
Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by mumeishi - 2009/07/10 10:04

Isn't there a way to add tasks, with out that due date crap, that will also appear every day? The check boxes are all grayed out if I don't click due date, and I have no use for a "due date".

Also, no minimize button? Like maybe a minimize to sys tray option? I also can't complete any event with a due date, really annoying~

Any help would be much appreciated! Great little application so far! :o

Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by mumeishi - 2009/07/10 10:14

Ah, also I can't add a task and have it for the next day in the Recurrence tab. This program would be 110% awesome if I just had the option to do whatever I wanted with out all the disabling of options if I don't use a feature I don't want. :/

Like even having a start time sometimes, It starts the day I put it, at my own leisure. It bugs me that I have to fill in that other stuff.

Really, very sorry to come here and sound like I'm bitching or tearing down the app, 'cause really it's awesome! :o

Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by mumeishi - 2009/07/10 16:02

Lol ok, so is there a way I can mod it? ;d

Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by mumeishi - 2009/07/11 00:52

Is this not the right forum? This stuff is basically ruining rainlendar for me, I can't complete anything with a due date either! Even if the date is passed it just won't go away!

These forums are pretty dead, so is the support for this program I'm assuming. meh

Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by Rainy - 2009/07/11 13:53

If your definition of a dead forum is that your questions are not answered within few hours then yes, this forum is pretty dead.

Anyway, if the due date is not set for the task it's impossible to know on which days it should repeat. So, if you want to create a recurring task you must define some due date for it.

You can define the tray icon actions in the advanced skin settings so you can e.g. make the windows to hide when you double click on the icon.

Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by mumeishi - 2009/07/12 03:10

I don't want to hide the window, just 1 or 2 completed tasks. You said in my other post that they show the next instance right away, which is kind of a bummer.

I'd like it to show up the day it starts, hence the start date.

Also, Shouldn't the tasks reoccur based on the start date? That would fix my issue, is there any way I can just mod the code myself?

And to be fair, its been 2 days, for 8k members I thought I'd of gotten some reply sooner, I'm very sorry for sounding like a crying child or w/e, I just really, really find this program useful but I don't want my todo list cluttered with stuff I have to do the next day! :!

Your program is helping my organize my life, I'll definitely go pro once these options are implemented.

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Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by Mac OSX - 2009/07/12 05:33

Dear Admin,

I have a problem and believe that you can help me. (assuming that you know OSX as well)

I removed the calendar, events and to do list windows from the screen (I planned on adding them back later). The application starts fine, however I don't receive any menus for anything other than the menu that allows me to quit. I tried re-installing the application but I'm encountering the same problem. Any ideas on how to fix it?

I know this topic is not related to my concern but I think it is faster like this.

THX

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Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by mumeishi - 2009/07/12 06:37

Ah, after extensive searching, I have found about 40 other programs and none, not one even hold a candle to what rainlendar is!

All I want it to do is:

Carry over to-dos from day to day if they aren't complete.

Show me only today's to-dos even if they repeat, I don't want to see it until the next day!

They should appear at their Start time, turn red at their due time and carry over until completed. And most importantly, disappear when they are completed!!!!!!

Rainy, I know this can be achieved rather simply, can you point me to an editor that would allow me to do it myself even? :d

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Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by mumeishi - 2009/07/12 07:00

Also, is there a way to cut down the resources used by rainlendar? I have games that use less, lol.

14k, seems a tad excessive for such a small application. Thank you!

edit I downloaded the old rainlendar, it was only using 3-5k resources, much better! But I lost all the great To-do functions, which sucks, but completing them worked. :P

I'd love a cross between the old and new, it'd be perfect!@#!

This really is still the best program available like this.

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Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by mumeishi - 2009/07/12 14:43

You know, this is a huge oversight! Why the crap is something that starts on the 31st of July in my To-Do list, showing up today?

It should only show the day it's necessary and disappear when you mark it as complete. It should show up the NEXT start time, if it reoccurs.

Rainy, are you a one man team or something? Is there nobody else who can add this functionality? What file would I need to edit to do this myself? :d

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Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by garbanzo - 2009/07/13 07:25

good grief man, give Rainy a break. he works his ass off making this free program. it's dead easy to use, so just slow down a little, and try reading the help files, i'm sure you can work things out.

try right-clicking on an item in the ToDo list and see what kind of options there are :huh:

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Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by mumeishi - 2009/07/14 10:51

Ok, so I went over the help after I read your post and some more today. I know how to create a skin now, but I still have no clue how I would add this function to Rainlendar.

Let me just say I'm very sorry for being rude or coming off as an ass, it's just this 1 thing would bring this program full circle, I know I'm not the only one that wants a to-do list that will function as such.

I'm well aware of the options and what they do, I'm very thorough with something before I ever come asking/bitching anywhere. ;P

It's very clear this to-do list will not do what I want at this point with out some further coding. I've already stated what's necessary for a to-do list to do! lol

1. Only show tasks for today's date, showing up at the start time, turning red at the due time, "hiding" at the completed time.
2. Reoccurring tasks should be the same as above, except they should return the next day at their start time.
3. Most importantly, only today's tasks should show! I have a very cluttered to-do list because it shows tasks that are weeks away! :(

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Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by garbanzo - 2009/07/14 11:09

it sounds like you should be using events instead of tasks...

1. tasks don't show up at the start time, they show up at the start date so you know what you have to do that day. they remain visible until they are marked as complete. they do not automatically turn become marked as complete after the due time. instead, they change to overdue. depending on the skin, overdue items might look different, but it's an option that the skinner has to add. tasks disappear when deleted, or if you set them to hide when complete, they disappear when marked as completed.

2. returning at their start time? that's not the nature of this program, nor is it the nature of "to do" items. they return either immediately, or on the day they start, depending on how you set things up (see #3)

3. right-click on a todo item like i suggested in my previous post, then choose "hide upcoming tasks". that way, only today's items will show.

that is how rainlendar works. if it's not how you want it to work, then perhaps you need to write your own program :S

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Re:Really liking Rainlendar, but...

Posted by mumeishi - 2009/07/14 15:22

LOL! I feel like such an asshole now, thank you very much!! Hide upcoming tasks was the on I didn't check. Thank you for this great program, no comparison! :3

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