About a Rainmeter\'s fourm
Posted by kenz0 - 2009/03/27 09:15

Hi, Rainy
I have a question about Rainmeter's fourm.

Although Rainmeter was completely moved to Google code from the legacy site, doesn't it have a plan to make a suitable new forum?

I know about issues page in Google code, but It seems to be unsuitable to use it as a general forum.:(e.g. like a Q and A.

I think it is necessary to put the link to here in project page if the suitable forum is in this forum. Because there must be a lot of users who search for the place of the support.

Let me know what you think about the plan.

Thanks

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm
Posted by dragonmage - 2009/03/27 20:57

Sounds like a good idea to me.

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm
Posted by Rainy - 2009/03/30 10:40

Well, this isn't the best place for a Rainmeter forum but since I don't have time to create or maintain a new one it will have to do. I added the forum link to the Google code site.

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm
Posted by kenz0 - 2009/03/30 22:07

Thanks your reply and action.
However, the topic of Rainlendar2 is contained and this link seems to be confusing for the first user.
Is it better to link to "Rainmeter-Discussion" directly?
http://www.rainlendar.net/cms/index.php?option=com_kunena&Itemid=36&func=showcat&catid=12

Well, this isn't the best place for a Rainmeter forum but since I don't have time to create or maintain a new one it will have to do.
I know that you are busy. So It cannot be helped.
I'd appreciate it if you could launch a new forum if you will have plenty of time in the future.

Well, though there is another one question.
Does the archive of an old forum remain?
I remember there was an article that exceeds 2000 when closed at least.
These articles are useful knowledge resources of Rainmeter and If this can be opened to the public, it will be a help to many users.

(It was not kept although I searched in archive.org. It is because it is a dynamic page perhaps.:( )

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm
Posted by Rainy - 2009/04/03 12:23

I changed the link.

Yes, I think I still have the old database for the forum. I'll see if it's possible to get the old posts and publish them in somewhere.

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm

Posted by kenz0 - 2009/04/03 19:05

Thank you. I hope so.

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm

Posted by dragonmage - 2009/04/03 19:29

Rainy, a few of us are working on setting up a new forum for Rainmeter. If you find that database maybe we can get it into the new forum.

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm

Posted by Rainy - 2009/04/05 09:30

I managed to get the old forum's database from the server. If you want to import it to the new forum just send me an email (rainy@iki.fi) and I'll tell where you can download it. I'll probably need to clear the user table though since it contains people's emails and password hashes but you should still be able to get the posts from it.

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm

Posted by dragonmage - 2009/04/05 13:25

So would the posts still have the names of the posters?

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm

Posted by dragonmage - 2009/04/05 13:34

I also started an irc channel #rainmeter

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm

Posted by Rainy - 2009/04/08 11:27

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dragonmage wrote:
So would the posts still have the names of the posters?

I guess I could leave the user names to the database so the poster could still be identified.

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm

Posted by dragonmage - 2009/04/10 03:55

I think we would basically want to make it an archive. Put it all into a locked subforum. That way no one is bumping years old posts by people who may not be around anymore. however it would still be searchable, and the information available.

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm

Posted by dragonmage - 2009/04/12 00:17

You've got mail.

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Re:About a Rainmeter\'s fourm

Posted by sgtevmckay - 2009/04/16 21:53

Rainy.
We have some Magic going here, we are currently transferring the forum to a new host,
graciously donated by NiteShdw, you will know him as christh21, the individual who had the wireless plug-in created.

We have an idea, and it would require Rainy's ok, apparently www.Rainmeter.net is
owned by Rainy, and this Idea would require access to the domain

Would it be possible to utilize this domain, direct it to and intro page?
That intro page would then have links to the code site here, the forum, and a
possible IRC link.

It would solve a number of issues!

Your Thoughts?

And christh21 sends his regards as well

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