Proposal: Summery

Currently I am trying to put together a website project using Stockfish. This website will be unlike any I have found on the Internet. Unless there is a site that shows how to customize Stockfish in the way that I want, I assume I will have to hire someone with a lot more knowledge in Stockfish and website design than I possess.

My name is Donny Gray and I am one of the top ranked chess coaches on the ICC (Internet Chess Club). Although the rankings of coaches there fluctuates fairly often, my ranking the past few years has consistently been in the top 5. My website project will try to mimic the way I teach chess to my students. My lessons teach technique. Being a piece or pawn up in a chess game does you no good if you do not have the technique to win the won game.

To anyone that wishes to pursue this project I will give detailed information on what I would like produced, but for now just a brief outline.

I want a website where a visitor can come and choose from a set of preset problems to work on against Stockfish. I have 12 such sets ready to go, each containing 100 loadfen positions. My sets are as follows:

Beginner
Intermediate
Misc 01
Misc 02
Misc 03
Misc 04
Misc 05
Queens
Rooks
Bishops
Knights
Pawns

For example: If you choose to work on the knight set, you will get knight and pawn endings. If you choose a Misc set, you could get any type ending.

When you choose a position to work on I want clocks set for both the player and Stockfish. I want the player to start with 30 minutes on his clock and 10 minutes for Stockfish. I do not want Stockfish to ever resign. To get credit you must mate Stockfish. Once checkmate is delivered I would like the player to get some sort of checkmark, or such, to show that he has completed that particular position.

Also, I want the player to be able to choose what level Stockfish plays. If you choose the easiest level and complete all the positions of a set, you can then choose to do the same set again with the same level of play or choose to bump up the strength of Stockfish.

If you are interested in helping me with this project, or know someone that possibly would, please contact me at donny@grayknight.net

I will send out my detailed proposal to anyone that contacts me.

Thanks,
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