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Dear Auriga:

"Auriga" <bradash1@xxxxxxx> wrote in message  
<news:1190599240.644379.318660@xx>

There has been talk that rec.pyro is dead. Why, because of this delinquent that has inundated this group with sporge. It is not only this Google group that has been attacked though, others have seen the same thing, yet nobody seems to be able to do anything about it. I disagree. Rec.pyro is dead only if we let it die. There are other venues out there which are pay pyro sites, and they are quite good. However the real point, is that our freedom of speech is being trampled by some psychopath.

I agree with you. However you are still free to speak, just not to be heard.

How many of you own stock in Google?

Usenet is not owned by Google.  
[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Big\\_8\\_%28Usenet%29](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Big_8_%28Usenet%29)

I am sure no one here is a majority stockholder, but we do have a voice. Please do not tell me that this idiot cannot be tracked down. I know damn well that he can, and I am throwing the gauntlet on the table. I will make it a point to contact the appropriate people and try to stop this.

ISPs will have to assist. All incoming newsgroup posts will have

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to produce correct headers at the point of entry to the system. Then this person uses several "back doors", so it will take a bit of maneuvering to catch them all. And he/she forges as much of the header as they can, to make this even more difficult.

As some of you may know, I am the type of person that stands up for their principles. What is there to lose? Plenty if we let this idiot intimidate us.

Agreed.

Keep posting regardless. In the meantime, contact Google corporate and advise them of this B.S. Believe me, it is in their interest also. Whenever something may affect the bottom line, people will listen.

The bottom line is pay news servers are where he is trying to push us. They can filter out this crap, and they do. What this "person" does not realize, or care, is that the Big 8 will only tolerate us as long as we don't cost them a lot of money.

The procedure is:

Post to newsgroup – news.admin.net–abuse.sightings  
title – [usenet] whatever title the post had  
include the header (I use <HEADER> <END HEADER> to bracket it)  
include the full message body.

This identifies the post as eligible for automatic deletion. It permits some limited tracking. It adds the idiot to the "wall of shame".

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