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Subject: Interested in trying PlanetSide?

Posted by [Renx](#) on Thu, 14 Feb 2008 18:38:27 GMT

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PlanetSide is a game that appeals to a lot of Renegade players. It's an MMOFPS in which three empires struggle for control of multiple "continents" each of which contain multiple bases that must be captured and held. In terms of teamwork oriented gameplay, PlanetSide has all other games beat. In a nutshell, I would say it's very much like other FPS games, but with the strategy of an RTS, and the size of an RPG.

More information can be found at these links:

<http://www.PlanetSide.com>

<http://wiki.planetsidesyndicate.com>

But now to get on to the point of my post. n00bstories has obtained a batch of 30-day PlanetSide trial keys. Unlike the former reserves trial program, or current 14-day trial system, these keys allow unlimited access to all elements of the game for 30 days. No Battle Rank or Command Rank caps are in place with these trials, and no credit card is required.

Each week n00bstories will be raffling away several keys to anyone who purchases tickets using the "n00bdollar" currency on the site, which can be earned in various ways. Tomorrow we will be giving away 3 keys, and depending on the interest it generates, perhaps more in the following weeks.

The raffle page can be found here:

<http://www.n00bstories.com/n00bdollars.raffles.php>

Whether you are burnt out on Renegade as I became, or just want to try a new interesting game, PlanetSide is definitely worth a try. It is by far one of the most interesting concepts ever developed in a video game, and anyone who has tried this game for more than 10 minutes will tell you the same. For those who do decide to try the game, my main character's name is "Espion41" and I play the Vanu Sovereignty empire on Emerald, just look me up and I'll gladly take a few minutes to show you around the game.

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Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?

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<http://www.n00bstories.com/image.gallery.php?id=2845&folder=1627>

There are some of the screenshots I've uploaded of PlanetSide. I know the graphics are nothing to brag about, but this is a 2003 game, and since you all play Renegade I'm going to assume that graphics aren't a huge issue.

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Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?  
Posted by [IronWarrior](#) on Thu, 14 Feb 2008 20:13:51 GMT  
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This looks pretty hot.

Oh, have to spend monies, ah fuck that.

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Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?  
Posted by [mrÃ£Ã§Ã·z](#) on Thu, 14 Feb 2008 22:03:23 GMT  
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looks like GTA San Andreas Online

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Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?  
Posted by [havoc9826](#) on Fri, 15 Feb 2008 00:29:24 GMT  
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I played during the Reserves period back in late '06 as a combat medic, and I kinda sucked (BR6 cap didn't help much). I found it interesting, but not enough to pay a monthly fee for it, especially when I had Renegade and college papers to keep me occupied. Here are some videos:  
<http://havoc9826.black-cell.net/PlanetSide/>

Also, for those of you who enjoy the music, you can find the soundtrack here (both the regular PlanetSide section and the PlanetSide Core Combat sections).

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Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?  
Posted by [luv2pb](#) on Fri, 15 Feb 2008 15:09:57 GMT  
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IronWarrior wrote on Thu, 14 February 2008 15:13This looks pretty hot.

Oh, have to spend monies, ah fuck that.  
Only fake monies for the auction.

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Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?  
Posted by [mrÃ£Ã§Ã·z](#) on Fri, 15 Feb 2008 15:11:31 GMT  
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fake moneys?

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**Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?**

Posted by [bisen11](#) on Fri, 15 Feb 2008 15:33:55 GMT

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The n00b dollars are fake moneys. So, spend fake monies for a chance to get to play a game online for a month that will have to pay real money for if you want to continue playing afterwards.

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**Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?**

Posted by [Renx](#) on Sun, 17 Feb 2008 19:02:26 GMT

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For those that have tried it and got bored of it after a couple days, you most likely didn't get involved in an outfit, and therefore didn't get the whole game experience. PlanetSide offers a level of teamplay not possible in ANY other game available, mostly through outfits and outfit alliances, but sometimes empire-wide as well.

For example, here are some pictures of an armor raid my outfit did just last night:

<http://www.n00bstories.com/image.gallery.php?id=2845&folder=1834>

At times we had over 25 tanks on the battlefield with air cover, anti-air support, and a repair/rearming station. Other times we had around 12 2-man main battle tanks, or 11 3-man bombing aircraft, or 20 artillery units shelling a base from over a kilometer away. The artillery also had anti-air support, and cloakers closer to the base "lazer-pointing" out targets for us to hit.

You just can't, and won't see anything like that in any other game. It is well worth my \$15.

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**Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?**

Posted by [Kyttent9](#) on Sun, 17 Feb 2008 19:10:22 GMT

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Renx I didn't know you played it..... What server and faction do you play for.....

Luv2pb you sheep butt boy, it's an online subscription so no "fake monies" all real monies.....unfortunately that's what's killing the game, people do not want to pay for it, even though it's loads of fun!

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**Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?**

Posted by [luv2pb](#) on Sun, 17 Feb 2008 20:30:03 GMT

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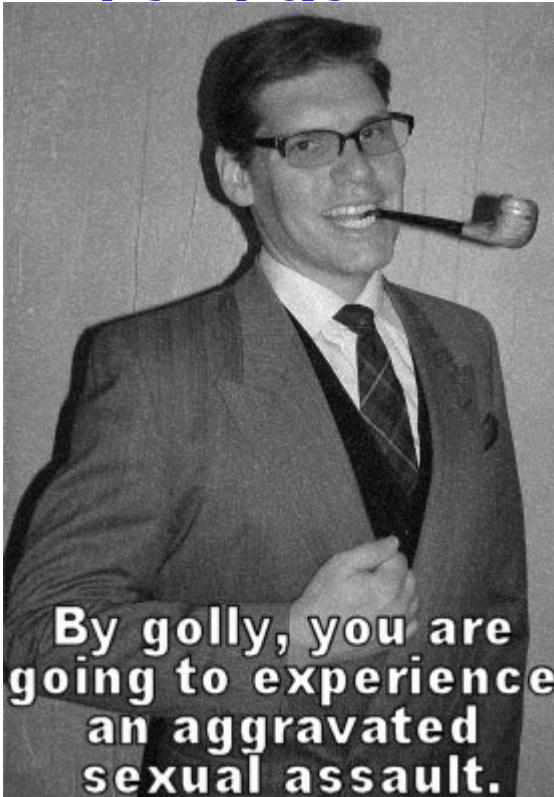
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I was talking about the auction not the damn game. The auction takes fake monies. Espion says in the n00bstories thread what he plays you n00b.  
also for you kytten,

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#### File Attachments

1) [by golly.jpg](#), downloaded 578 times



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Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?

Posted by [Renx](#) on Mon, 18 Feb 2008 22:13:13 GMT

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Just a tip for any North Americans that start playing... Use the Emerald server, even if you're from the west coast. Markov is garbage.

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Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?

Posted by [DarkDemin](#) on Tue, 19 Feb 2008 00:32:24 GMT

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I used to play this way back with RenEvo, was a lot of fun. I beta tested it and they gave the

testers 6 free months. The first expansion though really hurt the game and alot of people lost faith in it.

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Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?

Posted by [Renx](#) on Tue, 19 Feb 2008 20:03:12 GMT

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I think the BFRs (the main thing that made people leave int he expansion) had 6-8 rounds of nerfing/balancing, so they're not much of a problem anymore.

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Subject: Re: Interested in trying PlanetSide?

Posted by [Yrr](#) on Mon, 25 Feb 2008 00:07:10 GMT

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I played that game for over a year and it is quite good. On my long ToDo list for Resurrection are several things of PlanetSide which should be implemented in Renegade  
For example the vehicle ownership system, spitfire (and other) turrets, mines, motion detectors, any much more.

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