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Posted by [null.var](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 09:38:06 GMT  
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I'm a fag

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Posted by [null.var](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 09:50:55 GMT  
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why was this moved? Do you somehow feel that this is going to be a heated discussion or debate?! It doesn't look like there is too much to debate here.

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Posted by [Goztow](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 09:54:04 GMT  
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What's your point? There's little new info in this, at least to me.

I'll give you the benefit of doubt and put it back in general discussion.

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Posted by [havocide3](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 10:07:34 GMT  
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this is just lol to me

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Posted by [Crimson](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 10:51:41 GMT  
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I know right...as if you never donated any money Havocide. That kills me every time I read that.

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This is hopeless. If you can't see the actual problem that I presented here, thats really odd. I'm not sure how much plainer I could present it.

You won't hear from me or be bothered by me anymore. I promise.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [luv2pb](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 11:28:31 GMT  
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I would advise anyone with any kind of sanity NOT to waste their time reading that. It is over an hour worth a null trying to explain why he hates me without using any kind of fact or intelligent thought. Actually, when put like that I guess if you have some time to kill it may be worth the lulz. I didn't look at it so I don't know if he actually changed anything.

Anyone who does read that can see from your very first message to me you were just trying to bait me. I stand by every word of what I said. My favorite part is when you tell me that all you want is to hate me. Oh yeah and your text message to crim was win too.

Hate to break it to you null but you can only ever be my #2 fan.

(this should be in the spam section btw)

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Posted by [GEORGE ZIMMER](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 12:38:32 GMT  
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Quote:#

luv2pb says:

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I give crimson oral sex at n00bparty

Also, if you're such a GODDAMN AWESOME MOTHERFUCKER THAT EVERYONE SHOULD LOVE, don't play the anonymity card.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [dr3w2](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 13:07:31 GMT  
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lol im not gonna read this shit, but luv2pb you weren't kidding when you told me last night that this guy is lols and will make your night interesting.  
haha

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Posted by [Spoony](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 13:35:11 GMT  
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good, the community's better off without you. as for the conversation, I don't really see what you're whining about... nothing you've said against n00bstories there comes within a thousand miles of being as bad as some of the stuff you've done.

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Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 14:19:13 GMT  
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Idk who that "Joey" guy is, but obviously he's a fucktard and doesn't understand some vital problems with renegade.

Quote:

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Joey - irc.supragame.com says:

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Yeah, what good would that do? It wouldn't centralize the community, allow for new developments and features for the community to use. It wouldn't allow streamlined patching. It wouldn't attract new people to the Westwood games.

Replacing WOL, ok that shouldn't be too hard, it is a basic IRC server with some extra stuff.  
Now the REAL problem, how to get it to the players?

Also, you seem to think that n00bstories == Renegade, which is not true, and has never been true. Yes they are one of the larger servers with players and such, but still not THE ONE.

Another point that this joey seems to forget is that n00bstories is a community, and that means

running a server and such, not (directly) modding/fixing renegade.

It is much better to have a separate team for that, as we had in the past with BHS and have now with TT. This because this allows more people to help than people that are just from n00bstories. This does include knowledgeable people like WhiteDragon, StealthEye, Sir\_Kane and some more. While I know for certain some of them would not have helped if all the work that is being done right now would've placed under the n00bstories flag.

Something else, to create a better patch system, you first need to get everyone to patch his game to use a different patcher. This is what we're trying to get EA to do, when we finish the first version of the TT patch. Then we will probably have a different, more accessible patcher.

As second to last point: You say that n00bstories is suffering from less players and such. Have you noticed the overall decline in Renegade players? Obviously not, if you say that lv2pb is to blame.

And as final point, I know luv2pb for a bit, and unlike many others here he seems to be a helpful and friendly guy, so I wouldn't like to see him leave.

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Posted by [Crimson](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 15:46:57 GMT  
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I agree. Some people have trouble separating n00bstories from other things. Just because I might be a part of two things doesn't make them the same thing.

Oh, and luv2pb did not give me oral sex at n00bparty. I did own myself there. LOL.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Dover](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 17:25:16 GMT  
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ITT: Moar BBAAAWWWWWWW.

Perhaps we should keep a waaambulance right around the corner of any thread null posts in?

Edit:

Quote:luv2pb says:

than what purpose are you disgruntled for?

luv2pb says:

if there is something you are after just say it

Joey - irc.supragame.com says:

are you kidding me

Joey - irc.supragame.com says:  
theres nothing I can do

So that entire bitchfest had no point at all, and you admit it. I'm so foolish for reading it all.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 19:03:40 GMT  
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You can tell winter break has started when morons like this guy have the time to troll the place and have mega online-nerd-beef with people who don't give a shit.

Five bucks says he's gone onto n00bstories' forums because he's realized no one gives a flying fuck here.

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Posted by [Canadacdn](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 19:11:13 GMT  
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null.var wrote on Wed, 17 December 2008 03:38I'm a fag

TL;DR. Why don't you go post your problems with n00bstories on their forums?

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [u6795](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 20:17:05 GMT  
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Ugh wow I read like five lines of that shit and it bored the hell out of me. This is stupid.

I have no idea who this guy is but by bringing drama with him the moment he returns, my instant impression is that he's a douche.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [DrasticDR](#) on Wed, 17 Dec 2008 21:20:05 GMT  
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You have to set the window on paypal to go back to however far it is. There's an option to go back a year, but you can customize the filter to go back further.

And I know I donated money, before I could drive I had to ride my bike to get stamps, an envelope, and go drop off the letter. Why did luv take away my premium account btw?

Check August 27, 2006 on paypal. Also, if the donations page was available for me to view, you will see I have donations documented in there.

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DrasticDR wrote on Wed, 17 December 2008 13:20oh look, more appreciation for n00bstories, you guys are just amazing at what you do.

Sarcasm aside, you're absolutely right. Look at the servers which everyone LOLLUVZ, UNRules, etc. They're all trash. You don't run a good server by making a ton of friends.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [pawky](#) on Thu, 18 Dec 2008 01:26:20 GMT

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Jelly FTW

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Thu, 18 Dec 2008 01:41:47 GMT

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While I appreciate the name-drop, God knows I need all the internet-cred I can get for my university cause these days, I'm not sure referencing stances, attitudes and moods of 6 or 7 years ago (God it's been that long - depressing) is a way to go.

I freely acknowledge that a 13-year old me wasn't up to the task of taking NS then and making it into N\$ now. And y'all should be grateful, at least in some part, to luv2gotothepub for the effort he's put in.

But anyway. Next time, I'd like to fight my own corner, eh?

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Dover](#) on Thu, 18 Dec 2008 07:08:21 GMT  
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a lot of people (including me) wouldn't say I am "old school" as far as ren goes, but for some reason null named myself and crimson as the two people he "missed from the old days"... so how were the old days, hmmm? my knowledge of null/slavik/yoshimitsu can be summed up in three brief points.

1. used to be in WSE, the pricks who brought cheating to renegade in the first place. in null's own words: "the purpose of WSE was to fuck up the game as much as possible"
2. first point at which I heard of him personally: turned out he was seriously plotting to ddos attack the official renegade servers.
3. first point at which he involved himself with me: he went to EA and told them some bullshit lies about how I ddosed some renegade community sites, including this one right here... utterly made up of course, and pretty ironic considering the source. I busted him lying on all this, and his only response was the bizarre statement that he "was not going to be blackmailed"... (huh?)

so... in his rant to luv2pb he whines on and on about people who don't know or care who he is... if I'm one of the people who does (according to him...) then that's gotta be a good thing, considering the entire extent of my knowledge of null is three things, all of them very, very bad.

still, let's make the pretense of balance here. admittedly if there is anything good to be said about you, I am not aware of it... so the floor is yours, slavik453.

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I don't recall seeing him on NS. I recall seeing him on these forums and thinking "Wow, what a jackass".

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TO SUMMARIZE THIS ALL:

null.var is some guy who got kicked out of n00bstories ages back. He got pissed off at luv2pb because he got in a high spot, even though null.var (AKA his apparent tons of other names) got kicked out. null.var thinks he's hot shit, when in reality, he's another shitbag no one cares about. luv2pb totally gave Crimson oral (). If you don't know who null.var is, you're clearly not an oldbie, and do not deserve to talk. You must know every vague aspect about him, and if you can't decode his cryptic (AKA, nonexistent) information he's posted about himself, then you are scum.

Someone may correct me if I'm wrong.

I personally blame Surth for all of this.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [havocide3](#) on Thu, 18 Dec 2008 10:59:12 GMT  
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truth

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false - also watch for repetition

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Perhaps I should have elaborated on my last bit. When I said "correct me", I didn't mean just say "true" or "false" or "you're wrong". Present me with a fairly detailed analysis, and I will be able to understand the situation more. I'd much more prefer null.var himself to do this, but oh well.

havocide3 wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 04:59

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Maybe if you were here back in 2003-2005, you would know and appreciate what he has done.

You're right, I don't know who he is- it doesn't help that he keeps playing the "I'm a mysterious guy who not too many people know. Hey, what? You don't know me?! NEWFAG" card. It's damned annoying, and you're using the same mentality. Explain some, that's kind of what I WANTED to see in this topic- people elaborating on his apparent background. I won't necessarily take yours or his word as absolute fact naturally, unless multiple people, including people like Luv2pb, Spooky, Crimson, and so on agree that it's a fact.

Also, by posting join dates and then dismissing any opinions that oppose yours solely because of said join date, it makes you look incredibly pretentious.

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Not saying I absolutely know his history, either. I'm simply going on what has been said here, naturally. Once again, if my summary is wrong, prove it wrong with facts and logic. Not just contradictory statements.

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<http://dictionary.reference.com/browse/Hyperbole>

I CLEARLY meant that seriously, right?

If you look past the sarcasm though, you'd see my point. Then again, maybe not, you're pulling the same shit he is.

Now let's be real here for a second. Have you ever wondered why less and less people join the Renegade community? Maybe, just MAYBE, it's the attitude some of the "oldbies" here take- "You weren't here, therefore, you are not welcome" is the general feel that seems to be given off. I wouldn't mind QUITE as much, if both you and null.var had given further facts and statements that actually were logical and had a point to them. But it honestly just feels like some shitty business. You have to have connections and have been there for awhile- nevermind your competence or ability or anything, the only thing that apparently matters is how long you've been here.

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go ahead and fill us newbies in, and let's see if the good outweighs the bad? like I said, I can only speak from personal experience with him... all of which is very, very bad, so by all means let's hear the positive... given that a handful of people here seem to think he's a prick and the rest don't know him.

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Posted by [u6795](#) on Thu, 18 Dec 2008 19:42:08 GMT

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Can't fucking stand people that judge others by how long they've been around. That's basically all I have to say.

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Sorry, I don't keep up with every single person here. And no, I don't expect everyone to know who I am.

I beg to differ on Ethenal and Nikki...

This thread is a pile of shit?

And who ever said I was on top of the mountain? Where did I ever say I was at the top of the mountain? What makes you think I am at the top of the mountain?

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Thu, 18 Dec 2008 21:55:29 GMT  
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There won't be any results no matter how you search for it. It was a web-based backend replacement for WOL, still had clan support, quickplay worked, the WOL helpbot was back online... too many improvements to list.

EDIT: I agree, FUDForum's search is a sack of shit

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Posted by [Dover](#) on Thu, 18 Dec 2008 22:34:19 GMT  
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Posted by [GEORGE ZIMMER](#) on Thu, 18 Dec 2008 23:11:47 GMT

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Posted by [havocide3](#) on Thu, 18 Dec 2008 23:19:46 GMT

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Posted by [jnz](#) on Thu, 18 Dec 2008 23:33:18 GMT

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Posted by [GEORGE ZIMMER](#) on Thu, 18 Dec 2008 23:43:12 GMT

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It's been done many times before, Wol is just an IRC server with some extra features. Exactly, as far as I know, XWIS was another third party WOL ages back before it became the official WOL. I do appreciate the work that went into it, but seeing as how it's not been applied or anything, it just seems like it was all for naught.

The only reason why you seem to be posting that, is for the sole purpose of being like "hey this happened, therefore, your arguement is invalid", rather than having an actual, valid point to it.

TL;DR: stop the e-dick swinging, no one gives a fuck

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 00:30:50 GMT

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Lets look at what everyone has said:

Quote:

luv2pb

I would advise anyone with any kind of sanity NOT to waste their time reading that.

But how would he know...

Quote:I didn't look at it so I don't know if he actually changed anything.

Oh wait I know why he wouldn't "advise" to read it. He was there and he knew how stupid he sounded and therefore decided to deter you all from witnessing his immense stupidity. Also, I assure you I didn't change anything, the nonsensical shit that you see in that log is from nobody but luv2pb.

Here is another one of my favorites:

Quote:

u6795

Can't fucking stand people that judge others by how long they've been around. That's basically all I have to say.

Thats funny:

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????? Try again before you contradict yourself. I guess only me and Havocide's seniority is open to judgment!

I don't expect you all to understand why Linkup would have succeeded because you were all too busy embracing XWIS and Clanwars.cc to open yourself to something better. If you ask anyone who knows about it, they'll tell you the extensive time, testing and money we put into building that project. Ironically, it was made by people that I'm pretty sure you all hate.

In fact, let me go ahead and examine JUST the Linkup dev team's relationship and contributory actions regarding the Renegade community.

xptek -> Joined community in 2003. Provided network defense, application security analysis, community support, Linkup coder, 2000+ posts on Renforums, frequented IRC. Received requests to retaliate against parties who DDoS'd Crimson's servers. Lead movement to incorporate APB and n00bstories into the development process of Linkup by consulting with them every step of the way.

Result: Banned twice. GZlined on IRC. left community in frustration.

null -> Joined community in September 2002 after leaving WSE. Frequented IRC. Advised Crimson to branch into games other than Renegade (specifically Counter-Strike.) Former n00bstories halfop. Provided IRC server (2004) avast.n00bstories.com - Maintained relationships with underground groups to seek incoming attacks against n00bstories, warned Crimson and attempt to convince the perpetrators otherwise. Orchestrated many retaliatory acts against communities that threatened n00bstories. Worked with Crimson on analysis of EA's move to XWIS and worked silently to lead an alternative to the unstable, stratified and buggy WOL clone. Asked to be banned many times so that nobody would suspect that I was working to help her.

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I won't even get into how Kholdstare and Aprime are treated here. Aprime worked tirelessly to develop a beautiful interface for Linkup. Kholdstare has been loyal to Crimson for years, but has gotten absolutely nothing in return. Its disgusting.

Now for fun, lets compare other people's contributions:

Spoony ->

June 2006:

Spoony tries to pedal Clanwars.cc as some sort of alternative to the WOL clan ladder. Granted one didn't exist, but Linkup and BHS were both moving to make one. Renforums receives DDoS.

Quote: The only gripe I can bring to mind is neither XWIS nor RenegadeCommunity.com have, or have ever had, anything in the way of clan support for Renegade. I'm just saying, I've brought up a suggestion which will benefit everyone and be of detriment to no-one, and it seems to have fallen on deaf ears. On the ears of Electronic Arts, however, it's resulted in our league being sponsored with hundreds of dollars' worth of prizes, which I think is food for thought for all the EA-haters on this forum who claim they don't support the older games.

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luv2pb:

Goes to n00bparty -> Becomes a n00bstories administrator

Quote:

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Do you maintain the website

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like

luv2pb says:  
andrew282 and ethenal do that

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what about the servers

luv2pb says:  
and are building the new ones as well

luv2pb says:  
what about them?

Joey - irc.supragame.com says:  
do you debug them and such

Joey - irc.supragame.com says:  
if something goes wrong, you fix it yourself?

luv2pb says:  
it is far and few between but on the rare occasion yes I deal with the servers

luv2pb says:  
typically only the Ren one ever needs me - the others are pretty much trouble free

Joey - irc.supragame.com says:  
I wonder why all those things run trouble free

Joey - irc.supragame.com says:  
somehow I really do not think it was due to your efforts, no offence

I seriously encourage you to read the log and see for yourself.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [DaveGMM](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 00:42:29 GMT  
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You're wearing some mighty fine rose-tinted glasses there, null.

I'm not taking sides here - I think there are better ways to approach this, but some of the things you're saying are quite inaccurate... well, actually, more like omitting certain facts.

If you're going to claw this one back, I'd start peddling the truth.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 00:45:09 GMT  
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Ok, so if you have such horrible misgivings about these people, then why are you not settling this score via PM, email, or any other behind the scenes correspondence?

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Muad Dib15](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:05:55 GMT  
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The only reason I know who null is, is because he got chewed out royally over something at APB. Seems like it was deserved judging by the way he acts here.

You may be an Oldbie, but that doesn't qualify you to act the way you do.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:06:23 GMT  
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What exactly did I do again?

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:22:51 GMT  
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You think you could have provided a clan ladder that was "something better" than Clanwars.cc? If the answer's yes (and I have the feeling any competitive clan player would laugh at you at this point), then why didn't you? Why has the tangible contribution to this game in terms of a clan ladder (a necessary function of the game) been absolutely nothing?

Now, you're not alone in this regard; plenty of other people haven't provided a clan ladder for this game. Me and my colleagues at CW are the only people who have. Those are the facts... although that's irrelevant to you, and always has been. Whether players had a clan ladder to use or not never mattered to you, clearly.

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So in a nutshell, your boasting right is that you played a small part in undoing some of the damage you did in the first place? And you bitch at someone like luv2pb for not knowing about it when it was all secret anyway? Your stupidity is breathtaking.

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null.var wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 18:30Renforums receives DDoS.  
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null.var wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 18:30Spoony:

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sorry, shows up out of nowhere? spews some crap about Clanwars.cc? that's a really strange way of describing the fact that I've hosted a clan ladder for several years, something you did not care about the community enough to do. See above re: "nothing"

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I never really considered myself a community leader outside of Clanwars.cc, but the bitterness in this statement is sufficiently satisfying that I don't feel like arguing against it.

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Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:30:29 GMT

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:33:02 GMT

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Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:38:25 GMT

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Indeed, can we not shit on what was supposed to a great community centralization project please.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Crimson](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:40:23 GMT

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I don't have time to reply to everything, but luv2pb was the lead admin for the Renegade server for a good 2 years or more before n00bparty. His responsibilities have increased over time, but it's not a product of his attendance at n00bparty so much as a product of him \*gasp\* doing a good

job, having good ideas, and (most of the time) having good motivation. Also, I have had to delegate a lot of stuff away in the last year that I've been running my business.

I won't knock or belittle your contributions on my behalf when I was a frequent target of DDoS attacks from people you at some point probably considered friends. I definitely don't miss those days AT ALL.

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You're right! This linkup thing I've never heard of is the greatest advance in the entire history of Renegade! It has benefited each and every player because of it's fine innovations and prompt implementation!

Oh, wait...

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:43:44 GMT  
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Well, thanks for answering my question of why you provided nothing to the community in terms of a clan ladder, although it hardly works in your favour.

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Oh, I would not slate you for attempting it, despite your unmitigated failure. I'm not you, you see. If anything I would've applauded your efforts, and welcomed the competition. Although, even if you could've been bothered to finish the product, I very much doubt it would've presented my ladder with anything resembling "competition", any more than jschultz's ladder did.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:44:42 GMT

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LIKE I SAID, don't make assumptions about why it failed. You haven't the slightest fucking clue, like the rest of the community. I didn't say it was great. I didn't say it benefited anything. All I said is do not insult it because you haven't the slightest fucking clue about it.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:44:49 GMT

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Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:47:08 GMT

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

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Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:48:05 GMT

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You're saying that I felt threatened by this clan ladder I didn't know even about? Indeed, how could anyone know about it, seeing as how for all intents and purposes it didn't exist?

Read your own posts and see how much sense you aren't making.

cheesesoda wrote: That implies lack of desire/ambition/ability on the part of null and the rest of the Linkup team. Don't imply shit. Very very few people actually know anything about it. Like I said, if I knew about these efforts I probably would've encouraged them, despite the fact they would have been in competition with my own ladder. But, I can hardly be faulted for not knowing about these efforts, can I? You know, given the complete lack of results?

Still, like I said, I'd have given points for trying... whereas null has given me nothing but vitriol for my efforts in the same direction. Maybe what really pisses him off is my efforts were actually successful?

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:48:46 GMT

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Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 01:48:48 GMT

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You pissed and moaned and bitched until Apoc confronted Crimson.

Also,

Quote:I won't knock or belittle your contributions on my behalf when I was a frequent target of DDoS attacks from people you at some point probably considered friends. I definitely don't miss those days AT ALL.

Jesus Christ thank you. You know, I really appreciate you recognizing that.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:00:45 GMT  
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I had a legitimate grievance (although you clearly don't seem to know what it was). When you lied to Apoc saying I ddosed this website, you didn't have a legitimate grievance. You were lying. Again.

So let's examine your statement here.

I made a perfectly legitimate complaint, and so your group abandoned your efforts to provide a clan ladder. Meanwhile, you made a completely fictional complaint, a big sack of lies you made up out of nowhere, and unlike you I DIDN'T say "SORRY GUYS! LEAGUE'S CLOSED!"

If your IQ was any lower you might just need watering.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Dover](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:07:49 GMT  
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Posted by [spigot](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:08:19 GMT  
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- xptek

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Posted by [Dover](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:10:03 GMT  
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Release or it didn't happen.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:12:40 GMT

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From what I was reading, it seems like there are insinuations about Linkup because null is being an insufferable cock right now.

I'm certainly not trying to argue that it was a success or that it did anything significant for the community. Obviously, it didn't end up going anywhere. Still, it just seems like Linkup is being judged by simply looking at null's behavior.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:18:07 GMT

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spigot wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 20:08Honestly, I didn't really see a point in using my bandwidth and resources to provide a free service to a bunch of whiners and morons.

Then we differ. I provided a clan ladder in spite of the whiners and morons, because I saw it as necessary to the community.

spigot wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 20:08The product was finished (the web interface too!), and I don't see why you're trying to compare it to Clanwars. Clanwars is a simple reporting system. Linkup's ladder system follows the original WOL protocol and actually integrated with the game.

- xptek  
Clanwars actually existed.

You could write pages and pages finding as many faults as you could with Clanwars; you could write pages more telling us what a great system Linkup would be. Those three italics words would trump it all.

spigot wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 20:08Once again, for all you presumptuous fucktards: Linkup was finished. Ultimately, we decided not to launch the service because the majority of you are stupid.

So your personal dislike of people here is an excuse to deprive the community as a whole, is it?

That alone tells me all I need to know; it demonstrates with certainty that your ladder would never compare to mine in a million years, and yet I'd still give you credit for trying.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:20:12 GMT  
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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:22:49 GMT  
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It's not a matter of how great of a system Linkup "would" be. Linkup WAS. It just wasn't released because, honestly, nobody in this community has ever been worth the hassle.

Of course, you guys do have every right to doubt it. Linkup was never publicly released, so as far as you're concerned, xptek and null are talking out of their asses. Still, any criticism of Clanwars is legit, even if Linkup can't be proven to be better. Just because you produce something doesn't make it viable. Just look at Internet Explorer...

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:31:24 GMT  
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null.var wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 20:20 Thank you for successfully hijacking this thread, Spooky. Can we go back to talking about luv2pb now please?  
Funny how you didn't mention the thread been hijacked the first few times... I guess it didn't matter until you got caught lying a few times, it turned out you didn't have a fucking clue what you were talking about, and it turned out the bad you've done to the community far outweighs the good you claim you were going to do but decided not to out of self-interest.

cheesesoda wrote It's not a matter of how great of a system Linkup "would" be. Linkup WAS. It just wasn't released because, honestly, nobody in this community has ever been worth the hassle. Yep, getting flamed by a few people justifies denying the entire renegade community the supposed benefits of the project.

cheesesoda wrote Still, any criticism of Clanwars is legit, even if Linkup can't be proven to be better.  
Oh, yes. Of course criticism of Clanwars is legit. When I was running the show I'd always go to the trouble of answering it.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:34:25 GMT  
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So wait, you guys finished Linkup, but then decided not to give it to us because 'we're dumb' ?  
Then why the hell are you here? Sheesh.

And lets not go back to talking about luv2pb, because he does a fine job of administering n00bstories, as do the other administrators and moderators. The server is run well.

Your attitude towards the guy is derisive, and you sound like a total asshole with some a fucking e-chip on your shoulder. Fuck, I'm surprised luv2pb put up with your bullshit as long as he did. The fact that he heard you out shows why Crimson put the dude in charge.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:36:43 GMT  
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Spoony Yep, getting flamed by a few people justifies denying the entire renegade community the supposed benefits of the project.  
Getting flamed has nothing to do with it. It has to do with the vast majority of the community having the idea of self-entitlement for everything released.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [dr3w2](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:37:16 GMT  
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For once i agree with spoonys long quoted rants.

Null, question for you. What the fuck are you even attempting to do with this thread? Bring shit to luv2pbs name? Inform us your clearly outdated on n00bstories, and the renegade community? To me your chat with luv2pb, this thread, and all your whining posts just displays you have a pent up anger over the years towards the community and/or luv2pb. Grow a pair of fucking balls and shut the fuck up.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Spoonny](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 02:49:53 GMT  
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cheesesoda wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 20:36 Getting flamed has nothing to do with it. It has to do with the vast majority of the community having the idea of self-entitlement for everything released.

I'll refer you to Null's own words.

Quote:Chronojam, Saberhawk, Silent\_Kane, Spoonny and Olaf

Five people. We now know that his gripe against me is completely fictional (for the 2nd time running), so that leaves four. I didn't ask what his problem is with the other four, but let's assume that he has a legitimate grievance, despite the fact he's managed to be crashingly wrong so often about so much already. If those four names (the "vast majority" of the Renegade community, apparently) behaved themselves appallingly, behaved themselves even worse than null has, you're saying it would be a perfectly good excuse to deprive the entire Renegade community of the wonders of Linkup?

If I were to make a list of players who've cheated or pointpushed in clanwars, it would be a lot more than four names, and yet I'd still have hosted the league for the benefit of everyone else. Like I said, we differ on that. For some of us, getting the job done is what's important. For others, the general idea seems to be: decide not to help the community because you don't like a minority of them, then boast about how much you've done (when the reality is you decided not to do anything), and go on to belittle people who actually have done the things you thought weren't worth doing, and then cry about the fact nobody gives a shit about you anymore (ignoring the fact you've never given anyone a reason to)

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [spigot](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 03:15:19 GMT  
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(just look at this thread, really) and decided to dedicate the bandwidth and money to something worthwhile. It had nothing to do with "hurt feelings" or lack of ambition. I just couldn't justify spending \$300+ monthly on a bunch of bickering idiots at the time. After taking a look at some of the posts on this forum, I'm thinking it was a pretty good decision.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 03:27:32 GMT  
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spigot wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 21:15Spoony: I'm not here to discuss the pros/cons of Linkup, XWIS, or Clanwars.

That is probably wise of you, considering the fact Null tried to, and failed dismally. (again)

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So? Who brought it up in the first place? Null (and havocide). If that's a bragging right, it is a valid rebuttal to point out that it got absolutely nowhere.

What's really funny is Null seems to think it helps his case to blame this unmitigated failure on his dislike of those five people he mentioned, especially since we've learned that one of those five grievances was entirely fictional. It would look a lot better to just say there was some technical problem, it really would. He'd have gotten points for trying, in my book at least. He'd still be on about -1000 though.

spigot wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 21:15Ultimately, I realized that this community as a whole is primarily comprised of absolute morons (just look at this thread, really)

Oh, I've seen the thread... I'm not sure you have. Given null's unparalleled stupidity, dishonesty, selfishness, bitterness and delusions of success, I'm a little puzzled why you think this shows everyone else to be "absolute morons".

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [cmatt42](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 03:32:25 GMT  
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Zounds! I don't even remember hearing about Linkup. How unfortunate, really.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 03:49:24 GMT

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null.var wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 17:06 What exactly did I do again?

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 03:56:30 GMT  
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Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 04:13:25 GMT  
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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 04:14:39 GMT  
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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [MGamer](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 04:14:51 GMT  
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lets all have peace! just lock this pile of shit

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Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 04:19:11 GMT  
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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 04:33:38 GMT  
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Canadacd wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 22:33Everyone here should pull their heads out of their fucking asses and realize that this argument is about a video game that came out in 2002. Get a damn life, people.  
My thoughts exactly.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 04:36:17 GMT

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My only bitching was due to people discrediting a project being null is being a fucktard.

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Posted by [ChewML](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 04:39:37 GMT  
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I don't think anybody here is implying, in the least, that an online game/forum is anyone's life. Having a gripe doesn't imply an obsession. If this was null's 10th post in 5 days, maybe I'd agree with you, since it's not, I'm going to have to just say that you're an idiot.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [luv2pb](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 07:14:46 GMT  
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Jesus Christ thank you. You know, I really appreciate you recognizing that. You're awesome. You ignore the part of where she tells you in like 3 sentences why everything you have said is wrong but get a hard on because she threw you a bone and said something nice.

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As anyone who reads this thread can tell no one really gives a crap about me outside of NS just like I said. Given that I did appreciate the compliments (thank you EWD, Dave, andr3w, Crim, Spooky and anyone I missed). It would seem to me this community has a disdain for you not me. By the way it was actually Havo who hijacked the thread not Spooky.

Take a hint, even people who you tried to use against me (see: DaveGMM) told you to STFU. All you have done is make yourself look like a bigger jackass and confirm to me that I have done a good job over the years. Also, Crimson wont admit to the oral because she doesn't want Blazer to know how much better I am at it.

Oh and one more thing null. You should hook up with drastic ... you two can jack each other off to how much you both hate me. May I suggest the "Dutch Rudder" maneuver to enhance the effect?

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 08:21:00 GMT  
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null.var wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 17:06 What exactly did I do again?  
hey, you're the one who came out of nowhere and cried and cried and cried about how nobody gives a shit about you (look at the initial replies; a handful of people think you're a prick and the rest haven't heard of you). That's what this thread was all about in the first place, your bitterness at being forgotten. (In your place I would probably welcome being forgotten, but hey)

You've acted with nothing but vitriol towards me, for no provocation at all. You've lied several times trying to attack me and you've been busted each time. You've continually attacked me for being the only person who gives enough of a shit to provide a clan ladder i.e. succeeding where you failed (that's what really annoys you about me and CW, isn't it?). But moving on. It's really funny watching you huff and puff about how much you've "done for the community"; a simple fact check puts you somewhere below 0x90. You've done quite a few extremely bad things to this game and this community, and the only good thing you've done never got off the ground in the first place (and judging by your laughable conversation with luv2pb, you think others are at fault for not knowing about it). Well, there would be no real shame in the fact your linkup project was an unmitigated failure in every sense. Points for trying. At least, that WOULD be the case if you didn't make the absurd statement that the reason the project was an absolute, utter failure was everyone else's fault, specifically mine (and surprise surprise, you lied about why... again)

I'm just saying, it seems like the reason you came crawling back to a community that spat you out is because you're desperate for respect... but it's really never occurred to you why nobody respects you. Judging by the luv2pb conversation, you're convinced that if someone doesn't think you're the best thing that happened to Renegade, they're new and ignorant. Couldn't POSSIBLY be because you haven't actually done anything for the community at all... at least, nothing good. I've already outlined the bad. I asked what did I do; and according to you, making a completely legitimate complaint about my website getting hacked makes me a real asshole. I know you're thick as pigshit so it's probably fruitless me pointing out there's nothing wrong with what I did there (a script kiddie loser like you can hardly be trusted to make any kind of moral distinction here), but that's not really the point... the point is what the hell does that make YOU? At least when I make a complaint to Apoc I tell him the truth. You don't, you make up bullshit lies to make people look bad, which you still haven't apologised for.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Crimson](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 08:56:38 GMT  
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^ That's a pretty good summary. Also RenForums does not equal n00bstories, in case there's like 2 or 3 people who still haven't figured that out.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 09:26:04 GMT  
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Spoony wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 02:21 Since I am so egocentric, you must understand that the reason why you are such a terrible person is because you criticize me. I gave a shit, so therefore you didn't give a shit. Even though I said that your existence means nothing, you have solely caused a series of bad things in the community. While I realize all this is logical fallacy, I'm going to go ahead and continue talking about it, just as I did 2 years ago, except this time, my shit is backed up by my new friends who previously shunned me.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 09:39:54 GMT  
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null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 03:26 Since I am so egocentric I'm the egocentric one? You're the one desperately trying to convince people how great you've been to this game, in spite of all the evidence pointing the other way. I couldn't really care less about anybody's opinion of me, so long as the job gets done.

You wouldn't understand.

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 03:26 you must understand that the reason why you are such a terrible person is because you criticize me.  
No, there's nothing wrong with criticising me, I wouldn't treat someone unfairly for simple criticism as long as it was made honestly and objectively, and as long as I had a platform to respond in my defence, which I would be sure to use.

In your case, I may as well just repeat my post from page two.  
a lot of people (including me) wouldn't say I am "old school" as far as ren goes, but for some reason null named myself and crimson as the two people he "missed from the old days"... so how were the old days, hmmm? my knowledge of null/slavik/yoshimitsu can be summed up in three brief points.

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so... in his rant to luv2pb he whines on and on about people who don't know or care who he is... if I'm one of the people who does (according to him...) then that's gotta be a good thing, considering the entire extent of my knowledge of null is three things, all of them very, very bad.

yep, "you're a terrible person for criticising me"... my word, it beggars belief how stupid you are. I've made my criticism of you perfectly clear, and you've shown yourself completely unable to refute any of it.

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 03:26I gave a shit, so therefore you didn't give a shit. Like I said, you keep trying to convince everyone you're the saviour of Renegade. You keep saying your project was so much better than mine. It's a perfectly valid rebuttal for me to point out that your project was an unmitigated failure, whereas mine was actually more successful than the original WOL clan ladder. Of course, I would not expect you to know that, considering your complete lack of knowledge of anything to do with clans in this game.

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 03:26Even though I said that your existence means nothing  
Please quote me where I said that?

What I said was you really haven't done anything good for the community. This was in response to your endless whining about how much good you've done and your bitterness at people like luv2pb. Why you mentioned me is still a bit of a mystery to me, considering the humiliation you suffered the last time around, but oh well, figured I may as well give a quick summary of everything I know about you in regard to this game, all of which was bad.

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 03:26you have solely caused a series of bad things in the community.

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null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 03:26 While I realize all this is logical fallacy That explains your absolute failure to refute a single word of it, humiliating yourself rather amusingly (again) in the attempt.

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 03:26 I'm going to go ahead and continue talking about it, just as I did 2 years ago again, it apparently needs repeating that you're the one who came out of nowhere and pitifully tried to convince everyone how much you've done for the community. Don't cry just because I checked your facts and embarrassed you in front of everybody.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 09:52:46 GMT  
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Sure thing, here you go!

Spoony wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 09:21 a simple fact check puts you somewhere below 0x90.... the point is what the hell does that make YOU?

Checking facts? I think your way of checking facts is more like making yourself feel that you are the facts incarnate.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 09:59:30 GMT  
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And yet again you can't refute a single thing I said, and yet again you dodge the point you were wrong about a great many things, and yet again you dodge the fact you were caught lying again.

Do yourself a favour, quit while you're behind. I know you're desperate to gain some respect around here, and I know you're furious at me for pointing out why that's highly unlikely to happen, but take a quick time out. Ten seconds' thought on your part would show you that the reason nobody here gives a shit about you is because you've never given anybody a reason to, and because you've given plenty of reasons not to.

Well, I say ten seconds... in most peoples' case that would be true. In your case it's been several years and still counting.

Either do something good for the community (for the first time, and see if you can compensate for all the bad you've done to this community), or quit acting like anyone is supposed to give a shit about you.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 10:05:36 GMT  
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Why don't you take a break and bring some actual facts (logs, screenshots, etc) supporting your evidence (evidence of what, you have still yet to explain, by the way).

You must be so pleased that people willingly agree with what you say, having not the slightest clue or single notion of who you were and how YOU imposed yourself on the community.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 10:08:23 GMT  
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Spoony's credibility is a lot higher than yours is at this moment, null. Must have something to do with the input he has had in the Renegade community for the last years while almost noone here actually even remembers you.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 10:11:29 GMT  
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Or maybe it has something to do with the fact that Spoony went above Crimson's head to Apoc and pissed and moaned til he got his way.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 10:18:06 GMT  
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null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 04:05 I recognize that simply because I can't refute your silly arguments to your liking does not validate your arguments at all. Sorry.  
You can't refute them at all. You've tried, and failed abjectly... that says more than you realise.

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 04:05 Why don't you take a break and bring some actual facts (logs, screenshots, etc) supporting your evidence (evidence of what, you have still yet to explain, by the way).

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point one, see: "in null's own words"

point two, YOU POSTED LOGS OF IT YOURSELF, REMEMBER? jesus.

point three, you've already affirmed it in this very thread. What's hypocritical is when you went to Apoc and lied about how I supposedly ddosed the renegade forums, you didn't post any evidence. Indeed, how could you, because you were lying. And you still don't have the balls to retract your pathetic accusation with an apology, which says a great deal about you.

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 04:05 You must be so pleased that people willingly agree with what you say, having not the slightest clue or single notion of who you were and how YOU imposed yourself on the community.

Um, ok... nobody has the slightest clue who I am, whereas you do. That explains the fact that every single thing you've tried to say against me has been wrong.

null.var wrote Or maybe it has something to do with the fact that Spoony went above Crimson's head to Apoc and pissed and moaned til he got his way.

I don't know why I have to repeat really simple things to you over and over again. My complaint to Apoc was perfectly legitimate. You've already said it was some nonsense about "not sponsoring Clanwars.cc", which shows YET AGAIN that you have no absolutely idea what you're talking about.

And yet again, if making a legitimate complaint to Apoc is such a terrible thing, then what does that make you? Considering the fact that you made a complaint to Apoc in which,

wait for it,

YOU WERE LYING?

REMEMBER?

YOU WENT TO APOC AND YOU LIED TO HIM, SAYING I DDOSED THIS SITE?

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 10:26:59 GMT

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The rest of that quote was "until EA would fix the game." points for taking that out of context.

In my post to EA, I never said "Spoonny DDoS'd community sites" In fact I said that after you confronted Renforums, there was a series of DDoS attacks. I never said you did them, lol.

As far as you "busting" me about lying, I have yet to see any lies here.

Quote:

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Not a log, link or screenshot. That looks like you still haven't done your homework quite yet. Try again though.

The best part about arguing with you is that you try to misconstrue my words so that it somehow barely supports what little, weak argument you have:

Quote:null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 04:05

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Um, ok... nobody has the slightest clue who I am, whereas you do. That explains the fact that every single thing you've tried to say against me has been wrong.

Lets try to solve this one:

Change the tense of null's statement from past to present to give the impression that I said that nobody knows who you are -> That explains that everything I've said has been wrong.

That makes a lot of sense.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 10:45:31 GMT  
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null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 04:26The rest of that quote was "until EA would fix the game." points for taking that out of context.

People who make and distribute cheats tend to say this. Cyberpunk said it all the time. He really didn't realise what a brainless prick it made him look, and evidently neither do you. If anything, trying to justify the act makes it even more pathetic.

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 04:26In my post to EA, I never said "Spoony DDoS'd community sites" In fact I said that after you confronted Renforums, there was a series of DDoS

attacks. I never said you did them, lol.

You're lying again. You accused me of the ddos attacks in the same sentence as your condemnation of me "speaking out" against the Renegade community (the latter being partly true, if a little decontextualised considering the fact that I was complaining about MY WEBSITE BEING HACKED)

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 04:26 Not a log, link or screenshot. That looks like you still haven't done your homework quite yet. Try again though.

Sad, bleating little sheep... who cares that it's all true, what matters is there were no logs posted!

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 04:26 Change the tense of null's statement from past to present to give the impression that I said that nobody knows who you are ->

Then go ahead and fill everybody in!

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [null.var](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 10:53:16 GMT

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Unless the dialect of english that you speak is different than mine, or we are in two different universes, I can't imagine how you could derive those thoughts from what I said.

Also, if you're going to argue, you can't have a double standard for presentation of facts as you have adopted. Since you can't read, let me express this in simple terms. If you expect me to present facts, when countering my arguments, you too must present facts. You have failed to do this after me asking since page 3 "What have I done?"

Your arguments go like this

-Quote taken out of context here-

Heres what the quote means taken out of context. This out of context quote along with my skewed interpretation of it proves that null has the intellect of a child.

When I retort, you just simply say "no lol" and then replace the quote taken out of context with my retort.

I really can't argue with somebody who keeps doing what I outlined above. I replied, like you wanted me to. Now I'm going to go back to doing what I said on page 1, not hearing from me again.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 11:05:41 GMT

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null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 04:53 Also, if you're going to argue, you can't have a double standard for presentation of facts as you have adopted.

This from the guy who condemns me for complaining to Apoc about my website getting hacked, but is perfectly happy lying to Apoc about me supposedly ddosing somebody.

It really does beggar belief how stupid you are.

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 04:53 Since you can't read, let me express this in simple terms. If you expect me to present facts, when countering my arguments, you too must present facts.

Sorry, you have an argument? I must've missed that. All you've done is a string of entirely fictional accusations, none of which you seem willing to retract or apologise for after you're caught lying. When I make accusations against you, all you do is whinge about the lack of evidence, ignoring the fact they're true!

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 04:53 I really can't argue with somebody who keeps doing what I outlined above.

You are correct when you say you can't argue with me, you're just a little confused about why... I'll fill you in, it's because everything you've said against me has been wrong, and because everything I've said about you has been right.

null.var wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 04:53 I replied, like you wanted me to. Now I'm going to go back to doing what I said on page 1, not hearing from me again.

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I'll say it again: the reason nobody here respects you is you've never given anybody cause to. When someone like luv2pb doesn't know or care who you are, it's not because he's "new" or "ignorant", it's because you've never given anything worthwhile to this community, in spite of all your huffing and puffing.

null's sig says:

the rest of the people from the renegade community really don't give a fuck who you are or what you do

A little ironic, don't you think? Seems like a grand total of one person, xptek, views you favourably. Everyone else apparently thinks you're a petulant loser, or couldn't care less.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [havocide3](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 15:17:27 GMT

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Spoony wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 06:05

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 15:43:22 GMT  
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This has to be the stupidest thread I've had the displeasure of reading in a long time.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [spigot](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 17:24:08 GMT  
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Spoony wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 21:27 That is probably wise of you, considering the fact Null tried to, and failed dismally. (again)

^ Holy. Shit. You fucking retard. Stop proving my point.

Spoony wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 21:27 So? Who brought it up in the first place? Null (and havocide). If that's a bragging right, it is a valid rebuttal to point out that it got absolutely nowhere.

I haven't really followed C&C news for the last few years, but as far as I know it's the most complete and accurate implementation of a WOL server created so far. The service wasn't launched in the end, correct, but it didn't get absolutely nowhere. Hell, one of these days I might port the code over to InspIRCd and release the source (but probably not, because I don't see the majority of you getting less fucking stupid any time soon!).

Spoony wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 21:27 What's really funny is Null seems to think it helps his case to blame this unmitigated failure on his dislike of those five people he mentioned, especially since we've learned that one of those five grievances was entirely fictional. It would look a lot better to just say there was some technical problem, it really would. He'd have gotten points for trying, in my book at least. He'd still be on about -1000 though.

ATTN Presumptuous Dumbass:

Other than using the service, null wasn't affiliated with Linkup. At all. Comprende?

Spoony wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 21:27 Oh, I've seen the thread... I'm not sure you have. Given null's unparalleled stupidity, dishonesty, selfishness, bitterness and delusions of success,

I'm a little puzzled why you think this shows everyone else to be "absolute morons".

Uh, do you really think I'm here to defend null? I'm here to clear up a few baseless assumptions about the Linkup project. Discussing the efficacies of Linkup, XWIS, or Clanwars.cc is a REALLY fucking pointless waste of time. The "better" solution is highly subjective to the needs of a particular player. Some fat neckbeard-wielding troll playing primarily to rank in a ladder might find Clanwars useful. An average player would probably find the stability/speed/decentralized nature of Linkup desirable. A driveling moron might appreciate XWIS because of the interaction with other driveling morons. This thread, you, null, all stupid MSN logs, and any discussion of the aforementioned stupid MSN logs is fucking pointless and you're all "absolute morons" for wasting any thought on it.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Crimson](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 18:02:42 GMT  
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For the record, Spooky did NOT "get his way" when he complained to Apoc about me. I banned him for 30 days for a reason that is not important now but probably was at the time and he complained to Apoc about it. Apoc wanted me to remove the ban but I didn't do it. Spooky stayed away for the length of the ban, after which time he came back and the rest is history. Since then, there has been a mutual decision between us that we are better off working together instead of fighting, the latter of which got us and the community absolutely nowhere, and everything has been fine ever since.

I don't know what your version of the story is, but that's mine.

And regarding the DDoS attacks, we had very good reason to believe at the time (based on the timing and the history of one of the people that he ran a website with [not clanwars]) that Spooky might have either ordered the attack on these forums or told a friend about his problems here who took matters into their own hands. I don't recall ever figuring out who did that attack and why. I no longer believe he had anything to do with it, though I can't say that it's a fact that he didn't. It doesn't really matter, anyway, considering that was easily 2 or 3 years ago.

I don't remember much about "Linkup". I never used it or anything. I vaguely remember getting some status reports about it and them trying to convince me to support it or endorse it or something. It's been a while...

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Canadacdn](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 18:04:33 GMT  
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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [spigot](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 18:19:22 GMT  
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The ONLY people that had ANY affiliation with Linkup were myself and pvtschlag. I thought that was made pretty clear. Wow.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Canadacdn](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 18:23:31 GMT  
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By saying "your" system, I'm not referring to havocide3 only. I'm referring to the entire group of people claiming to have worked on this project.

Fuck off.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [GEORGE ZIMMER](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 18:25:53 GMT

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NO ONE GIVES A SHIT ABOUT A CRAPPY WOL CLONE THAT DIDN'T WORK OUT NOR YOUR STUPID PERSONAL QUARRELS WITH OTHER PEOPLE. SHUT THE FUCK UP AND GET THE FUCK OUT.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [spigot](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 18:40:27 GMT

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mind this linkup bullshit which was never released in the first place. Even if it was, what on earth makes you think anyone would play there? I'd lay odds they'd have stayed at Clanwars.

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blimey... I think you've taken lessons from the null school of non-logic.

Crimson wroteFor the record, Spooky did NOT "get his way" when he complained to Apoc about me.

Indeed, because I didn't ask for anything in the first place. I didn't even ask to be unbanned.

You would at least, I think, acknowledge that my complain was legitimate and there was nothing inherently wrong with making it in the first place? I certainly tried to resolve it with you first.

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Posted by [Canadacdn](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 18:50:08 GMT

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EDIT: If this system of yours is as awesome as it's supposed to be, why not just work on improving the awful WOL clone we use now? Of course not.  
BAAAAAAAWWWWWWWWWWWing on renforums is a much better alternative, right?

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 18:52:58 GMT  
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Posted by [Dover](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 18:53:35 GMT  
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ATTN Presumptuous Dumbass:

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Uh, do you really think I'm here to defend null? I'm here to clear up a few baseless assumptions about the Linkup project. Discussing the efficacies of Linkup, XWIS, or Clanwars.cc is a REALLY fucking pointless waste of time. The "better" solution is highly subjective to the needs of a particular player. Some fat neckbeard-wielding troll playing primarily to rank in a ladder might find Clanwars useful. An average player would probably find the stability/speed/decentralized nature of Linkup desirable. A driveling moron might appreciate XWIS because of the interaction with other driveling morons. This thread, you, null, all stupid MSN logs, and any discussion of the aforementioned stupid MSN logs is fucking pointless and you're all "absolute morons" for wasting any thought on it.

ITT: BAWWWWWW

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 18:57:17 GMT  
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Posted by [dr3w2](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 19:03:29 GMT  
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andr3w282 wrote on Thu, 18 December 2008 20:37For once i agree with spoonys long quoted rants.

Null, question for you. What the fuck are you even attempting to do with this thread? Bring shit to luv2pbs name? Inform us your clearly outdated on n00bstories, and the renegade community? To me your chat with luv2pb, this thread, and all your whining posts just displays you have a pent up anger over the years towards the community and/or luv2pb. Grow a pair of fucking balls and shut the fuck up.

I like how i technically stayed on topic to this thread and have yet to receive an answer.  
So once again

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Posted by [Spoon](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 19:04:56 GMT  
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I've been wondering the same question. I can't understand null's complaint either.

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that.

Although, I personally think xptek is a little unreasonable in calling us "dumbasses" for thinking null had anything to do with Linkup. After all, the only reason anyone thought that is because it's what Null himself (and havocide) told us. But hey, I suppose you can fault us for being gullible, although it seems more appropriate to fault them for being liars.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 19:24:46 GMT  
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I don't see how the claim that it was canceled because of the idiocy of the Renegade community is absurd. Plus, the amount of money that would have been spent by xptek (and it would have been from him, alone) really wouldn't be worth it. Of course, the obvious question is WHY he would start the project in the first place, then. To answer that question, I say we'd have to ask him. However, if I was to make a guess from knowing him, I would say it's because he likes to take on projects he deems fun, but then costs start to add up, and then you wake up and realize just who you're spending all of this money on, and then it hits you that it's not worth it.

I do have respect for those that are willing to spend so much money, although I question their sanity, as well. Spending so much money on a community that continually boasts its massive stupidity and arrogance is beyond me. More power to those willing, but it makes perfect sense to me as to why someone would have a change of heart.

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In summary, the few points I came here to make:

xptek and pvtschlag were the only developers of Linkup.

null, havocide, etc were not affiliated with Linkup (other than using it).

Linkup is complete and ready for a public beta.

Because the majority of you are fucking braindead, Linkup will never launch because I don't want to waste bandwidth/time on morons!

Speculation about which system is better is fucking stupid. If you've taken place in such discussion (Spoony) you're a fucking retard.

Also, a cycle of the Renforums getting trolled process:

null posts something stupid/some random chatlog while bitching about some aspect of "the community."

Neckbearded morons write up wall-of-text debates about some stupid chat log or statement.

More neckbearded morons write wall-of-text debates. Process continues exponentially.

Thousands of hours that could've been used for something not fucking retarded are wasted.

This is all. Enjoy being further trolled.

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Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 19:30:09 GMT

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The reason why it was unknown is because it was created only by two people (xptek and pvtschlag) in a fairly short amount of time. They were both part of the same IRC community, and they decided to start up the project. Once it got to public beta stage, xptek decided to stop with its progress. That's why it's unknown.

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Then thanks again; we all know now that null's been lying to us yet again, and I will certainly not judge Linkup any further based on him. But like I said, your first condemnation wasn't directed at Null and Havocide for misleading us; it was directed at us for taking their statements at face value.

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Posted by [spigot](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 19:45:04 GMT  
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Correct, it wasn't about cost. I stated that clearly multiple times in previous posts. (Seriously, why do you people respond without reading the thread first?) I was, hmm, 16 at oldest when the program was written and making around \$30,000 a year with no bills . It wasn't about lack of money, it was about allocating that money to something worthwhile that reduces the amount of fucktards I talk to dramatically while generating some revenue on the side.

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Posted by [Dover](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 19:47:32 GMT  
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Just because something wasn't IMPLEMENTED doesn't mean that it wasn't COMPLETE. It doesn't take a genius to realize the difference.

As far as being upset that XWIS was implemented and Linkup wasn't, let me take you back to a point that's been repeated several times in this thread. IT WASN'T RELEASED. How could anyone be upset that the community uses XWIS when it wasn't even fucking released?

Ironic that you say I miss the point entirely as you proceed to miss the point entirely.

If it wasn't implemented, it wasn't complete. If you do your homework but don't hand it in, you don't get credit for it. If you receive a check but don't cash it, you don't get money. If you make and xwis clone and don't release it or get it implemented, IT'S NOT COMPLETE.

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Posted by [u6795](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 19:49:16 GMT  
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u6795 wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 11:49NEKBEARDED MORANS

That's offensive! I has a nekberd! and I'm not moran!

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Posted by [Spoony](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 19:53:19 GMT  
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I must admit, he's got me on the neckbeard as well... therefore in terms of correct accusations against me, that statement means he overtakes null.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [nikki6ixx](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 19:56:02 GMT  
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I figured beards were out back in the 80's.

They're back?

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Posted by [spigot](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 20:02:14 GMT  
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Quote:Then thanks again; we all know now that null's been lying to us yet again, and I will certainly not judge Linkup any further based on him. But like I said, your first condemnation wasn't directed at Null and Havocide for misleading us; it was directed at us for taking their statements at face value.

Oh shit, my bad man.

Havocide and null:

FUCKING RETARDS

Majority of the C&C community:

FUCKING RETARDS

And now I begin my promised slip into obscurity while this thread degrades into a discussion about the various interpretations of "complete" and "implementation." Doesn't look like much has changed, heh.

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Ah, and the reason your xwis clone was never released finally comes out! This has been educational, indeed.

(I guess the rampant marijuana use broke your sarcasm detector!)

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 19 Dec 2008 20:31:04 GMT

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To put it another way: If I have to get my car repaired, your definition of it being completed is when I pick up my car. On the other hand, I feel it's completed when they've stopped working on it, and my car is in working condition, whether I pick my car up immediately, take a week, a month, or a year. Hell, if I die in transit to pick up my car, your view would leave my car repair incomplete. Rather, it's just the TRANSACTION is incomplete, not the repair itself.

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Not recognition, but use.

To use the check example; If I have a stack of uncashed checks, they are, for all intents and purposes, worthless until I deposit them. I can't use them to buy groceries or anything else. Sure, the POTENTIAL is there, and I wouldn't go about throwing them away, but if I don't take that final step of going to the bank, I'm just as well off as not having the check in the first place. It's not a matter of fame, but a matter of utility

The work on your car may be "completed", true, but you're not getting any use out of it until you go pick it up. If you die in transit, you NEVER get any use out of it. The "work" may be done, but without picking up your car, what does that get you? You don't have a car to drive. Your car may as well be broken.

Now, on to the xwis clone; The "work" is (was?) done. The "car is fixed", the "check is received". But why should I give a shit if I can't use his clone, or "drive the car", or "pay my bills"? It (was?) ready for public beta. Whoop de fucking do. From my perspective (And anybody else save Null, apparently), it may as well have never existed. What difference does it make to me if the "work" is done, if it was never released? It's useless. Worthless. Entirely without merit. A waste of time and effort.

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indeed. nobody was really going out of their way to slate linkup (especially since nobody knew about it before this thread).... the only reason anyone said anything about it is because null and havocide made such ridiculous claims about it so null would feel better about himself. That's what the thread was about in the first place, null's fury at someone (luv2pb in this case, but it could just as well have been anybody else) not knowing or caring who he was. Linkup wasn't the target, linkup was just the "evidence" null used to support his feeble claims. If he's gonna make a claim like that, it'll be analysed and the facts checked, and once the facts get checked he seems to have a recurring habit of disappearing in anger and everyone going back to not caring about him yet again.

It probably would've been better for his reputation (or least, not made it worse than it already is) if he never mentioned linkup at all.

I guess that wraps up the thread really, and we'll see him in another three years when someone else makes the mistake of saying "Sorry, who are you again?"

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Everyone is at fault here.

ESPECIALLY Scrin.

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Scrin ruins everything good and pure. Remember when this thread had Plecos and was good?  
Dammit Scrin...

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Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Sat, 20 Dec 2008 03:13:59 GMT  
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If costs were truly a concern, I'm sure there'd be a few people with money around this place who would front the coin for running the thing.

Frankly, I don't think it has been completed at all.  
You're free to have your assumptions, but they'd be wrong.

Be it justified or not, xptek tends to get tired of people fairly quickly and abandons projects when people start to annoy him.

The reason why it was unknown is because it was created only by two people (xptek and pvtschlag) in a fairly short amount of time. They were both part of the same IRC community, and they decided to start up the project. Once it got to public beta stage, xptek decided to stop with its progress. That's why it's unknown.

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How I am on these forums is not an accurate depiction of who I am. It never has been, and I see no reason why it should be. Talk to me on an instant messenger, and I'm not the hate monger I

appear on here. It's only because the threads that interest me enough have the drama that's entertaining. I'm not trying to hide behind any banner, either. I don't need to justify my actions by hiding behind an identity.

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cheesesoda wrote on Fri, 19 December 2008 21:31 I'm not defending null or havocide. I was defending Linkup and explaining xptek's intentions. Neither him or I are trying to boast about Linkup.

I had a slight part in Linkup. Well, not really, but I got the privilege to use Linkup, and I knew its potential. I don't care who the developers are, and I have no intention to hold them in high regard. The only thing I'm holding in high regard is the project itself.

In that case, surely xptek deserves criticism for withholding it from the community. This "you're all morons" excuse is garbage and it amazes me that you fall for it. Like I said, if xptek made a list of everyone he despises in this community (like null did), it would add up to a very very small minority of people who play or in some way support this game.

He wouldn't even have to pay for its running if he didn't want to, he could just release it and let someone else handle the costs. \$300 a month? I've known some people pay that just on a few servers. In this way, not only would the community get something great out of it (presumably... though we have nothing but your word) but xptek would gain a great deal of respect for doing something good for the community even though he didn't like anybody here.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Sat, 20 Dec 2008 20:36:16 GMT  
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I think it's a valid reason. Be it a bullshit one that only proves him to be self-interested, it still isn't that far-fetched.

Even if it's only a minority of the population (which after nearly 7 years of being a part of the renegade community, I don't see how it's merely a minority), it makes perfect sense that it would be his reasoning. After all, people tend to only look at a minority of a group for them to pass judgment on the entire group. Homosexuals are flamboyant and immoral. Arabs are terrorists. Republicans are crazy, war-mongering neo-cons. Liberals are stupid hippies. Libertarians are conspiracy theorist nut-jobs that know for certain the world is out to get them. Gamers are pimply-faced nerds that are afraid of sunlight. I don't think I need to go further with stereotyping.

As far as him not releasing it, I don't blame people for not wanting to release everything they create that could be used for good. Everybody cries for everything to be public domain, and then the creators don't tend to get much out of it. Be it a lame excuse to hold back from releasing something, it's not out of the ordinary.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Spoony](#) on Sun, 21 Dec 2008 02:31:58 GMT  
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Keeping that in mind, I wonder how many people from the Renegade community have given Strike-Team any thanks.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Canadacdn](#) on Sun, 21 Dec 2008 04:05:09 GMT  
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Spoony wrote on Sat, 20 December 2008 20:31 Keeping that in mind, I wonder how many people from the Renegade community have given Strike-Team any thanks.

I'm thankful of the work they have done, but I'm certainly not happy about it. Especially their busted-ass login/account creation system that's probably kept dozens of people from trying Ren's online due to how fucking confusing it is to make an account.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [Tunaman](#) on Mon, 22 Dec 2008 01:28:45 GMT  
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What's going on here!?

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.  
Posted by [luv2pb](#) on Mon, 22 Dec 2008 02:46:10 GMT  
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Spoony wrote on Sat, 20 December 2008 21:31 Keeping that in mind, I wonder how many people from the Renegade community have given Strike-Team any thanks.  
I know by now it is well documented by the all mighty authority and my #2 fan null that I'm an idiot and the worst administrator to ever hit Renegade but I feel it necessary to point out that in my opinion strike-team deserves zero thanks. There really isn't that much functionality to WOL yet some how strike-team has managed to break just about every aspect of it. It is only by the fact that they have to that servers and players can even connect to the thing any more. The recent 24+ hour unplanned and than unexplained down time is just another example in a long list of why I feel this way.

So what do you want to bet that if I started digging I would find that null was behind the fail script kiddo flood today that we squashed?

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

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Posted by [Spoony](#) on Mon, 22 Dec 2008 10:49:18 GMT

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It would not exactly shock me, and I acknowledge your points about strike-team. I was just pointing out that cheesiesoda has nothing but praise for a project like XWIS which was never even beta-released. At least XWIS have come up with something. That, to me, seems almost as retarded than some of the crap we've heard from null.

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Subject: Re: luv2pb cares about the community.

Posted by [cheesiesoda](#) on Mon, 22 Dec 2008 14:50:10 GMT

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The difference is that I saw Linkup work. Even after using XWIS, I'm not convinced that it does work.

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