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Posted by [Kim](#) on Tue, 12 Sep 2006 10:12:57 GMT

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Posted by [Deej \[1\]](#) on Tue, 12 Sep 2006 12:08:19 GMT

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Regards,

Luigi

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Posted by [Don Nafe](#) on Tue, 12 Sep 2006 12:56:37 GMT

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Posted by [steve the artguy](#) on Wed, 13 Sep 2006 02:01:02 GMT

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Posted by [rick](#) on Wed, 13 Sep 2006 08:59:17 GMT

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that was trixie solo for pete's sake...hans said "yes it is"

get your facts straight boy.....

On 12 Sep 2006 20:12:57 +1000, "Kim" <[hidde@sounds.com](mailto:hidde@sounds.com)> wrote:

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The worst thing that could happen is that the server I use could go bye bye, in which case we'd have to go to the backup box, which may mean missing a week's posts (depending how long since I booted the backup machine for an update - it's not on 24/7).

But unless my house burns down taking both boxes with it, you're not going to wake up one morning and find no more group here.

So relax. ;o) If it goes down, it will be back. If it's going to be down for more than 24 hours I'll advise Doug Wellington to put updates on status on parisfaqs.

We have a good thing here and it's going nowhere. :o) This is one of the reasons I stepped up to the plate so quickly when Chuck decided to stop hosting. I felt it couldn't be let go. I had that feeling you talk about above. I was like "Is this it?". I thought about it for about half an hour and thought "I can host it myself surely. I have a server sitting there..."

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Posted by [Kim](#) on Wed, 13 Sep 2006 10:01:58 GMT  
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...and this is a post from the backup server. It functions just like the real one. Indeed if there's anybody who's in Melbourne who's interested in co-hosting we can hook this box up at their place and have two servers online 24/7 with different URL's which are linked to each other... if one goes down we can divert to the other.

Right now if the main server blew up we'd lose nothing and be back online within a few minutes.

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Posted by [chuck duffy](#) on Wed, 13 Sep 2006 11:02:21 GMT  
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Chuck

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Subject: Re: Sorry about that...  
Posted by [steve the artguy](#) on Thu, 14 Sep 2006 06:31:01 GMT  
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So that makes us 8 years old as of basically now...

....well hell...

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Posted by [chuck duffy](#) on Thu, 14 Sep 2006 13:11:54 GMT  
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You know I think you are right :-) It might have been December of 97 when  
a few of us started trading emails.

Elizabeth is in second grade, Gavan in kindergarten and sam is getting ready

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