

Release Note MyBlood 1.3

Release Note – 30 July 2010

The release note contains:

- A. MyBlood 1.3: Added features; bug fixes and improvements
- B. Known bugs or limitations in 1.3

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General adjustments in MyBlood 1.3

- **Bug fix:** URL fix in About Window
- **Bug fix:** possible nil exception error at startup should be fixed.
- **Bug fix:** Forum is changed and automatically updated to <http://myblood.getwebs.org/board/> unless the user had specified another website than the default.
- V1.3 will allow any previous user that used the trial version to have 15 extra tries with the 1.3 trial version.
- **Bug fix:** Many thanks to Mike Conlon for some language corrections.
- **Bug fix:** Double language folder isn't created anymore.
- **Bug fix:** Dates with FROM.. TO (which are correct) don't have a red background anymore
- **Bug fix:** Sources and repositories in pop-up lists don't show the ID anymore
- **Bug fix:** GEDCom import: Notes CONC and CONT now don't have spaces anymore
- **Bug fix:** GEDCOM export: Fixes for repositories.
- **Bug fix:** GEDCOM export: Translations added.
- **Improvement:** Dialog boxes to select all kinds of media are now sorted by Documents, Images, Sound and Movies.
- **Improvement:** Mac only – Places fields throughout the application now also provide an auto complete like functionality.
- **Added:** **Person** list, **history** list and **bookmarks** list are added to the navigation bar. The person list can also filter on the content if selected. Selecting a person in the list takes you to the person. (History list has most recent selected person at the top)
- **Added:** Online help system replaces separate PDF files. It launches your default browser and opens the start page (html).

Notes

- **Bug fix:** Deleting the last Note in a list would crash the application.

People view

- **Bug fix:** Accuracy stars were displayed even if the item was disabled in preferences.
- **Improvement:** Better redraw of parents and family info.
- **Added:** Persons position in it's family (e.g. 2nd child of a family of 5)
- **Added:** Tooltip with detail info for all parents (move over the person to get the info)
- **Improvement / Bug fix:** The link existing people windows have been changed to improve ease of use.

Edit person

- **Bug fix:** Media icon wasn't grayed out if there were no events in the events list.
- **Added:** Task button added to go to the tasks window and add a person task

Edit family

- **Bug fix:** Media icon wasn't grayed out if there were no events in the events list.
- **Added:** Task button added to go to the tasks window and add a family task

Ancestors view

- **Bug fix**: refresh fix for 4th generation people
- **Added**: Tooltip with detail info for all ancestors (move over the person to get the info)

Descendants view

- **Bug fix**: Accuracy indication (stars) didn't disappear when set in the preferences.
- **Bug fix**: Arrow (>) to go to the previous generations didn't hide when there were no parents.
- **Added**: Tooltip with detail info for current person and partner (move over the person to get the info)

Find view

- **Added**: Web search is added to the search functionality of MyBlood. A number of existing web-sites are default available, and you can add your own custom web search site to the list.

Find & replace

- **Added**: The find & replace feature now also allows you to do a find on "is exactly", "contains", "starts with" and "ends with".
- **Added**: Next to the "Replace" button, you can now have a "Replace all"

TimeMaps view

- **Bug fix**: Crash when drawing details (events), mainly on Mac.

Media view

- **Bug fix**: Text size modification now also in the Image Window.
- **Bug fix**: Edit image: Changing the comments text in the window will now enable the save button.
- **Bug fix**: Edit image: Closing the window will update the preview and image in the Media view
- **Bug fix**: Edit image: Changing the percentage of image preview is now applied while typing.
- **Added**: Added EVENTS icon in the media list for media that are linked to an event
- **Added**: Image effects are bundled in the "Effects window". Invert, grayscale and sepia are moved to the window. Matte, Vignette and edge blur are added.
- **Added**: Image adjustment can now be done for brightness and contrast

Places view

- **Added**: When adding a URL, the complete text in the URL field is selected. Pressing return will set the focus back to the list.
- **Added**: The schematic view of places now also shows the unit used to display (Km or Miles).

Timeline events view

- **Added**: When adding a URL, the complete text in the URL field is selected. Pressing return will set the focus back to the list.

Database window

- **Added**: index feature which is applied when going from a previous version to v1.3
- **Added**: database version is displayed in the right top corner

Tasks window

- **Added**: complete rework of the tasks window
 - create tasks for media, people and families
 - link a specific event type to a task
 - set due date, task and result

- set progress (empty, busy – working on it, urgent, done)
- set type of task (research, correspondence, other)
- create a task from feedback of the website
- export to csv file for reports

Reports

- **Bug fix:** Chronology report: header is now translated.
- **Bug fix:** Chronology report: wrong dates don't mess up the report.
- **Improvement:** Persons and place name reports:
b: (birth) is replaced with *, d: (death) is replaced with +

Speed optimization

- Database have extra indexes for better speed

Translation tool

- **Bug fix:** The Save button wasn't always disabled after closing a file.
- **Bug fix:** The Find fields are modified when a file is closed.

Organize bookmarks

- **Bug fix:** Color coding Man / Woman was reversed.

B. Known bugs or limitations in v1.3

1. Date formats that currently are not converted

- Some date formats in GEDCOM are not interpreted and can give an incorrect date interpretation. Know items are:
 - 1947/8 → range ... 1947/52 → range
 - BC, B.C., BCE, B.C.E.
 - ?

2. Name's or places with special characters can give problems

- Not supported characters in names and places are:
=, &, %, return

3. GEDCOM import and Merge

- MyBlood currently doesn't allow you to import an additional GEDCOM file into the open file.
- Merging data in MyBlood is not yet supported.

4. Dates

- Currently only support for the Gregorian Calendar