Subject: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Sat, 09 Dec 2006 22:18:29 GMT

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I was hoping to be a little farther along on this project before I announced it publicly, however, I wanted to do it before I left for LA, but I am pretty busy today getting ready for the trip. So, I'll just tell you now. The ladder is coming back!

Silent Kane has written a LadderServ which will eventually be running on XWIS. He's storing the data in a database, which I have used to create the actual rankings and a few pages of information. The ladder will eventually be displayed on RenegadeCommunity.com in colors more suitable there, but until that time, you can view the work-in-progress at our beta site:

http://renladder.blackhand-studios.net

Planned features:

- Ladder reporting in-game so we're not all "recruits" anymore
- A page that lists all the games stored for a particular server
- A page that lists all the players in a particular game and how they did.
- More statistical information on the player page such as avg ladder/game, hit/miss ratio...

I have a LOT of data available to me, so please suggest any other data you'd like to see. I love putting together complex SQL queries and the database structure I designed is ready for lots of different number crunching. While XWIS will host Silent Kane's LadderServ application, the website display of data will remain under our control and can be changed and updated at any time.

Please spread the word!

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Sat, 09 Dec 2006 22:26:32 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I forgot to mention this as well: I want to extend a HUGE thank you to all the server owners who have directed their servers to point at our test LadderServ for the past few weeks. I'm thrilled with all the support -- it's been very encouraging. As you can see, we have had 60 servers send results to the ladder.

I also forgot to mention that currently, the Renegade FDS only sends the first 10 characters of each player's name. So, players who join a WOL server over WOLSpy who have long names will see them truncated. Silent Kane created a fix for that, along with a fix for the map which is currently sent to the ladder (the map changes before the ladder data goes out, so the NEXT map is reported instead of the current one). He will be releasing these fixes shortly, once he's done with everything he wanted to include. He's also having trouble with his internet connectivity at the moment.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Tiesto on Sat, 09 Dec 2006 22:27:57 GMT

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Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Tiesto on Sat, 09 Dec 2006 23:07:41 GMT

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I forgot to mention..maybe i'm having ablonde moment or is this actually working now?

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Sat, 09 Dec 2006 23:26:36 GMT

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If you play on a server that's participating in the beta, then yes, it's working. Silent Kane fixed a bug on November 28th that was causing random crashing and it's been running since then with absolutely no crashing or memory leaks.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Tunaman on Sat, 09 Dec 2006 23:29:32 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Does this have anything to do with XWIS restarting last night? I noticed that some people had ranks last night when I checked my buddy list, I'm glad the ladder's finally coming back.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by CarrierII on Sat, 09 Dec 2006 23:30:30 GMT

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Liek <3

Can't wait for release.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Sat, 09 Dec 2006 23:50:32 GMT

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No, this isn't live on XWIS yet.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this

Posted by z310 on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 00:14:15 GMT

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Coming to LA?

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 01:18:04 GMT

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I'm leaving for LA tomorrow afternoon... is that what you're asking?

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by z310 on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 01:22:14 GMT

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Yeah, but never mind.

The ladder... \m/

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by trooprm02 on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 01:22:14 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Yep, my serv is already connected, lets get this live

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Tunaman on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 01:23:58 GMT

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Nice job ftw!

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 01:26:48 GMT

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I also wanted to add that I'm also planning to add some sort of XML data once I find out what

people might be interested in using it for. I do not want people doing scraper apps.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by xptek on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 03:18:03 GMT

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Crimson wrote on Sat, 09 December 2006 20:26I do not want people doing scraper apps.

Why?

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 03:19:45 GMT

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Because they're retarded when I can provide a proper interface like XML.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by xptek on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 03:21:08 GMT

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Oh, I thought you meant you didn't want people scraping the XML output.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Viking on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 05:15:48 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Is there a way so that confirmed cheaters can be removed from the ladder? Back in the Westwood day the top 20 people were all hackers, it was rather annoying that you could never, well without cheating yourself, get to be #1! That dragon guard that is in work, possible it can send a list of cheaters to the ladder thing?

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Renx on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 05:57:45 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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DethVib/Vibranium won the ladder a few times and he did not cheat, yet still never recieved his

prize. Most people did not know how to cheat or that cheating was possible for Renegade while WS was still around anyway.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by JohnDoe on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 10:54:35 GMT

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What were the first cheats anyway? I've always thought that FR+BH bundle with the pictures of the n00bstories crowd started it all,,,

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Sun, 10 Dec 2006 11:03:41 GMT

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The first cheats were big heads and wallhacks, with the Final Renegade discoveries with objects.ddb soon after.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Mon, 11 Dec 2006 15:32:52 GMT

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This is so cool that it deserves a bump.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Goztow on Mon, 11 Dec 2006 15:53:52 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I'm very happy renegadecommunity will be hosting the ladder. It should get some people that usually are less intrested by community business, to at least read the news headlines on it when they want to check their rank .

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Jecht on Tue, 12 Dec 2006 15:55:39 GMT

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I haven't played in months, but nicely done. I wouldn't care if it's only for the point whores, it's still fun to see stats.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this

Posted by MexPirate on Tue, 12 Dec 2006 17:22:16 GMT

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What about clan support? don't hear anything so I assume this is just personal ranks.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this

Posted by Tiesto on Tue, 12 Dec 2006 23:41:02 GMT

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When will this go live?

Plus i'd prefer RG to the clan support.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this

Posted by Goztow on Wed, 13 Dec 2006 07:47:01 GMT

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Acey#GW wrote on Wed, 13 December 2006 00:41When will this go live?

I think the answer will be "when it's done".

Don't forget: the tricky part comes now -> getting the Xwis admins to make it work in the game...

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this

Posted by Crimson on Wed, 13 Dec 2006 07:50:47 GMT

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The clan ladder is our next goal, at least as far as ladders are concerned.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this

Posted by Crimson on Wed. 13 Dec 2006 07:52:17 GMT

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Goztow wrote on Wed, 13 December 2006 00:47Acey#GW wrote on Wed, 13 December 2006 00:41When will this go live?

I think the answer will be "when it's done".

Don't forget: the tricky part comes now -> getting the Xwis admins to make it work in the game...

That's actually not that big a deal. All that has to be done is to point servsery to wherever the

ladder ends up being hosted, and it's done.

It will go live once we change a few features as far as how the data is stored in the database and the web interface integrated into RenegadeCommunity.com.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by iOncloud9 on Wed, 13 Dec 2006 16:16:59 GMT

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So once the final version is completed all servers will be included?

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Goztow on Wed, 13 Dec 2006 18:56:40 GMT

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i0ncl0ud9 wrote on Wed, 13 December 2006 17:16So once the final version is completed all servers will be included? Yes.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by JPNOD on Wed, 13 Dec 2006 19:35:19 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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can't believe I missed this post this is just freaking awesome

Good job BHS

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by JPNOD on Wed, 13 Dec 2006 19:38:48 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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He was kind off my image at the time because he was the first dutch player to win the Ren ladder till he congratzed me on winning it He told me he played on Dethvib because he lost his Pwd for

Vibranium but I haven't seen him since a while not even after the XWIS transition...

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Wed, 13 Dec 2006 23:09:23 GMT

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OK, so I've been hearing "people hate the ladder because..." and I haven't seen a whiff of it on here. I can't fix the ladder if you don't tell me what's wrong with it, DUH!!!!!

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by dutchduc on Wed, 13 Dec 2006 23:51:25 GMT

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Good question Crimson, come on guys what is wrong with a new ladder??

Off course pointwhores (like me) will be in the top in such a ladder.

But so what, I can remember players like Edwardckw he was one of my favourite players to play with, he was a very skilled player not a pointwhore and still ended high up on the ladder all the time.

Does a ladder make Renegade less fun to play?

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by IronWarrior on Thu, 14 Dec 2006 02:35:24 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Cool about time this got up and working, well done SK.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Majiin Vegeta on Thu, 14 Dec 2006 10:39:37 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Crimson wrote on Sun, 10 December 2006 11:03The first cheats were big heads and wallhacks, with the Final Renegade discoveries with objects.ddb soon after.

i remember when that all kicked off.. the memories

Crimson how will the ladder calculate ranking points?

The original WOL one was seriously flawed i remember back in to RenEvo chat(a good few years ago) SK or Scorpio cannot remember who had a fantastic formula which sounded great.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Thu, 14 Dec 2006 18:27:39 GMT

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A lot of formulas sound great until they're actually in practice. Generating a good formula is something that's going to require people from various parts of the community, and a LOT of testing. It's also considered Phase 2 of the ladder project which won't be in progress until after the clan ladder is brought back.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by StealthEye on Thu, 14 Dec 2006 20:58:53 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

First I would like to say it is nice to see the ladder functioning again. Good job.

Then let me list what is wrong with it currently imo

- Other game modes make it unbalanced. On coop for example, you can only go up in ladder (you will always win).
- The fact that it does not count the stats when the game is too short/you are not ingame long enough. If you are just too long in game, you will go down a lot, when you won a very short game the ladder will not even be affected.
- If you are in game shorter then someone else and you have made more points then him, you can end up lower on the ladder. I guess the points should be divided by the ingame time or something.
- The fact that it is based on the sum of the ladder points means that if you play a lot you will get a better position than when you do not.
- Friendly kills are not correct, it shows that I have killed friendlies, but I'm 100% sure that I have not been on servers which allow that, and I'm 100% sure that I did not get any messages about killing friendlies...

I think something like totalscore / ingametime would work, filtering out ladder points gained longer than x days/weeks and only adding you to the ladder when you have played more than y games.

Maybe it would be good to somehow compare the scores to the other players' ranks and scores in the server, but I have no clear idea of a proper formula for that.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by danpaul88 on Thu, 14 Dec 2006 21:02:03 GMT

I think the friendly kills include the number of times you kill yourself...

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by JPNOD on Sun, 17 Dec 2006 15:13:38 GMT

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bump

Old ladder link still working?

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Renx on Sun, 17 Dec 2006 19:17:27 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

danpaul88 wrote on Thu, 14 December 2006 17:02I think the friendly kills include the number of times you kill yourself...

That's exactly the reason.

JPNOD: I'm pretty sure I've seen DethVib playing within the last year or so. It might have been just before the transition, he was playing again for a few weeks then he just disappeared again.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by iOnclOud9 on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 05:12:02 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

bumping this topic to see if crimson has anymore updates about it...

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 07:43:08 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Not at the moment. Silent Kane is busy with RenGuard 1.04 development so finishing this project is on hold.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Dethdeath on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 10:26:04 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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The ladder itself might not mean much to most players, but I can imagine it means something to the 5 or so players at the very top. If something were to be done about it, it should be done before the month is over.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Zion on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 11:52:18 GMT

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So according to you co-op and mission maps are not normal? That's stupid.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Sniper_De7 on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 12:08:40 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

if not normal means retarded, then I would agree. Not that I care about the ladder anyways because it's not like it ever shows a true depiction of someone being a good player. (I remember way back when, when the old WOL ladder was still up and some guy who was ranked two was saying he was better than I was)

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Dethdeath on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 12:55:08 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Merovingian wrote on Wed, 31 January 2007 06:52So according to you co-op and mission maps are not normal? That's stupid.

If you are going to have a ladder based on the amount of ladderpoints each player earns during games, then no, coop and mission maps are not normal. How are they normal when you can't lose any ladder points during those games but only gain tons?

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by MexPirate on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 13:03:05 GMT

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The ladder is a little ridiculous, it rewards pointwhores in large servers and people playing co-op.

It's irrelevant as a measure of skill and I think most people have taken no notice of it, but if people are playing more because of the ladder then that's all good.

Seems that the ladder should be based around average performance per game if that is possible, linked to points, win ratio and possibly kills, but definately not k/d.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by trooprm02 on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 15:10:58 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

k/d is also important, I wouldnt liek to see some1 with 10k points and 1 kill/800 deaths...

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Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by trooprm02 on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 15:25:44 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Thats true about the k/d thing, but it still does mean something. Maybe not a whole lot but I usually donate ingame to people who ask or new with a 1/1 or + k/d just so I know im not wasting it. Anyway, in the formula, im thinking they could tone down the k/d% to like 25% of the actual total rank, and this would get players who only play sniping (or do alot of it) also get a decent rank if their good, instead of always being in the bottom

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Canadacdn on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 17:29:44 GMT

So, what's going on with this project?

Has it just been added to the giant pile of stuff for Renegade people say they are going to do, and then don't?

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by inz on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 17:41:40 GMT

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yes

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 19:46:15 GMT

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Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by trooprm02 on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 19:54:20 GMT

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Not, the individ ladder should be first priority over clan, mostly because more players play on that ladder vs the clan ladder. This is not to say but the clan ladder on the back burner, just I think most average players would want the indi ladder up first

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Canadacdn on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 20:26:40 GMT

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Crimson wrote on Wed, 31 January 2007 13:46

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So, does this mean that you guys are gonna fix the clan pages on Renegade? That would rock.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by iOnclOud9 on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 21:59:19 GMT

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I would really like to be a part of that whenever the time comes around for that.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Halo38 on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 22:00:12 GMT

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Well done

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by MexPirate on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 22:08:24 GMT

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RG > Ladders, we have a working clan ladder and personal ranks mean jack - this community

NEEDS the new RG.

Will be nice to see what comes of this after the release of 1.04

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by R2Rynis on Wed, 31 Jan 2007 23:09:38 GMT

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Looking forward to it.

Good Work

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by CarrierII on Thu, 01 Feb 2007 15:57:54 GMT

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My brother had some better formula ideas for the ladder, let me find them....

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Creed3020 on Thu, 01 Feb 2007 16:51:54 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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I definatly noticed the other day that one player was definatly abusing the way certain servers give out ladder points to reach the #1 spot on the ladder. After checking his games played history it confirmed what I had thought he was doing.

I think what is currently going on is a good case study of what is wrong with the current ladder schema and gives us reason to ensure that people taking such actions should not be rewarded in the future when a new schema is created and properly balanced.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Goztow on Thu, 01 Feb 2007 17:07:40 GMT

I wanna bet some servers will soon have an auto announcement saying "come play here for loads of ladder points!".

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by MexPirate on Thu, 01 Feb 2007 18:45:52 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

this was the problem when wilo first started testing these co-op maps, just before the original ladder went down. Unless there is some way to force co-op servers to be non laddered or work out a ladder forumla that won't be affected by their results then the individual ranks will always be screwed.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Thu, 01 Feb 2007 21:28:23 GMT

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I can exempt certain host names from counting towards the ladder without much difficulty.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by SeargentSarg on Thu, 01 Feb 2007 21:36:50 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Yeah but what if suddenly allot more servers get co-op and your away, allot of people will get the advantage..

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by Crimson on Thu, 01 Feb 2007 21:37:33 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

If I exempt the server, it becomes retroactive for previous results as well. All that really matters is the end of the month.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by SeargentSarg on Thu, 01 Feb 2007 21:39:25 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Ah, ok. But will this only work if you exempt certain host names? Maybe you should block out all servers with the "Co-Op, coop, etc." in the server name.. Or make it read it somehow..

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this

Posted by Crimson on Thu, 01 Feb 2007 21:43:03 GMT

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The names aren't sent to the ladder server.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by iOncloud9 on Fri, 02 Feb 2007 06:38:55 GMT

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I really hope this new rg is almost done. Its really annoying getting banned when I decide to play on Jelly/N00bstories while using rg

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this

Posted by Cpo64 on Fri, 02 Feb 2007 08:39:33 GMT

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What about map names?

Wouldn't it be better to allow only certain map names to count for the ladder?

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by EvilWhiteDragon on Fri, 02 Feb 2007 12:12:52 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Yes, and crimson confirmed it is posisble, so I guess she's working on it. And Im ot sure, but for relatively simple DB queries, you dont need SK do you Crimson? then you could just make a forumula that uses the current info to produce a new style ladder.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by SeargentSarg on Fri, 02 Feb 2007 13:42:03 GMT

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Cpo64 wrote on Fri, 02 February 2007 02:39What about map names? Wouldn't it be better to allow only certain map names to count for the ladder?

Ah, I agree, that would be perfect, but it wouldn't necessarily block all mods. Some people like to mod scripts and objects, so original maps can be altered, but they can always block the mission maps.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this

Posted by desoLane on Mon, 09 Apr 2007 21:51:04 GMT

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I have modified the link for a player's name on the online page to go to the beta ladder:

http://www.xwis.info/info/index.php?server=rg

When the beta clan ladder is up, I'll add it in too. Someone lemme know please

XML feed for the online page coming soon

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by trooprm02 on Tue, 10 Apr 2007 01:28:08 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Nice, great to see ST is still involved, the thing is, this could be even better if a simple search box was added on to the page, and maybe the ability for a player/server/hostname to be highlighted for use of server admins on sites and etc, just a suggestion

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by appshot on Tue, 10 Apr 2007 23:04:54 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Nice Work there, Crimson and Silent Kane. Brings back old memories. I remember edwarckw and i0ncl0ud and Trojanm4n,etc. Also, Renstation was the best server back then.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by luv2pb on Wed, 11 Apr 2007 17:13:33 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

That isn't saying much.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by appshot on Wed, 11 Apr 2007 22:26:22 GMT

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soory luv2, but i am currently in state of reconfiguring my comp and need to reinstall, so ican't really give much feedback until i actually play it on this weekend.

Subject: Re: Coming soon -- I bet you never thought you'd see this Posted by luv2pb on Thu, 12 Apr 2007 17:07:37 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

That wasn't what I ment. No need to apologise.