Karma ratings - What's it all about?

Posted by holymolar - 30 Jun 2012 10:25

Could someone please explain the Karma ratings thingey at the bottom of our screen names when we post?

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Re: Karma ratings - What's it all about?

Posted by StevenPinson - 30 Jun 2012 11:48

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Re: Karma ratings - What's it all about?

Posted by holymolar - 30 Jun 2012 15:11

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Well, I just gave you another "applaud".

Now you have 2.

LOLer

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Re: Karma ratings - What's it all about?
Posted by BobNash - 30 Jun 2012 15:49

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I haven't quite figured this out, but it seems maybe you get karma for starting a thread too... Yes/no anyone noticed?

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Re: Karma ratings - What's it all about?
Posted by leomitch - 30 Jun 2012 17:43

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Leo

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Re: Karma ratings - What's it all about?
Posted by holymolar - 30 Jun 2012 17:59

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LOL

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Re: Karma ratings - What's it all about?

Posted by leomitch - 30 Jun 2012 20:26

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Some monitor I am, people have been giving me karma points so, I was wrong
...you can give karma as well as thank yous. Give someone karma by clicking on the plus sign under the profile section of the members post. If you put your mouse on it, the word applaud appears...click it to give karma.

Since I can only see things from my console, I think I am right this time. Please let me know if I am not right.

The Thank you button appears on the other guy's post not yours...you can't thank yourself or give yourself karma.

Too much almost for this old brain! LOL!

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Leo

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Re: Karma ratings - What's it all about?

Posted by BobNash - 30 Jun 2012 20:47

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holymolar wrote:

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Thanks for the explanation Leo - I do see the + and - Karma on the left with everyone's posts and have given folks Karma that way, but I didn't know if there was some automatic addition happening as well. And since you don't see anywhere in response to what you have gotten or lost karma it's hard to know whats going on....

LOL Holymolar - they don't want you to go around giving yourself karma or thanking yourself for good information!!!

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