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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [warranto](#) on Tue, 22 Jun 2004 04:00:11 GMT

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I don't know what the problem is at the moment, but people, for whatever reason get a firewall error when trying to connect to Renegade via RenGuard.

A temporary solution to this is for players to start Renegade via the Game2.exe that is located in your Renegade folder. This bypasses the Renguard program, and allows you to play normally.

Keep in mind, when you join this way you are not connected to the RenGuard network, and will not be able to join any protected server.

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Posted by [warranto](#) on Tue, 22 Jun 2004 04:54:00 GMT

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It seems as though for now, the problem is over with being unable to connect, however if it happens again, refer to my last post.

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Subject: solution to not being able to connect to renguard.

Posted by [froshbyte](#) on Wed, 23 Jun 2004 01:52:12 GMT

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i simply uninstalled renguard, renegade and my firewall and reinstalled them  
problem fixed i think my firewall was the problem but i just uninstalled all of them now back online with renguard. even when i just uninstalled renguard and renegade and removed them from my firewall it still said the game.exe has changed so i uninstalled everything and reinstalled them.  
hope that might help anyone with the same problem.

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [warranto](#) on Wed, 23 Jun 2004 03:48:42 GMT

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heh.. depending when you did it, you may have simply caught the server coming back up as you finished the install.

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [achingwan](#) on Mon, 28 Jun 2004 00:45:49 GMT

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Is the firewall error caused from renguard server being down?

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It happened to me in the past and has just happened again tonight.  
I have not changed a thing with my puter.

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Posted by [Crimson](#) on Mon, 28 Jun 2004 02:31:59 GMT  
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Yes, I had intermittent problems with one of the masters causing that error but I think it's OK now.

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [Jzinsky](#) on Tue, 06 Jul 2004 01:52:16 GMT  
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That's alright then, I don't even have a firewall, except for on the server

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Subject: i got problems  
Posted by [prince](#) on Sat, 07 Aug 2004 15:44:14 GMT  
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everytime i join a game in gamespy arcade , renguard opens and a window comes out..after a while i only see a blank windows and says " not responding" after awhile again , its says " game.exe has occured error" " send error report" please guys i need u guys to help me thanks..

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Subject: still doesn't work  
Posted by [LvL999](#) on Thu, 30 Dec 2004 21:30:44 GMT  
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i have been repeatly trying to get renguard to work.  
i've followed the guid to install one topic below this one.  
i have every file exsackly like it is in the screen shot and downloaded the patch and renguard from the links.

And even still renguard does not work i'v shut off all my fire walls i've made every west wood game and renguard an exception.

nothing works when i download renguard i save it to west wood folder in one ettemp and run it from there.

other ettempts i just run it and in every ettemp all i get is a window that opens up. It gives me three options.

Modify  
repair  
remove

i try modify says i can't  
i try repair says it don't need to  
why would i remove?  
i click next says i can't  
only thing i can do is press cancel.  
i even tried waiting and left that window open for ever.  
nothing works .

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [Vincent](#) on Thu, 17 Mar 2005 00:15:41 GMT

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I've been trying to get Renguard working on my computer and it won't startup.....I installed it and try playing and it says:

Error: Loader could not initialize service!

Whats wrong with it?!?!?!?!?

Thanks in advance

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [WNxCABAL](#) on Thu, 17 Mar 2005 12:25:47 GMT

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Vincent I've been trying to get Renguard working on my computer and it won't startup.....I installed it and try playing and it says:

Error: Loader could not initialize service!

Whats wrong with it?!?!?!?!?

Thanks in advance

The error message isn't here, but maybe some of the other solutions may help...

<http://cabalonline.com/Renegade/rgts.htm>

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [Vincent](#) on Thu, 17 Mar 2005 21:24:21 GMT

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Um....do you need it to install to the Renegade/Data folder or just Rengade folder cause that might be one of the problems.....If you don't need to anyways I did install some maps so, I'm reinstalling renegade right now and going to see if that works.

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [WNxCABAL](#) on Sat, 19 Mar 2005 20:28:57 GMT  
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Say Your Renegade Game.exe is located at :  
C:\Westwood\Renegade

Well, that is the location to which you should also install Renguard.

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [Vincent](#) on Wed, 23 Mar 2005 23:43:37 GMT  
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I try to install it to my C:\Westwood\Renegade folder, but it then says I need to install it to renegade and it would then say installation incomplete and wouldn't be installed. The only time it will install all the way is if I install it to C:\Westwood\Renegade\Data.

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [WNxCABAL](#) on Wed, 23 Mar 2005 23:55:31 GMT  
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Try installing to C:\Westwood2\Renegade or something.

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [Vincent](#) on Thu, 24 Mar 2005 21:56:19 GMT  
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Just recently it let me install renguard on C:\Westwood\Renegade, but I still get the same error problem.....I think it has to do with me getting rid of my older hard drive too have one big drive for everything.....I lost lots of stuff when I got rid of it, but it said it was there but not there.....Is there any chance I can download and install the first version????? That one should work because it worked before on my computer.

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Subject: My mom got banned -for mac-  
Posted by [gaberdude](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 19:02:56 GMT  
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You banned my mom from renguard. She would not even know how to bypass renguard, and anyways, we haven't even been home for the past week, so if some1 was on her account, they were hacking it. Please unban my mom, she will change her password. Her name is artsygal2.

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Subject: Re: My mom got banned -for mac-  
Posted by [WNxCABAL](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 20:20:25 GMT  
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gaberdudeYou banned my mom from renguard.

Sorry gabberdude, but thats a very funny quote LOL

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [gaberdude](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 21:16:35 GMT  
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The sad part about it, is that it is true, they banned her ip address even, and she wasn't home to even do anything with renegade. (both my mom and dad are addicted to renegade, that is why I am making a big deal. Now she just won't be quiet, and she keeps asking me to fix it, when I don't know how)

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [WNxCABAL](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 22:32:02 GMT  
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PM Crimson or Mac, you may get a quicker response

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [gaberdude](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 23:04:37 GMT  
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K, thx

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [Vincent](#) on Sat, 09 Apr 2005 17:54:37 GMT  
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Is there a way I can download renguard 1.01 and use it?

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [Crimson](#) on Sat, 09 Apr 2005 22:13:38 GMT  
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Absolutely not.

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [donmacho](#) on Sun, 10 Apr 2005 18:10:26 GMT  
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i got that problem again                    what can i do about it????????????????????????????????

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [fl00d3d](#) on Sat, 23 Apr 2005 17:36:47 GMT  
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The RenGuard network is obviously suffering from some major collisions or stability problems.

The errors that people have been seeing recently are caused by the inability to connect to the RenGuard network (as some have already stated).

Granted there may be some faults in the code for the renguard client or server ... or maybe even a misconfigured firewall here and there. But generally speaking is a miscommunication with the host network.

When can we expect to see these errors stop? Simple disabling RenGuard, reinstalling the program with hopes that it will solve the problem, or giving users a message that basically says "its your firewall thats the problem" doesn't solve anything.

My input? I think the latest release is when I noticed a performance degradation. I have copies of all versions of the renguard client if anyone cares for a copy. I also have a list of checksums for various versions of game.exe and game2.exe if you'd like those as well. I just want to see this fixed quickly and appropriately.

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [Crimson](#) on Sun, 24 Apr 2005 00:36:11 GMT  
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mac is moving this weekend so all I can do is continually restart the two master servers that are being wonky. The "latest Release" of the RenGuard client was 1.03 which was released several months ago. The client software has no affect on the current problems. Other versions of the Renguard client aren't going to do any good because only the current version is allowed to connect to the network.

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [GDIViperM](#) on Thu, 28 Apr 2005 20:33:12 GMT  
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I have got the same problem like vinc

If I would start renegade it comes this message: Error: Loader could not initialize service!

WTF is happened?

RenGuard would not start I can only play renegade with the game2.exe but renguard is all the time inactive!!

what can I do?

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [ESFEAR1](#) on Sun, 08 May 2005 16:32:10 GMT  
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ok bear with me plz if i put this post in the wrg spot but im new at this forum stuff. i've read many of the players problems with rengaurd and i've notseen quite my same issue. my problem is that when i launch my rengade from gamespy server list (the only place i play) i must force rengaurd to close because it just 'NOT RESPONDING' it just sits ther for hours telling me to wait. unless i close it and relaunch sometimes dozens of times. untill it finally runs and starts trying servers. any thing that you've heard of before?

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [XeonTeam](#) on Fri, 20 May 2005 22:00:06 GMT  
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i get this everytime i start up rg...

<http://www.geocities.com/xeonteam2005/explain.JPG>

<http://www.geocities.com/xeonteam2005/explain2.JPG>

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Subject: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [Z@orbius](#) on Wed, 01 Jun 2005 06:07:55 GMT  
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[23] Core Patch Pre-Check done  
[23] There are errors. Disconnecting!  
[23] Disconnected from RenGuard network

I just finished reinstalling everything.  
I must have put something somewhere it shouldn't have been.

I have no idea as i've checked all the faqs helps etc..

I've run this for the last few years and I don't know what I've done to make Renguard hate me. lol. If anyone has any helpful hints other than re-installing it would be appreciated. As I've done that and yes correctly.

I must have something wrong in my data folder> Can't think of what though.

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Subject: Re: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [ChEmWaRsS](#) on Thu, 23 Jun 2005 23:14:34 GMT  
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Sorry to be a bother here, but my RenGuard just stopped working all together \*literally\* worked fine around 4 today, try it at 7 and it just freezes =/

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Subject: Re: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [zunnie](#) on Sun, 26 Jun 2005 02:30:16 GMT  
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Just whenever you have a problem, the fastest (usually) way to get it fixed is to get your butt on IRC and report the problem your having.

irc : irc.n00bstories.com  
channel : #bhs\_support

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Subject: Re: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [shintins](#) on Tue, 12 Jul 2005 20:11:46 GMT  
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Can anyone explain why I get the following message, when renguard trys to connect?

[20:52] Unauthorized file game2.exe has been found in your renegade directory  
[20:52] Disconnected from RenGuard network

All I did was install the Renegade patch from gamespy and then install renguard and the corepatch1 file. Now whenever i try to connect to renguard it displays this message.

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Subject: Re: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?  
Posted by [mac](#) on Tue, 12 Jul 2005 20:14:50 GMT  
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Download a renguard compatible renegade no cdkey crack.. you'll find links on the sticky threads in this forum.

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Subject: Re: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [xoxogun](#) on Sun, 14 Aug 2005 19:29:06 GMT

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Man, I just tried to install and use rengaard, but it said that all the skins I had were all non-useable.

WTF is up with that, it wouldn't let me connect because of the skins.

So right now I have just uninstalled it and just played Renegade but all the fun maps with lots of people on them require Rengaard so I can't play I really want to play them .

Can someone plz help me.

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Subject: Re: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [xoxogun](#) on Tue, 16 Aug 2005 03:38:54 GMT

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yes yes yes yes yes I finally got it to work by uninstalling and reinstalling my game then putting rengaard on before I got maps and skins.

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Subject: Re: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [xoxogun](#) on Tue, 16 Aug 2005 18:55:28 GMT

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it now keeps saying sever cannot connect.

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Subject: Re: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [xoxogun](#) on Tue, 23 Aug 2005 20:39:11 GMT

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ok I got it to work it was my stupid Norton's Internet protection.

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Subject: Re: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [Mighty BOB!](#) on Wed, 28 Sep 2005 21:09:24 GMT

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Ok something weird has happened. I've been using RG for quite a while & I have never had any problems with it right up until today.

Today I started RG (as usual) & clicked launch Renegade & it all started just fine (as usual). I went to WOL & then Advanced Game Listings & all is working fine, I can see & select all the servers, but whenever I try to join any server I get a version mismatch all of a sudden. It has never done this before ever, it has always worked.

I'm fully updated to my knowledge (unless a patch for something has been issued between yesterday & today). I'm using RG 1.03 with CCR updated to 1.037 & also CP1 installed. I really have no idea what is going on.

[EDIT] Ok I have no idea what that was all about but it is working now after I rebooted. [EDIT]

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Subject: Re: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [=HT=T-Bird](#) on Thu, 29 Sep 2005 11:49:28 GMT

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I get it too, it's usually just a spurious error message...

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Subject: Re: <06/21/04> Problems connecting to RenGuard?

Posted by [Xenorr](#) on Wed, 05 Oct 2005 17:20:26 GMT

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Ok...I ran the Renguard set-up.

And when I tried to play on a renguad sever...It says that I need renguard to play on the sever...So I'm wondering why it said that when I already downloaded and set it up....Sowhat do I do now ? do I have to open it up myself ?...Does t open out on its own or what ?

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