

Record-Log User Documentation

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User Documentation Description

The user documentation details the functionality and intended use for the Record-Log software, providing the user with all the necessary information to effectively make use of the system.

Home Page

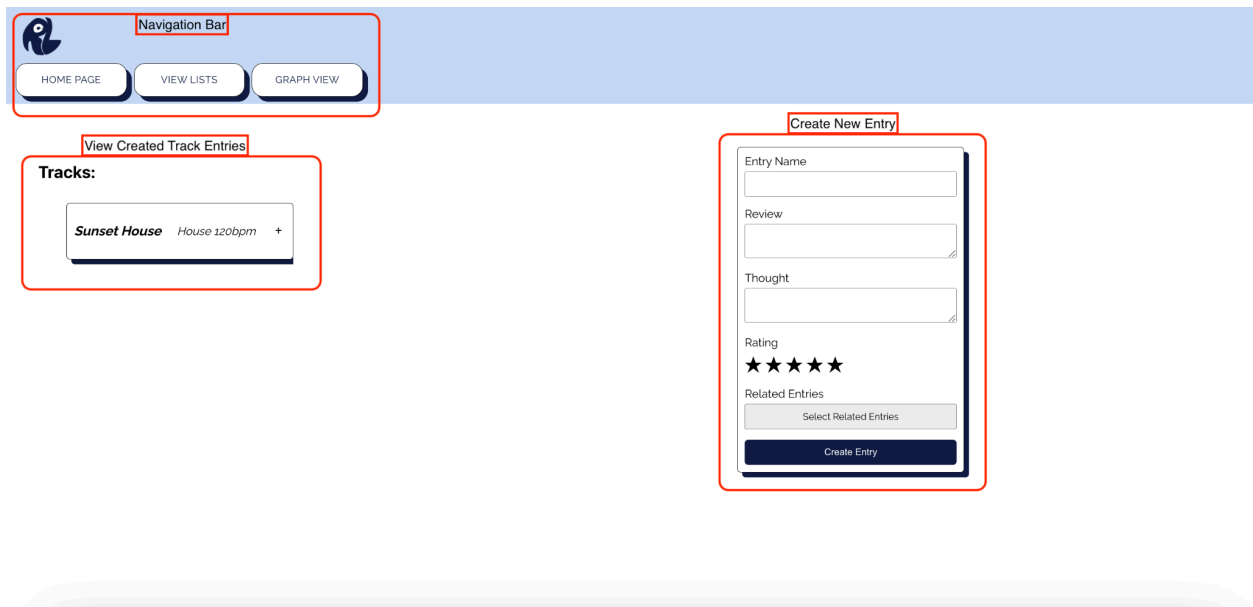


Figure 1: The Record-Log Home Page

Upon launching the Record-Log software, the home page will be displayed. The home page consists of three major areas that the user should utilize. Figure 1 shows the home page, and the three major areas are outlined in red boxes with captions. The first is the Navigation Bar which is displayed at the top of the screen, and will always be in the same location throughout the use of the software. The second is the Create New Entry area which is displayed on the right side of the home page, this area is used for creating new track entries. The final area is for viewing Created Track Entries, this area displays all the track entries a user has created on the left side of the home page.

Navigation Bar



Figure 2: The Record-Log Navigation Bar

The Record Log Navigation bar is a menu that the user can utilize to navigate between the 4 main pages of the software. The Home Page button will bring the user back to the Home Page. The View Lists button will bring the user to a new page where they can create, edit, and delete their lists. The Graph View button will bring the user to an interactable graph that displays the connections between entries that a user has established. Finally the About button will direct the user towards a page detailing the basics of the Record-Log software and how to make use of it.

View / Edit Tracks

Tracks:



Figure 3: How to expand track entry details

As described above, the user can view all their created track entries on the left side of the home page. To view the detailed contents of a track entry the user can click on the “+” button, which will expand the box and display the full contents as seen in Figure 4.

Tracks:

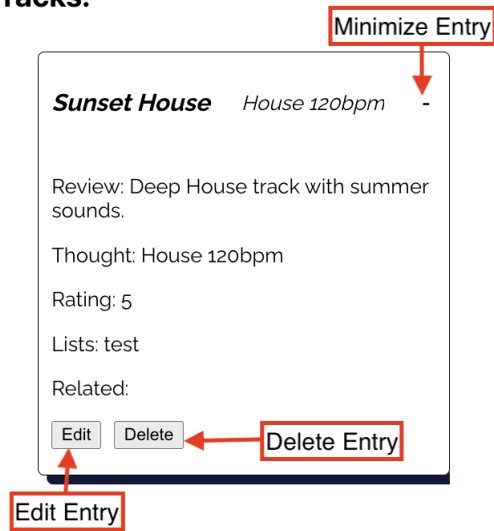


Figure 4: Expanded track entry details.

Once a user has expanded a specific track they can view the details of the track entry, and have access to the ability to edit or delete an entry, refer to Figure 4.

Create New Track Entry

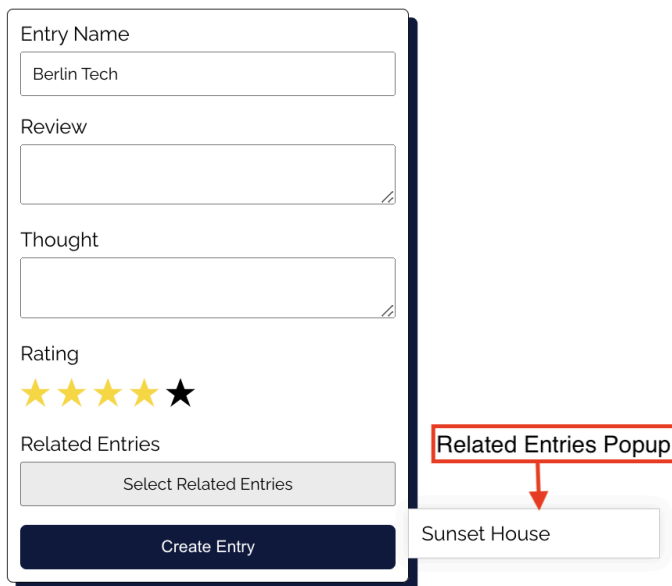


Figure 5: Create new track entry and select related entries popup.

The user can create a new entry by filling out the create entry component on the right side of the home page screen. Figure 5 above shows how if a user clicks on the select related entries button a popup will be displayed where the user can click on what entries they want to relate to the entry they are creating.

View Lists

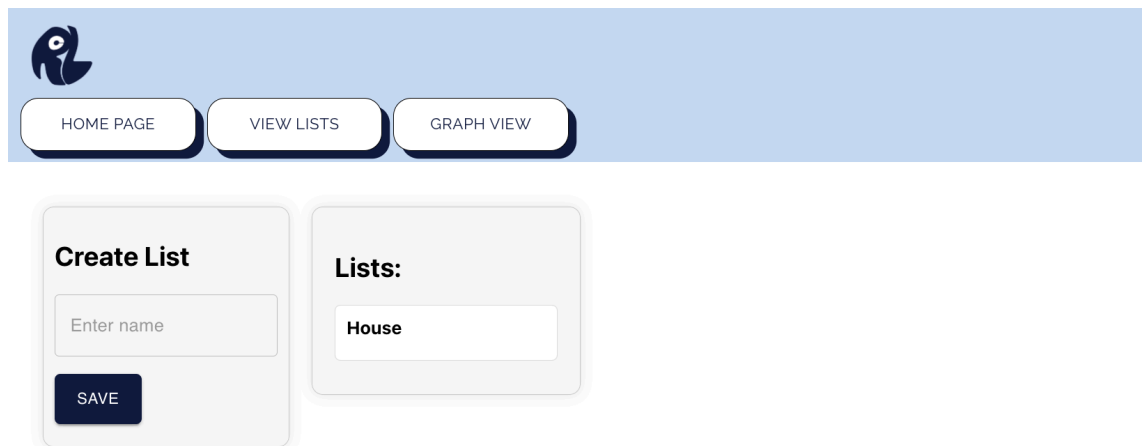


Figure 6: View Lists page.

Upon clicking the View Lists button in the Navigation Bar, the user will be brought to the View Lists page displayed in Figure 6. Here the user can create a new list by entering their desired list name and clicking the “save” button. If the user clicks on a list in the “lists” area, that list and its associated entries will be displayed as shown in Figure 7 below.

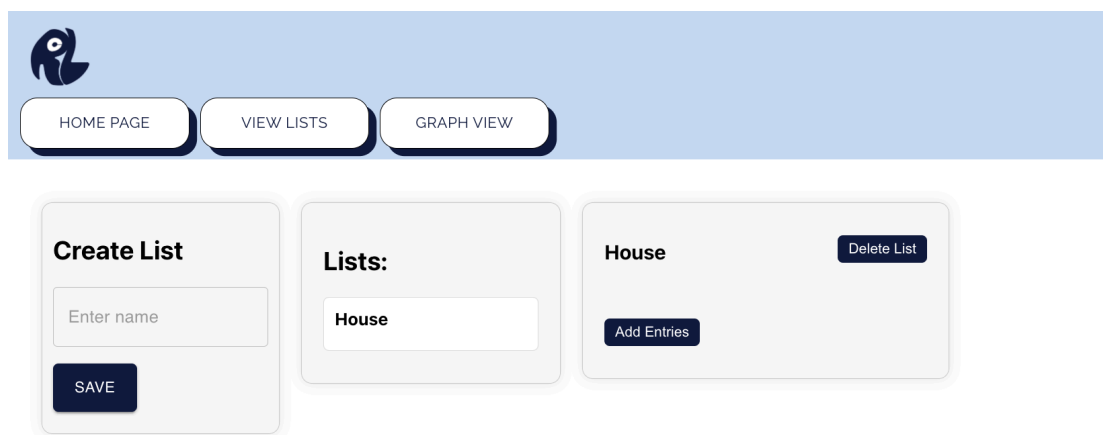


Figure 7: List details displayed upon list selection by user.

Edit / Delete List

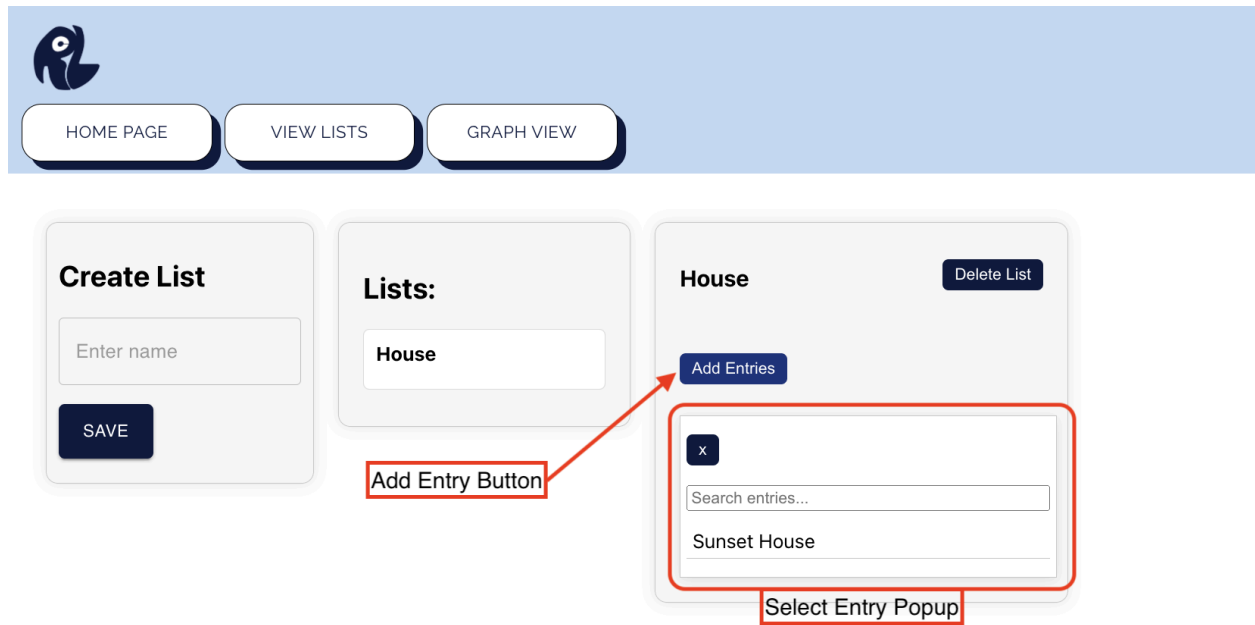


Figure 8: Add entry button and accompanying popup.

Once a user has selected a list they would like to view or edit, they can click on the Add Entry Button to add entries to the list. Upon clicking the button a popup will be displayed which lists all the entries the user has created, there is a text box labeled “Search entries”, where the user can refine their search by entering the title of the entry they are searching for.

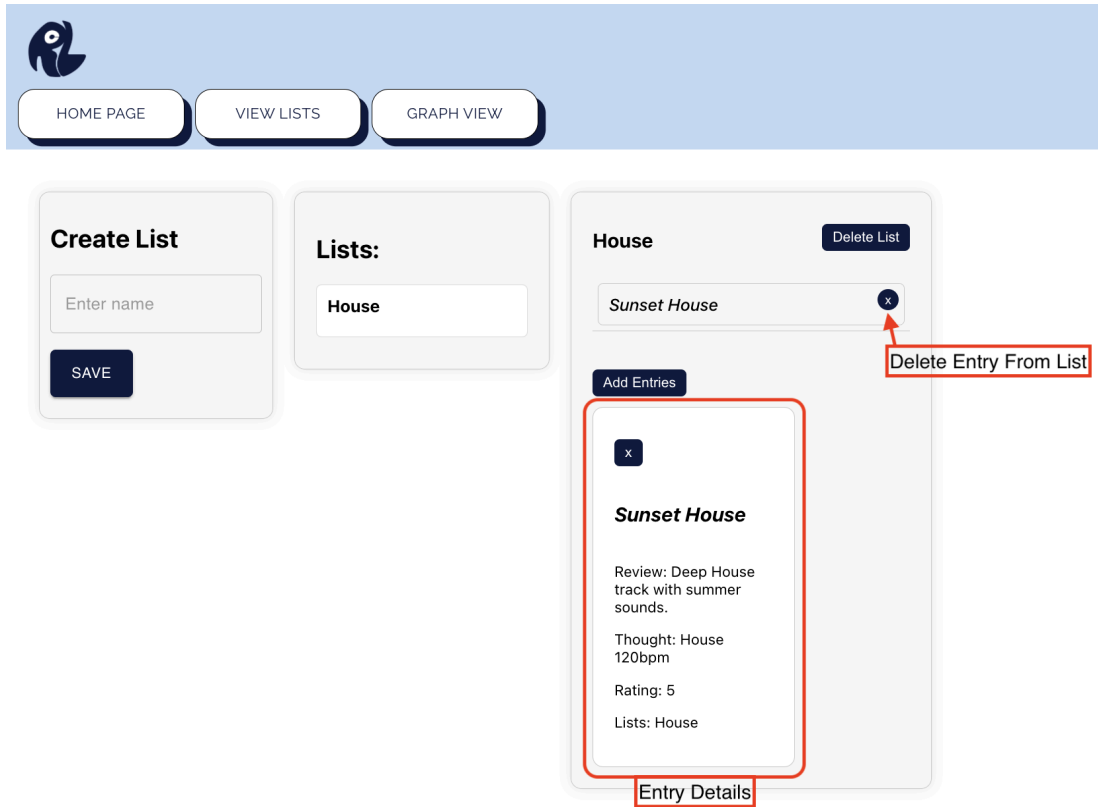


Figure 9: View entry details and delete entry from list.

Along with adding entries to a list, the user also has the ability to view the entry details of entries in the selected list, delete that entry from the list, or delete the list entirely. By clicking on an entry in a list the details of the selected entry will be displayed in the “Entry Details” box seen in Figure 9. The user can delete an entry from the list by clicking the small “x” button next to the entry, and they can delete the list entirely by clicking the “Delete List” button.

Graph View

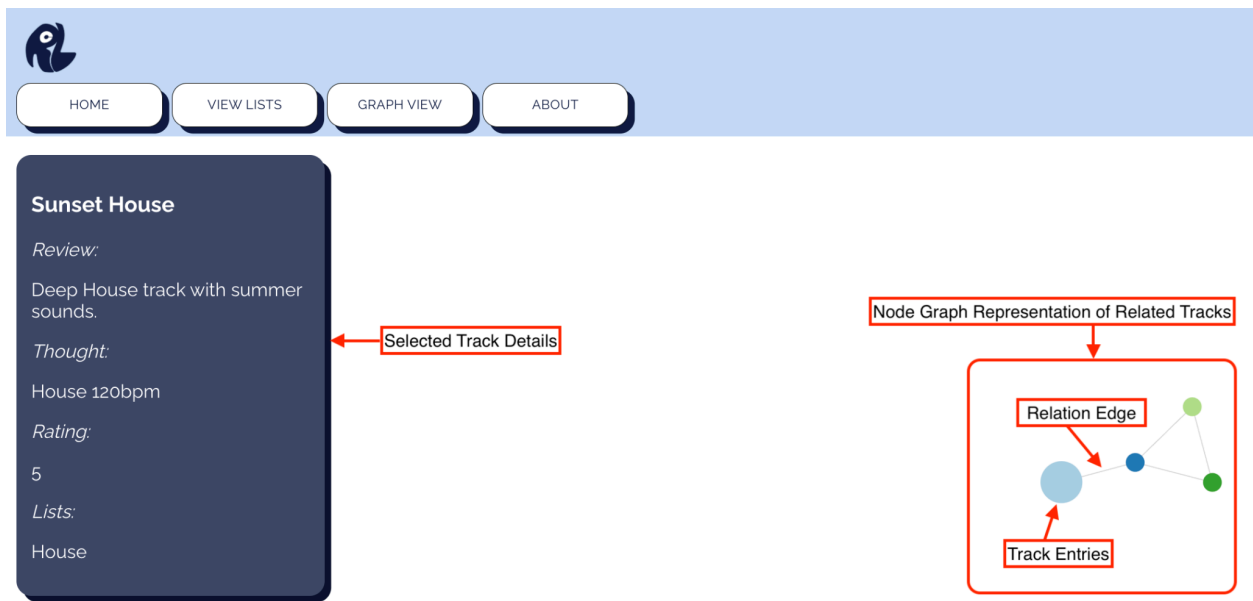


Figure 10: Graph View page and its functionality.

The last main feature of the Record-Log software is the node graph view representation of the user defined relationships between entries. This page can be accessed by clicking the “Graph View” button located in the Navigation Bar. Upon loading the graph view page, a node graph will be displayed where each node represents a track entry the user has created, and each edge represents the related link the user has defined between their track entries. The user can hover over a node to see its title, and by clicking on the node the associate track entry details will be displayed on the left hand side of the screen.