
Subject: So how was your Christmas?

Posted by [snpr1101](#) on Wed, 29 Dec 2010 07:30:34 GMT

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Hi Reneforums; just curious to see what everyone did for Christmas.

Any notable events / gifts / stories? Share em with the rest of us.

I'm fortunate enough to own a beach house away from the city where I spent my Christmas with an Uncle and Grandma.

Spent much time on the beach /w plenty of beer, a bonfire and family.

Yourselves?

Subject: Re: So how was your Christmas?

Posted by [Gohax](#) on Wed, 29 Dec 2010 07:44:11 GMT

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Ended up getting about \$300, the HTC Surround with Windows 7 mobile, And my OWN cell phone bill! Kind of the trade with my mom, she gets me the phone, I get the bill lol. Other than that, basically it. Heading out with this girl tomorrow, was a close friend with me in high-school.

Subject: Re: So how was your Christmas?

Posted by [Spyder](#) on Wed, 29 Dec 2010 11:49:12 GMT

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First day we had dinner with our family, then that night I went out clubbing and the next day I felt miserable. Not many hours later I started throwing up and spent the rest of the days in bed. Today is the first day that I actually feel better...

Subject: Re: So how was your Christmas?

Posted by [Dover](#) on Wed, 29 Dec 2010 21:47:15 GMT

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Gohax wrote on Tue, 28 December 2010 23:44 Ended up heading back to Monterey in Cali with my mom and brother. Been going to the beach during the day, chilling with some old friends. Supposed to rain the rest of the time I'm here though, so no more of that :/

It's been raining here on and off for a few weeks now.

Subject: Re: So how was your Christmas?
Posted by [Gohax](#) on Wed, 29 Dec 2010 21:51:49 GMT
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Oh yeah! I forgot you were from Monterey, too lol. Yeah, I'm back in town til Friday. And yeah, the weather has been sucking hte last couple days. Raining again today :/

Subject: Re: So how was your Christmas?
Posted by [snpr1101](#) on Wed, 29 Dec 2010 21:57:09 GMT
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Ye, speaking of rain, we were quite lucky to make the drive on Christmas day.

Roads have been flooded and a lot of people spent Christmas day on the side of the road / in their cars overnight. ; /

Anyhow, what is the "HTC Surround"?

Too lazy to google

Subject: Re: So how was your Christmas?
Posted by [Gohax](#) on Thu, 30 Dec 2010 01:00:45 GMT
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Here's a link. Just like an "overview" of the phone:

<http://www.htc.com/www/product/7surround/overview.html>

And pics:

<http://www.usacellphoneplans.com/wp-content/uploads/2010/11/htc-surround.jpg>

Subject: Re: So how was your Christmas?
Posted by [Tupolev TU-95 Bear](#) on Thu, 30 Dec 2010 01:37:37 GMT
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Christmas has been cold. There's been a few snow showers and that, but the snows cleared up (Finally ffs)

Subject: Re: So how was your Christmas?
Posted by [snpr1101](#) on Thu, 30 Dec 2010 02:36:02 GMT
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Posted by [Gohax](#) on Thu, 30 Dec 2010 21:29:49 GMT
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Just about. Well, the home screen is a lot different than the iphone's. Also, you can select your apps from a list on another page instead of by tabs. You can also pin some of your contacts to your home screen, so all you have to do is tap on them, select call or text and you're done. It comes with Microsoft Office, which I think this one has Word, Excel, and Powerpoint. But, I think all Windows Phones come with that.

All in all, I think it's better than the iPhone. The one thing that the iPhone has over this phone, and all Windows Phones, are the apps. But, the iPhone and Apple have been in the smartphone business for a while now, therefore they are going to have a lot of apps. Microsoft just started, so they don't really have that much apps.

Subject: Re: So how was your Christmas?
Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Fri, 31 Dec 2010 04:44:44 GMT
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I got a neat torpedo socket set. Even though I already have two, another is still great for a garage stuffed with motorcycles. :/

Subject: Re: So how was your Christmas?
Posted by [Altzan](#) on Fri, 31 Dec 2010 06:04:26 GMT
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We had some distant family over, it was great to see them again.
We also went to visit a different side of the family for dinner.

As for gifts, my main thing was a new phone, since my old one was getting worn out.

Subject: Re: So how was your Christmas?
Posted by [zeratul](#) on Fri, 31 Dec 2010 06:05:25 GMT
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strangely relaxing
