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1
2 import java.awt.*;
3 import java.awt.Color.*;
4 import javax.swing.*;
5 import java.awt.event.*;
6 import java.util.HashSet;
7 import java.util.Set;
8 import javax.swing.JOptionPane;
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10 /* Programmed by: Ryan Martinez
11 * Class      : CPSC 223J
12 * Section    : Tu/Th 8:00AM
13 * Project    : Final Project
14 *
15 * Description : This Program emulates a 2 player connect four game.
16 * In this program there is a menu screen with a button that allows
17 * the user to start the game. Following the menu screen there is an
18 * emulated connect four board that allows each user to take their
19 * turn and choose the column they wish to insert their piece. The game
20 * covers the win case of horizontal, vertical, and both diagonals. The
21 * game also covers the case of a draw.
22 *
23 */
24 public class ConnectFour extends JFrame implements ActionListener{
25     private final int ROWS = 6;    // variable for the number of rows on the board
26     private final int COLS = 7;    // variable for the number of columns on the board
27
28     private boolean validMove = false; // variable to check if a move is valid
29     private boolean checkWin = false; // variable to check if a user has won
30     private boolean checkDraw = false; // variable to check to see if the game is a draw
31     private int currentRow = 0;    // used to keep track of row active location
32     private int currentCol = 0;    // used to keep track of column active location
33
34     //elements for the game
35     private char board[][] = new char[COLS][ROWS]; // board that stores the char of neutral, red, or blue
36     private JPanel panel[][] = new JPanel[COLS][ROWS]; // array of pannels holding colors for the char array
37
38     // various panels used to format the elements used in the program
39     private JPanel topHome = new JPanel();
40     private JPanel middleHome = new JPanel();
41     private JPanel home = new JPanel();
42     private JPanel gameScreen = new JPanel();
43     private JPanel topGame = new JPanel();
44     private JPanel buttonsGame = new JPanel();
45     private JPanel turnGame = new JPanel();
46     private JPanel bottomGame = new JPanel();
47
48     private JButton next = new JButton("Start"); // button used to enter the game from the home screen
49
50     private CardLayout cardLayout = new CardLayout(); // creates a new card layout for multiple screens
51
52     // button group is created and adds all of the different buttons for the different columns
53     private ButtonGroup group = new ButtonGroup();
54     private JRadioButton colOne = new JRadioButton("Col 1");
55     private JRadioButton colTwo = new JRadioButton("Col 2");
56     private JRadioButton colThree = new JRadioButton("Col 3");
57     private JRadioButton colFour = new JRadioButton("Col 4");
58     private JRadioButton colFive = new JRadioButton("Col 5");
59     private JRadioButton colSix = new JRadioButton("Col 6");

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60 private JRadioButton colSeven = new JRadioButton("Col 7");
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62
63 private JLabel turn = new JLabel("Current Player's Turn: Red"); // initializes the label for turn
64 private boolean playerTurn = true; // sets the active players turn - true is red - false is blue
65 private JButton activate = new JButton("Go"); // button for a player to input their turn
66 private JButton newGame = new JButton("Reset"); // button to reset the game after it has been finished
67
68 // labels for the home screen display
69 private JLabel intro = new JLabel("Welcome to my Connect Four game");
70 private JLabel intro2 = new JLabel("please click the button to start");
71
72 public ConnectFour(){
73     super("Connect Four"); // names the program window
74     setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE); // closes program on exit of window
75     setLayout(cardLayout); // adds the card layout for the multiple windows to be changed between
76
77     //formatting for the first card - the home screen
78     home.setBackground(Color.CYAN);
79     home.setLayout(new GridLayout(3,0,50,50));
80     intro.setFont(new Font("Arial", Font.BOLD, 26));
81     intro2.setFont(new Font("Arial", Font.BOLD, 26));
82     topHome.setLayout(new FlowLayout());
83     topHome.add(intro);
84     topHome.setBackground(Color.CYAN);
85     middleHome.setLayout(new FlowLayout());
86     middleHome.add(intro2);
87     middleHome.setBackground(Color.CYAN);
88     home.add(topHome);
89     home.add(middleHome);
90     home.add(next);
91
92     //formatting for the second card - the game screen
93     group.add(colOne);
94     group.add(colTwo);
95     group.add(colThree);
96     group.add(colFour);
97     group.add(colFive);
98     group.add(colSix);
99     group.add(colSeven);
100    gameScreen.setLayout(new BorderLayout());
101    turnGame.setLayout(new FlowLayout(FlowLayout.CENTER, 200,0));
102    topGame.setLayout(new BorderLayout());
103    turnGame.add(turn);
104    turnGame.add(activate);
105    buttonsGame.setLayout(new GridLayout(1,7,0,100));
106    bottomGame.setLayout(new GridLayout(6,7,5,5));
107    topGame.add(turnGame, BorderLayout.NORTH);
108    topGame.add(buttonsGame, BorderLayout.CENTER);
109    gameScreen.add(topGame, BorderLayout.NORTH);
110
111    // adds the buttons to the button bar
112    buttonsGame.add(colOne);
113    buttonsGame.add(colTwo);
114    buttonsGame.add(colThree);
115    buttonsGame.add(colFour);
116    buttonsGame.add(colFive);
117    buttonsGame.add(colSix);
118    buttonsGame.add(colSeven);

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119 // formats the header above the game
120 gameScreen.add(topGame, BorderLayout.NORTH);
121 // adds the game to the game screen
122 gameScreen.add(bottomGame, BorderLayout.CENTER);
123
124 // adds action listeners to all buttons that are going to be used in the program
125 activate.addActionListener(this);
126 next.addActionListener(this);
127 newGame.addActionListener(this);
128 colOne.addActionListener(this);
129 colTwo.addActionListener(this);
130 colThree.addActionListener(this);
131 colFour.addActionListener(this);
132 colFive.addActionListener(this);
133 colSix.addActionListener(this);
134 colSeven.addActionListener(this);
135
136 // adds the different cards to the card layout
137 add("home", home);
138 add("game", gameScreen);
139
140 }
141
142
143 @Override
144 public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e) {
145     Object source = e.getSource();
146     // the button that goes from home screen to the game
147     if(source == next){
148         // initializes the arrays that are used in the board so they are all neutral
149         for(int y = 0; y < ROWS; ++y){
150             for(int x = 0; x < COLS; ++x){
151                 board[x][y] = 'y';
152                 panel[x][y] = new JPanel();
153                 bottomGame.add(panel[x][y]);
154                 panel[x][y].setBackground(Color.YELLOW);
155             }
156         }
157     }
158     // swaps to the game card
159     cardLayout.next(getContentPane());
160 }
161 else if(source == activate){
162     //checks to see if one of the columns is selected
163     if(colOne.isSelected() || colTwo.isSelected() ||
164        colThree.isSelected() || colFour.isSelected() ||
165        colFive.isSelected() || colSix.isSelected() ||
166        colSeven.isSelected()){
167         //-----
168         //entering pieces into the program if they can fit
169         if(colOne.isSelected() && board[0][0] == 'y'){
170             int colf = 0;
171             int rowf = 0;
172
173
174             //Checks to see if there are other pieces in the column
175             while((board[colf][rowf] != 'r' && board[colf][rowf] != 'b') &&
176                 rowf < 5){

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177         rowf++;
178     }
179     //if there is one piece in the column then it will go to the
180     // place just before it
181     if(rowf == 5 && (board[colf][rowf] == 'r' ||
182         board[colf][rowf] == 'b')){
183         rowf--;
184         if(playerTurn){
185             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
186             board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
187         }
188         else{
189             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
190             board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
191         }
192     }
193 }
194 //if there are no pieces in the column then it will go to the
195 // bottom of the column
196 else if(rowf == 5){
197     if(playerTurn){
198         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
199         board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
200     }
201     else{
202         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
203         board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
204     }
205 }
206 }
207 //it will fill in to any other position that isn't the bottom
208 // or the space just below the bottom
209 else{
210     rowf--;
211     if(playerTurn){
212         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
213         board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
214     }
215     else{
216         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
217         board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
218     }
219 }
220 }
221
222 //checks to see if a valid move has been played
223 validMove = true;
224 currentRow = rowf;
225 currentCol = colf;
226 }
227 -----
228 //Properly add piece into column 2
229 else if(colTwo.isSelected() && board[1][0] == 'y'){
230     int colf = 1;
231     int rowf = 0;
232
233     //Checks to see if there are other pieces in the column
234     while((board[colf][rowf] != 'r' && board[colf][rowf] != 'b') &&

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235         rowf < 5){
236             rowf ++;
237     }
238
239     //if there is one piece in the column then it will go to the
240     // place just before it
241     if(rowf == 5 && (board[colf][rowf] == 'r' ||
242         board[colf][rowf] == 'b')){
243         rowf --;
244         if(playerTurn){
245             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
246             board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
247         }
248         else{
249             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
250             board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
251         }
252     }
253 }
254 //if there are no pieces in the column then it will go to the
255 // bottom of the column
256 else if(rowf == 5){
257     if(playerTurn){
258         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
259         board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
260     }
261     else{
262         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
263         board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
264     }
265 }
266 //it will fill in to any other position that isn't the bottom
267 // or the space just below the bottom
268 else{
269     rowf --;
270     if(playerTurn){
271         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
272         board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
273     }
274     else{
275         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
276         board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
277     }
278 }
279
280 //checks to see if a valid move has been played
281 validMove = true;
282 currentRow = rowf;
283 currentCol = colf;
284 }
285 //-----
286 //Properly add piece into column 3
287 else if(colThree.isSelected() && board[2][0] == 'y'){
288     int colf = 2;
289     int rowf = 0;
290
291     //Checks to see if there are other pieces in the column
292     while((board[colf][rowf] != 'r' && board[colf][rowf] != 'b') &&
293         rowf < 5){

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294         rowf ++;
295     }
296
297     //if there is one piece in the column then it will go to the
298     // place just before it
299     if(rowf == 5 && (board[colf][rowf] == 'r' ||
300         board[colf][rowf] == 'b')){
301         rowf --;
302         if(playerTurn){
303             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
304             board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
305         }
306         else{
307             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
308             board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
309         }
310     }
311
312     //if there are no pieces in the column then it will go to the
313     // bottom of the column
314     else if(rowf == 5){
315         if(playerTurn){
316             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
317             board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
318         }
319         else{
320             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
321             board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
322         }
323     }
324     //it will fill in to any other position that isn't the bottom
325     // or the space just below the bottom
326     else{
327         rowf --;
328         if(playerTurn){
329             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
330             board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
331         }
332         else{
333             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
334             board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
335         }
336     }
337
338     //checks to see if a valid move has been played
339     validMove = true;
340     currentRow = rowf;
341     currentCol = colf;
342 }
343 //-----
344 //Properly add piece into column 4
345 else if(colFour.isSelected() && board[3][0] == 'y'){
346     int colf = 3;
347     int rowf = 0;
348
349     //Checks to see if there are other pieces in the column
350     while((board[colf][rowf] != 'r' && board[colf][rowf] != 'b') &&
351         rowf < 5){
352         rowf ++;

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353     }
354
355     //if there is one piece in the column then it will go to the
356     // place just before it
357     if(rowf == 5 && (board[colf][rowf] == 'r' ||
358         board[colf][rowf] == 'b')){
359         rowf --;
360         if(playerTurn){
361             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
362             board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
363         }
364         else{
365             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
366             board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
367         }
368     }
369
370     //if there are no pieces in the column then it will go to the
371     // bottom of the column
372     else if(rowf == 5){
373         if(playerTurn){
374             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
375             board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
376         }
377         else{
378             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
379             board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
380         }
381     }
382     //it will fill in to any other position that isn't the bottom
383     // or the space just below the bottom
384     else{
385         rowf --;
386         if(playerTurn){
387             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
388             board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
389         }
390         else{
391             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
392             board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
393         }
394     }
395
396     //checks to see if a valid move has been played
397     validMove = true;
398     currentRow = rowf;
399     currentCol = colf;
400 }
401 -----
402 //Properly add piece into column 5
403 else if(colFive.isSelected() && board[4][0] == 'y'){
404     int colf = 4;
405     int rowf = 0;
406
407     //Checks to see if there are other pieces in the column
408     while((board[colf][rowf] != 'r' && board[colf][rowf] != 'b') &&
409         rowf < 5){
410         rowf ++;
411     }

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413 //if there is one piece in the column then it will go to the
414 // place just before it
415 if(rowf == 5 && (board[colf][rowf] == 'r' ||
416 board[colf][rowf] == 'b')){
417     rowf--;
418     if(playerTurn){
419         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
420         board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
421     }
422     else{
423         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
424         board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
425     }
426 }
427 }
428 //if there are no pieces in the column then it will go to the
429 // bottom of the column
430 else if(rowf == 5){
431     if(playerTurn){
432         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
433         board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
434     }
435     else{
436         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
437         board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
438     }
439 }
440 //it will fill in to any other position that isn't the bottom
441 // or the space just below the bottom
442 else{
443     rowf--;
444     if(playerTurn){
445         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
446         board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
447     }
448     else{
449         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
450         board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
451     }
452 }
453 }
454 //checks to see if a valid move has been played
455 validMove = true;
456 currentRow = rowf;
457 currentCol = colf;
458 }
459 //-----
460 //Properly add piece into column 6
461 else if(colSix.isSelected() && board[5][0] == 'y'){
462     int colf = 5;
463     int rowf = 0;
464
465     //Checks to see if there are other pieces in the column
466     while((board[colf][rowf] != 'r' && board[colf][rowf] != 'b') &&
467 rowf < 5){
468         rowf++;
469     }
470 }

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471 //if there is one piece in the column then it will go to the
472 // place just before it
473 if(rowf == 5 && (board[colf][rowf] == 'r' ||
474 board[colf][rowf] == 'b')){
475     rowf--;
476     if(playerTurn){
477         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
478         board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
479     }
480     else{
481         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
482         board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
483     }
484 }
485 }
486 //if there are no pieces in the column then it will go to the
487 // bottom of the column
488 else if(rowf == 5){
489     if(playerTurn){
490         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
491         board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
492     }
493     else{
494         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
495         board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
496     }
497 }
498 //it will fill in to any other position that isn't the bottom
499 // or the space just below the bottom
500 else{
501     rowf--;
502     if(playerTurn){
503         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
504         board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
505     }
506     else{
507         panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
508         board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
509     }
510 }
511 //checks to see if a valid move has been played
512 validMove = true;
513 currentRow = rowf;
514 currentCol = colf;
515 }
516 //-----
517 //Properly add piece into column 7
518 else if(colSeven.isSelected() && board[6][0] == 'y'){
519     int colf = 6;
520     int rowf = 0;
521
522     //Checks to see if there are other pieces in the column
523     while((board[colf][rowf] != 'r' && board[colf][rowf] != 'b') &&
524 rowf < 5){
525         rowf++;
526     }
527
528 //if there is one piece in the column then it will go to the
529 // place just before it

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530         if(rowf == 5 && (board[colf][rowf] == 'r' ||
531             board[colf][rowf] == 'b')){
532             rowf--;
533             if(playerTurn){
534                 panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
535                 board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
536             }
537             else{
538                 panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
539                 board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
540             }
541         }
542     }
543     //if there are no pieces in the column then it will go to the
544     // bottom of the column
545     else if(rowf == 5){
546         if(playerTurn){
547             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
548             board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
549         }
550         else{
551             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
552             board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
553         }
554     }
555     //it will fill in to any other position that isn't the bottom
556     // or the space just below the bottom
557     else{
558         rowf--;
559         if(playerTurn){
560             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.RED);
561             board[colf][rowf] = 'r';
562         }
563         else{
564             panel[colf][rowf].setBackground(Color.BLUE);
565             board[colf][rowf] = 'b';
566         }
567     }
568 }
569 //checks to see if a valid move has been played
570 validMove = true;
571 currentRow = rowf;
572 currentCol = colf;
573 }
574 //-----
575 // outputs an error if the column is full
576 else{
577     JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(null, "Please select a column\n"
578         + "that isn't full",
579         "Error",
580         JOptionPane.ERROR_MESSAGE);
581 }
582
583 //outputs an error if no option has been selected for a column
584 }
585 else{
586     JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(null, "Please select a column",
587         "Error",
588         JOptionPane.ERROR_MESSAGE);

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589     }
590
591
592     //this checks to see if the piece has activated a winning sequence
593     if(validMove) {
594         group.clearSelection();
595         //currentRow is the current row position for the valid move
596         //currentCol is the current column position for the valid move
597
598         //check horizontal win
599         char tempTurn;
600         int tempCount = 0;
601         int tempCurrentRow = currentRow;
602         int tempCurrentCol = currentCol - 3;
603
604         if(playerTurn) {
605             tempTurn = 'r';
606         }
607         else {
608             tempTurn = 'b';
609         }
610
611         for(int i = 0; i < 7; ++i) {
612
613             if(tempCurrentRow >= 0 && tempCurrentRow < 6 && tempCurrentCol >= 0
614                && tempCurrentCol < 7) {
615                 if(board[tempCurrentCol][tempCurrentRow] == tempTurn) {
616                     ++tempCount;
617                 }
618                 else {
619                     tempCount = 0;
620                 }
621             }
622             else {
623                 tempCount = 0;
624             }
625
626             ++ tempCurrentCol;
627
628             if(tempCount == 4) {
629                 checkWin = true;
630             }
631         }
632
633         //check vertical win
634         tempCount = 0;
635         tempCurrentRow = currentRow - 3;
636         tempCurrentCol = currentCol;
637         for(int i = 0; i < 7; ++i) {
638
639             if(tempCurrentRow >= 0 && tempCurrentRow < 6 && tempCurrentCol >= 0
640                && tempCurrentCol < 7) {
641                 if(board[tempCurrentCol][tempCurrentRow] == tempTurn) {
642                     ++tempCount;
643                 }
644                 else {
645                     tempCount = 0;
646                 }
647             }
648         }

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648         else {
649             tempCount = 0;
650         }
651
652         ++ tempCurrentRow;
653
654         if(tempCount == 4) {
655             checkWin = true;
656         }
657     }
658
659     //check backward diagonal win [ \ ]
660     tempCount = 0;
661     tempCurrentRow = currentRow - 3;
662     tempCurrentCol = currentCol - 3;
663     for(int i = 0; i < 7; ++i) {
664
665         if(tempCurrentRow >= 0 && tempCurrentRow < 6 && tempCurrentCol >= 0
666            && tempCurrentCol < 7) {
667             if(board[tempCurrentCol][tempCurrentRow] == tempTurn) {
668                 ++tempCount;
669             }
670             else {
671                 tempCount = 0;
672             }
673         }
674         else {
675             tempCount = 0;
676         }
677
678         ++ tempCurrentRow;
679         ++ tempCurrentCol;
680
681         if(tempCount == 4) {
682             checkWin = true;
683         }
684     }
685
686     //check forward diagonal win [ / ]
687     tempCount = 0;
688     tempCurrentRow = currentRow - 3;
689     tempCurrentCol = currentCol + 3;
690     for(int i = 0; i < 7; ++i) {
691
692         if(tempCurrentRow >= 0 && tempCurrentRow < 6 && tempCurrentCol >= 0 && tempCurrentCol < 7) {
693             if(board[tempCurrentCol][tempCurrentRow] == tempTurn) {
694                 ++tempCount;
695             }
696             else {
697                 tempCount = 0;
698             }
699         }
700         else {
701             tempCount = 0;
702         }
703
704         ++ tempCurrentRow;
705         -- tempCurrentCol;
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707         if(tempCount == 4) {
708             checkWin = true;
709         }
710     }
711
712
713     //the current player will be swapped and the label will update
714     if(playerTurn) {
715         playerTurn = false;
716         turn.setText("Current Player's Turn: Blue");
717     }
718     else {
719         playerTurn = true;
720         turn.setText("Current Player's Turn: Red");
721     }
722     //resets the valid move for the next move
723     validMove = false;
724 }
725 //checks to see if a draw case has happened only if a win case has not already been triggered
726 if(!(board[0][0] == 'y' || board[1][0] == 'y' || board[2][0] == 'y' || board[3][0] == 'y' ||
727     board[4][0] == 'y' || board[5][0] == 'y' ||
728     board[6][0] == 'y') && !checkWin) {
729     checkDraw = true;
730 }
731
732 //handles the win case
733 if(checkWin) {
734     //removes the buttons after a win case shows up
735     topGame.remove(buttonsGame);
736     //displays that the blue player has won
737     if(playerTurn) {
738         JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(null, "Blue player Wins!",
739             "Winner!!",
740             JOptionPane.INFORMATION_MESSAGE);
741         turn.setText("Blue player is the Winner!");
742     }
743     //displays that the red player has won
744     else{
745         JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(null, "Red player Wins!",
746             "Winner!!",
747             JOptionPane.INFORMATION_MESSAGE);
748         turn.setText("Red player is the Winner!");
749     }
750 }
751
752 // removes the button that triggers a move and replaces it with
753 // a button that resets the game
754 turnGame.remove(activate);
755 turnGame.add(newGame);
756
757 // fixes bug where program wouldn't load the restart button after first game resolution
758 turnGame.revalidate();
759 }
760 else if(checkDraw) {
761     //removes the buttons after a draw case
762     topGame.remove(buttonsGame);
763     //displays that a draw has occurred
764     JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(null, "It's a Draw!",
        "Tie Game",

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765         JOptionPane.INFORMATION_MESSAGE);
766         turn.setText("The game ends in a Draw");
767         // removes the button that triggers a move and replaces it with
768         //      a button that resets the game
769         turnGame.remove(activate);
770         turnGame.add(newGame);
771         // fixes bug where program wouldn't load the restart button after first game resolution
772         turnGame.revalidate();
773     }
774 }
775 else if(source == newGame) {
776     //goes back to the home screen
777     cardLayout.previous(getContentPane());
778     board = new char[COLS][ROWS]; // resets the char array
779     panel = new JPanel[COLS][ROWS]; // resets the pannel array
780     bottomGame.removeAll(); // removes all of the old pannels
781     topGame.add(buttonsGame); // re adds the radio buttons
782     turnGame.add(activate); // re adds the button to activate a player's turn
783     turnGame.remove(newGame); // removes the reset button
784     checkDraw = false; // resets the check for draw
785     checkWin = false; // resets the check for win
786
787     // resets the starting player to red player
788     playerTurn = true;
789     turn.setText("Current Player's Turn: Red");
790 }
791 }
792
793
794 public static void main(String[] args) {
795     ConnectFour game = new ConnectFour();
796     game.setSize(800,600);
797     game.setVisible(true);
798 }
799
800 }

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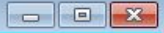









Connect Four



Welcome to my Connect Four game

please click the button to start

Start











