
Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/10 21:54

In order to be able to test some of the latest fixes with a broader audience I have put together a nightly build for a patch to 1.0.4

This is an unsupported patch to allow you to test the latest collection of fixes from the SVN #551.

The patch file is a zip archive that needs to be unzipped locally. It only contains those files that changed since 1.0.4. In order to patch a server, these files need to be ftp-ed/copied over the existing files. Needless to say you should backup first. This is for testing purposes only and not intended as an official patch or version.

This should fix all those bugs that got closed on the SVN over the past couple of days. As this is just a nightly build, no documentation is provided outside of this message. If you want to know what bugs should be fixed in here please check Tracker on the SVN and look for bugs closed between 12-24-2007 and 1-10-2008.

Please keep feedback to this nightly build to this thread ONLY!

Thx!

You can find the latest Nightly builds/patches here:

<http://joomlancode.org/gf/user/fxstein/userfiles>

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/10 22:47

Big THANKS!

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grmi64 - 2008/01/11 01:54

Great - many thanks! This is great to see...Fireboard has made some great progress in the last month or so. I really like the new Preview feature - *much* better than before.

Is this going to be added to a 1.0.5 release? To be honest, it's probably not a bad idea to make a 1.0.5 - people can use this patch that have already updated with 1.0.4 and new folks will be spared the pain down the road.

-Greg

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/11 02:13

They kind of did that with 1.0.2. There never was an official release of it. That's why it jumps from .1 to .3. You probably already knew that.

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/11 08:25

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Since this IS the latest SVN this will be in any future release we come out with.

We would like to get all the bugs out and have as many as possible test before we package a 1.0.5. I could see another Nightly SVN version to make sure any further/outstanding fixes don't break anything else.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by iosoft - 2008/01/11 09:04

Will test tomorrow.

Just asking -

does it fix the missing tag ?
and Quick Reply with every post error ?

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/11 09:21

Here is a link to tracker:

http://joomlancode.org/gf/project/fireboard/tracker/?action=TrackerItemBrowse&tracker_id=809

Filter on closed bugs and sort by close date decending. All between 12-24-07 and 01-10-08 are in this test patch.

Your two are in that list - I believe. Pls doublecheck.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by hypnotoad - 2008/01/11 11:43

Great! I'll test that nightly as soon as possible!

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by alou - 2008/01/11 13:06

fxstein wrote:

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<http://joomlancode.org/gf/user/fxstein/userfiles/my>

fxstein, the link above leads to login. I think it should be

<http://joomlancode.org/gf/user/fxstein/userfiles>

Good thing you pack the svn for testing, thanks ;)

Edit:

I'll paste here the closed bugs in the time period mentioned for convenience, as I see some might be different cases of

actually the same thing:

Images size does not obey BBCode
error: Class 'BBCodeInterpreter'
Avatar galleries broken
font-size BBcode does not work
Cannot change font size
Posting field and emoticon area layout broken on post reply and showing random code.
No line breaks in post.
Scroll Bars appear on posts.
Problem with CODE tag.
Image codes in quote box.
The "size" option of the tag IMG not work.
Quick Reply box always open.
Quoted text is no longer highlighted.
Parser Bug in autolinking
img size tag ignored by parser
Parser does not convert smiles inside a quote
Quick reply open on every post. FB 1.0.4

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/11 13:12

Oops - my bad - thx for pointing out! - its fixed.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/01/11 13:50

Thanks a lot for this, i'm going to evaluate this too.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by MalastiC - 2008/01/11 13:56

Thank you.
I solved a number of problems that had, because of this.
Regards,

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/11 14:40

NO issues to report at this time. I have a non-working preview button but I suspect it's the Rockettheme template causing it.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by Santelia - 2008/01/11 16:57

Me too.
Using RT FireFrogtheme.

Qhat do you suggest to look for, just to figure out a solution?

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/11 17:50

Got this from Joomla!works

<http://forum.joomla!works.gr/index.php?PHPSESSID=ef3bf660704b1b7b617105c85bb0c881&topic=2149.0>

This post is for those who are experiencing javascript issues (errors or conflicts) when using the latest "Frontpage Slideshow" module (v1.6) on Joomla! templates that heavily rely on Mootools (mainly the RocketTheme templates).

So, if you already have such a template and furthermore, if you have installed some other Joomla! or Mambo extension that uses Mootools as well, you can get javascript errors or conflicts. But wait! This is actually normal and it all depends on how Mootools works. You see, calling the Mootools library multiple times (not to mention calling different version of the Mootools library on the same template!) causes it to crash in many situations.

So what do we do? The best solution is to call the full Mootools library on your template's head.../head tags and comment it out/delete it from your extensions and your template.

That way you will only include the Mootools library once (=less weight for your webpage too) and all your Mootools-based extensions AND your template's "tools" or functionality will operate properly.

So download the full Mootools library

<http://mootools.net/download>

unzip it, create a folder called "js" inside your current template and transfer in there the extracted mootools.v1.11.js file. After that, add this code between the head.../head tags in your template:

check the above Joomla!works link for the snippet of code. Sorry

Possibly this works for FireBoard as well.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by alou - 2008/01/11 18:15

I don't think quick reply thing has to do with the mootools / jquery conflict, I fixed the q.r. problem with replacing some files from SVN some time ago (interpreter.fireboard.inc and some of these included in the patch) while I still have a mootools / jquery conflict over the vcard in Numinu template.

Having only one instance of mootools and jquery ofcourse helps everything work better so this should be done anyhow.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/11 18:51

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by exochat - 2008/01/11 19:00

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/11 19:32

This patch addresses most of the issues people have reported. Back up your .3 install and apply the .4 upgrade and then this patch. If it doesn't work out you can always reapply your back since the database isn't being rewritten.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/11 20:23

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As this is only a test patch I recommend you wait for 1.0.5 unless you are willing to test this any live with some issues.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by alou - 2008/01/11 20:31

grumblemarc wrote:

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Have you tried disabling any js in the template one by one and see what happens? Should be loaded in the very end of the head tag. I have this issue but with the vcard, q.r. thing was fixed in my case not by disabling js / mootools but with some svn files...

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/11 20:38

Not just yet. This particular forum gets very little traffic since the site owner isn't cultivating any new users or updating the site. It's not a pressing issue. No worries.

Oh! And to punctuate what fxstein says, use this patch on non-production sites for testing. Use on LIVE sites at your own risk!

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by orthanc - 2008/01/12 17:08

fxstein wrote:

font-size BBcode does not work

Overwrite my local installation but this function still don't work.
Can anyone confirm this?

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by alou - 2008/01/12 18:29

I didn't have this issue at the first time so I can't confirm BUT if font size won't work, try manually setting the tag in a post to (120% would give a bigger than standard font, 80% a smaller etc) instead of the standard size=1,2,3 etc. If that works, change the definitions in smile.class.php accordingly.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by mikeho1980 - 2008/01/12 22:34

I had tried the Patch, thanks a lot.
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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by racoon - 2008/01/13 03:22

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please try to use small letters:

this.jpg

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/13 07:17

Thats correct. Right now the parser wants it 'mainly' in small letter. I will have to look into how we can cure that...

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by mikeho1980 - 2008/01/13 16:57

racocon wrote:

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Well, they are in small letters, but still doesn't work.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by nanaya - 2008/01/13 17:27

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#fireboard .fbxl {font-size: 15px;}
#fireboard .fbxxl {font-size: 16px;}
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I just made my settings like this for now in the forum.css of the fireboard template. That's all I can do for now. At least it kinda made more big.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by orthanc - 2008/01/13 17:40

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Thanks, works fine now. :)

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by HonezzZ - 2008/01/13 18:43

Thank you very !! With your patch i fix all frustrated problems in my board.
Good work man !!

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/15 10:20

How is everybody else doing. Any more issues?

I'd like to get another round out this week.

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by toni - 2008/01/15 12:11

Well I guess this was more like a feature request, so I moved it:
"Report to moderator" mails annoy non-forum admins

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/15 14:36

That has nothing to do with this patch. Please start a separate thread as we're trying to keep this one "clean".

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/01/17 22:20

Fully tested today.

All is fine, known bug are all fixed for me except one thing which for a strange reason has not been fixed in fireboard 1.0.4

Post from restricted areas still not show in recent post plugin and the following workaround still work like a charm :
http://www.bestofjoomla.com/component/option,com_fireboard/func,view/Itemid,38/catid,76/id,27147/#24638

Also posts from child boards don't appear in "Show latest Post" like in previous version.

I think the bug with the workaround could be fixed easily and included in a patch.

Hope this help, thanks again for the patch

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/01/18 21:36

Ok some more testing showed that the locked thread circumventing is still possible and the files provided in the thread about it don't work with your patch files.

http://www.bestofjoomla.com/component/option,com_fireboard/Itemid,38/func,view/id,37233/catid,73/

Could you look into this ?

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by itgl72 - 2008/01/19 01:00

I have gone to the browser tracker to check out what fixes are available since I upgraded to 1.04:
http://joomlancode.org/gf/project/fireboard/tracker/?action=TrackerItemBrowse&tracker_id=809

The only change I have done so far is the fix for quick reply boxes being open on every message.

Some of the trackers for issues I am concerned over say Fixed in or before SVN 551.

So I download the file for 551 but I am concerned about uploading all of them. I would upload one at a time if I knew what fix was being applied.

I know you said theres no documentation but I would like to apply a fix one at a time, or atleast know that I am replacing a file that fixes a particulr issue.

I don't mean to sound ungrateful, but it seemed like a shortcut to not post the fix in the tracker item vs directing a user to look elsewhere that isnt documented yet.

Hey I know everyones donating their time, so I really don't want to sound ungrateful. It could be me, I'm new to trying to track issues down in trackers and forums for joomla. I didn't know what a tracker even was till last week.

I was just hoping that closed items in a tracker, actually have a link to a page with the actual fix in some way.

Thanks for all you guys do... And Marc please don't grumble at me, I am trying! :-)

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/19 02:34

Rrrr.

Really, I'm not grumbling but the files you download from the SVN aren't really mean to be used as patches or fixes-only for testing on non-production sites until you are POSITIVE they work without issue. Hence no documentation.

So I would definitely get away from looking at them as fixes until they are released officially.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/19 04:25

As Marc said THESE ARE NOT FIXES. I am just asking testers to validate the work so far. If you want to be part of that great, if not you will have to wait for 1.0.5 - and that could be several weeks out depending on how much feedback we get from people testing.

Many fixes are touching multiple files at once. It is simply not possible to keep track at that level - outside of SVN. The SVN contains that info for developers and advanced users but there is absolutely nothing planned to make this available to a broader audience.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/01/19 14:54

Thanks for letting us alone with this, will try to fix my unfixed bug myself as if i understand well no help will be provided here has you just want testers but not help them to fix bugs right ?

You know sometimes such behaviour is destroying all my will to test, find, fix and share things.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/19 22:30

frodon2,

Not sure what got you all excited. I am very grateful for you sharing the problems. In fact the posting on locked threads had been fixed this week and will be in the next nightly patch. Still working on others.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/01/20 05:07

Because your post looks like "please test the patch but don't expect help on it", that's why you got such answer and will surely have again with this approach, if there's no additional value in this thread like support i can just grab the svn version myself and fill the bugtracker which would make this thread quite senseless. Maybe i misread your post but it really looked like that.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by zachheise - 2008/01/21 00:22

Unfortunately, I can confirm that the scroll bar issue persists on my site (which was the main problem that I was having, or at least I wasn't able to find any other ones!) - maybe better luck next time in the next developer patch.

No complaints from me of course; everything works and I know this was meant to try to fix the issues caused by the 1.0.4 patch - out of curiosity, grumblemarc and fxstein, how often do the SVN's come out?

(and yes, I cleared all my private data and caches in my browsers before making this post)

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/21 02:03

That's the one problem I still cannot reproduce. I have tried:

IE6 & 7, Firefox on Windows and Mac, Safari on Windows and Mac and a few other minor browsers. I wonder if this is a conflict with another template or jsript. Would somebody with this issue allow me to poke behind the scenes of their install?

As for the SVN: Every time a fix gets checked in a new SVN version gets created. Usually they are not made public until the next release but can be downloaded directly form SVN (joomla.org) but since there is no install it is not as easy for the average joe to test those. That's why I volunteered to package a nightly build. I will put together another one within the next couple of days or so, as several more issues have been fixed.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/21 02:10

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Please let me know if there's anything else I can do to help out, information-wise.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by zachheise - 2008/01/21 13:28

Just also noticed that after the original 1.0.4 patch was applied, the ability to "preview" posts has vanished as well - the popup doesn't show up at all in firefox, and in IE7, when I click the preview button, the only reaction is that the yellow exclamation mark in the lower left corner tells me "error on page"

the error message in IE7 says:

Char: 1
Error: Object Expected
Code:0

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/01/21 14:28

Now that you point this out i notice that i have the same behavior, no preview for me too.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/21 15:25

I ditched the .4 patch files (not this one). There is some discrepancy/difference in them and the regular release. I uninstalled and reinstalled using the full package and all my issues were fixed. When I upgraded using the patch files from .3 I had all sorts of errors.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/01/21 16:10

Would be interesting to know exactly the root cause, as reinstalling is ok on local but not on production sites. Has a bug report been opened in the bug traker for this bug in 1.0.4 ?

From my first search it seems this bug hasn't been filled yet in the bug tracker, it would be interesting if we could fill all together a detailed description of this bug.
I will try to dig on this and find what cause the problem on my install.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/21 16:38

Would that count as a "bug"? The discrepancy/ies has/have been known of since the .4 release but it is unknown as to what the discrepancies are.

I did the reinstall on a live site with no issues since the database is never touched. Applied this SVN patch and have had no problems. I even updated the JQuery to the latest version for good measure.

I would urge everyone to not use the .4 upgrade patch files and just do a full reinstall (NOT a CLEAN INSTALL) and apply THIS patch after you have tested it out first. Of course BACKUP BACKUP BACKUP first.

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/01/21 17:07

Hum, i would rather report the bug in the patch files which create this side effect error has this would help to fix the patch files. Most of users won't come here and read your advice and so far it is the only problem i met with the patch files, in addition you should detail more explicitly what you call a full reinstall. In my mind reinstall goes along with image and template directory loss where it becomes annoying when you installed a custom template in which you did css modifications.

I mean if this is a recurrent problem a tutorial about performing what you call a full reinstall would help especially if linked in the wiki.

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/21 17:13

That is exactly what I mean by full reinstall. Backup anything you want to save (template folders, images, etc) uninstall FB, reinstall FB and reupload anything that was deleted by the uninstall. If you are unsure backup all your FB folders in their entirety.

I don't see a need for A tutorial.

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/01/21 17:26

Anyway this is a dirty workaround not a solution and may be a real pain for big sites, patch files are supposed to work and is what most users will use. As i said most users won't come here and eventually read your advice so most users may still have this issue if no one care to fix the patch files so advising this is good as a temp fix but not in the long run. That's why i'm more interested in finding what is wrong in the patch file package and fill the suitable bug report so that patch files package can be fixed and most users not impacted by this bug.

Keep in mind that most users won't browse the forum and they won't benefit your temp workaround so fixing the patch files is important and inescapable IMO. I'm not fine with letting fireboard 1.0.4 patch file users alone with their issues.

Will start digging on this.

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/21 19:44

Now for that I have some good news. I am working on a re-write of the install/upgrade procedure with the target being there can only be one package. No patch vs full install. No more manual SQL scripts. Uninstall Fireboard and reinstall the new version.
Far too many problems with the complicated upgrades...

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/21 19:46

Good news indeed! I knew you hinted about it recently. Now for the onslaught of "Is it ready yet?" questions.

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Where do I find the rhuk template? I need to try that out.

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/21 19:53

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It will be ready for testing soon...

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/21 19:53

It's the Solarflare template. Rhuk (RocketThemes) is the author.

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/01/21 20:23

A single package would be great for fresh install and upgrades, that would indeed avoid many problems. However i'm concerned by the image and template directories in this case (uninstall/install concept) as it is one more step to backup these directories and upload them afterwards, besides i'm quite sure that because the custom template directory contain a duplicate of the plugin directory some users would end with an install using the old plugin files.

Is there any specification opened for this system ? would be interesting for everyone to discuss it before implementing it or freezing the specification.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/21 20:34

Getting off topic but...

Why not add a simple check so that these files/directories do not get overwritten? I'm sure fxstein has already thought of that.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/21 20:46

Lets close this for now and keep this thread to issue about this nightly build.

You will get a chance to test new functionality soon enough. Thx!

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/01/23 21:43

The IMG tag size issue is still there in this patched version.

Will the following fix still work (i noticed this part of the file changed a little) ?

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/23 22:08

Hmm. Interesting. Is it all the time or just for some? We have rewritten that piece to take care of the image size issues. Let me look at that.

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As for the fixed bugs. Once we have a fix that has been validated by several folks, we close the bug. It means that the latest SVN contains that fix and that it will be part of the next release that gets put together. As we coordinate multiple developers it is important for us to keep track what has been closed - even if it has not been released as part of a new version.

Have not had a chance to work with JACLplus. As it is a separate component I can't really comment on its functionality - I would not know what I am talking about. Maybe somebody else with experience in JACLplus could look into this?

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/01/24 13:10

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I think this way of handling things is really an improvement as it ensure that your forum layout is not destroyed by big images, it was the case in 1.0.3 on my forum and is fixed now (didn't noticed this before you told me).

The only additional thing i could see would be to make the image clickable so that the user can just click the image to see it in full size in a blank page (like when you right click on it and choose view image). Anyway i can live without, i find this new implementation way more appropriate than the previous which broke forum layout in some cases.

Thanks for the explanation and the greatr work done on this

Warning withb image size in SV551

Posted by juanma - 2008/01/24 14:44

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Is it possible correct this?

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/24 14:57

Nested tags. Looks like they "break" the size limitations. Use Multithumb. Prevents just that from happening.

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Re:Warning with image size in SV551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/24 19:57

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Sorry, but what exactly is the issue? Your bbcode above does not contain any size restrictions.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/01/24 20:01

Good eye. Didn't catch that. Perhaps he means that because it DOES NOT somehow FireBoard is supposed to catch that and resize the images accordingly?

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by juanma - 2008/01/24 23:26

Of course, I thought that Fireboard would resize the images to the forum.
In the 1.0.3 I used this so that the images did not broken the forum:

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In forum.css
/* Restrict the width of forum messages */
td.fb-msgview-right table tr td div.msgtext
{
width: 600px;
overflow: auto;
}
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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/01/25 00:10

Let me check into that. What browser are you using?

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by juanma - 2008/01/25 01:10

Habitually I use Safari. But I comprobed in Explorer.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by juanma - 2008/02/07 23:57

Hello, I used SVN#551, and when user puts a image in post, the image resize to 450px (only in Firefox and Safari, because in Explorer apperas the scroll bar). You can view here:

http://www.clubpeugeot307.com/component/option,com_fireboard/Itemid,47/func,view/id,94511/catid,21/limit,6/limitstart,54/

Can somebody to say me what is the file that put the limit of 450px to images (I need to modify it).

Thanks.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/02/08 03:10

Its a setting in the FireBoard backend. It the text are width setting. Its 450 by default but you can change it to anything you want. Not need to touch any code. Hope this helps!

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by zachheise - 2008/03/07 11:00

fxstein wrote:

That's the one problem I still cannot reproduce. I have tried:

IE6 & 7, Firefox on Windows and Mac, Safari on Windows and Mac and a few other minor browsers. I wonder if this is a conflict with another template or jscript. Would somebody with this issue allow me to poke behind the scenes of their install?

I've had a chance to play around with more templates now. All of the templates based on default (gray, green, red, etc) have the scroll bar issue, but when I used infinity and numinu, there were no scroll bar problems at all. My users have asked that I go back to the default (for some reason they didn't like numinu, sigh :() but at least I have narrowed it down a little bit.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by hypnotoad - 2008/03/14 04:20

There is a problem in smile.class.php, function htmlwrap more specifically. In the version in the patch, the regex checking for UTF8 causes Apache to crash on two of my Debian/Ubuntu systems, when long posts are in a thread. All details here:

http://www.bestofjoomla.com/component/option,com_fireboard/Itemid,38/func,view/catid,73/id,46885/#46885

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/03/14 05:39

Thx for the headsup.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by cmerrill - 2008/03/27 08:25

Hey everyone, I've been reading through threads, and have found that this thread seems to be related to my issue the most.

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I'm viewing it in IE.

Is there a patch or something wrong with my template? I'm not sure because the IMG resize should have addressed it

right?

Here is the link to the post.

http://toneslinger.com/main/index.php?option=com_fireboard&Itemid=41&func=view&id=8&catid=5#8

I'm also going to post the image here from the the thread and see how this forum handles it:

Using http://img.photobucket.com/albums/v142/parrotheada1a/Avatars/IMG_0033.jpg

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by n0fear - 2008/03/31 00:11

Is Fireboard still under development?? Still can not fix bugs like Preview pointing to some error on smile.class.php

Warning: reset() : Passed variable is not an array or object in
/xxx/test/httpdocs/components/com_fireboard/template/default/smile.class.php on line 42

Font Size not working

Size Small

Size Very Big

Can anyone point me how to fix, and yes searching forums, google whole day

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by grumblemarc - 2008/03/31 01:22

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You did NOT mention whether or not you applied the patch supplied in this very thread.

Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by n0fear - 2008/04/03 17:37

Ohhh wow! I see font size and picture size bug fixed in this thread?! Can anyone point me where the fix/svn is?

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by cybersans - 2008/04/19 12:08

hello guys. i use this patch:

<http://joomlancode.org/gf/download/user/42262/20583/Fireboard1.0.4NightlyDeveloperPatchSVN551.zip>

and finally signature image respect the IMG setting.

btw, can the code is adjusted so that user will use fixed size, or it will fits in the forum no matter what size and resolution it is, rater than wrapped inside the forums using framebar

tq

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/04/19 16:18

The width of any image will be capped by the forum width set in the backend configuration of Fireboard.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by cybersans - 2008/04/20 14:30

fxstein: correct, i saw it. forum will adjust the size and it will not use framebar anymore. nice one dude

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by fxstein - 2008/04/20 23:09

BTW I recently patched most internal href links to be 'nofollow' to make FB more SEO.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by MGLorencin - 2008/04/20 23:43

I have posted this a few times, for me the two most problematic issues of FB are:

A.)Big issue when it comes to latest discussions.

For exmple let's say I set time to show me latest discussions for only last 8h. Just for example.

- I pick a discussion that was created 1month ago, then reply something to it.

- After that I go to Discussions tab ...but I don't see my reply there even though my reply is only a few seconds old ...because tab looks for new replies only in topics that are 8h young I hope you get my point

Even BOJ had to change settings it seems, because it slowed the whole forum down and now Discussions shows only last week, but like I pointed out ...new replies to topics older then one week will not show. That makes Discussions tab really not a Recent discussions tab

So we would see really all discussions that someone replied to in last month or some other shorter time frame, even if the reply was for a discussion that is older then time frame set in all discussions tab.

B.) Second biggest issue is, take me to latest unread post function. It really is a problem when catching up while searching some multi-page thread you don't remember where was the last time you read it.

If you manage to make this work it will really be a big improvement, thank you for all your effort that has been done for the new patch, especially SEO improvement is more than welcome :)

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by frodon2 - 2008/04/22 13:58

hello fxstein,

To answer your question, using this patch the 2 main issues i have are :

Apache errors (fixed)

http://www.bestofjoomla.com/component/option,com_fireboard/Itemid,38/func,view/catid,73/id,46885/#46885

Wrong redirect links when moving and reporting a post (still looking for a fix) :

http://www.bestofjoomla.com/component/option,com_fireboard/func,view/Itemid,38/catid,73/id,49041/

Except these 2 points all is perfect and as usual i had to fix some fireboard features still unfixed despite the known and working workarounds :

latest post in child forum bug :

http://www.bestofjoomla.com/component/option,com_fireboard/Itemid,38/func,view/id,21589/catid,76/limit,10/limitstart,20/#40546

Locked threads still opened via last post link :

http://www.bestofjoomla.com/component/option,com_fireboard/Itemid,38/func,view/id,37233/catid,76/limit,10/limitstart,20/#40208

Restricted forum access stays even after removing joomla rights :

http://joomlancode.org/gf/project/fireboard/tracker/?action=TrackerItemEdit&tracker_item_id=9308

I've listed all the things i had to fix after using this patch, hope this helps.

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by joomlachris - 2008/04/24 21:29

I'm still having this issue with J!1.5.2 / Fireboard 1.0.4 SVN551 / Firefox browser

(The auto-redirect URL is spelling out 'amp' instead of using the symbol, causing an error. Only happens in Firefox and Opera browsers, working in IE.

Here's the link to the original topic with more information:

http://www.bestofjoomla.com/component/option,com_fireboard/Itemid,38/func,view/id,45455/catid,73/

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by PGLion - 2008/05/08 13:17

Are there any known database issues with this SVN? When overwriting my original files with the SVN files my website loses connection with the database which results in a 500 Internal Server Error. This will take the complete website down.

I use Joomla 1.5.3 and tried to update with Fireboard 1.0.4 SVN551. I am not familiar with SVN builds, this is what I did:

- Downloaded the file
- Unpacked it on my local HDD
- Removed the .DS_Store files
- Use FXP program to overwrite the original files with the SVN files

Is this the correct workaround? Why is my database disconnecting?

Thanks for your help!

Cheers, PGLion

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Re:Fireboard 1.0.4 Nightly Developer Patch SVN#551

Posted by iosoft - 2008/06/21 23:52

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