

Addendum I : **Bug Fix and Feature Additions**

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Special Thanks

I would like to take this chance to thank Joe Sanger, who helped me nail down a very major bug that everyone seems to have faced except me. I would also like to thank all those who reported that bug to me, as well as those who sat down and decided on some useful feature additions. I appreciate it very much, and will make every attempt to add any and all practical suggestions given to me.

1.1 Update

Important Notice

If you are a user of version 1.0 of *NetChat*, you MUST **change the NC Icons file to *NetChat* Icons**. Or, you can enter ResEdit and change the STR# resource in the *NetChat* DA file to whatever file name you like. A cdev interface will soon be available. Just remember to rename the file in your System Folder to *NetChat* Icons. *NetChat* now creates a file called *NetChat* Prefs (in which it stores the configurations you have set).

Bug Fix

If you didn't come across the bug in the icon chooser, consider yourself lucky. If you did, you probably sent me a message telling me about it, and I thank you for it. The bug should be fixed and you should be able to use that feature now.

***NetChat* Menu**

The *NetChat* menu is similar to the Options menu with one difference: it contains the Show/Hide *NetChat* menu item. This item allows you to remove the *NetChat* window from the screen (though *NetChat* is still open). A good idea on a network would be to open *NetChat* when you start up your machine, make sure the *NetChat* alarm is on, and hide the window. When you receive a message, the computer will beep and the menu bar will flash (again, a cdev is in the works to customize all of this). *NetChat* keeps all messages it gets, even if it isn't active, if it is running in the background, or both.

Face Icons and Files

One clarification I feel I should make is about the Face file (which you should by now have renamed to *NetChat* Icons). Any icons you place in this file will definitely be available to you in the icon chooser window. Other icons you might see there are icons present in other files (other DAs, the System, open

applications, etc.). The *NetChat* Icons file is just a place you can put all your face icons and be sure that they will be available when you open the DA. If you want to put your icons in a different DA file, that's fine. Just make sure that file is open if you want to use one of those icons.

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