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Thread: [Award Policy Regarding Closed Accounts](#)

Omniscient - April 24, 2016, 11:37 am

I have added to Site Policy that closed accounts are now subject to all awards on the account to be removed.

<https://hackforums.net/misc.php?action=help&hid=24>

Quote:Are awards on closed accounts removed?

Yes, they are. All awards on closed accounts are subject to removal.

I've already run the necessary queries. So right now all closed accounts should have zero awards.

Thank you.

Yoshikage Kira - April 24, 2016, 11:37 am

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DeltaSeven - April 24, 2016, 11:40 am

(Apr 24, 2016 11:37 AM)insaneasusual Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Why is that? Is it to shame them for getting closed?

They dont need them anymore anyways.

Pain - April 24, 2016, 11:40 am

I feel like those awards should be given out lol:3

Omniscient - April 24, 2016, 11:40 am

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Neos07 - April 24, 2016, 11:41 am

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? Soufian ? - April 24, 2016, 11:42 am

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Granny Bacon - April 24, 2016, 11:44 am

(Apr 24, 2016 11:42 AM)? Soufian ? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Let's make an exception for the asswipe Award ?
I would like that to happen lol xD

Very good policy Omni, that's what I wanted to see for a while.

It looks weird for closed accounts to have awards indeed.

Suspense - April 24, 2016, 11:46 am

Some closed users, such as what I would call 'legacy' users (i.e. adampelletgun) left some great

memories and achievements by the awards they had.

Although, it is understanding why you did this. I guess it was about time for a more standardized approach.

Cryptic™ - April 24, 2016, 11:47 am

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Omniscient - April 24, 2016, 11:48 am

(Apr 24, 2016 11:41 AM)Neos07 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Yeah, that will clean the lists in the awards list: <https://hackforums.net/myawards.php>

That too. Looks really sloppy imho to see awards given to accounts that are closed.

Travis Bickle - April 24, 2016, 11:48 am

I like this. But does this mean that all previous ones will lose their awards? or just from now on?

BooGod - April 24, 2016, 11:49 am

I think that is a good implemention.

Ongoing - April 24, 2016, 11:49 am

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They should just be glad they get their account back.

Travis Bickle - April 24, 2016, 11:50 am

(Apr 24, 2016 11:49 AM)Ongoing Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) He has already removed them from all closed accounts and will continue to do so. ?

Thanks for answering?

#Skyline - April 24, 2016, 1:04 pm

R.I.P old account, I shall remember that big red diamond I use to have :(

minimalist - April 24, 2016, 1:05 pm

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Omniscient - April 24, 2016, 1:12 pm

(Apr 24, 2016 01:05 PM)Minimalist Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Still so many Ub3rs that we can't even view the blue diamond award page....:(

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Krave - April 24, 2016, 1:12 pm

Nice new policy, this will definitely clean up the awards page :)

Vitani - April 24, 2016, 1:30 pm

This is a great idea, since it just looks strange when a closed account has alot of awards.

Maybe you should consider adding an exception for the asswipe, turkey and dunce award?

Omniscient - April 24, 2016, 1:31 pm

I see no reason for exceptions on Closed accounts.

Also added the restrictions to all paid awards with the exception for the Gift award which I think is appropriate to show.

Roytoy - April 24, 2016, 1:32 pm

This is kinda sad, but It's definitely for the best. Adds a bit value to awards.

minimalist - April 24, 2016, 1:32 pm

(Apr 24, 2016 01:12 PM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Prefer to keep it restricted and I'm likely to remove permissions for other donation awards too. Maybe I'll do that now.

Oh, what? Was kinda hoping that you'd make it viewable but that works too....:\$

ChazGaming - April 24, 2016, 1:33 pm

This seems like a good idea to me.

Vitani - April 24, 2016, 1:47 pm

(Apr 24, 2016 01:31 PM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Also added the restrictions to all paid awards with the exception for the Gift award which I think is appropriate to show.

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Ahh...forgot Brony. OMC seems pointless.

Omniscient - April 24, 2016, 1:52 pm

(Apr 24, 2016 01:50 PM)xadamxk Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) What do you mean restrictions?

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The Award viewing page:

<https://hackforums.net/myawards.php?awid=35>

Vitani - April 24, 2016, 1:52 pm

(Apr 24, 2016 01:50 PM)xadamxk Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) What do you mean restrictions?

So even paid awards go away? Or stay?

When a member is closed all awards will be removed from his/her profile.

The restrictions basicly mean that we will no longer be able to view a list of all the people who have a certain paid award.

Omniscient - April 24, 2016, 2:24 pm

(Apr 24, 2016 02:20 PM)xadamxk Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Ahh, thanks.

Mind if I ask the reasoning for that? ?

Yes, because I am tired of members in my business trying to count my income.