
Subject: Crimson: WOL Banner At The Top?
Posted by [npsmith82](#) on Fri, 30 Apr 2004 15:10:15 GMT
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I think it would be a great idea to incorporate a status image that would appear at the top of these forums.

Either my WOL status tool invoking a URL would work, or MadTones php script (but does it display it in an image?).

I think that'd be the best thing to do, to prevent all these "WOL is down!!!11" threads everytime it goes down/up.

Subject: Crimson: WOL Banner At The Top?
Posted by [KIRBY098](#) on Fri, 30 Apr 2004 15:13:56 GMT
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Agreed.

Subject: Crimson: WOL Banner At The Top?
Posted by [ericlaw02](#) on Fri, 30 Apr 2004 15:40:26 GMT
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Affirmative!

Subject: Crimson: WOL Banner At The Top?
Posted by [Imdgr8one](#) on Fri, 30 Apr 2004 16:38:13 GMT
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Amen.

Subject: Crimson: WOL Banner At The Top?
Posted by [Madtone](#) on Fri, 30 Apr 2004 16:44:37 GMT
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Yeah my PHP script can be text, image or anything ya want.

I have already given Crimson teh code a while ago to use on the frontpage of n00bstories an maybe on the forums also, she's just been busy with RG lately.

Maybe if we nag her some more she'll do it faster!

Subject: Crimson: WOL Banner At The Top?
Posted by [Creed3020](#) on Fri, 30 Apr 2004 20:10:20 GMT
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Great idea Np...Never thought about it that way but really would cut down on the dumb threads whenever WOL takes a nose dive.

Subject: Crimson: WOL Banner At The Top?
Posted by [Vitaminous](#) on Fri, 30 Apr 2004 21:09:48 GMT
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That'd be fabulous.

Subject: Crimson: WOL Banner At The Top?
Posted by [xptek_disabled](#) on Fri, 30 Apr 2004 21:15:18 GMT
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You may want to write a script using Cron that upates every X minutes. Madtone's script it great, but if you've noticed it takes awhile to detect the status.

Subject: Crimson: WOL Banner At The Top?
Posted by [Crimson](#) on Fri, 30 Apr 2004 23:52:26 GMT
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Of course I wouldn't do a query on every page load. The statistics normally on RenGuard.com are generated every minute by a cron job as well.

Subject: Crimson: WOL Banner At The Top?
Posted by [IRON FART](#) on Sat, 01 May 2004 00:24:29 GMT
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MadTone
Maybe if we nag her some more she'll do it faster!

I'll take that as permission.
Muhahahaha

Permission of Doom!

Wouldn't it be a really simple script to check if WOL is up or not?

```
fsockopen(<WOL IP or equivalent>, , <timeout seconds>)
```

This could be put almost everywhere, but I'm guessing that's a bad idea seeing as an assload of webservers will be checking to see if WOL is on or not.

Then we will be doomed.
