

CIS 255 - Java Programming
Homework #14
Packages & File IO

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Date: _____

Given the following text file, TALKSHOW.DAT:

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Jimmy Fallon 0001 09/19/1974
Conan O'Brien 0004 04/18/1963
David Letterman 0003 04/12/1947
Jay Leno 0004 04/28/1950
Jimmy Kimmel 0005 11/13/1967
Jon Stewart 0006 11/28/1962
Stephen Colbert 0007 05/13/1964
```

And the following Host Java class, answer the questions that follow:

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package edu.calhoun.cis.java.intro.homework.homework14;

import java.util.Date;

public class Host {
    private String lastName;
    private String firstName;
    private String hostNumber;
    private Date birthday;

    public Host() {
    }

    public Host(String lastName, String firstName, String hostNumber, Date birthday) {
        this.lastName = lastName;
        this.firstName = firstName;
        this.hostNumber = hostNumber;
        this.birthday = birthday;
    }

    public void setLastName(String lastName) {
        this.lastName = lastName;
    }

    public String getLastName() {
        return lastName;
    }

    public void setFirstName(String firstName) {
        this.firstName = firstName;
    }

    public String getFirstName() {
        return firstName;
    }

    public void setHostNumber(String hostNumber) {
        this.hostNumber = hostNumber;
    }
}
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    }

    public String getHostNumber() {
        return hostNumber;
    }

    public void setBirthday(Date birthday) {
        this.birthday = birthday;
    }

    public Date getBirthday() {
        return birthday;
    }

    public String toString() {
        StringBuffer buffer = new StringBuffer();

        buffer.append("LAST NAME: " + lastName);
        buffer.append(" | FIRST NAME: " + firstName);
        buffer.append(" | HOST NUMBER: " + hostNumber);
        buffer.append(" | BIRTHDAY: " + birthday);

        return buffer.toString();
    }
}

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1. Write a Java class HmWk14. Create the method readTalkshow(list) in the HmWk14 class that that reads the file TALKSHOW.DAT. Each line in the data file will be stored into a Host Java class object and added to a list of Host objects. Make a note that the date in the file needs to be converted to a Date object before setting the birthday field in the Host class. Once the file has been read and saved into a list of Host objects, create another method displayTalkshow(list) which iterates the list and display the information for each talk show host. Create the class HmWk14 in the Java package edu.calhoun.cis.java.intro.homework.homework14.
2. Create the method writeTalkshow() to the HmWk14 class in Question #1 that that writes the Host objects to a new data file TALKSHOW_NEW.DAT. The birthday must be written in the format MM/DD/YYYY. Before writing the hosts to the new file, add a new Host object to the list by creating the method addHost(List<Host> hosts, String lastName, String firstName, String hostNumber, String birthday) and passing it the following values:

Last Name: Meyers

First Name: Seth

Host Number: 0008

Birthday: 12/28/1973

Show the output generated by executing this program and show the contents of the newly created TALKSHOW_NEW.DAT.