
Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Rainy - 2009/10/11 12:24

Build 87 can be downloaded from here:

Windows: Rainlendar-2.7.b83.zip

Linux TAR (32-bit): Rainlendar-2.7.b83-i386.tar.bz2

Linux DEB (32-bit): rainlendar2-pro_2.7.b83-1_i386.deb

Linux TAR (64-bit): Rainlendar-2.7.b83-amd64.tar.bz2

Linux DEB (64-bit): rainlendar2-pro_2.7.b83-1_amd64.deb

Mac OS X (Intel): Rainlendar-2.7.b83.dmg

This is beta version! It has not been tested.

The addons for Shadow4 skin 1.6:

<http://www.rainlendar.net/download/1.6/Shadow4-Widgets.r2skin-addon>

<http://www.rainlendar.net/download/1.6/Shadow4-Languages.r2skin-addon>

Changes:

- o The windows stay visible with Aero peek.

- o Some of the colors in the old ini format skins were messed up. Fixed.

- o Playback of the alarm file was synchronous on other platforms than in Windows. Fixed.

- o Recurring Outlook events which were originally created as all day events but which had time defined did not have time in Rainlendar. Fixed.

- o The windows were not redrawn properly if the same event or task was read from multiple calendars. Fixed.

- o Mouse wheel didn't work with the grid calendar. Fixed.

- o Added week and day views to the Shadow4 skin.

- o The event descriptions in the schedule view can be shown/hidden from the advanced settings.

- o Setting task completed will now dismiss its alarm also.

- o Changed the way "On Desktop" works in Snow Leopard. The windows are not put to desktop anymore but stay in place when Exposed.

Re: Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Chaser - 2009/10/13 16:10

I just had a short look at the new week-/day-function: Great! Thank you very much for implementing this!

There is a graphical glitch though with two events that take place at the same time (week-view). The text of the first event is not wrapped. If needed I can provide a screenshot. (one is categorized as "Party" and the other one as "Event")

bye

edit:

After changing width and height of the week-viewer this behaviour vanished.

What do you think of adding a forward- and back-button to the week-viewer. This way you could better plan the future week(s). Thank you for considering.

edit:

Adding an option to exclude categories/calenders would be another idea. I guess things will pop up bit by bit, while working with this wonderful tool.

Re: Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Rainy - 2009/10/14 11:54

I was able to reproduce the problem with the event text. I'll fix that.

The forward and back buttons will also be added to the views. It was already planned but I didn't have time to implement them yet. You can now use arrow keys from keyboard to change the weeks but I just noticed that they don't work at least

on the Mac version.

The include/exclude settings (in Options->Skins) for the window should already work for the week and day views too.

Re: Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Chaser - 2009/10/14 16:01

Thank you for the instantaneous answer!

1. Arrow keys work great in Win7 RTM 64bit (thanks for the hint)
2. I overlooked the settings for excluding/selecting categories/calendars

Here are some further ideas:

Since the week-view is rather large, could you add the option to add a keyboard shortcut to toggle the visibility of a specific element (calendar, week-view, time, etc...)? This would be very handy.

Would it in general be feasible to more easily resize single elements? For example adding a tiny rectangle in the lower right corner of each element that by clicking enables the user to directly change the size of this element? (low priority)

And something a little more far fetched: What do you think of creating a printable version of the week-view? To give you an idea of what I mean take a look at this link (random data!): [LINK](#) (low priority)

Re: Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Chaser - 2009/10/14 16:13

I am not sure whether this is a beta issue:

The first element always is lacking of the icon (see screenshot).

http://www.rainlendar.net/cms/images/fbfiles/images/2009_10_14_231143.JPG

Re: Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Rainy - 2009/10/15 11:07

The hotkeys can be used to change the visibility of a single window too but you would have to create a lua script which toggles the specific window. Alt + number works too but the focus must be in Rainlendar when the key combination is pressed.

Support for resizing and more options for printing are in my backlog too so they will be implemented eventually.

The menu issue is weird since it happens only when the menu is opened the first time. I tried to debug the issue a while ago but could not figure out the reason for the behavior. I'll be upgrading the 3rd party libraries soon so hopefully that will fix the problem.

Re: Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by wernerb - 2009/10/16 19:00

Virus being detected by Eset... FYI.

Bill

Re: Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by GregDude - 2009/10/20 01:35

I'm getting issues because the app now seems to want to access files in both:

users\MyName\.rainlendar
users\MyName\.config\.rainlendar

Has something changed in this version, or is it something else in my system config?

Edit: I've resolved this issue by copying files to the .config version of the path and editing one of the config files to reflect this change.

Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Rainy - 2009/10/20 12:18

Virus being detected by Eset... FYI.

Yes, it is. And it seems to be the only one which thinks so. I suspect your antivirus is faulty.

http://www.rainlendar.net/cms/images/fbfiles/images/Screen_shot_2009_10_20_at_20.png

Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Rainy - 2009/10/20 12:22

Has something changed in this version

Nope. It has always read the settings from the .config/.rainlendar2 folder if the .config exists. The ~/.rainlendar is used otherwise.

Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by GregDude - 2009/10/20 18:08

Rainy wrote:

Has something changed in this version

Nope. It has always read the settings from the .config/.rainlendar2 folder if the .config exists. The ~/.rainlendar is used otherwise.

Well that explains it. I just installed another program which I know created the .config folder, so now Rainlendar wants to use it also. Thank you.

Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by uroszg - 2009/11/03 16:10

when will be new version that works normal with windows 7?

i use only beta because i need portable version.

Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Rainy - 2009/11/04 10:09

So, what's not working as it should in the current version?

Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by uroszg - 2009/11/04 12:18

transparency doesnt work. calendar have black background on native and region type. when i change it on copy type there isnt black background anymore but than i cant change transparency degrees on normal and mouse over.

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Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Rainy - 2009/11/04 13:52

I have not experienced this kind of error. Does this happen even if you set the window position to Normal? Do you have the latest drivers for your display card?

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Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by uroszg - 2009/11/04 15:04

i change to normal and now is great, thank ;) i didnt know i need to change that.

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Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Ohytos - 2009/11/11 10:45

Hi!
Is it normal behavior for Rainlendar to disappear when Win+D or 'Show Desktop' button is pressed?

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Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Chaser - 2009/11/11 12:42

Yes. You have to press Win+M.

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Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by larzon1983 - 2009/11/16 07:32

In Mac OSX the menubar icon always gets itself to the most left position :/

I don't like this behavior...

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Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by blisdom - 2009/11/24 23:41

i like rainlendar very much .will it's "on desktop" feature normally works under win7 in future ?is there any plan to fix this problem ?

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Re:Rainlendar 2.7 BETA build 83

Posted by Rainy - 2009/11/25 10:10

No. The "On desktop" does not work under Windows 7 unless you disable the Aero effects. The problem will be fixed as soon as Microsoft releases information how the feature can be implemented properly (it was broken by Vista and so far no alternative methods have been discovered so don't hold your breath for this one).

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