

# **newsgroupeditor**

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# Chapter 1

## newsgroupeditor

### 1.1 Newsgroup Editor

Newsgroup Editor

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### 1.2 Introduction

Newsgroup Editor V1

This is a small program that allows your newsgroup list to be edited. It was written to be run as part of the AmiTCP Control Panel suite of programs but may be run on its own, by typing NewsEd\_GUI.exe at a command prompt.

### 1.3 Using The Editor

Using the Editor

The newsgroup editor will automatically load in your UULIB:Newsgroups file, and display the first 10 groups. The display shows the 10 **group names** and how many **days** you wish to keep them groups for.

There will also be 4 gadgets at the bottom of the screen, these being :-

**MORE**

**SAVE**

**CANCEL**

**ADD GROUP**

You can also change the number of days a group is valid by clicking on the **number** preceeding the group name.

You can alter the status of a particular group by clicking on its **name**.

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## 1.4 More Gadget

More

This gadget shows more newsgroups. If you are on the last page it will return to the start of your newsgroup list.

## 1.5 Save Gadget

Save

This gadget saves the changes made and then the programs exits after building a new active file.

## 1.6 Cancel Gadget

Cancel

This gadgets exits the program forgetting any changes made.

## 1.7 Add Group Gadget

Adding New Newsgroup

Just enter the name of the newsgroup, press return and then enter the number of days the articles in that newsgroup are to be kept. The display will then refresh itself and your new group should now be displayed on the last page of newsgroups.

## 1.8 Changing Days Valid

Changing Days Valid

Click in the box where the figure is, alter it and then press return. Easy

## 1.9 Changing Group Details

Deleting/Activating/Deactivating Newsgroups

Click on the newsgroup's name and then select the appropriate option. If you select delete newsgroup a second requester will pop up and ask you whether you are sure you want to delete this group. If you do press YES else press NO.

## 1.10 To Do

To Do

Ability to sort newsgroup list into alphabetical order

Show inactive/active file status in separate column

Page x of y indicator.

Search Facility

Possibly

Information Panel - to show newsgroup stats and descriptions

Ability to select new groups from external list (i.e. NNTP-Newsgroups)

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I would appreciate any comments on this program and anything that you may want adding to any future versions.

If you want to send me anything as payment for this product, please do.

My letterbox would love to here from someone other than bill 8-(

Martin Hunt is currently studying for a B.Ed. (Hons.) Primary Mathematics degree. He originally comes from Leicester, England and managed to achive 2.5 A Levels, including Computer science, since then he has had a rough ride living on a poxy student grant

and loans. Any jobs (with included accomodation) for summer 95 and/or 96 would be gratefully appreciated. So would donations towards my living costs, afterall I have wrote this program and let you all use it for free. May Freeware live forever!

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