

This policy details how your data is collected and managed by GuysNextDoor (GND) Platforms (including the website, associated services, and the custom Discord bot, Housemate Ryker), ensuring transparency and security for all users. Your privacy and anonymity are paramount to us.

2.1 Data Collection and Storage

Our platforms and custom systems collect and store non-personal data for operation, security, community management, and content management purposes.

A. GND Platform Usage Data (Website and General Services)

Standard web server log information (e.g., anonymized IP addresses, browser type, access times) is temporarily recorded for security, debugging, and traffic analysis.

We do not use tracking cookies, web beacons, or share this data with external third parties for advertising purposes.

B. Contact Form Data

Data submitted via the Contact Us form (Name, Email, Subject, Message) is sent directly to us via Netlify's form handling service and is used solely to respond to your inquiry.

This information is not stored in a public database.

C. Housemate Ryker Bot Data (Discord Server)

Our custom bot, Housemate Ryker, collects and stores the following non-personal data for community management purposes:

- **Discord User ID:** This numerical ID is the minimum required data to uniquely identify you for rank tracking.
- **Vibe (XP) Points:** Tracks your activity level for the "Moving Up The Block" leveling system.
- **Last Message Timestamp:** Records the last time you earned Vibe to enforce the 15-second cooldown and prevent spam.

2.2 Message Content (Discord)

Housemate Ryker does not permanently store the content of your messages. It only processes messages to count them for Vibe rewards and to check for command prefixes (e.g., !rank).

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2.3 Data Usage

The collected data is used exclusively within the GuysNextDoor Platforms to:

- Maintain the security, integrity, and functionality of all our platforms.
- Respond to user inquiries and collaboration requests.
- Manage the Vibe (XP) and leveling system.
- Automate the assignment and removal of cosmetic "Neighborhood Rank" roles.
- Display leaderboards (!leaderboard) and individual rank status (!rank).

2.4 Data Sharing

We do not sell or share any user data (personal information, logs, User ID, or Vibe data) with any external third parties, including advertisers, other platforms, or other Discord servers.

2.5 Data Retention and Removal

A. Retention

- **Platform Logs (Website/General):** General platform logs are retained for a maximum of 30 days for security purposes.
- **Contact Form Submissions:** Submissions are retained indefinitely unless a user specifically requests removal.
- **Housemate Ryker Bot Data:** Data (User ID, Vibe, Timestamp) is retained while you are a member of the server to ensure rank continuity.

B. Removal

- **GND Platform Data (Contact Form):** If you wish to have your submitted contact data permanently and immediately deleted, please send a written request to our contact email address.
- **Housemate Ryker Bot Data (Discord):** Upon leaving the server, your collected Vibe data will be marked for eventual deletion. If you wish to have your data permanently and immediately deleted from our database, please contact an administrator.

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