



If we build it...

...they will come



Wordpress in a Day – Session 2

What's in Session 2?

- Front end, back end
- Health warning
- Whizz whizz tour of the left hand menu
- Plugins
- Themes / Templates



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Front end / backend

- Frontend and backend – logging in
- Brand New Install
- www.wpd.ee-web.co.uk
- www.wpd.ee-web.co.uk/wp-admin

- So- login to your site if you haven't!
- Have a window for front and one for back

A screenshot of the WordPress login interface. At the top center is the WordPress logo (a blue 'W' inside a circle). Below it is a white login box with a light blue border. Inside the box, there are two input fields: 'Username or Email' and 'Password'. Below the 'Password' field is a checkbox labeled 'Remember Me'. To the right of the checkbox is a blue button with the text 'Log In'. Below the login box, there is a link that says 'Lost your password?'. At the very bottom of the page, there is a link that says '← Back to wordpress in a day'.



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Health Warning

- How quickly does a dog eat ice-cream?

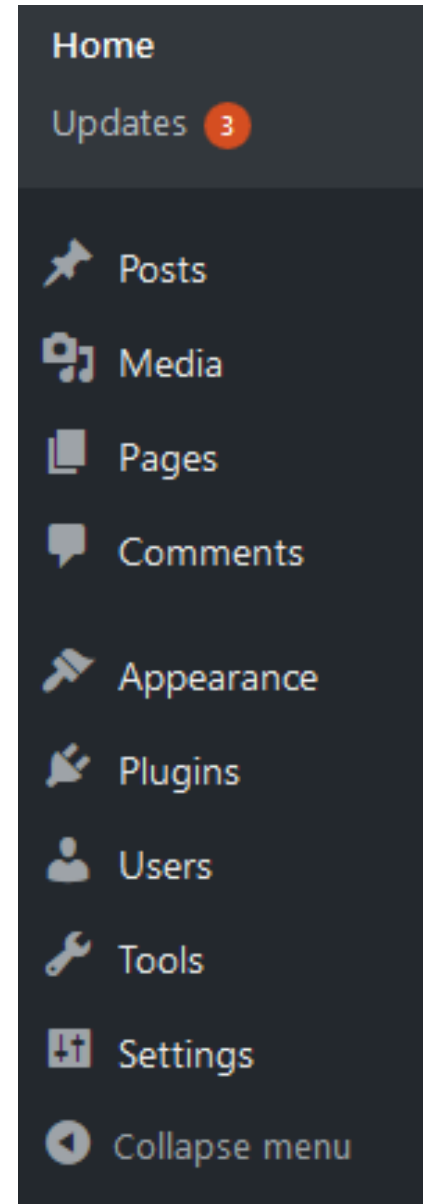




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Whizz whizz tour of left hand menu

- you have the power
- Most important for us are:
 - Posts
 - Media
 - Pages
 - Appearance





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Plugins

- WP is a stable backbone...
- Extra functionality
- Free vs paid
- piece of code ‘inserted’ into the 1000s of files
- **From** online stores to badging systems, powerful editors to image galleries, from google integration to SEO analysis Just about anything else you can think of in fact – there’s likely to be a plugin available.



Q: Why oh why have I chosen to put this image of Homer on this page?



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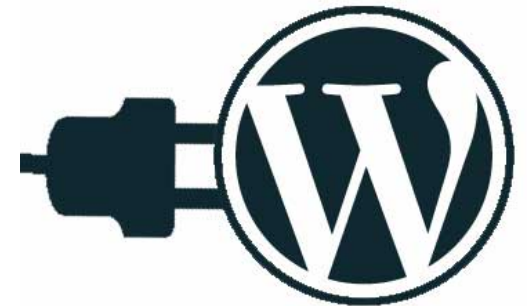
Plugins continued – Brian is calm, measured...

- backWPup – together
- Activate
- Demo



You try..

- tinyMCE Advanced
- Black Studio TinyMCE Widget





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Anatomy of a WP Site

Header
very varied - often widget, or specially created template area. Sometimes embedded in the code

Menu
own area in template. Very varied. Often pages / posts combination.

full width item
usually often a widget area / special within the template

left hand column.
Often cols 1 and 2. Can be page or post within the template

Column 3
most often this is widgets.

Footer
most often this is widgets. Very varied however

I want to join FoBHS:
Full name:
Email:
Re-enter email:
Submit

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FoBHS
Friends of Barnet High Street

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Home | Christ Church | Environment | Fun | Links | Local History | Contact

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Themes

- See the ones WP ships with
- Select one
- There are others. Many others.
- Pros and cons of the many others...

