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Sky - October 31, 2023, 9:36 am

BYTES PER POST INCREASED

[Omniscient](#) announced an increase in bytes earned through posting. With this change, users will now receive 3 bytes per post instead of 1. Upgraded members will still see an increase in bytes earned based on their tier. Leet members will receive 4.5 bytes per post, while Ub3R members will receive 6 bytes per post. You can learn more about this and other bytes reward increases by viewing his thread [here](#).

E-WHORING REBRANDED

During Octoberfest we received an update which resulted in the E-Whoring section being rebranded to [Adult Content Management](#). The ficon which has been used for years was also replaced with a new design. You can view the announcement and discussions on these changes by checking out [this thread](#).

CREW USERBARS UPDATE

A recent change to custom crew userbars has increased the max file size from 60k to 150k. This is intended to help incentivize members to upgrade their images or even rebrand the entire crew. You can see the post announcing this update by clicking [here](#).

SITE STATS

Total Posts: 62,170,399

Threads: 62,170,399

Members: 5,442,882

AverageDaily Posts: 10,298.69

Daily Threads: 1,036.6

Daily New Members: 901.83

Posts Per Member: 11.42

Replies Per Thread: 8.94

GROUP COUNTS

Groups ([Click to View](#)) Allegiance

Owner: [SIM-3323508](#)

Leaders:

Members: 17

Blacklisted

Owner: [Immortal](#)

Leaders:

Members: 1

COINED

Owner: [Migos](#)
Leaders: [Komodo](#)
Members: 31
Eden
Owner: [Neal Caffrey](#)
Leaders: [Lrrr](#) [IDK](#)
Members: 58
Equilibrium
Owner: [Soulmate~??](#)
Leaders: [Wander](#) [Allelujah](#)
Members: 26
Fallen
Owner: [7](#)
Leaders: [Cooligan](#)
Members: 19
Gamblers
Owner: [@N@](#)
Leaders: [Lavish Living](#) [Zexo](#) [Immortal](#) [StuffSneak](#) [mention=5051324]
Members: 30
Infamous
Owner: [SUI-3183372](#)
Leaders: [iNviZ](#) [Eagle 95](#) [SIM-1729678](#) [Proof](#)
Members: 29
Legends
Owner: [Raymond Reddington](#)
Leaders: [DamienVC](#) [TheChi?f](#) [7](#) [mention=5037217]
Members: 56
Lions League
Owner: [flavoral](#)
Leaders: [Vitani Parks](#) [Cooligan](#)
Members: 18
Olympians
Owner: [Neil](#)
Leaders: [mention=4227846] [B3A](#) [Seaking](#) [Rionxee](#) [Biggs](#) [Gary Clark Jr.](#)
Members: 22
Pink LSZ
Owner: [Zero](#)
Leaders: [Lavish Living](#) [Maxorg](#) [Xen](#) [@N@](#) [@grainy@](#) [Zexo](#) [mention=3707989]
Members: 76
PROFIT
Owner: [Neil](#)
Leaders:
Members: 30
Refactor
Owner: [Porn](#)
Leaders:
Members: 55
Secret Society
Owner: [mention=4873170]
Leaders: [CHRONOS](#)
Members: 15
Sociopaths
Owner: [Kawen](#)

Leaders:

Members: 8

Succubus

Owner: [SecretAchiever101](#)

Leaders: [SourceCode101](#)

Members: 8

Terminal

Owner: [Neal Caffrey](#)

Leaders:

Members: 6

The Brotherhood

Owner: [Nuworld](#)

Leaders: [mention=420] [Xen illuminati?](#)

Members: 22

The Marketers

Owner: [mention=4227846]

Leaders: [Envy Proof](#)

Members: 25

Warriors

Owner: [Cap](#)

Leaders: [Sky](#) [Envy](#) [Komodo](#)

Members: 32

GROUP & CREW NEWS

[Blacklisted](#) has been purchased by [Immortal](#)

[Succubus](#) group is still listed for sale by [SecretAchiever101](#)

[Marketers](#) group is still listed for sale by [mention=4227846]

[COINED](#) group has been listed for sale by [Migos](#)

[Profit](#) group is still listed for sale by [Neil](#)

[The Feds](#) crew has been listed for sale by [Scrubspoo](#)

[BlackCats](#) crew is still listed for sale by [Zexo](#)

[Mafia](#) crew is still listed for sale by [TOfu](#)

[Red Lions](#) crew is still listed for sale by [B3A](#)

RECRUITMENTS

[Warriors Open-Recruitment](#)

[Equilibrium Recruitment](#)

[Gamblers Buy-in & Recruitment](#)

[Marketers Recruitment](#)

[Marketers Buy-in](#)

[Olympians Recruitment](#)

[Pink LSZ Recruitment](#)

[Red Lions Recruitment](#)

[Mast3r Recruitment](#)

You can view Groups & Crews of past and present here:

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=6177244>

USER NEWS

[Komodo](#) has received the [Sticky Man](#) award for his [guide on the cardiovascular system and electrocardiograms](#).

[Komodo](#) has received the [White Hat Helper](#) award for his efforts in the [Health Wise](#) section.

[Charlie Sheen](#) has received the [Silver Medal](#) award for giving away [free L33T upgrades](#).

[DemonAsylum](#) has received the [MAGA's of the Universe](#) award.

[Local Celeb](#) has received the [Music Lover](#) award.

[Sky](#) has received the [Qwazz Star](#) and [iHydra](#) awards.

[Proof](#) has received the [Infamous Delta](#) award.

[DemonAsylum](#) and [Sky](#) have reached 5,000 posts.

[Bastille](#) has reached 2,000 popularity points.

[DemonAsylum](#) has reached 3,000 positive b-ratings without a negative rating.

[Proof](#) and [Migos](#) have been appointed as [HF Convo](#) moderators.

BANS & CLOSURES

[Mr. Robot](#) was closed for scamming a member for \$8,000.

[POLLUX](#) was closed for scamming members.

[LoremIpsum](#) was banned for excessive deal disputes.

[Biggs](#) received a 2-day ban for making false reports.

Many ban-evading fatties were banned and closed during the month of October as well.

VACATIONS

[Nuts](#) took a 1-month vacation ban.

[Allelujah](#) took a 1-month vacation ban.

[mention=5051324] took a 1-month vacation ban.

AWARD PRICE INCREASED

The Bytes Bag is about to get a bit more expensive. An announcement was made that the award as of November 1st will be re-valued at 30,000 bytes. With the announcement, it was also mentioned that the price would continue to increase over time. More of an incentive to go ahead and purchase the award now while it is still cheap. And with the recent updates in bytes per post, it's easier now than before. You can read the thread discussing the change [here](#).

CAPTCHA REMOVED

After several users discussed complications due to Cloudflare Captcha, the decision was made to remove the Captcha. This should make posting and replying to PM's easier for newer members. These changes may revert back if it proves to be problematic. You can find more information in [this thread](#).

WARNING LEVEL CHANGES

Some changes were made to the Warning System in order to be a little less harsh than before. Posting limitation times have been reduced along with a decreased ban lengths. You can view the list of warnings, their values and effects by taking a look at [this thread](#).

SUPPORT THE HF NEWS

If you would like to support Scribe and Writ3rs, feel free to wear our support signature.

Code

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DemonAsylum - November 1, 2023, 1:53 am

Really appreciate the continued effort with the news! Another great edition as expected. Keep them coming!

msmithham2346 - November 1, 2023, 2:09 am

i will 100% support Scribe and Writ3rs

The Signature is used !

V?rt - November 1, 2023, 7:19 am

Looks great OP! Thanks for always giving us a great update.

Biggy - November 1, 2023, 7:30 am

Another great edition as always.

Nice job [Sky](#)

Nostre - November 1, 2023, 7:38 am

Great edition as always. Implementing the HUM standings looks good as well.

StuffSneak - November 1, 2023, 7:57 am

Thank you for the update. Appreciate the efforts!

Bastille - November 1, 2023, 9:20 am

Wasn't aware that the bytes per post increased, good to know ! Also glade to see that EW activity has been removed from Hack section

Congrats [Komodo](#) for your White Hat Helper award, I'm praying to get this one every day

Neil - November 2, 2023, 6:55 am

Great edition as always [Sky](#)

Can't wait to see the future ones

Sky - November 2, 2023, 7:09 am

Noticed I forgot to update the link in the signature to this thread. Fixed.

Cyam - November 2, 2023, 7:14 am

Thank you for this man! Some of this stuff I would definitely miss if not for your news threads! Keep up the great work

Omniscient - November 3, 2023, 10:32 am

October was a pretty cool month. Thanks for the summary and hopefully we have a banger of a Xmas season.

Sky - November 3, 2023, 10:34 am

(Nov 3, 2023 10:32 AM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) October was a pretty cool month. Thanks for the summary and hopefully we have a banger of a Xmas season.
Any plans with the ornaments this year?

Biggy - November 3, 2023, 11:01 am

(Nov 3, 2023 10:32 AM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) October was a pretty cool month. Thanks for the summary and hopefully we have a banger of a Xmas season.
Agreed! Everyone loves a good old HF award.

Excited for what XMAS season will bring on HF, let's go!

BiNBo - November 7, 2023, 8:30 am

Another amazing article! Thanks for all your continued hard work! [Sky](#)

Grim - November 8, 2023, 12:06 pm

nice read, looking forward to the holiday season and seeing what it brings on for the forum!

enigma125 - November 28, 2023, 1:28 am

Another fantastic edition, keep up the good work looking forward to more.

Sky - November 30, 2023, 9:14 pm

New edition has been published.