

Notes On MWG Update Version 1.2.0

What to look for:

- Completely rebuilt email allows use of any SMTP service including Google or from your own server.
- You can throttle messages that are sent per run without editing files.
- You can change global site title description directly from the settings page
- Activate your network and all the “stuff” you have access to – your membership will be pulled into your software and ready for you to install (extensions manage gizmos add software themes).
- Word “decrapifier” (that is a technical word by the way). It really works! Write some content in Word, using quotations, apostrophe, and ampersand. It will not show unnecessary characters on output content.
- All the cool stuff extras that has nothing to do with setup are now listed in Tools easily accessible but not in the way of activating your site.
- Ease of use features
- 1/3 less time to set-up a site due to automagic in background that you used to have to do manually.
- A secure setting that was changeable but most people forgot leaving site open, now installer handles that in the background.
- If you want to use themes that support sidebars / sidebars are now supported.
- Gizmos can be added to any location just by copying the short code and paste to the website or you can choose to simply add it to sidebar.
- Wordpress themes are supported you have to install same way you would in wordpress – upload the theme, add some bold and italics, a font and size, etc. and run it through the “decrapifier” (i.e. Tidy), and you get clean HTML!
- New vibrant MWG backend theme.

What were the big “show stoppers that we fixed”:

- The default installation had it set-up where unless you edited code your account could be shut down by ISP when it started sending out over 500 messages at a time, and no way to change that without editing the code. Now, you can edit that code – in a GUI. No coding skill necessary. Click and be done.
- There was no way to fully configure email settings. Now you can easily configure with GUI interface.
- Menu usability: the actions were just all over the place; trying to figure out what to configure was daunting. So we attempted to make GUI much more logical so that you don’t find the split tester under member manager. Now those sort of things are under Tools, where they belong.

- It is now fully possible to build site without editing the HTML of the template, although you can edit the HTML if you want, you just don't need to.
- Site suitable is now easily edit in the GUI of setting page. You can remove "another marketing website generator" and add your own subtitle.
- WYSIWYG editor on templates instead of HTML coding on contents, and can switch to your preference.
- Menus work
- More reasonable defaults
- Auto ask for name, and email with ss# auto unchecked
- Click on theme thumbnail to see preview before selecting
- Members – different themes for logged in users and not logged in
- Banner size 300 x 250 iab medium rectangle