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Cheers,

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Subject: Re: Can I get a list of every Paris site there is please? Posted by excelar on Wed, 29 Mar 2006 09:33:54 GMT

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Here are some conceptual ideas for the Paris News Group. Let me know what you guys think.

The Paris assets page

Things that are missing:

A dedicated file page, with files like BT's SMPTE file, Deej's setup, file, or direct links to Chuck's Plugin page. The guy that comes on the NG for the first time three months from now, will miss out because he won't know that they even exist. If he found them, his next question would be how to install them, a page would come in handy for this and similar things like this, were additional instruction are needed.

How to cook in Paris!

Paris recipes, tips and tricks. Have each guy that wants to, list their favorite and most useful tip or trick. There are subjects that could be covered better, like free form mode, or automation, etc. Recipes, for example, a recipe for your favorite way to record electric bass with Paris. List things like

equipment used, settings, type of strings used, mic placement, materials used such as wind screen or packing blankets, and where you got them.

## Paris Directory

In stead of having more web pages and our personal information floating around in cyber space, that can easily be sniffed, have a down loadable pdf or Word document that would have a bio with contact information, our interest, what instruments we play, etc. This could be set up in a standardized templet form.

## The Paris Players Directory

An idea that kind of piggybacks the Directory idea, it would be a Paris Players Directory. The directory would list what instruments you play, what style or genera of music. It would be a directory of volunteer musicians that would be willing to play on up to three tracks for free or for one dollar. This would be like having a community of hired guns that could spice up your tracks. If the track is used, you would just agree to give acknowledgment for the track. If a song or work actually sold nationally, you would still get performance royalties. It could be worked out. We would all get to know each other even better.

It is fast and easy to send files direct via Instant Messaging software. so shooting Paris project file across the net would be easy. We could pay pal each other, or what ever. Again this could be set up in a templet. All of us have some kind of studio, and all of us have some kind of talent, lets utilize it! This would work kind of like Deej's cyber band idea. Together we could create great music that we could have never created alone.

#### **James**

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Hey Kim,

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www.mercysakes.com/paris/vault

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#### **James**

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I have a few email addresses, and I think tony@mercysakes.com has the most storage. I'm on a T1 at work and cable modem (T2 plus download speed) at home, so that's not a problem. Someone with a fast upload connection should be able to email the SMPTE files fairly quickly. That or send them to me on a cd at:

Tony Benson 9631 Hickman Road Des Moines, IA 50322

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