bbs_announce

Submits a text file to a array of message bases.

Install Steps:

i. You will need the "Math::Round" and "Getopt::Long" Perl extensions installed with CPAN.
ii. Edit Announce.txt for your desired website to promote. Unless you want to promote mine instead ☺
iii. Copy the Announce.txt & bbs_announce.pl files to /sbbs/exec. You can put it anywhere but you must edit the bbs_announce.pl script to tell it where to look for Announce.txt.
iv. Edit the /sbbs/exec/bbs_announce.pl script for your settings and what message bases you want to post in.
v. Do a test run by running bbs_announce.pl

vi. If all looks good you can set up a cron job to run no more often than once per day - please no spam!
Here is a example cronjob entry:

01 01 * * * /sbbs/exec/bbs_announce.pl

Getting Message Group IDs:

i. Run scfg
ii. Go to "Message Areas"
iii. Choose your message group
iv. Select a entry
v. Go to "Message Sub-boards"
vi. Choose your board and press [ENTER]
vii. Note the entry for "Internal Code" - this is what you need to put in bbs_announce.pl
viii. Repeat for any other boards you want to post to.
ix. Exit scfg
x. All done!