

Allen Ayres is The Man & Site Updates Explained

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Another Huge Thanks To Big Allen Ayres!

It is honestly hard to put into words how incredibly generous Mr. Ayres has been with his time, expertise, and council. He has worked countless hours on updating Abc, and has been with us since virtually day one of this sites inception! There is absolutely no way, that we could have enhanced our site without him. Therefore I would like to thank you a trillion times over again Allen, and also declare that this month's issue of Beyond Failure Magazine is dedicated to you!

Site Updates Explained

If there is one thing you can say about Abc, it's that you never know what we are going to come up with next! We do that, because we like to keep our readers / members on the edge of their seats. I mean, one minute we are adding an incredible anatomy section, the next we are updating another aspect of the site, and this month you weren't sure what was going on.

Several things took place. First as you know we had to make a huge transfer over to a prime time dedicated server. Secondly however, I wanted to completely update our forums software with all the latest technological breakthroughs. The problem was not simply updating it, but also transferring all the members, and posts over to this new software. Here is what has been added due to the updates:

Search Feature Is Fantastic - We have now fixed the search feature, and it is working incredibly fast and efficiently! You do not need a member number any longer, as it works beyond perfectly!

New Interactive Front Page - As you can see, the forums are now integrate-able to the front page of our site. It gives things a smoother feel. And most importantly allows members to immediately see all the happenings on the forums at a glance.

A. Menu - You can quickly navigate the forums this way

B. Announcements - Every time I Update the Site, you will be able to see it immediately as you experienced today.

C. Quick Search - This feature allows you to quickly search all the forums within the last weeks time span. Hence the words quick search.

D. Who's Online and Last Seen- Quick Overview of Who's Online and also who the last 10 people were to log onto abc.

E. Current Poll - I love this feature, it allows us to place the latest poll onto the front page. If you post a poll yourself, that's where it will appear, aside from the forums themselves.

F. Hot Topics - Without even searching the forums themselves you will be able to see what's hot today!

G. Top Ten Rated Posts - Get a feel for what the members voted to the top of the front page. Again, making the site more interactive

I. Current Threads - The last 10 posts made

Of course if you want to go straight to the forum front page, you can just click the button labeled Main Index.

Speed

Due to our dedicated server, the speed of the site will be extremely fast and scalable! Lets face it, this is what we all want the most anyway. Therefore we dished out the \$ big bucks \$ to get it!

Private Messages

You are going to love the new notification feature! Pm one of your friends on the site and check it out! You can also request a receipt and much, much more!

Categories

I want to emphasize that this is a bodybuilding site. And so I separated pure bodybuilding categories from pure recreational categories.

Archives For Members Only!

Its important that the members of Abc get special privileges. What I did was archive the majority of the old posts for training and nutrition. There are hundreds of thousands of posts that are searchable here, and they can only be viewed by the members. If you log in, you will see 3 categories appear in the archive category below. If not logged in, they will not appear!

Avatars

The majority of the members requested Avatars for the site rather than the cars. Which means that you can now place the picture you like underneath your name. Simply go to your profile and edit this(just go to display, and place the picture underneath the place that says, my picture)

Moderators

I believe the most requested subject has been the addition of new moderators. Several fantastic athletes, with tremendous knowledge in the sport of bodybuilding have generously offered to help moderate the site. This means that we can keep this place cleaner, and enhance the sites quality. I will add more moderators in the near future. Here are the mods to date:

1. Old School - Contains Knowledge beyond compare in training techniques, workout strategies and is just plain **bad!**
2. Gabriel "Venom" Wilson - What can I say. Venom literally knows everything! He is a training and nutritional guru! And his focus is for the hardcore, dedicated bodybuilder.

I can't thank these incredible athletes enough for their generosity toward our site!

Future Happenings At Abc

I've said it before, and guess what? I am going to say it again! This is only the beginning! If I showed you the background plans for additions to the entire site, that we plan of adding in the future you would not believe me!

As of now we will begin work on a top secret addition, known as "**Project X.**" This addition to the site, will knock your socks off, and make you say to yourself, "Do my eyes deceive me?" I can't believe Jacob added something this cool! Well believe it, because its coming!

This Month's Magazine

Can you believe how many calf articles we have this month!? I felt that this muscle was well worth this much dedication. It is by far the most difficult muscle group to build up, and in order to properly cover it, I needed to place a minimum of this much information. Your calves are getting ready to explode!

Anyone Who Emailed Me on June 1st

Due to the transfers on the forums I lost my emails for the day of June 1st. I know it is only one day, but I do my best to answer everyone's questions! So if you emailed me on this date, go ahead and forward the letter my way, and I will get back to you.

Thank you and Enjoy This Month's Incredible Issue of Beyond Failure Magazine!

Sincerely

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