

IBM shows Technology Leadership at Devovx

By jf (In JF mind today)

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Last week (Dec 8-12 2008), there was Devovx (formerly known as JavaPolis) in the Metropolis in Antwerp. The fair usually welcomes 2000 developers for technical conferences on Java, PHP, JavaFX, Scala, Ruby on Rails... IBM invests on this event and this year Robin Mulkers proposed to demonstrate IBM's technology leadership with a real use case of one of the hottest technologies: RFID. The project was explained in the keynote (see some photos here below)

Furthermore, it's a usefull use case for the Devovx Organization : All participants receivedan RFID badge. Those badges were tracked so that one could for example see which sessions were the most popular. Or participants could leave their name at the booths by letting the hostess scan their badge to participate to games or request for more information. At IBM, we call this innovation that matters! PS : Devovx is one of the best events that I know. The organization is really great. You have free WiFi, you can take drinks directly from the fridge, speackers are accessible, topics are cool... Everything is in place to have a great Developer experience !

Commentaire sur Facebook

By jf (In JF mind today)

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J'ai posté le commentaire suivant sur le site de François Colette, à propos de Facebook.

cfr <http://francoisquinqua.blog.lemonde.fr/2008/12/27/farce-book/>
"Moi j'aime bien les réseaux sociaux. Facebook est celui que j'aime le moins. Je n'aime pas devoir "installer des applications", c'est pour moi contraire aux principes même du web.

Ce qui me fait peur avec Facebook c'est l'utilisation qui pourrait en être faite : si on pense à comment les juifs ont été pourchassés avec des registres papier pendant la seconde guerre mondiale, on se rend compte il serait aujourd'hui très facile de cibler un groupe particulier via un système comme facebook. Et je ne parle pas encore d'une éventuelle application de dénonciation (anonyme) qui serait installée sur Facebook.

En cas de troisième guerre mondiale, la première cible à détruire serait peut-être facebook."

My solution to "can't find the server at www.google.com."

By jf (In JF mind today)

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Recently I had a problem on my home computers. We couldn't connect to www.google.com anymore. A ping didn't work, a nslookup didn't work, a tracertr didn't work. All other sites were ok.

I searched the Internet (using google.be ;-)) and many people had the same problem. It seems to be a strange DNS problem.

For those people, here is a temporary solution. Edit your Windows Hosts file (in `c:\windows\system32\drivers\etc`) and add this line at the end:
216.239.59.147 www.google.com

This way you tell your computer directly where to find Google.com. Note this solution will no longer work if Google.com changes its IP Address.

After that I could again read my gmail, my Google Calendar, my Google Notebook and Blogger.

Strange problem...

I would like to know the real issue behind it.

Druivenveldrit 2008

By jf (jfdeclercq's Pictures Blog)

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- Druivenveldrit 2008 - official website
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- Druivenveldrit 2007 on YouTube



Natalia

By jf (jfdeclercq's Pictures Blog)

Submitted at 12/2/2008 11:57:00 AM

This Sunday (Nov 30, 2008) we were at the Lotto Arena in Antwerp for the last concert of Natalia's Glamorous Tour.

It's the 4th time I see Natalia in concert. The first time was ok. The second time I was disappointed. The third time was ok but I still found she was shouting instead of singing.

This time was ... exceptional :

1. She was singing and not shouting: real emotions could flow instead of a mass of decibels.

2. There was a real dance floor : Natalia and the dancers provided a superior experience.

3. There were nice surprises like singing Prince and the appearance of Stam van Samang.

So it was an excellent concert this time !!



- Druivenveldrit 2007 - on my blog
- Druivenveldrit 2007 - my pictures

Season's Greetings

By jf (In JF mind today)

Submitted at 12/28/2008 1:09:00 PM

I could not blog for several days because I couldn't connect to www.google.com due to very stange dns problems. Whatever, I would like to wish you the best for this end of the year.

I hope your holydays are filled with happiness and good cheer!

Very soon I will send you my Best Wishes with my Best Shots 2008.

Ré-écoute Europe1

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Happy 2009 : My 2008 Best Shots

By jf (jfdeclercq's Pictures Blog)

Submitted at 1/1/2009 10:14:00 AM

As usual, to send you my Best Wishes for the coming year, I send you my best shots of the year before. Here are my best shots of 2008.

HAPPY 2009 !!!

Sledding in Tombeek

By jf (jfdeclercq's Pictures Blog)

Submitted at 1/5/2009 8:24:00 AM

Don't tell my manager Dieter that today I stopped working for an hour to go sledding...

Have a look here (better with sound):

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Happy 2009 : My 2008 Best Shots

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Mountain Bike in Kasterlee/Herentals

By jf (In JF mind today)

Submitted at 12/28/2008 1:22:00 PM

Today we did some mountain bike in Kasterlee/Herentals on the Montain Bike Routes of the Bloso.



Promenade à Tervueren

By jf (jfdeclercq's Pictures Blog)

Submitted at 11/1/2008 7:41:00 AM

Yesterday afternoon we went for a walk in the beautiful parc of Tervueren.

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Aqualibi

By jf (In JF mind today)

Submitted at 12/30/2008 10:33:00 AM

Today we went to Aqualibi so we could walk in swimsuit all day even if it's freezing outside !

Dessins Tom

By jf (jfdeclercq's Pictures Blog)

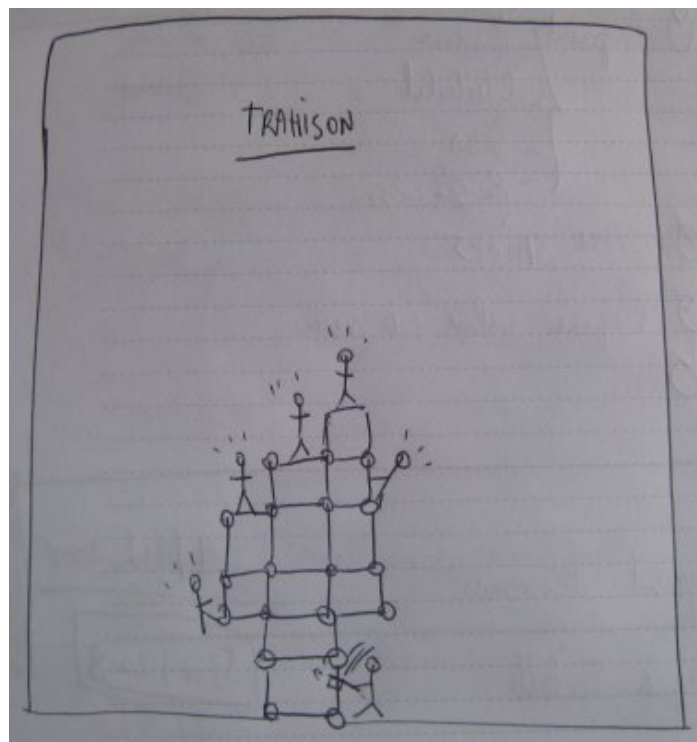
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Ce matin Tom a fait trois beaux dessins avec la palette graphique.

Paris : Ambiance de Noël

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Trahison

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