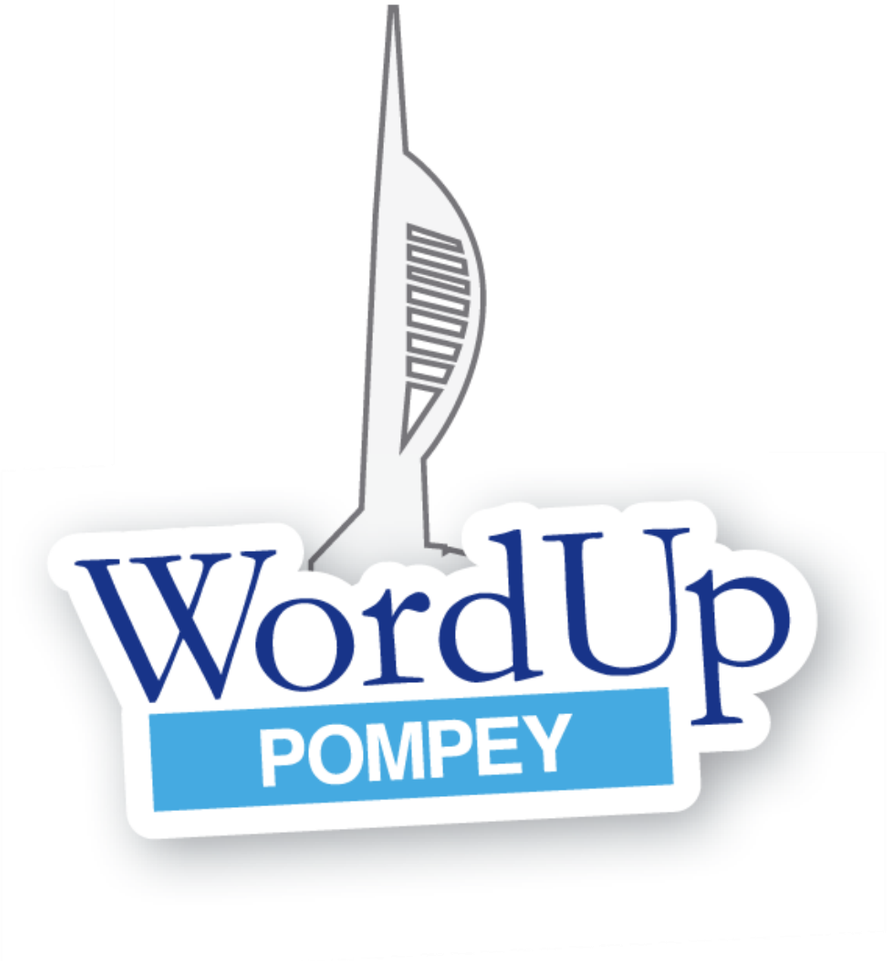

Welcome to WordUp Pompey!
25th September 2024

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#WPPompey
#OnlineWPMeetup

UK Slack: #meetup-portsmouth

https://www.wp-pompey.org.uk/

/about-wordpress-meetups/code-of-conduct/

Agenda

19:00 - Connect to Zoom.
19:10 - Organiser's introduction
19:15 - What have you been doing? Open floor
20:00 - Topic for future meetups
20:15 - Wrap-up
20:30 - Close – can we stick to 1.5 hours?

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Scott McKeown says

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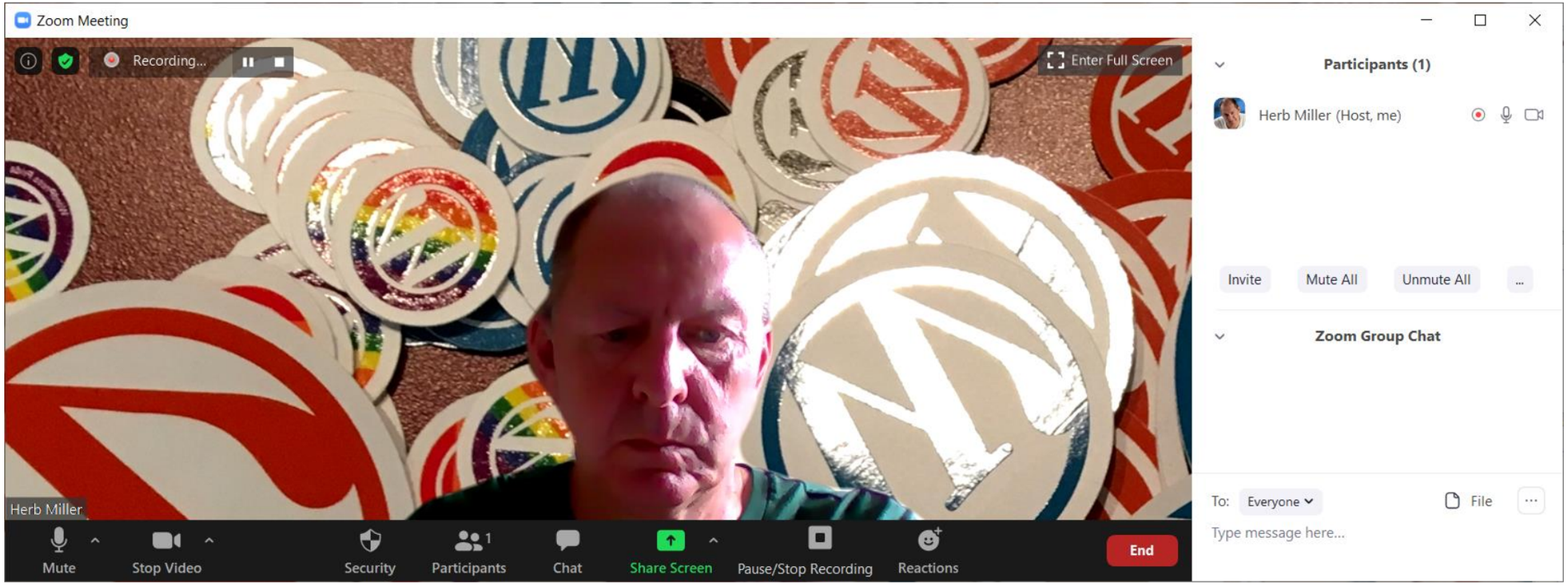

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https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCNyGdMrd6sFkWjsSenxd8Hg
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What have you been doing?

What have you been doing?

Share what you've been doing with WordPress in the last 6 months covering such things as:

- successes
- failures
- challenges resolved
- areas where you need help
- etc.

Some of the answers to this month's question

Do you have anything you particularly want to share or have an as yet unresolved problem from the last 6 months?

Not much with WordPress, although have been trying to get my head around hosting WordPress in nginx and / or setting up an Apache Docker container.

1st timer – very interested…

Finding NON Responsive Table Plugin

Contact Form submissions are not being received in my work email address.

I'm generally looking at getting back into much more proactive management of my WP art site, which I have left as is for several years, and will be gradually looking to start doing a major customization of my site & theme.

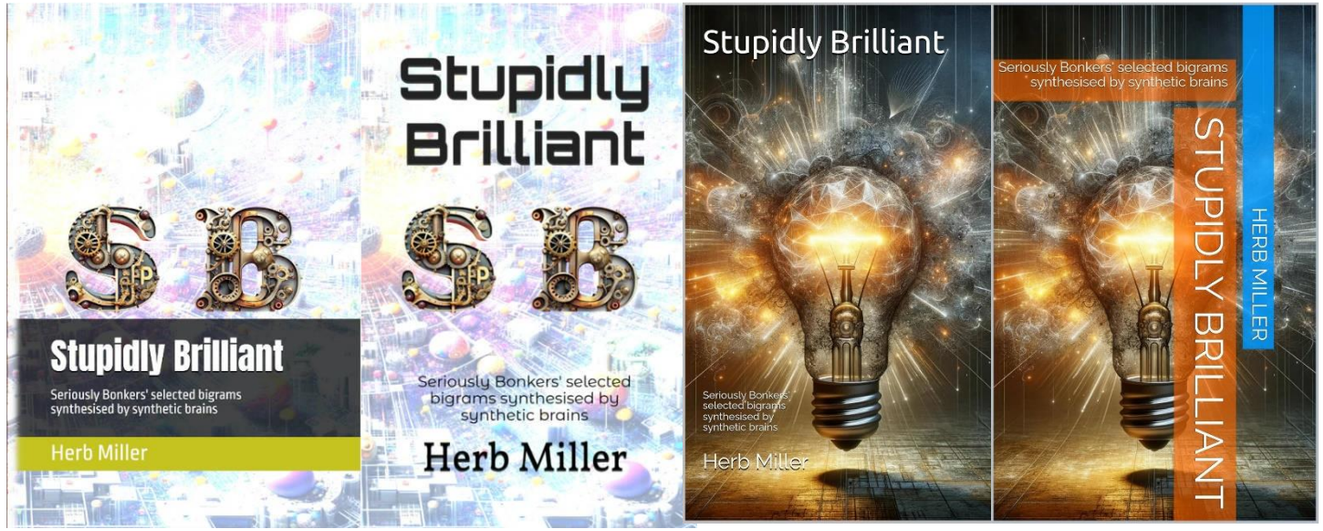
No (x 2)

None

No, just looking to connect with other WordPress developers :D

I still struggle to find the proper way to introduce mobicoop app in Italy and make interface to a webpage

What have I (Herb Miller) been doing?



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Today's Word Is This]

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What have I been doing?

Failures

- WordPress 21st anniversary meetup - CANCELLED

Challenges resolved

- oik-b2p – Build to Plugin
- Testing plugins with WordPress 6.5 (6) & 6.6 (7)

Areas where I need help

- Mosaic
- Retiring

Shutdown

- WP-a2z.org / .com
- WP-secrets.co.uk ?

Future meetup suggestions

What shall we do for the rest of the year?

Create a simple demo of how you go about building a website with Twenty Twenty-Five... migrating from 2010.

Explore WordPress Playground
https://wordpress.org/playground/

Guided walkthrough of Justin Tadlock's tutorial on "Mixing and matching styles, colors, and typography in WordPress 6.6"

In person social meetup and informal discussion event around a particular area of WP, with perhaps people getting to Portsmouth earlier and doing a trip up the Spinnaker Tower first.

Security

Explore WordPress 6.5, 6.6 and 6.7 highlights?

Workthrough of the new block capabilities in WordPress 6.5 and WordPress 6.6.

What's going on elsewhere?
https://events.wordpress.org/upcoming-events/filtered/country/GB/

Developing an artists or portfolio site using WP.
https://www.wpbeginner.com/showcase/best-wordpress-themes-for-artists/
https://wordpress.com/go/website-building/art-portfolio-website/

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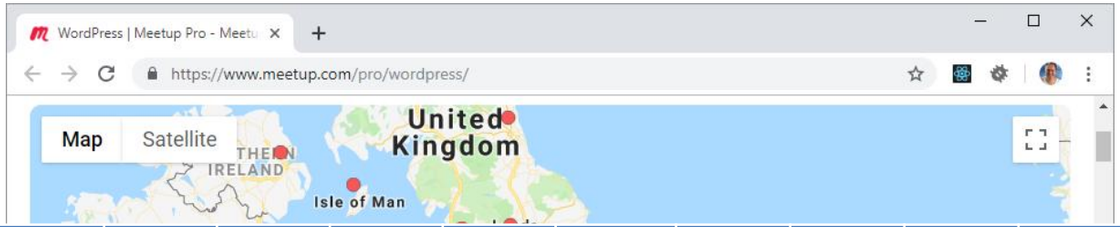

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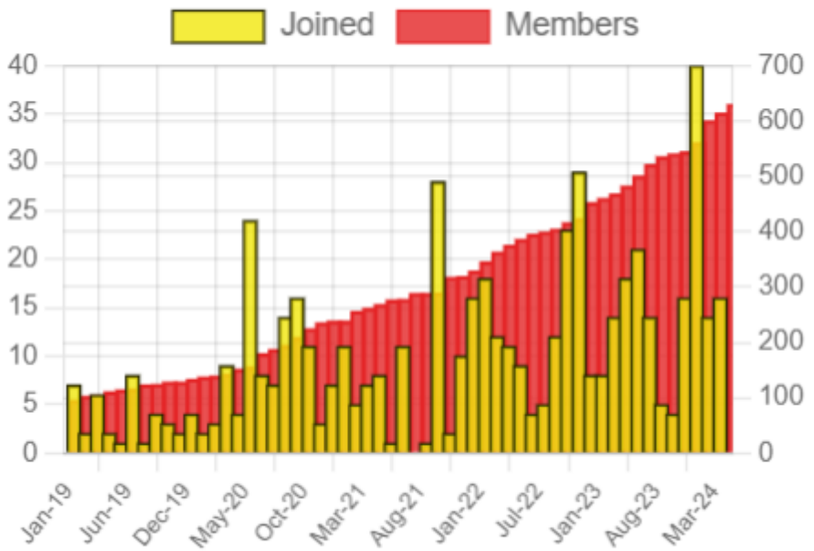
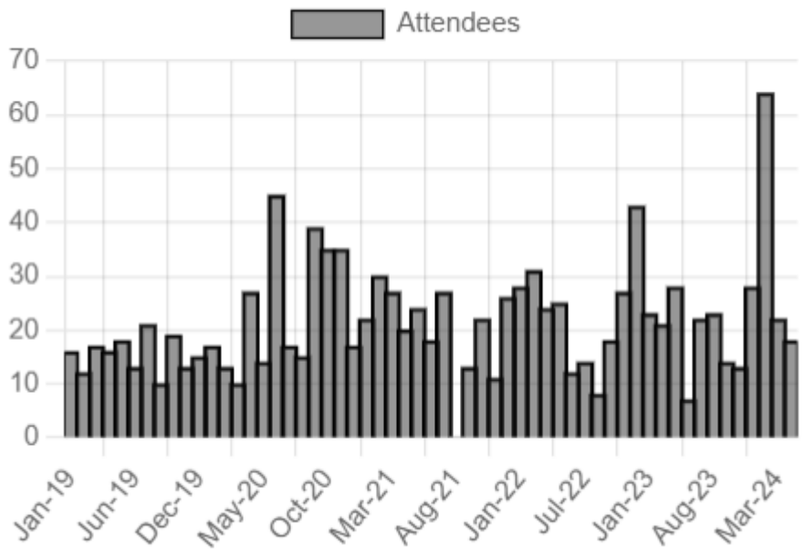
https://www.meetup.com/pro/wordpress/

Meetup stats since 2019





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WordPress plans – 2024

2 Apr 2024	WordPress 6.5
27 May 2024	WordPress 21st anniversary
13-15 Jun 2024	WordCamp Europe 2024 – Turin https://europe.wordcamp.org/2024/
16 Jul 2024	WordPress 6.6
9 Sep 2024	WordPress Cambridge – WordPress 6.5 & 6.6 useful developments
10 Sep 2024	PHPHants - Demystifying DevOps
17 Sep 2024	WordCamp US 2024 – Portland, Oregon
25 Sep 2024	WordUp! Pompey – What have you been doing?
1 Oct 2024	WordPress 6.7 Beta 1
1 Oct 2024	WordUp Brighton
8 Oct 2024	WordPress 6.7 Beta 2
15 Oct 2024	WordPress 6.7 Beta 3
22 Oct 2024	WordPress 6.7 RC1
29 Oct 2024	WordPress 6.7 RC2
12 Nov 2024	WordPress 6.7 and Twenty Twenty-Five
29 Nov 2024	Black Friday
2 Dec 2024	Cyber Monday
16 Dec 2024	State of the Word 2024 - Tokyo

https://github.com/WordPress/twentytwentyfive
https://make.wordpress.org/core/2024/08/15/introducing-twenty-twenty-five/

https://central.wordcamp.org/schedule/
https://make.wordpress.org/core/6-7/

Full Site Editing themes

Discontinued

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Date	Agenda	Notes
18 Jan 2023	Battle of the caches	#OnlineWPMeetup
22 ~~15~~ Feb 2023	New Year's Resolution clinic	#OnlineWPMeetup
15 Mar 2023	What's new in WordPress 6.2?	#OnlineWPMeetup
19 Apr 2023	~~Learn.WordPress.org~~	#OnlineWPMeetup
24 May 2023	WordPress 20th anniversary quiz	In Person?
21 Jun 2023	-	#OnlineWPMeetup
19 Jul 2023	Advanced Custom Fields ACF	#OnlineWPMeetup
16 Aug 2023	WordPress Multisite 101	#OnlineWPMeetup
27 Sep 2023	Show and Tell – Lightning talks	#OnlineWPMeetup
18 Oct 2023	Show & Tell again – More Lightning talks	#OnlineWPMeetup
22 Nov 2023	Learn.WordPress.org	#OnlineWPMeetup
21 Dec 2023	-	#OnlineWPMeetup

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Date	Agenda	Notes
31 Jan 2024	WordPress and Artificial Intelligence	#OnlineWPMeetup
30 Mar 2024	My Favourite Contact Form	#OnlineWPMeetup
~~22-29 May 2024~~	WordPress 21st anniversary quiz (Monday 27th is the actual date)	~~In Person #OnlineWPMeetup~~ Cancelled
25 Sep 2024	What have you been doing?	#OnlineWPMeetup
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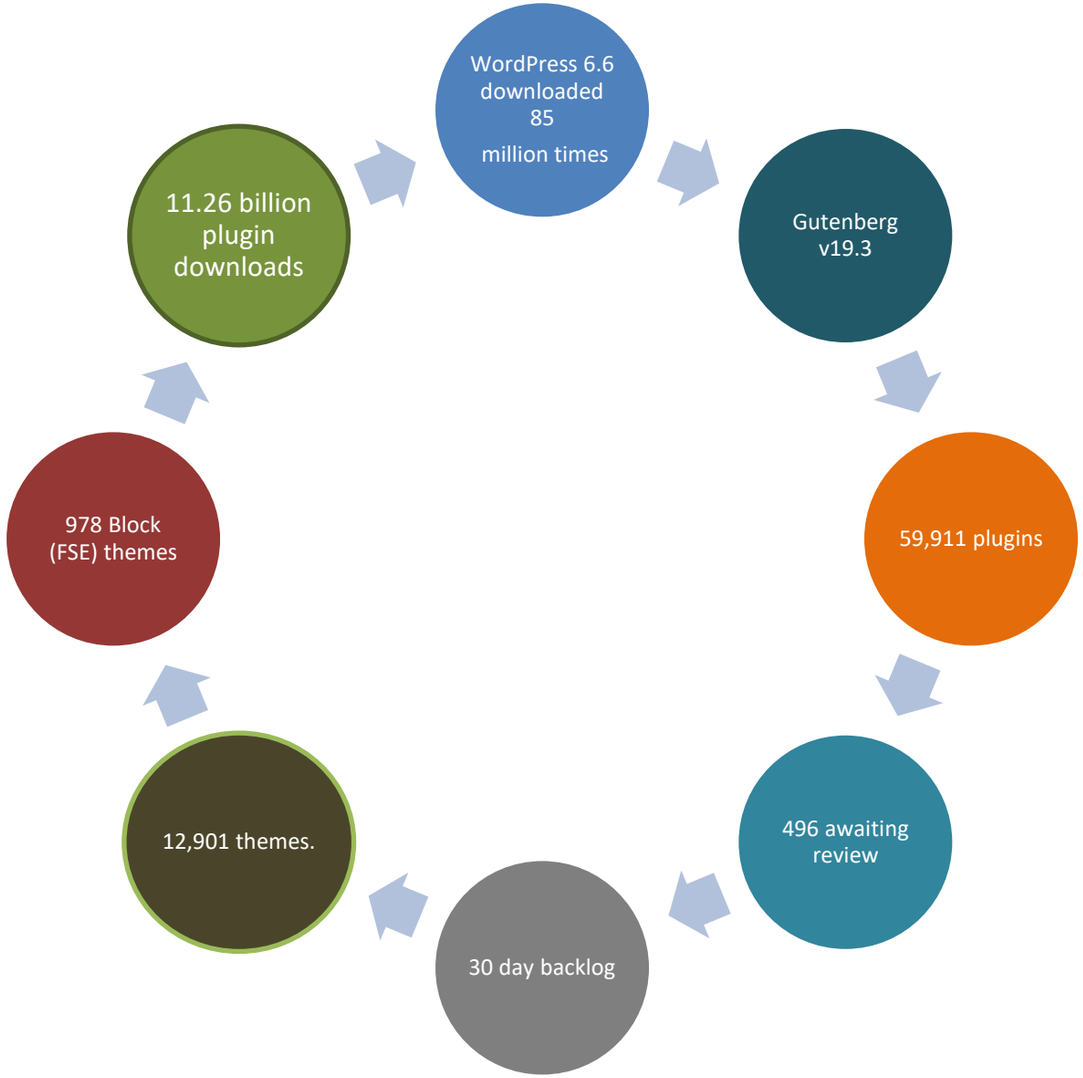

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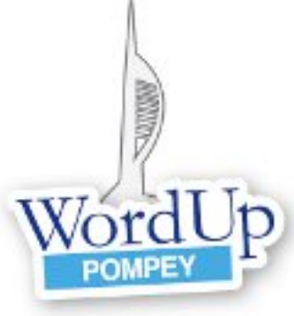

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