## WingDate v1.0

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**WingDate** was developed to provide a quick visual reminder of upcoming important events. A list of events is displayed in Month/Day order with the current date or next most significant date highlighted.

1. **WingDate** comes with three (3) files:

WINGDATE.EXE Program

WINGDATE.DAT Data file

WINGDATE.WRI Documentation

WINGDATE.EXE and WINGDATE.DAT must be located in the same directory

- 2. **WingDate** is a Visual Basic v1.0 program and as such <u>requires Microsoft's VB Runtime Library</u> "VBRUN100.DLL", which can be found on most BBS's.
- 3. The data file **WINGDATE.DAT** is provided as a starting point. It is saved as a "Comma Separated Value" file (.CSV) in the format of "mm/dd","event".

You can create your own **WINGDATE.DAT** file if your Dates and Events can be exported in **.CSV** format. I created my data file from Lotus Organizer. Most spread sheets and data bases will export in **.CSV** format. The date field can include the year ("mm/dd/yy"), but it will be stripped the first time the file is saved by **WingDate**.

- 4. Dates and Events can be easily Added, Updated, or Deleted. Clicking the <u>Add</u> or <u>Update</u> button will present a simple dialog box for adding or updating dates and events. Clicking the <u>Delete</u> button deletes the entry without presenting a dialog box.
- 5. If your list is updated the **Save** button will activate allowing you to save your changes. If you **Close WingDate** without saving, your changes will be lost.
- 6. The **Save** process will first make a backup copy of your **WINGDATE.DAT** file as **WINGDATE.BAK** before saving your new list.

## **Future Enhancements**

- 1. Coversion to Visual Basic v2.0 as soon as I can afford the upgrade.
- 2. Implementation of the "Insert" and "Delete" keys for adding and deleting dates and events.
- 3. Display of a monthly calendar with the ability to jump directly to any event by clicking on the date.
- 4. Ability to color code dates and events to make them stand out.
- 5. Multiple data files.
- 6. Wrap around calendar so that the dates and events will scroll to January after December.

**WingDate** is freeware and can be used on as many PC's as you want. It is not to be sold and must be distributed free of charge.

There is no charge for WingDate, but \$2.00 sent to the above address would be greatly appreciated.