



- Attendance/download Day02 from D2L

- PowerPoint with Illustrations:

- New objects

- Horizontal & Vertical TrackBars

- NumericUpDown

- CheckBox

- New procedure and function

- Random number generation

- Randomize()

- Rnd()

- Demo Problem: Bouncing Ball

- Practice Problem: Moving Letter



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- **REMINDER: FOR EACH NEW PROJECT:**
 - Launch Visual Basic Express 2010
 - Create New Project
 - Use Toolbox to create objects in form/window class
 - Use Properties window to set object properties, such as text, color, size, and location
 - Save in folder for day (Day02, Day03, etc.)
 - Use Code window to attach methods to objects
 - Run/debug project/program



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- Use Toolbox to create objects in form/window class



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Demo Project: Bouncing Ball

- **Form1 (the window) is an object automatically created**
- **Use Toolbox to create objects in form/window class**
 - **Label (for Ball)**
 - **Two Buttons (for Go & Exit)**
 - **Horizontal & Vertical TrackBars**
 - **Two NumericUpDowns (for Speed and Ball character)**
 - **CheckBox (for random motion)**
 - **Two more labels (for NumericUpDowns)**
 - **Two Timers (for Clock and flicker effect)**
- **Use Properties window to set object properties, such as name, text, color, size, and location**



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Demo Project: Bouncing Ball

If the Properties window is not showing, use View Menu – Properties or right click on the form or one of its objects and select Properties

- For the form itself, let the name remain as form1.
- For the Text property, enter
 - **Bouncing Ball**
 - This becomes the caption in the title bar
- Change the Size property to 800,600
- For the Color property, select BackColor, Web colors tab, then Yellow



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Demo Project: Bouncing Ball

- Save in new folder called **Demos**
- **EXTREMELY IMPORTANT:**
 - You have **ONLY ONE** chance to name it!
 - Name it **BouncingBall**



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Demo Project: Bouncing Ball

- Go to the Toolbox to get objects into your window
 - Drag a Label from the Toolbox to your window
 - Change properties
 - Name = Ball
 - Color & Text do not matter – they will be set by code (default will be black but flicker will alternate between Red and Blue)
 - Font = Bold 72
 - Change Autotize to False
 - This normally is used to fit the label's text
 - Size =100,100 (a ball, not an ellipse)



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- More objects from the Toolbox
 - Drag two Button from the Toolbox to your window
 - Change properties
 - Names = btnExit and btnGoPause
 - Texts = **EXIT** and **Go**
 - btnGoPause is so named because its Text will toggle between **Go** & **PAUSE**
 - Font = Bold 14
 - Size: drag the handles to resize so the text fits!
 - Location: drag the buttons



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- **Two TrackBars**
 - **Drag two Trackbars from the Toolbox**
 - **Change properties**
 - **Name = htbEastWest & vtbNorthSouth**
 - **Orientation = horizontal & vertical**
 - **Maximum = 10 & minimum = -10**
 - **Location: drag the Trackbars as needed**



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- **Two NumericUpDowns**
 - **Drag two NumericUpDowns from the Toolbox**
 - **Change properties**
 - **Names = nudInterval & nudBall**
 - **Maximum = 255 & minimum = 1**
 - **Value = 100 and 7**
 - **Location: drag the NumericUpDowns as needed**



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- One CheckBox
 - Drag one CheckBox from the Toolbox
 - Change properties
 - Name = chkRandom
 - Checked: default is False (unchecked)
 - Font = Bold 16
 - Text = **Random**
 - Location: drag the Checkbox as needed



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- Two Labels
 - Drag two Labels from the Toolbox
 - Change properties
 - Name: no change required – generic names Label1 & Label 2 are OK – not used in code
 - Font = *Bold Italic 12*
 - Text = **SPEED** and **"BALL"** : use quotes to emphasize that what we call the Ball can actually be any symbol given by its character code number
 - Location: drag the Labels as needed



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- **Two Timers**
 - Drag two Timers from the Toolbox to your window
 - They automatically positions BELOW your window, out of sight, in the Component Tray
 - Change properties
 - Names = tmrClock & tmrFlicker
 - Intervals = 100 (milliseconds) & 200
 - Reminder: this is how often the timers “tick” when their Enabled properties are set to be True



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Demo Project: Bouncing Ball

Now use View Menu – Code in order to write the code for the project

- **Reminder: you will attach methods to each of the objects in one of two ways:**

- **In the design window, double-click the object**

- **In the code window, pull down the object name on the left and the method name on the right**



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Demo Project: Bouncing Ball

CODE

```
Public Class Form1
```

```
    Private Sub btnExit_Click(ByVal sender As Object, ByVal  
e As System.EventArgs) Handles btnExit.Click
```

```
        Me.Close()
```

```
    End Sub
```

```
End Class
```



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Demo Project: Bouncing Ball

CODE

Above the btnExit code but below the declaration of form1 as a class, you need to declare two four global variables:

```
Public Class Form1
```

```
    Dim EastWest, NorthSouth As Integer
```

```
    Dim ewChange, nsChange As Integer
```

```
    Private Sub btnExit_Click(ByVal sender As System.Object,  
ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles btnExit.Click
```

“Dim” reserves space, or dimension, in this case for integers, which can be referred to by name throughout the form1 class. “As” is also a key word. Let Intellisense help you with this!



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Demo Project: Bouncing Ball

CODE

```
Private Sub Form1_Load(ByVal sender As Object, ByVal e As  
System.EventArgs) Handles Me.Load  
    Ball.Text = Chr(7)  
    Randomize() 'random seed for random number generator  
Rnd()  
  
End Sub
```

You get to this section of code by either double-clicking the form or pulling down Form1 Events & Load. This code executes BEFORE anything else happens! On many computers, the 7 is the numerical code for a ball. Randomize() makes sure that no two program executions are identical.



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CODE

```
Private Sub htbEastWest_Scroll(ByVal sender As  
System.Object, ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles  
htbEastWest.Scroll
```

```
    EastWest = htbEastWest.Value
```

```
End Sub
```

```
Private Sub vtbNorthSouth_Scroll(ByVal sender As Object,  
ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles vtbNorthSouth.Scroll  
    NorthSouth = vtbNorthSouth.Value
```

```
End Sub
```




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CODE

```
Private Sub nudInterval_ValueChanged(ByVal sender As  
System.Object, ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles  
nudInterval.ValueChanged
```

```
    tmrClock.Interval = nudInterval.Value
```

```
End Sub
```

```
Private Sub nudBall_ValueChanged(ByVal sender As Object,  
ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles nudBall.ValueChanged  
    Ball.Text = Chr(nudBall.Value)
```

```
End Sub
```



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Demo Project: Bouncing Ball

CODE

```
Private Sub btnGoPause_Click(ByVal sender As Object, ByVal  
e As System.EventArgs) Handles btnGoPause.Click  
    If tmrClock.Enabled = False Then  
        tmrClock.Enabled = True 'toggle  
        btnGoPause.Text = "PAUSE"  
        tmrFlicker.Enabled = True 'toggle  
    Else  
        tmrClock.Enabled = False  
        btnGoPause.Text = "Go"  
        tmrFlicker.Enabled = False  
    End If  
End Sub
```



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Demo Project: Bouncing Ball

CODE

```
Private Sub tmrFlicker_Tick(ByVal sender As System.Object,  
ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles tmrFlicker.Tick  
    If Ball.ForeColor = Color.Blue Then  
        Ball.ForeColor = Color.Red 'toggle  
    Else  
        Ball.ForeColor = Color.Blue  
    End If  
End Sub
```



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Demo Project: Bouncing Ball

CODE

```
Private Sub tmrClock_Tick(ByVal sender As System.Object, ByVal e As  
System.EventArgs) Handles tmrClock.Tick  
    Dim currentx, currenty, movedx, movedy As Integer  
    If chkRandom.Checked Then  
        ewChange = -20 + Rnd() * 41  
        nsChange = -20 + Rnd() * 41  
    Else  
        ewChange = nsChange = 0  
    End If  
    currentx = Ball.Location.X  
    currenty = Ball.Location.Y  
    movedx = currentx + EastWest + ewChange  
    movedy = currenty - NorthSouth + nsChange
```

Rnd() is a function returning a random decimal value between 0 and 1, so ewChange and nsChange are randomly selected between -20 and plus 20. Ball.Location.x and Ball.Location.y gives the current location, which is then adjusted by the normal movement plus the random movement (if it is turned on).



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CODE

```
'Check for east or west border
  If (movedx > 750) Or (movedx < -50) Then
    EastWest = -EastWest
  ElseIf (movedy > 500) Or (movedy < -50) Then 'Check
for north or south border
    NorthSouth = -NorthSouth
  Else
    Ball.Location = New System.Drawing.Point(movedx,
movedy)
  End If

End Sub
```




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Practice Project: Moving Letter

- You will name this project **MovingLetter** and save it in your **Day02** folder.
- It should run like the demo project **MovingLetter.exe** already in your Day02 folder.