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Subject: Re: Fixing... Points?

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kong009 wrote on Tue, 19 August 2008 16:51 Most of us would like to have seen the pointsfix removed, but this was Jelly's call.

Congratulations on being the only person at jelly-forums who seems to've figured that bit out :/

kong009 wrote on Tue, 19 August 2008 16:51 The reason why people keep making topics about the pointsfix (and subsequently why "pointsunfix.dll" is insufficient) is because servers that choose to use "pointsunfix.dll" will be penalized, in my opinion, unfairly, by being excluded from the ladder.

two points need to be made here.

1. a non-pointsfix server not being ladderred is not being 'penalised'. let's say someone comes to me and says: 'spoony, i want to play a clanwar with 1000 starting credits'. I'd say no, not in my league, but if you wanna play those conditions in someone else's league, or a funwar, then go ahead for all I care. am I 'penalising' them?
2. I seem to recall everyone on the jelly thread saying they didn't care about ladder, and if a server not being ladderred is the price to pay for being able to get credits for no reason, they can live with it. now, suddenly, it wants to be ladderred too.

this is one of the two enormous contradictions I've noticed lately. the first is that non-ladderredness was a concession the anti-pointsfix crowd granted some time ago, in exchange for being able to get credits for no reason... and now that seems to have retracted.

the second is about half the people who've signed roni's petition, the one that calls for individual servers/communities/etc to choose for themselves whether to use pointsfix or not (a perfectly good demand in my view). so I say ok, fine by me... does that mean you'll all respect my right to choose pointsfix in my own community?

the answer to that has been a very resounding no... from the same people who signed roni's petition. I think a child of nine could see the colossal irony there.

with these two things in mind, let me tell you a little joke: what's the difference between a terrorist and the anti-pointsfix crowd?

you can negotiate with a terrorist.

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