

Zenwalk Newsletter No. 1

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The Newsletter returns, brought to you by C>Lemon, tsuren, Zwopper, HERO_01 and all at ZW Support.



Paragraph On Forum Goings-On

The forums have been quite busy recently, with a particular influx of new members (and so, presumably, new Zenwalkers). It used to be that I knew a lot of the people on there, or at least would recognise them, but now there's so many that it's hard to keep track anymore. It must be all those Internet reviews recently. Speaking of which, if anyone out there is interested in reviewing it, they can contact Claus Futtrup, the PR guy, (a.k.a. cfuttrup on the forums), at cfuttrup@stofanet.dk for details on where to post it, etc.. Anyway, all of a sudden we have all these new people on the forums, and we're no longer a group of geeks <cough> helping each other out; now we've got new questions every day, some easily answered, some taking a bit of work by one of the real problemsolvers. It's a fun place to be.

-[C>Lemon](#)

Tip Of The Period:

"Fairly common problem with computers about six or seven years old: starting a Terminal will log you out. The fail-safe option is to go to the Settings Manager > Applications, then go to the Utilities tab and select xterm as the terminal emulator. Other solution is a bit complicated for newbies and might fail."

-[C>Lemon](#) (from Zenwalk Support) (it'll be someone else next time)

Recommended Packages This Period:

Best Newbie Packages:

-[LAME](#) [An mp3 encoder that allows Asunder to rip CDs to mp3 format]

Best Ordinary User Packages:

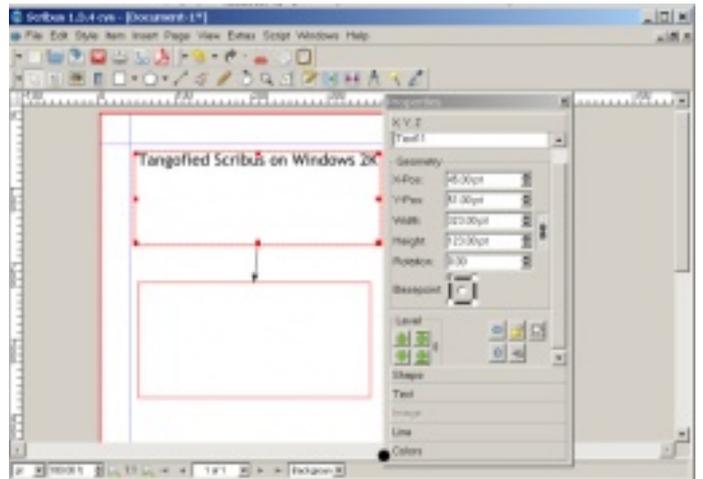
-[Scribus](#) [Great FOSS publishing program - I use it to write this newsletter]

Best Other Packages:

-[Aspiring game devs] [Pygame](#) [The easiest way to make games]

(Email me to tell me what you think at citruslemon409@hotmail.co.uk or post on the Newsletter thread in the Zenwalk Documentation Forum at ZW Support. You can also take part quite soon in recommending packages recommending tips, and picking the best screenshots. Topics for this will be posted by me in the ZW Documentation forum.)





Screenshots

*Top left: LAME - used as part of Asunder.
Top right: Scribus - KDE screenshot.
Left: Pygame - you make your own!*



*Screenshot Of The Period:
Zwopper customised his KDE desktop to look like the original Zenwalk, and did a great job too. I grabbed this from the Screenshot 2008 topic.*

