

Jon D Kendall

From: Kathy Gibson
Sent: Monday, 24 June, 2002 19:02
To: Jon.Kendall@utas.edu.au
Subject: Faculty IT Committee

Dear Jon,

In response to your call for agenda items for the 4th meeting of the Faculty IT Committee, the following are suggestions from the staff of Accounting & Finance.

- Is it possible to obtain a site licence for the PDF filemaker software that would allow staff to access it from the own machines (this used to be the case in the School) rather than using the one machine in the meeting room upstairs? As we are all using WebCT now the need to create PDF files has increased considerably and easier access would assist.
- Sound cards. The new leased machines do not have adequate sound cards and flexible delivery materials cannot be heard clearly. This is a particular issue for us, and the quality in student labs is also of vital importance - it is imperative that our resources work adequately on these machines. (In the minutes of the last meeting Jack noted that the student labs had been updated with Dell machines - are the sound cards in these machines better than the ones in staff machines? They will need to be).
- Can we please have an update on the streaming media server? I understood from Alistair Roberts that it would be available from 1st June, but recent attempts to access it have not been successful and there seems to be conflicting information. We need to know when it will be ready and when staff can access it.

Thanks, Jon, Cheers, Kathy.

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>Peter,
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>An item for Other Business for the IT committee: I have recently received
>V.6 of the Nudist software - this is a full version with new media and
>manuals. Can we find out the mechanism for updating our users.
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>Thanks,
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>Read my online novel (now archived by the Aust National Library):
><http://purl.nla.gov.au/nla/pandora/rainbow>

Herewith a message from Kim Lehmann re Nudist 6. This must be dealt with at the Meeting today.

The ongoing saga of EndNote is becoming akin to preparations for the D Day landing. I really do need the software as I am in the process of writing up my literature chapter for my PhD. You may recall that I did have a copy of EndNote on the Mac that I swapped for a PC (so that I could access the later versions of Nudist. When this was arranged it was to be on the basis that I would have access to the same software that I previously had. This has not eventuated and it is getting to the stage where my work is being hampered. I understand that there are others in Hobart who may be in a similar position (?Megan Woods).

Gary Crone has a copy of EndNote on his PC which will become free after 5 July. The copy of EndNote that was on my old Mac is still there and so far as I know is not being used by anybody. I understand that there is some idea of a Campus licence in the wind but that may be some time off.

Can we please discuss this today. I am getting a little grumpy.

One further matter. I am having trouble with the VPN Software. I am running Windows XP on my home computer and for some inexplicable reason it is

conflicting with the email programmes so that they will not send messages more than one word in length. Useful of course for sending short four letter expletives but not much more. I have logged calls and the matter is being investigated. Can this be raised at the Meeting also.

Thanks

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