl service is a goldmine

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Mon, 24 May 2004 08:17:10 GMT

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Thanks for the "help" guys

I've decided to stick with dodo cause they offer unlimited downloads with no shaping.

Plus It's the internet that Flies

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [rick51](#) on Mon, 24 May 2004 21:19:42 GMT

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Pity their mascot don't!

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Mon, 24 May 2004 21:46:28 GMT

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oh well..... proolly got suckered in by that model from the telly
ali mutch i think her name is :smt017

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 25 May 2004 07:40:21 GMT

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Well I've had one of my trademark change of minds.

After talking to an old friend of mine who coincidentally is called David, I decided to go with exetel as I've heard nothing but good things about them and 12 gbytes is enough to play Splinter Cell on XBL.

Plus you get 60 Megabytes Of Personal Web Space.

dimple_boyoh well..... proolly got suckered in by that model from the telly
ali mutch i think her name is :smt017

Yep its Ali Mutch from inside sport magazine

I'd hit it

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Tue, 25 May 2004 11:36:22 GMT

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DAMN!!

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 25 May 2004 13:13:36 GMT

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'drools'

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 25 May 2004 13:18:17 GMT

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'drools'

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Mon, 07 Jun 2004 10:45:28 GMT

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Don't even think about it unless you wanna go 1500/256 with a minimum on 30G downloads.

Anything else is wasting time.

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Phat Bastard](#) on Tue, 08 Jun 2004 02:57:00 GMT

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Wes FolitarikDon't even think about it unless you wanna go 1500/256 with a minimum on 30G downloads.

Anything else is wasting time.

Now just wait till Rick posts what he downloads at.

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [rick51](#) on Tue, 08 Jun 2004 03:53:54 GMT

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hehe, it's only a 2Mb connection.

Usually getting 250-280KB/s.

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 08 Jun 2004 09:52:25 GMT

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A 512 connection will be perfectly fine for my needs.P2p and XBL

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Tue, 08 Jun 2004 13:48:27 GMT

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oh is that it Rick ??? i thought ya had super speeds

although nice speeds for a 2MB connection, i max at ~153 KB/s on a 1.5MB connection

hmmmm were u at training tonight ???

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [rick51](#) on Tue, 08 Jun 2004 22:56:31 GMT

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No unfortunately, had someone coming over to sign some papers and stuff.

Of course they were coming at 7.30 so I had to miss the whole of training. :roll:

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Wed, 09 Jun 2004 02:57:56 GMT

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king BRYANA 512 connection will be perfectly fine for my needs.P2p and XBL

Famous last words...

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 09 Jun 2004 05:54:22 GMT

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always want more after bandwidth even after you get broadband its never fast enough is it boys?

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Wed, 09 Jun 2004 08:19:46 GMT

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graeme97always want more after bandwidth even after you get broadband its never fast enough is it boys?

No speed fast enough, no download limit generous enough (well unlimited would be enough I spose, but unlimited is not a limit is it?).

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 09 Jun 2004 09:00:17 GMT

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just limited by your download speed so id yes that is a limit

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Wed, 09 Jun 2004 09:02:53 GMT

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graeme97just limited by your download speed so id yes that is a limit

are you starting another debate on another thread graeme

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 09 Jun 2004 09:18:25 GMT

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me no i'd never do that

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Thu, 10 Jun 2004 05:20:02 GMT

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graeme97just limited by your download speed so id yes that is a limit

The other variable is how diligent an operator is to ensure that their connection is constantly downloading data to ensure maximum overall data capture in a given time period. Also bit torrents for example do not always allow you to reach you full DL speed although they are always efficient at ensure that you are uploading at your optimal rate (funny that). At the end of the day 1500 is still too slow.

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 10 Jun 2004 05:34:56 GMT

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Wes FolitarikAt the end of the day

<http://edition.cnn.com/2004/WORLD/europe/03/24/plain.english/>

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Thu, 10 Jun 2004 06:40:38 GMT

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hahahahaha.... too much time rick
you must love google

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Thu, 10 Jun 2004 08:45:56 GMT

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I was going to say "When all is said and done" or simply "That being said" I could have said "All things being equal" but things were'nt all equal, I was discuss numerous externalities that impinge upon one's ability to fully utilise a broad band internet connection.

The worst cliché of all time for mine is "In the fullness of time" if I ever say that you can use appropriate physical force to 'correct' me.

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 10 Jun 2004 22:47:24 GMT
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Wes, you gotta stop reading the Thesaurus dude!

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)
Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Thu, 10 Jun 2004 23:56:15 GMT
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What do you think about "in the fullness of time" though?

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 11 Jun 2004 00:03:53 GMT
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What the hecks "in fullness of time" ment to mean ??

Efficient utilization of ones resources ???

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)
Posted by [rick51](#) on Fri, 11 Jun 2004 00:38:13 GMT
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Either way, we get to punch Wes in the head if he says it!

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)
Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Fri, 11 Jun 2004 03:12:35 GMT
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Dave: thats the question that begs to be answered.

I hate that phrase, "At the end of the day" ain't got nuthing on "In the fullness of time". I can't respect anyone that uses that with intent.

Also, Dave you are hereby contributing to the promulgation of an "Off topic" post, you are in direct contravention of your own in-house policy on forum abuse. Your one of us now pal, no

bitchin.

Rick: I'll never use that phrase so don't get everyone too excited just yet.

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 11 Jun 2004 03:16:24 GMT

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I see, so you are as confused by this term as i am ??

"At the end of the day" isnt a bad saying at all, use it a bit myself

lol good one Wes.

But i have only ever said no off topic posts in Sticky's and Announcements

And other Mod's agree

I am all for off topic posts in other threads, this is, ultimately a social forum anyway (most times)

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Fri, 11 Jun 2004 03:30:54 GMT

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Im just busting balls, RE the comment made to Graeme on the Mounties topic

"Yeah good off topic post graeme" that was damn funny.

Yeah the "fullness of time" is stupid. Time moves in a linear fashion infinitely, there is no fullness, time never reaches a final destination.

"In time, all will be revealed" is its intent.

Anyway gotta go the city needs me.

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [rick51](#) on Fri, 11 Jun 2004 03:57:05 GMT

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Aha, there lies the conundrum.

If the second just gone was considered time, what is it now that, that second has passed and therefore "gone". Was it, is it or will it be time?

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 11 Jun 2004 04:04:01 GMT

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that comment has me in a daze like your Avatar Rick

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [rick51](#) on Fri, 11 Jun 2004 04:14:57 GMT

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:mrgreen:

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Fri, 11 Jun 2004 08:04:04 GMT

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Quote:

that comment has me in a daze like your Avatar Rick

Mezmorising, hypnotic are words that come to mind when looking at Rick's Avatar.

Quote:

Was it, is it or will it be time?

Rick: hmmm...to think about it too long would be time wasted.

Subject: Cliches was:Broadband(Mr.Ward I'm looking in your direction)

Posted by [rick51](#) on Mon, 14 Jun 2004 22:30:32 GMT

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good point.

Subject: cheap help needed

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Sun, 27 Jun 2004 03:09:17 GMT

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anyone know a cheap techie that can service/fix a dvd compact mini hi-fi system. the main problem is the laser doesnt pick up the cd/dvd, hence i cant watch my dvd movies and listen to my cds

the cheaper the better.... as long as he/she can get the job done
any info appreciated

Subject: cheap help needed
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sun, 27 Jun 2004 05:26:34 GMT
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me too i need a subwoofer fixed!

Subject: cheap help needed
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sun, 27 Jun 2004 10:29:36 GMT
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The cheapest way to repair a dead laser assembly is to send it back for warranty repair or change it yourself.

I work part-time with a dude who does repairs on tvs,vcrs ,audio equipment etc and usely when someone brings in a DVD\cd player that doesn't read any disks its cause either the laser assembly, Spindle motor or worst the drive assembly is worn out and in most cases he has said its better to buy and new one as the repair cost would be high.So if you have a cheapo system(sub \$1000) it would probably be cheaper to fix it yourself or buy a new one.

Thought i'm just a computer techie so I might be wrong.
If you want i can ask him how much he charges when i go back to work.

Subject: cheap help needed
Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Sun, 27 Jun 2004 10:57:57 GMT
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yeah that would be great..... my system is sub \$1000 but it would be a waste if all it does is play the radio.

Subject: BACKDOOR.TROJAN Virus
Posted by [truck](#) on Thu, 01 Jul 2004 00:43:22 GMT
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Can anyone help me to get rid of this off my system??

Subject: BACKDOOR.TROJAN Virus
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 01 Jul 2004 00:56:28 GMT
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If you don't have a virus scanner, but then how could you tell us that you have it, any way you can download a very good free virus scanner (with autoupdate) from

http://www.grisoft.com/us/us_dwnl_free.php

If you have a virus scanner, but it won't clean it, update the virus definitions and do a full system scan. If still no go, try this.

<http://securityresponse.symantec.com/avcenter/venc/data/backdoor.trojan.html#removalinstructions>

Subject: BACKDOOR.TROJAN Virus
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 01 Jul 2004 01:20:29 GMT
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Try the scan in safe mode.

Also, the link Rick posted (2nd) should do the trick. I always find Symantec's step-by-step removal instructions effective.
(Especially for new computer users)

Subject: BACKDOOR.TROJAN Virus
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 01 Jul 2004 02:27:12 GMT
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I think we killed Truck.

He hasn't been on for 2 hours.

oooops :oops:

Subject: BACKDOOR.TROJAN Virus
Posted by [truck](#) on Thu, 01 Jul 2004 02:44:55 GMT
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No still here.

I have the virus but not gone step by step though the symantec process.

I have UTD Norton and it ran a scan last friday night and got nothing and it must have come in over the weekend or monday as it has picked up stuff I did on monday night.

I cannot delete the file infected and when I started up in safe mode the scan stopped at 95%. I have run it again and it deleted 4 files but obviously has not got them all.

Fun Fun Fun

Subject: BACKDOOR.TROJAN Virus
Posted by [truck](#) on Thu, 01 Jul 2004 04:00:13 GMT
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I finally got rid of all the files infected. One just would not go away.

Thanx for your help lads.

Subject: BACKDOOR.TROJAN Virus
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 01 Jul 2004 04:12:59 GMT
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No worries. Any time.

Subject: cheap help needed
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Fri, 02 Jul 2004 10:20:52 GMT
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Sorry dimple_boy but when I asked how much he would charge to fix a cd/dvd player that doesn't read any disks he said he wanted nothing to do with it and being the guy that pays me I wasn't going to question his answer.

So if your still trying to get it fix and can't find anybody to do it cheap you could go down to your local pawn shop and pick up a seprate cd/dvd player for cheap and hook it up to your auxiliary connection .Its the best and cheapest way that i can think of how to fix it.

Subject: cheap help needed
Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Fri, 02 Jul 2004 10:43:09 GMT
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thanks for the advise.... ill look into it

Subject: FIREWALL
Posted by [truck](#) on Tue, 06 Jul 2004 04:32:27 GMT
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Can anyone recommend a reasonable and cheap (or \$0) firewall to keep thieving hacking bastards out of my computer??

Subject: FIREWALL
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 06 Jul 2004 04:51:45 GMT
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Software or Hardware????

Subject: FIREWALL
Posted by [truck](#) on Tue, 06 Jul 2004 05:06:30 GMT
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Sorry I did not know there was a difference?!?!?

I had a backdoor.trojan virus last week and want to protect against that and others.

I now do a daily system check via Norton.

Subject: FIREWALL
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 06 Jul 2004 05:13:30 GMT
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I recommend Kerio

Subject: FIREWALL
Posted by [truck](#) on Tue, 06 Jul 2004 05:36:40 GMT
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Thanks - I have downloaded it.

Subject: FIREWALL
Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Tue, 06 Jul 2004 05:55:07 GMT
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Norton is only a stop gap measure for viruses downloaded either directly or by e-mails. Cannot prevent hackers sticking beaking or using you PC to launch other attacks.

Generally software firewalls are not perfect but reputable products should be good for your personal home use where you intend your computer to be multi-use. Will provide a decent level of deterrent.

A hardware firewall via a dedicated PC is optimum but probably not what you are after.

Try the link provided by king BRYAN, I have not used it myself. Otherwise, myself or Dave and some other guys could easily swing you a program if required.

Disclaimer: Although all care taken to ensure the accuracy of this advice, I am an IT boob and should not be consulted for any information on this matter. In fact, I know nothing very little about a lot of things. The onus is on the reader to seek qualified advice and take into consideration anything said here at your own risk.

Subject: FIREWALL
Posted by [truck](#) on Tue, 06 Jul 2004 06:04:14 GMT

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Bryan

Is there a similar hardware firewall??

Subject: FIREWALL

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Tue, 06 Jul 2004 13:55:03 GMT

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Yeah i have alot of good things bout Kerio, but never used it myself.

All i have had experience with is XP's built in one and IPTABLES which is built into the Linux kernel. Both servered there purpose and easily configurable.

Use XP's or if you have an ancient Windows OS go Kerio like Bryan said.

A hardware firewall means just that, its a hardware device dedicated to being a firewall. Things like routers have firewalls built into them. Not worth \$100+ for hardware firewall for your needs Darrin.

Subject: FIREWALL

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 06 Jul 2004 15:15:27 GMT

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What Wes wrote is spot on.

I've been using Kerio for a while now and its been great not one problem.

So i'd say just use kerio as like Dave said it fits your needs

Though if you have the money hardware firewalls are incredibly secure so its always nice to have one as your gateway.

Subject: FIREWALL

Posted by [rick51](#) on Tue, 06 Jul 2004 22:05:31 GMT

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Truck, what we talked about last night

Spybot Search and Destory

Windows Update

Also, I've been using Zone Alarm for a while now too. But I guess it comes down to personal

preference really.

Also with the software firewall, updates etc are usually online and automatic, so you're always up to date with new stuff. (big advantage)

Subject: FIREWALL

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 07 Jul 2004 01:30:58 GMT

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You should install pest-patrol and add the Spy-bot s&d host file if your using IE.

I've used Zone Alarm before and imo kerio is the better one and it uses less resources to.

If you want I can upload pest-patrol and the latest version of kerio or zone alarm .

Subject: FIREWALL

Posted by [truck](#) on Wed, 07 Jul 2004 01:44:47 GMT

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Thanks guys - this has all been a big help and an eye opener.

I have gone to the windows update and after a scan it tells me i need 21 updates but when i click "INSTALL NOW" nothing happens. There is no influx of data. I can see that from the Kerio IN/OUT graph.

Do I need both the Zone alarm and the Kerio?? Or is is better to have both??

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Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 07 Jul 2004 02:12:53 GMT

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One is enough Truck. It should do everything you need. ie one or the other.

Windows Update is really picky about when it sends and what it receives.

I suggest running the spybot, cleaning your system, and then disable the firewall while you update from windows. (fairly safe, safer after you spybot)

Windows update listens to transmissions that the firewall can block.

If you're running Internet Explorer 5.5 or below (whilst in IE click Help>about) i suggest you update to 6.1 SP1. [HERE](#)

Then try windows update again.

Subject: FIREWALL

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 07 Jul 2004 08:27:21 GMT

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truckl have gone to the windows update and after a scan it tells me i need 21 updates but when i click "INSTALL NOW" nothing happens. There is no influx of data. I can see that from the Kerio IN/OUT graph.

If you've done what rick51 said and your still having problems you might have BHO's that are phucking it up so scan your pc with HijackThis and post a pic of the results.

Subject: FIREWALL

Posted by [truck](#) on Wed, 07 Jul 2004 23:56:27 GMT

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Thanks guys it has worked when I zapped the firewall for a while.

Thanks again for all your help.

Subject: FIREWALL

Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 07 Jul 2004 23:59:36 GMT

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No worries champ.

Subject: Linux Server

Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 08 Jul 2004 02:44:14 GMT

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Hey Dave,

Look at this site and tell me what you think.

I was looking at setting up a web/mail server with linux.

Is this a good guide?

I haven't dabbled in this stuff, and would love to get into it.

<http://www.netintegrity.com.au/tutorial/webindex.html>

Subject: Linux Server

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 08 Jul 2004 03:38:23 GMT

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Seems ok if thats what ya after, but old (RH 7.2) which could cause troubles. It covers Apache which alot of sites do (i use the resources on <http://www.apache.org>) as its the most common web server for any platform and rather easy to get the hang on (same configuration setup on windows and linux, well very similiar)

DMail though sounds limiting and to be honest i have never heard of it. Most linux distro's come with Apache as web server and either or both Sendmail and/or Postfix. I use Postfix as i was told its much easier to use the Sendmail and is going to be superceding Sendmail.

Webmin comes built in with most distro's and is very useful and easy to use (can controll every little thing bout your system in the Web interface of Webmin (even hardware matters and shutting down the system)

Go <http://www.apache.org> for details on apache and for postfix i think i just used <http://www.postfix.org> and a mate who's a genius in this plus IRC/forums

PS if you want tutorials a great place is <http://www.linuxforum.com> it has a forum, but also has hundreds of tutorials.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 08 Jul 2004 03:52:04 GMT
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Thanks dude, I'll have a look at that.

I just want basically what you've set up.

A couple of domains pointing to the web/mail server.

Which raises another question.

I've tracked down a company that will register a .com.au domain for \$59.99 for 2 years. If I use another ISP for my internet connection, is it a drama to point that domain to the IP address i get from my ISP?

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 08 Jul 2004 03:55:53 GMT
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shouldnt be, but ask them,

I have dward.us and jward.net from <http://www.orderyourdomains.com> cheap, but US ones only.

I then use <http://www.zoneedit.org> to get the DNS entries right for the domains and add sub-domains.
PS Zone Edit is free and very reliable.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 08 Jul 2004 04:41:02 GMT
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This is the domain registrar http://www.namescout.com/dot_au.asp

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 09 Jul 2004 00:17:59 GMT
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if you want free domains like my ward.myvnc.com one then try <http://www.no-ip.com> and <http://www.dyndns.org>

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Fri, 09 Jul 2004 01:32:26 GMT
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Cool Thanks.

Just installed Red Hat 9 on an old PIII 533 I had lying around.

It's piss easy to install, but I'm running through a tute here that may help me in getting it going. A bit tricky as I've never really went beyond installing and then playing, but never really tweaked.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [Coach T](#) on Fri, 09 Jul 2004 01:38:26 GMT
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I was going to offer the same advice myself...

...but I've got no idea what you're talking about

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Fri, 09 Jul 2004 01:43:59 GMT
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heheh, geek speak.

We suck... I know.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 09 Jul 2004 01:49:10 GMT
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thats running kernel 2.4 yeah ??

Strongly suggest getting an OS that has the new 2.6 kernel, lots of gadgets and tricks built into it making life alot easier (and more secure)

Either that or grab the latest kernel RPM for RH9 (www.rpmfind.net etc)

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Fri, 09 Jul 2004 01:53:23 GMT
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I've downloaded the new FC2 Fedora as well.

Would that be better?

I only went with RH9 could I found that tute.

Will the online update from RH update to 2.6 do you think?

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 09 Jul 2004 02:15:19 GMT
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yeah you can update your kernel over the net although i have never done it myself just used RPM's

FC2 would be much better, easier and more secure.

I keep meaning to download that too and use one of these HDD's i bought off Graeme to try it out.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Fri, 09 Jul 2004 02:44:24 GMT
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I'll have a go with this one, if no success I can always rebuild it.

I'll have to go hunting for some tutes for FC2 though.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 09 Jul 2004 03:05:43 GMT
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its not the OS ya want but the servers you'll be running

for example you need to know Apache to use it, Apache is Apache whether on Red Hat or Fedora os SuSe!

(some have slight differences like Mandrake has tinkered with Apache and called it the Apache-Advanced Extranet server , but essentially the same)

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Fri, 09 Jul 2004 03:23:12 GMT
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gotcha.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 02:36:33 GMT
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Rebuilding this damn server for the 5th time.

I'm about to throw it out the damn window!!! :twisted:

I would to, if i wasn't actually learning something.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 02:51:35 GMT
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What happened this time ??
Come talk to uncle Dave.. :mrgreen:

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 02:59:24 GMT

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I pissed off Redhat, and I've been playing with Fedora Core 2 (has updated kernel etc).

I've tried about 4 variants on partitioning and also what's installed. I've done server, with all the web/mail/sql server stuff, and once (dumb of me) did a full install, about 6 Gigs worth!

Anyhoo, up2date sucks and it kept crashing. So I'm not using that anymore.

This install is just admin tools, server tools and Gnome.

I've downloaded the newest SQL, PHP and Apache tarballs, and I'll compile and add them individually.

I've found this tute that was a really good step-by-step to get all three going in conjunction.
[Link](#)

I'll tackle postfix next.

Subject: Linux Server

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 03:17:12 GMT

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ok, you'll find for maintence that RPM's are much better.

Often install start up scripts etc that compiling from source doesnt.

Plus an RPM you can as root

Quote:

```
rpm -e <filename>
```

and its totally uninstalled while compiling its alot harder (in fact i dunno even know how you would)

I only compile XviD etc but not 'bigger' programs

<http://www.rpmfind.net> and theres one called fresh RPMS not sure of the URL, google it.

Subject: Linux Server

Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 03:57:15 GMT

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I think I was there once, I bookmarked that many pages in the last week, it's all starting to blur.

So you think an uninstall, re-install is better than an upgrade?

Subject: Linux Server

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 04:27:48 GMT

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there's all different ways of doing it, but to keep things simple and easier to manage i would stick with RPM's wherever possible.

So.... get the latest RPM for whatever ya want. Try installing it and it will probably say a certain file conflicts with another file from such and such RPM.

rpm -e that package (probably the original install of it) and then rpm -i the new RPM

But honestly, i would stick with what came with the distro (FC2 right?)

i am not sure how FC updates but with Mandrake in the Mandrake Control Centre you can update all software for security or bug fix releases. It uses the URPMI repository you set up ealier.

Not trying to sway you to Mandrake; i got a mate who swears by RH/FC and didnt liek that i went with Mandrake. But ya get that.

Subject: Linux Server

Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 04:37:32 GMT

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Yep, ya do!

I'm gonna stick with it I think, even though I've hit another hurdle.

I was adding the compiler software, and the cdrom wouldn't be recognised no matter what I did, so now when I go to remove it all or update it, it says a package "make" can not be found.

So I manually did an rpm from the cd, but it said it was already installed, so i forced it to install. Still no good.

I can see a rebuild coming on! :roll:

Subject: Linux Server

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 05:21:40 GMT

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Oh, you didnt install compiling tools like gcc and make?? i am surprised 'make' wasnt an option and just installed.

Not sure with FC but with Mandrake and URPMI you edit, as root, /etc/urpmi/urpmi.cfg

All your config files (most anyway) are in /etc

My servers /etc is only 5MB coz its all texted files. You've probably noticed that configuring programs is done by editing config text files and not through a GUI interface generally.

So find the config file for your package manger and edit that to where your cd-rom drive is

(dunno how it got messed up there)

-----In case ya didnt know -----

The CD-rom drive will be just like a disk is refered to (in kernel 2.6 up, 2.4 another story)
Eg if you had the HDD in Primary Master and the optical drive in Primary slave then they would be

HDD = /dev/hda
CD = /dev/hdb

or if they were in the same order but on the second channel they would be

HDD = /dev/hdc
CD = /dev/hdd

Make sense ??

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 05:25:29 GMT
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Yep it does. Cool.

I've been going to /mnt/cd to get to the cd via console.

So I guess that is another way.

But generally just using Nautilus to get around gnome.

Up to my last disk on the rebuild. Selected programming tools this time. :roll:

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 05:34:45 GMT
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yeah ok, thats where it was mounted.

Run

mount

it lists whats mounted and where.

you'll see something like this

/dev/ide/host0/bus0/target0/lun0/part2 on / type ext3 (rw)

```
none on /proc type proc (rw)
none on /proc/bus/usb type usbfs (rw)
none on /dev type devfs (rw)
none on /sys type sysfs (rw)
none on /dev/pts type devpts (rw,mode=0620)
/dev/ide/host0/bus0/target0/lun0/part7 on /home type ext3 (rw)
/dev/ide/host0/bus0/target0/lun0/part8 on /home/david/storage type ext3 (rw)
none on /mnt/cdrom type supermount
(ro,noexec,nosuid,nodev,dev=/dev/hdc,fs=auto,--,umask=0,icharset=iso8859-1,codepage=850)
none on /mnt/floppy type supermount
(rw,noexec,nosuid,nodev,sync,dev=/dev/fd0,fs=ext2:vfat,--,icharset=iso8859-1,umask=0,codepage=850)
none on /mnt/removable type supermount
(rw,dev=/dev/scsi/host6/bus0/target0/lun0/part1,fs=ext2:vfat,--,umask=0)
none on /mnt/usb type supermount
(rw,noexec,nosuid,nodev,dev=/dev/sda1,fs=ntfs:vfat,--,umask=0)
/dev/ide/host0/bus0/target0/lun0/part5 on /usr type ext3 (rw)
none on /mnt/removable2 type supermount
(rw,dev=/dev/scsi/host3/bus0/target0/lun0/part1,fs=ext2:vfat,--,umask=0)
none on /proc/sys/fs/binfmt_misc type binfmt_misc (rw)
//SALES/Documents on /home/david/mnt/SALES/Documents type smbfs (0)
//SALES/C on /home/david/mnt/SALES/C type smbfs (0)
//NODE2/C on /home/david/mnt/NODE2/C type smbfs (0)
```

from that you can see where your optical drives or even USB drives have been mounted to. You can see my CD-rom is at /dev/hdc and mount as a supermount to /mnt/cdrom

making any sense ??

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 05:40:58 GMT
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Yep, very much so.

Well here we go again. Just finished the rebuild and I'm on to installing MySQL, PHP and Apache.

This is so frustrating. Been on it a week and gotten nowhere.

I've built a whole windows domain in quicker time.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 05:45:07 GMT
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Yeah ya not used to it. Probably an idea to use Linux as a Desktop before venturing into the

server world. Thats what i learnt (the hard way)

you didnt install those packages during the system install??

I had Mandrake up and as a Webserver and FTP in a jiffy, it was all done upon system install completion.

The rest werent that hard either; its the configuring to what you want thats the hardest at first.

Subject: Linux Server

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 05:46:54 GMT

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rick51

I've built a whole windows domain in quicker time.

an unwanted guests were into it probing around in as much time, right ??

Subject: Linux Server

Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 05:54:38 GMT

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Yeah I did orignally, but didn't know how to configure them to get them working. In fact I didn't even know if they were working at all, configured or not.

I know how to check services, ie httpd and mysql, but I'm still learning where to go from there.

But the tute i was talking about showed which files to edit etc., so it's good for me.

I dabbled a bit in workstation, had it on my laptop for a while, just to see what it would do. Work file on our network here, internet, print file sharing etc.

So I bit the bullet and wanted to try this.

I could have saved my self the headache.

Subject: Linux Server

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 06:01:32 GMT

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ok, maybe try Webmin

It should be an option to install, if not the RPM shouldnt be hard to find.

Its a web front end that allows you to configure everythign on the system. It got me past a spot i was stuck on for months way back in the day.

Apache config file = /etc/httpd.conf
Proftpd = /etc/proftpd.conf
Postfix = /etc/postfix/main.cf

MySQL you access it using
mysql and mysqladmin to log in and create, delete move tables cells etc etc
Yuo dont have to mess directly with Databases much, most php apps do that for you in the
setup.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 06:05:43 GMT
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Cool, I'll have a look around.

I might be able to sleep tonight. :mrgreen:

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 23:20:53 GMT
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Finally got the thing where I want it.

Got mySQL, PHP, Apache and Perl all going.

Sweet as!

hehe, now that I've got it, what the hell am I going to use it for.

Got a few ideas, but getting this far is achievement enough.
/self gratification.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 14 Jul 2004 23:38:22 GMT
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Any merit to this?

<http://www.sysbotz.com/articles/restorecd.htm>

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 15 Jul 2004 00:30:30 GMT
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Hey thats a nice find. Will have to give it a go. I believe thats the same utility you can use to

make a LiveCD

You can image ext2/3 file systems also with:

Acronis True Image
Nortons Ghost
Partimage
Mondo Rescue

To name a few

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 15 Jul 2004 01:16:14 GMT
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I've got ghost, so I might just use that, at least I know how to use it!

doing mplayer now, just for the fun of it, it's a picky bastard to get going, needed about 12 rpms and then all those needed other dependencies.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 15 Jul 2004 01:21:57 GMT
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hehe yeah it is, but a topplayer once its in.

But urpmi its a one line command

urpmi mplayer

and its done! (dependacies included)

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 15 Jul 2004 02:02:20 GMT
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Does it look to the internet for anything?

I'm using it here at work. The servers got 2 nics, one for lan (which i'm not using yet) and one nic to connect to our work network. Which is fine, i'm getting internet but only via proxy server.

Will it matter?

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 15 Jul 2004 02:07:52 GMT
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ahh ok, i cant say which port it uses for sure, but i would guess port 80

But your not running mandrake though right ??

what you need to google is

apt-get

Its Debian based but was ported to Red Hat some time ago.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 15 Jul 2004 02:26:37 GMT
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Yeah seen that all over the place in FC2.

Guess it works.

I'll have to have a look around.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 15 Jul 2004 03:43:00 GMT
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Got it to work, well not exactly as planned.

I was reading about updating and it mentioned somewhere about yum.

so i had to configure yum.conf to use http_proxy variable to pick up works proxy.

ran #yum -y install mplayer mplayer-skins

We'll see how we go!

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 15 Jul 2004 03:46:12 GMT
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good stuff!

i have heard of Yum but never new what it did as i never looked into it.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 15 Jul 2004 04:58:46 GMT
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All going too damn well... waiting for it to turn sour... put Linux never does... does it?

Just installing webmin now, see how I go, looks a little tricky applying it to apache. *fingers crossed*

Any advice for postfix? (a stupid question, does it have limitations, ie so many mailboxes etc? I read somewhere that some do until you buy a license)

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 15 Jul 2004 05:13:47 GMT
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Nope
Postfix can have a million mail boxes

It does have a 48MB mail box limit by default (that i found out the hard way not long ago), but that can be changed to what you want of course (currently have 500+MB in my mail folders)

But as for setting up Postfix its pretty straight forward. Where it gets tricky is authenticating external users, that was tough. Its built for security so wont let anyone not accessing from localhost to send mail so you need to stipulate the IP address range. But you cant have an unlimited range (like 0.0.0.0/0) though, i tried that but must be built in.

So you need to authenticate users. Theres many different ways to authenticate external users. <http://www.mandrakesecure.net/en/docs/postfix-sasl.php>
this is mandrake but should get you going in the right direction.

Subject: EMAIL VIRUS WARNING
Posted by [Wes Foltarik](#) on Thu, 15 Jul 2004 14:06:58 GMT
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Got home tonight checked my e-mail in outlook express and my Norton's picked up an e-mail purportedly from DAMIEN KENNEDY.

It apparantly contained the W32.Erkez.B@mm Virus. or PRO_TRIA.exe

It is a mass maining virus. I would say if someone has Damian's email on their contact list it is likely that you are infected and your computer was used to send me this message. Symantec has a removal tool if you go to their site.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 15 Jul 2004 23:33:19 GMT

Cool, thanks dude.

Everything's working fine. Installed webmin no worries, but having trouble with configuring it in apache. ie to get it run at <http://www.domain.com/webmin>. Link is [here](#). (bottom half)

Have you got yours configured this way? Guess it would save opening port 10000 on the firewall.

I just don't know where to put the variables in httpd.conf.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 00:06:41 GMT
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no, mine was just setup as part of the OS install, so i have never installed Webmin
mine just runs on port 10000 under a https connection.

So what problems you've got exactly ??

post ya httpd.conf or email it to me if you like.

You should of added something like this to your httpd.conf file

```
alias /webmin /usr/local/webmin-1.150  
alias /webmin/ /usr/local/webmin-1.150
```

```
<directory /usr/local/webmin-1.150>  
directoryindex index.cgi  
options ExecCGI -indexes
```

```
SetEnv WEBMIN_CONFIG /etc/webmin  
SetEnv WEBMIN_VAR /var/webmin  
SetEnv SERVER_ROOT /usr/local/webmin-1.150  
SetEnv MINISERV_CONFIG /etc/webmin/miniserv.conf
```

```
AuthType basic  
AuthUserFile /etc/webmin/htusers  
require valid-user
```

```
</directory>
```

yeah ??

to create the users for autho access you usually run through a perl script.
if Webmin doesn't have one, use the apache one, htpasswd
It will create the user and MD5 encrypt the password, simply copy and paste that into this

/etc/webmin/htusers config file ia m gathering.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 00:17:28 GMT
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Thanks mate, had all that info, but didn't know where to actually put it in the httpd.conf.
Do you just stick in at the end, or does it need to be near the other entries for apache?

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Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 00:23:53 GMT
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nah doesnt matter.

I try and group similiar things together and uset he comment symbol # to give sections headings, but to each their own.

edit:
or you can uset he include statemtn to include other config files like:

```
include /usr/local/someother.conf
```

and put all your webmin stuff in that one.

Subject: Linux Server
Posted by [rick51](#) on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 00:36:34 GMT
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I see your point.

I'll do the same, keep it all near each other.

Subject: Helpful Programs
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 02:58:42 GMT
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Just a post of some helpful programs to keep your PC running smoothly.

Ad-Aware (Basic/Freeware)
Baisic and easy to use adware cleaner.
Just remember to select custom scan and have the scan within archives ,scan my IE favorites

for banned url's and scan my host file selected

Spybot-S&D(Basic/Freeware)

Like Ad-Aware this is a easy to use adware/spyware cleaner but it has a few more tools. You can add the Spybot-S&D host file to block bad internet servers. You can also chose to install a resident program that block's blacklisted processes.

PestPatrol(Basic/Trial)

PestPatrol is a very good program for the detection and removal of Spyware, Adware,RATS,Probe Tools and Dos attack agents. It also features cookie patrol and memcheck.Highly recommend for people still using IE.

HijackThis(advanced/Freeware)

An excelent tool for the removal of startup items,BHOS and hard to remove Adware.

Kerio Personal Firewall(advanced/Trial)

A firewall is an absolute must have if your using the internet and KPF is one of the best software firewalls available.It

It also features web filtering

I'm labeling this as an advanced users tool as you have to know what you doing to get maximum use out of it but basic users can get by just installing it and leaving the settings alone.

Crap Cleaner(Basic/Freeware)

Useful tool for cleaning all the crap that takes up space on you HDD.

Also has an Advanced Registry scanner and cleaner to remove unused and old entries.

VoptXP(Basic/Trial)

A file defragmenter that is much more efficient that the one that comes bundled with windows. Also features some handy tools

TuneXP(Basic/Freeware)

As the name suggest an XP tweaker and its very easy to use.

There's more programs to come but I have to go to work now so add a link and decription of a helpful program if you have one

Subject: Transparent Logo Operator

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 22 Jul 2004 00:42:44 GMT

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Anyone got a link to one for a Nokia 6220 ??

I remember using some 'bugz' on BlueSkyFrog.com for one and then finding one for free 5 mins later.

Subject: Transparent Logo Operator

Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 22 Jul 2004 00:55:06 GMT

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If you've got a laptop, you can do it via Infra Red, using logomanager or oxygen phone manager.

Subject: Transparent Logo Operator

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Thu, 22 Jul 2004 02:01:00 GMT

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ive got a few wap sites..... is that what youre looking for?

Subject: Transparent Logo Operator

Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 22 Jul 2004 02:43:41 GMT

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I think he's trying to blank out the operator logo.

Dave, can't you just turn it off in the menus?

Subject: Transparent Logo Operator

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 22 Jul 2004 03:28:28 GMT

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Cant turn it off.

Just need the file, i can put it on the server and then access it through the phone (do that with games and thought i had left the Transparent gif on there too, apparently not :roll:)

Subject: Transparent Logo Operator

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 22 Jul 2004 15:16:05 GMT

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Found one

<http://www.reeltones.com/logo.php>

from

http://www.reeltones.com/index.php?url=graphics/phones&icmp=%5BP_CMP%5D

Subject: technical help anyone?

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Thu, 22 Jul 2004 17:47:37 GMT

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I lost the thread where I asked how to delete cookies. I always log in here, but it won't log me in automatically cause I screwed up my username the first time I wrote it in the login thing.

Thats a cookie issue right? how do I get rid of it?

Subject: technical help anyone?

Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 22 Jul 2004 22:19:06 GMT

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What browser and version are you running? (Help->About)

IE6 you can do it from Tools->Internet Options->Delete Cookies (and to clear cache - delete files)

If you have anything lower you can delete them from

Windows 2000/XP

C:\Documents and Settings\%username%\cookies

Win 9X

C:\Windows\cookies

Subject: technical help anyone?

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Fri, 23 Jul 2004 09:52:41 GMT

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having someone over and not wanting to let them know you look at porn huh????

she cant be that special.....

and if she tells you you cant have porn, kick her to the curb. its a part of life

Subject: technical help anyone?

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Fri, 23 Jul 2004 09:54:19 GMT

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yup

Subject: technical help anyone?

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sun, 25 Jul 2004 07:44:03 GMT

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Yeah, I got XP. I deleted them. Thanks!

Subject: technical help anyone?

Posted by [rick51](#) on Sun, 25 Jul 2004 22:13:13 GMT

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No wuccas!

Subject: Diagnostic boot CD (Windows)
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 28 Jul 2004 11:15:29 GMT
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<http://www.nu2.nu/pebuilder/>

Subject: Diagnostic boot CD (Windows)
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 28 Jul 2004 11:19:44 GMT
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and just what th f**k is this Dave?
im confused!

Subject: Diagnostic boot CD (Windows)
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 28 Jul 2004 11:22:58 GMT
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a LiveCD builder.

Can be as simple as extracting > running the exe
and following the easy prompts. Makes an ISO CD image you burn with any good CD writing
app and boot with it!!

Its ready to have several other apps installed on it, but cause of legal/ethical reason you have
to download and copy over the files its tells you to.

Anyway all that i said is in the link. Thought people trying to troubleshoot PC's (their own)
would find it useful.

Subject: Diagnostic boot CD (Windows)
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 28 Jul 2004 11:24:08 GMT
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cool!

Subject: Ultimate Diagnostic boot CD
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 28 Jul 2004 11:24:16 GMT
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<http://www.ultimatebootcd.com/>

This ones Linux based, but doesnt matter as your booting from it.

Gives you heaps and heaps of little programs to run to torture test/trouble shoot a PC

Subject: HOWTO: Emailing large attachments.
Posted by [rick51](#) on Tue, 17 Aug 2004 07:22:03 GMT
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In the last couple of days, I've found a really neat site, that will let you upload a file (up to 1Gb), it will send a link to your nominated recipient with the location of the file you uploaded.

I tried it today... it rocks.....

So not only does it host it for you (7 days) it doesn't tie up anyones mail servers.

Give it a go!!!! HERE

(N.B I suggest zipping or RARing your files with a password.... just in case)

Subject: Cant open forum
Posted by [tutdog](#) on Tue, 24 Aug 2004 05:56:09 GMT
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At home i cant access the forum, it says it cant find the server. Ive tried deleting the cookies and and temp files but still no luck. Can anyone diagnose the problem from that?

Subject: Cant open forum
Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Tue, 24 Aug 2004 06:08:23 GMT
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download a better browser :mrgreen:
dave has already brainwashed me into mozilla firefox..... its free and just like using IE

Subject: Cant open forum
Posted by [rick51](#) on Tue, 24 Aug 2004 07:06:59 GMT
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Update your favourites or just re bookmark.

New site address is

<https://forums.wspirates.com>

send it to yourself in an email.

Subject: Cant open forum
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 24 Aug 2004 07:12:33 GMT
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done. sweet!!

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 25 Aug 2004 06:55:54 GMT

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dimple_boydownload a better browser :mrgreen:
dave has already brainwashed me into mozilla firefox..... its free and just like using IE
But its Da Bomb and you'll never use IE ever again

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 25 Aug 2004 07:07:36 GMT

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Amen!!!!

In fact any browser is better then IE. God IE is shocking!

Internet Explorer:

[list]

Cant save the pages you have open when you exit the browser (or system crashes)

No popup blocker

No mouse gesture browsing (ie gotta hit the buttons up the top to refresh, go back, go forward rather the use the mouse)

Hasnt got a built in, customizable search box

No cookie manager

No download manager

Bookmarks cant be exported into an easy to use format (ie HTML)

Only a Windows version

Isn't W3C world web standard compliant.

And most its very open and susceptible to viruses, spyware and adware attacks.

[/list:u]

need i go on?

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 25 Aug 2004 08:18:47 GMT

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Hey um Dave or Rick ,Im used to getting coloured helmets or pirates for updates in the forum now there not there all the same colour so i dont know which messages are new other than by date ,anything ive done?Or did you guys do something?

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 25 Aug 2004 08:25:02 GMT

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No nothing here.

Thats happens to me sometimes if i have the forum open in one of my Tabs and open up Firefox for the day.

So.....close your forum tabs before closing (and saving tabs) in Firefox.

HTH

Subject: Cant open forum
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 25 Aug 2004 08:34:56 GMT
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Fiirst time it's ever happened to me
Did what you said fixed it up straight away Thanx! :thumbleft:

Subject: Cant open forum
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 25 Aug 2004 12:34:10 GMT
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glad to be of service

Subject: Cant open forum
Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 25 Aug 2004 23:05:32 GMT
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I have that drama too, read about 20 messages, get called away, come back, click the index link, and all my posts are marked read.

Bugger, so then I have to go off the dates of the posts. :banghead:

Subject: Cant open forum
Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Thu, 26 Aug 2004 00:34:30 GMT
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yes thats happened to me too

but i no complain.....

Subject: Cant open forum
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 26 Aug 2004 00:52:52 GMT
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rick51I have that drama too, read about 20 messages, get called away, come back, click the index link, and all my posts are marked read.

Bugger, so then I have to go off the dates of the posts. :banghead:

Thats because your cookie has expired, a little different that what Graeme and i are talking bout. It was set for 15mins but i upped it to 30mins i think. Its in the AP Config.

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 26 Aug 2004 06:29:07 GMT

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Yeah saw that, was gonna change, but "FEAR OF THE FORUM NAZI" held me back.

It wasn't a hassle, but a gripe that I couldn't sit here and read all the posts in one go.

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 31 Aug 2004 23:03:20 GMT

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HELP my user name is locked out for some reason :dontknow:

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [webby](#) on Tue, 31 Aug 2004 23:03:45 GMT

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don't worry fixed it myself dumb computer

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Tue, 31 Aug 2004 23:04:35 GMT

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helps to entered the right password

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [tutdog](#) on Wed, 01 Sep 2004 01:51:41 GMT

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Ok i have Mozilla :thumbleft: . One of you really smart computer guys should create a pirates themed skin. what do ya reckon?

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 01 Sep 2004 03:29:57 GMT

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hmmm i'll leave that up to the Theme King

Are Mozilla and Mozilla Firefox skins interchangeable ?? (Firefox user here)

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 01 Sep 2004 05:56:16 GMT

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the site i got some skins from had the option to pick firefox or mozilla from the same theme, in the same fashion that some sites let you pick between windows media player or real player, my assumption would be yes you can.

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 01 Sep 2004 07:50:37 GMT

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that to me says a NO.

Because it seems like they have developed a skin for each seperately. Although i am sure it wouldnt take much tweaking of one to develop the other.

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [tutdog](#) on Wed, 01 Sep 2004 11:34:40 GMT

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and thats why i ask the smart computer guys the tough questions!

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [rick51](#) on Fri, 03 Sep 2004 00:00:33 GMT

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I'll get back to you shortly. :mrgreen:

Subject: Cant open forum

Posted by [tutdog](#) on Fri, 03 Sep 2004 00:05:36 GMT

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shibby!!! :mrgreen:

Subject: more clearance

Posted by [kevharps](#) on Tue, 07 Sep 2004 12:05:57 GMT

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how do i find or get to the game video? cant do hardly anything on here
:banghead:

Subject: more clearance
Posted by [nath79](#) on Tue, 07 Sep 2004 12:24:02 GMT
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Dave or Rick will hook you up with full access Demon

Subject: Torrents
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sun, 19 Sep 2004 03:39:28 GMT
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Does anyone actually know how to upload a torrent file help would be appreciated

Subject: Torrents
Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Sun, 19 Sep 2004 11:10:20 GMT
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Dave and I have shared preliminary discussion of the ins and outs of this seemingly simple process. The best thing to do is do a google search on "making torrents", "Torrent Files" etcetera.

Basically you need to seek permission to announce a torrent once made on someones tracker and upload it to that tracker. Alternatively if you create your own tracker (I think similar to running a server generally speaking). That gets more complicated though.

Whatever you find please share with me and I know Dave would appreciate it also.

Heres one to look at.

<http://www.sidewalkcrusaders.com/bthowto/btstart.html>

Subject: Torrents
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sun, 19 Sep 2004 12:03:01 GMT
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Well i downloaded a program called Maketorrent 2-1
Installed it but don't know how to use it

Subject: Torrents
Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Sun, 19 Sep 2004 13:13:13 GMT
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I'll download it too and we'll try to stuff around with it simultaneously.

I think making the BT will be ok but the tracker bit is an unknowns to me.

Torrents today, Silicon Valley tommorrow!!!

Subject: Torrents

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Mon, 20 Sep 2004 10:29:33 GMT

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when i download a bittorrent file, my comp slows up alot! is this supposed to happen or am i missing something from my system?

Subject: Torrents

Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Tue, 21 Sep 2004 05:50:21 GMT

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Very odd. What BT software do you use?

Eitherway should not slow your computer down any. When downloading a BT my PC useage never climbs above 4%.

Subject: Torrents

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Tue, 21 Sep 2004 08:10:30 GMT

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oh i should re-phrase..... my net speed slows down heaps
and when i close the bittorrent download, the speed picks up to normal speeds

is THAT normal?

Subject: Torrents

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Tue, 21 Sep 2004 14:09:22 GMT

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Naturally. Downloading is using your bandwidth thus it throttles you other downloading like web browsing for example.

If you use a Bit-Torrent GUI client like Azures (sp?) then you can limit the bandwidth usage of your Torrents downloads, plus it tells you at what speed your uploading and downloading.

Subject: Torrents

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Tue, 21 Sep 2004 15:22:04 GMT

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DaveQBNaturally. Downloading is using your bandwidth thus it throttles you other downloading like web browsing for example.

but the torrent only downloads at 1-2 KiB/s and even at this speed, using browsers takes ages!

DaveBlf you use a Bit-Torrent GUI client like Azures (sp?) then you can limit the bandwidth usage of your Torrents downloads, plus it tells you at what speed your uploading and downloading.

GUI = ????

Subject: Torrents

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 21 Sep 2004 23:08:37 GMT

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That is odd....

Even when downloading a BT at only 30Kb/s theoretically you still have about 120Kb/s to spare, plenty to web browse without any noticeable decrease in performance. Try another BT client. Go to <http://www.suprnova.com> and look under the section about BTs try the "experimental version" its the best I find. See if it makes a diff.

Otherwise surf for porn prior to starting BT DLs

Subject: Torrents

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 22 Sep 2004 00:12:26 GMT

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Fez,

Uploading also slows your web browsing. So you may only be downloading at 2-3kb/s you could be uploading at full speed. I think yuor upload speed is 64 kb/s ??? thats about 6 KB/s. Easily attainable if yuo have anything some who's on a faster speed then that wants.

Subject: Torrents

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Wed, 22 Sep 2004 01:18:58 GMT

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ahhh... this must be wes

edit: "the guest"

Subject: Torrents

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 22 Sep 2004 01:22:38 GMT

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dimple_boy
GUI = ????

Graphical User Interface.

Subject: cant log in!
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 28 Sep 2004 12:24:30 GMT
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Hey dave ive asked for a new password to be sent to my email but it aint workin. can you fix this??

Subject: cant log in!
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Fri, 01 Oct 2004 04:48:17 GMT
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still aint workin with the new password you gave me either, this is F*#ked ive missed out on two weeks worth of lunchtime reading.

Subject: cant log in!
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 01 Oct 2004 05:08:30 GMT
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what error did you get ??

Saying "Its not working" doesnt help much in troubleshooting it :confused2:

Subject: cant log in!
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 01 Oct 2004 05:09:28 GMT
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you've just had 4 bad logins

Subject: cant log in!
Posted by [tutdog](#) on Fri, 01 Oct 2004 05:16:40 GMT
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ok, got it working

Try logging in again Tutty

Subject: cant log in!
Posted by [tutdog](#) on Tue, 05 Oct 2004 11:53:47 GMT
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sweeeeeeeeet!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Subject: Cant log in!
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Fri, 03 Dec 2004 00:02:11 GMT
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Hi, I have tried heaps of times to log in but I cant, when I log in it reads:

"Sorry, but your password cannot be retrieved because your account is currently inactive. Please contact the forum administrator for more information".

Dave or anyone else, can you guys help me out?

Thanks.

Subject: Firefox Users with broadband
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 04 Jan 2005 11:35:54 GMT
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found this on a forum and thought it may come in handy for some of you

Here's something for broadband people that will really speed Firefox up:

1.Type "about:config" into the address bar and hit return. Scroll down and look for the following entries:

network.http.pipelining network.http.proxy.pipelining network.http.pipelining.maxrequests

Normally the browser will make one request to a web page at a time. When you enable pipelining it will make several at once, which really speeds up page loading.

2. Alter the entries as follows:

Set "network.http.pipelining" to "true"

Set "network.http.proxy.pipelining" to "true"

Set "network.http.pipelining.maxrequests" to some number like 30. This means it will make 30 requests at once.

3. Lastly right-click anywhere and select New-> Integer. Name it "nglayout.initialpaint.delay" and set its value to "0". This value is the amount of time the browser waits before it acts on

information it receives.

If you're using a broadband connection you'll load pages MUCH faster now!

Hope this helps,

Subject: Firefox Users with broadband
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Tue, 04 Jan 2005 13:24:36 GMT
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i did this and didnt notice a change in speed.
Cant recall if i did all the configs though.

Subject: Handy Tool #1 - Bookmark Converter
Posted by [rick51](#) on Thu, 27 Jan 2005 22:13:55 GMT
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Convert bookmarks between Firefox and Internet Explorer.

And vice versa.

<http://www.magnusbrading.com/bmc/>

Subject: anti- virus
Posted by [webby](#) on Tue, 01 Feb 2005 22:20:33 GMT
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anyone kbnw of a good antivirus program nortons is not my cup of tea
(rick dave and bastard keep it simple because im a layperson remember im a pinke to your
brains.) i have windows xp and nortons on this is a trial version. any suggestions :pirate:

Subject: anti- virus
Posted by [rick51](#) on Tue, 01 Feb 2005 22:50:34 GMT
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I recommend AVG.

I've got it running flawlessly on a couple of networks around the place, and it's FREE!

<http://free.grisoft.com/freeweb.php/doc/2/>

Subject: anti- virus

Posted by [webby](#) on Wed, 02 Feb 2005 01:14:07 GMT

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if it is so good why is it for free?????????????

Subject: anti- virus

Posted by [rick51](#) on Wed, 02 Feb 2005 02:51:47 GMT

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It's an obsolete version, only by a few.

so they sell the new version, while the older one just drops off the list. So rather than see it fall into obscurity, they offer it free.

There's a few new bell's and whistles in the newer version, but they're mostly wanky and offer no extra protection etc.

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [Andrew#78](#) on Sun, 06 Feb 2005 11:43:21 GMT

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Hey guy's im i need of a little help im thinking of buying a laptop but i only have little knowledge of what i should look for all this terms and numbers get me all confused can anyone help me all i want it for is to use it for mobile internet, games and to use at work for downloading and uploading software for engine computer's.

Thanks

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sun, 06 Feb 2005 12:01:53 GMT

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Hey man i got some Laptos for ya
Ya really sure you want the Laptos though
Your a d-lineman and its all a camp to be telling everyone

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Sun, 06 Feb 2005 12:04:55 GMT

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dont lie andy.... you wanna download porn!
only when you admit it will you truly be able to accept yourself

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sun, 06 Feb 2005 12:06:07 GMT
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Well it is a Lap Tos computer
i gotta get me one of these Lap Toss computers cos im doing it all by myself at the moment
:thumbleft:

Subject: Re: Laptos computers
Posted by [webby](#) on Sun, 06 Feb 2005 12:13:39 GMT
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[quote="Andrew#78"]
it for mobile internet, games and to use at work for downloading and uploading software for
engine computer's.
and snow angel porn
those snow angels wearing small frilly dress and sliding all over the snow and just giggling and
touching them selves and sliding and writhing and fondling and gallavanting around with hard
little snow angel nipples and :flower:

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Sun, 06 Feb 2005 12:16:33 GMT
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:laughing3:

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Andrew#78](#) on Sun, 06 Feb 2005 21:48:32 GMT
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Ha ha very funny all of you but seriously i need one

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [rick51](#) on Sun, 06 Feb 2005 22:16:28 GMT
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Andy, how much are you thinking of spending?
If you want to play pretty recent games I recommend these

Dell Inspiron 8600 - \$2598. Details [here](#)

Toshiba Tecra M2 725 - \$2970 Details [here](#)

The mutts nuts at the moment
Asus W1000N - \$3950 - Details [here](#)

Thing to look for, based on your specs
Pentium M 725 (1.5GHz) OR Pentium 4 3.2GHz
At least 512MB RAM
At least 60GB hard drive
Windows XP Pro (if it only comes with home, we can all help out with this)

Check out this website for some prices. They have some brand name ones as well as a few clones. They have the ASUS and the Toshiba, but the DELL machine you have to buy directly from DELL.

DELL had a massive sale on last month, up to 33% off and free upgrades. They come along all the time, so don't stress if you want to get it.

My recommendation: I've used the Toshiba and it plays Need For Speed Underground 2 and a few other games pretty well.

The DELL's are great machines, I've had 3, and no problems whatsoever. But I haven't used that specific model.

As for the ASUS, it's got it all, TV tuner, DVD burner (but all three of the above models do) subwoofer, wireless and a few other bells and whistles. If I had the dosh, I'd be on this one.

Hope it all helps.

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [foxx](#) on Mon, 07 Feb 2005 07:05:28 GMT
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Andy, if you shop around the "sony vaio" ain't to bad either, But I'd agree with Big Rick, the "Dell" is great for the \$\$\$\$. My inlaws have got 2 & swear by them! :pirate:
As for the laptos, I've seen them in china town for \$500 or \$250 & 2 chickens
You Dick!

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Mon, 07 Feb 2005 11:00:23 GMT
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man, if youre paying \$500 for a laptos in china town, youre paying way too much!
"i find girl with two dollar head job.... she love you long time"

but sean must have the dosh to spend :laughing2:

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [foxx](#) on Mon, 07 Feb 2005 11:17:54 GMT
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For \$2 Fez are you sure your getting a girl. :dontknow: We'll I suppose it doesn't matter if its a

head job

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Mon, 07 Feb 2005 11:40:34 GMT

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He dosen't root them Sean he only spoon's them

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Mon, 07 Feb 2005 11:41:42 GMT

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and when they arent doing the job right, theres one simple thing i tell em

"what did the five fingers say to the face..... SLAP"

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [Andrew#78](#) on Wed, 09 Feb 2005 05:36:15 GMT

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Thanks rick and sean

I was looking to buy the dell inspiron 8600 i spoke to dave about it last night and he said i would a good system for what i need and mike sea got a dell to and he said it's great and he swear's by it to.

Thanks again

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Fri, 11 Feb 2005 13:39:27 GMT

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you may have changed it Andrew but we know it was a Laptos computer you were after !

Subject: Cant log in!

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 11 Feb 2005 19:53:31 GMT

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You need to of checked your email after signing up and click on the link in the email sent to you by the board to active it.

It tells you this when you sign up.

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Andrew#78](#) on Fri, 11 Feb 2005 22:34:30 GMT
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Screw you G

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [webby](#) on Fri, 11 Feb 2005 23:54:35 GMT
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that proves it andy is gay he loves the !@#\$.
dave can we make andy read only on the forum just to save him some dignity.
poor little snow angel hes sensitive.

Subject: Cant log in!
Posted by [Phat Bastard](#) on Sat, 12 Feb 2005 10:50:02 GMT
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Rapid response... :laughing3:

Subject: Cant log in!
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sat, 12 Feb 2005 15:14:03 GMT
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hahaha thats a funny :laughing3:

Subject: Cant log in!
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Sun, 13 Feb 2005 01:28:15 GMT
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Yeah only just noticed it, dunno how it slipped past me (or Rick51, or ian)

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Andrew#78](#) on Sun, 13 Feb 2005 03:09:21 GMT
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What are you on about webby in other topics your on about vader and the death star when the topic is about a bird i think you should be read only

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Phat Bastard](#) on Sun, 13 Feb 2005 07:11:57 GMT
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hahaha, score 1 Andy! :cheers:

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [webby](#) on Sun, 13 Feb 2005 08:57:29 GMT
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andy go back and read the topic my snow angel then get back to me
dave knows what i was on about

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Sun, 13 Feb 2005 09:39:27 GMT
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Do i ?? :dontknow:

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [webby](#) on Sun, 13 Feb 2005 09:43:08 GMT
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oooo h come on dave help me out here

g your right no forum whilst intoxicated

i been done FUI (forum under the influence)

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Andrew#78](#) on Mon, 14 Feb 2005 11:50:54 GMT
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Dont blame the alcohol it's not my fault you got turned down when you had your mission briefing on the death star

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Mon, 14 Feb 2005 22:22:05 GMT
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Andrew#78Dont blame the alcohol it's not my fault you got turned down when you had your mission breifing on the death star

I before E except after C
:laughing2:

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Andrew#78](#) on Tue, 15 Feb 2005 06:10:32 GMT
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thanks fez

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 15 Feb 2005 11:01:44 GMT
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Phat Bastardhahaha, score 1 Andy! :cheers:
Hahahaha thats classic
So whats the score now
Forum 16342582
Andy 1
Go Andy Go Andy

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [foxx](#) on Tue, 15 Feb 2005 11:15:52 GMT
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G, I'd only give him .5

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Phat Bastard](#) on Wed, 16 Feb 2005 00:42:22 GMT
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dimple_boyI before E except after C
:laughing2:

But what about weigh, neighbour, weird, height etc? :dontknow:

Hell, even Aussies contradict it with "sheila"!

Here ya go Fez, hope this helps... CLICK :thefinger:

(This is worth worth two schooners Andy, Tooheys Old. Thanks.)

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Wed, 16 Feb 2005 01:15:50 GMT
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i dont know what andy is paying you for this, but you know that youre only encouraging him
but thats cool..... just means he'll say more stuff for the forum to hack him on

i guess youre still feeling the superbowl loss so i have a few links for YOU to check out:

ONE
TWO
:boxing:

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Phat Bastard](#) on Wed, 16 Feb 2005 01:41:13 GMT
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See I INNOVATED which is what made you laugh.

You IMITATED which is what makes you an Andrew#78.

:laughing2: :laughing2: :laughing2:

(Sorry Andy, but you were to slow with the schooners. :dontknow:)

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 16 Feb 2005 02:35:03 GMT
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Eagles supporters sticking up for each other i dunno :dontknow:

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Phat Bastard](#) on Wed, 16 Feb 2005 02:54:08 GMT
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Nothing to do with his good taste in football teams, I just couldn't stand by & watch him get ganged like Candy Apples is all. :mrgreen:

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Wed, 16 Feb 2005 03:26:43 GMT
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Phat Bastard You IMITATED which is what makes you an Andrew#78.

if i had imitated andy, i would have said:
Andrew#78screw you guys

interesting how this topic shifted to me and you, shane. but now that its back on andy, the world can live in peace again
:cheers:

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Wed, 16 Feb 2005 04:10:06 GMT

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Who's up for a laptos ?
Anyone ?

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [Phat Bastard](#) on Wed, 16 Feb 2005 04:21:20 GMT

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dimple_boyPhat BastardYou IMITATED which is what makes you an Andrew#78.

if i had imitated andy, i would have said:
Andrew#78screw you guys

This is true, & had I said you imitated him you would be correct. This engrish is a bugger to grasp hey?

But you are right Fez, c'mon Andy, stand up for yourself! :pirate:

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [Andrew#78](#) on Wed, 16 Feb 2005 05:59:11 GMT

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I just want to know why im the one who gets hacked on this forum

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Wed, 16 Feb 2005 15:15:29 GMT

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cause josh aint here :laughing2:

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [foxx](#) on Wed, 16 Feb 2005 19:40:27 GMT

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:laughing3: :laughing3: :laughing3:

Subject: Laptop computers

Posted by [kevharps](#) on Wed, 16 Feb 2005 21:56:50 GMT

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its funny because its true

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Thu, 17 Feb 2005 04:34:33 GMT
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It might start with your quote i think

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [webby](#) on Thu, 17 Feb 2005 05:20:28 GMT
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andy get a load of this

Subject: Laptop computers
Posted by [dimple_boy](#) on Thu, 17 Feb 2005 05:27:04 GMT
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:laughing3: :notworthy:

Subject: gallery problems
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Mon, 09 May 2005 06:47:54 GMT
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Im not having an issues with the forum, just the gallery. when i click on the gallery I get the error :

Coppermine critical error:
Unable to connect to database !

MySQL said: Lost connection to MySQL server during query

Anyone ??

Subject: gallery problems
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Mon, 09 May 2005 08:54:53 GMT
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Me too Waldo.....Me to

Subject: gallery problems
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 10 May 2005 02:28:20 GMT
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ok, well at least i know its not just me, im sure the prob will be fixed.

Subject: gallery problems

Posted by [truck](#) on Tue, 10 May 2005 06:10:08 GMT

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The problem stems from the coppermine in the Kimberley ranges in WA and the databases housing there.

Hopefully Dave will be able to sort it out with some re-routing through the coppermine near Mt Isa.

It will take a bit of effort so we will all have to pull together but Dave will be able to knock it over in no time !!

:thumbsleft:

Subject: gallery problems

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Tue, 10 May 2005 13:38:46 GMT

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lol

ok guys, i didnt check if the gallery came back to life when installing the new (old PC) server

I'll get onto that.

Subject: gallery problems

Posted by [truck](#) on Sun, 29 May 2005 23:53:24 GMT

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How goes the coppermine redirection and the access to the Gallery??

Subject: gallery problems

Posted by [Wes Folitarik](#) on Mon, 30 May 2005 03:21:31 GMT

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I think Dave has flown into Perth enroute to the coppermine in the kimberleys to retrieve the databases from a large unused mine.

Subject: Cant log in!

Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Sat, 11 Jun 2005 03:33:58 GMT

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hey Dave,ive had to reinstall and lost most of my info including my username and password ,could you pm me the details thanks,as i cant remember them

Subject: Cant log in!
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Sun, 12 Jun 2005 15:53:38 GMT
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Now thats funny!!!

PM you the details ?? How would you retrieve them if you cant log in mate ??

Lost you keys for the house ?? I'll put them inside your house so you can get them

SMS me and i'll send you a new password.

Subject: Cant log in!
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Mon, 13 Jun 2005 08:23:27 GMT
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Thanks Dave

Subject: Cant log in!
Posted by [Phat Bastard](#) on Tue, 14 Jun 2005 03:38:47 GMT
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DaveQBNow thats funny!!!

PM you the details ?? How would you retrieve them if you cant log in mate ??

Lost you keys for the house ?? I'll put them inside your house so you can get them

SMS me and i'll send you a new password.

The Dave Strikes Back! :laughing2:

Subject: Cant log in!
Posted by [truck](#) on Tue, 14 Jun 2005 06:33:27 GMT
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Talking about logging in - I am now having to do it twice to be accepted.

:banghead:

The first time I log in the front page comes back showing "Truck" as a registered user on line but I not able to look at secured postings and so log in again and then accepted ??

Any of you computer boffins explain that one??

No i am not at a different computer or changed any software. ONLY thing I notice is that the "certificate" popup comes in now after I log in the first time whereas it would come up when i

first open the page previously.

Subject: Cant log in!
Posted by [webby](#) on Tue, 14 Jun 2005 13:42:31 GMT
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you got to clear all your cookies

Subject: Cant log in!
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 15 Jun 2005 00:59:46 GMT
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ok, maybe double check ur login into
<https://forums.wspirates.com>
as apposed to
<http://forums.wspirates.com>

If the encrypted connection is a problem, i can take it down if everyone likes :dontknow:

Subject: Cant log in!
Posted by [truck](#) on Wed, 15 Jun 2005 02:07:26 GMT
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Thank you oh wise Webby. It is now open sesame first go.

:notworthy: :notworthy:

Subject: contact details
Posted by [Anonymous Coward](#) on Tue, 08 Jul 2008 22:18:18 GMT
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I'm sorry about posting in this part as this isnt exactly a technical problem with the site.

I am trying to email someone in regards to my husband playing this season. When I click on the "email us" link I come up with an error message.

Does anybody have the actual email address so I can email directly from my hotmail account?
I think there might be an issue with my outlook account.

If not- is there a phone number I can call?

Thanks for your time, hope to hear back from someone soon!

Kimberley

Subject: Re: contact details

Posted by [Ang57](#) on Wed, 09 Jul 2008 03:21:44 GMT

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Kimberley,

The email address is info@wspirates.com

New players are always welcome.

We train every Tuesday and Thursday night (7.30pm) at Craik Park , Austral. Your husband is more than welcome to come down and introduce himself. The coaches and players would be more than happy to answer any questions he has.

Subject: Re: contact details

Posted by [Coach T](#) on Sat, 12 Jul 2008 02:59:01 GMT

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Hi Kimberley,

I have just tried the email link on the website and it worked okay...no dramas though. We'd love for your husband to come down and get involved.

Angelo has posted the training times and days, etc, and if you need any other info in the short term my mobile is 0414 605 571

Look forward to speaking with you and or your husband soon.

Ian Taylor
(Head Coach)

Subject: Test

Posted by [nath79](#) on Thu, 20 May 2010 03:16:15 GMT

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Test for Dave

Subject: Re: Test

Posted by [nath79](#) on Thu, 20 May 2010 03:16:44 GMT

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Test again

Subject: Re: Test
Posted by [aaron_te22](#) on Thu, 20 May 2010 05:54:32 GMT
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Testing 1 2 Testing 1 2 Check Check 1 2

Sounds ok to me :mrgreen:

Subject: Re: Test
Posted by [nath79](#) on Thu, 20 May 2010 06:37:53 GMT
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Testes 1 2 3

Subject: Re: Test
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Thu, 20 May 2010 07:37:58 GMT
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Nathan reported an error message when posting.

I had a look and this is to do with the issue we are currently having where email notifications are not being sent to people subscribed to threads and request email notifications. I made some changes and all we got was an error. But it helps to work out the root cause.

For now email notification should be working, but the page you get after posting will take longer to appear.

This will be resolved when the issue is resolved.

Subject: How to embed Youtube video's?
Posted by [nath79](#) on Wed, 29 Sep 2010 00:32:16 GMT
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Hey Dave,

I know you mentioned this ages ago but can you please go over how to embed youtube vids in a post again?

Thanks

Subject: Re: How to embed Youtube video's?
Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Wed, 29 Sep 2010 22:53:54 GMT
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Ok here it is.

We use the [youtube] tag coupled with the id of the clip.

So a clip here: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5z9cH3sjoX4>
has an id of 5z9cH3sjoX4

So we wrap that in the tag:

[youtube] 5z9cH3sjoX4[/youtube]

Minus the space I added there so you could see the "code"

Make sense?

Subject: Re: How to embed Youtube video's?
Posted by [nath79](#) on Wed, 29 Sep 2010 23:00:41 GMT
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Sweet thanks!

Subject: Where'd Private Pirates go?
Posted by [AmericanAussie](#) on Wed, 08 Jun 2011 05:35:20 GMT
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Where'd Private Pirates go?

Subject: Re: Where'd Private Pirates go?
Posted by [nath79](#) on Thu, 09 Jun 2011 04:23:38 GMT
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Just guessing but I think it is for registered Pirates only.

It's not too late to come back Jimmy :wink: :wink: :wink:

Subject: Re: Where'd Private Pirates go?

Posted by [AmericanAussie](#) on Thu, 09 Jun 2011 07:10:15 GMT

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Haha ah man that sucks. The picture game was the highlight of my internet related day.

No it's too late I've committed to being defensive coordinator for my junior team in Perth. I am on my way.

Subject: Home button

Posted by [Shrek](#) on Thu, 02 Feb 2012 22:22:17 GMT

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i know this is probably daves domain, but the home link at the top on the forum logs you out.

Subject: Re: Home button

Posted by [DaveQB](#) on Fri, 03 Feb 2012 01:21:39 GMT

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Really?

It doesn't for me.

You mean the home link next to "Private Messaging" and "Members" etc??

Subject: Re: Home button

Posted by [Shrek](#) on Fri, 03 Feb 2012 12:56:20 GMT

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seems to be working ok now. wasn't working earlier.

Subject: Re: anti- virus

Posted by [tonyallen](#) on Tue, 07 May 2013 17:12:50 GMT

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Much free antivirus software available. Just google one yourself. I use KAV.

Subject: Re: Test

Posted by [tonyallen](#) on Tue, 07 May 2013 17:17:30 GMT

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test too!!! :d
