

HRSC Webmaster's Report for April 26 to September 25, 2017

SUMMARY

- No major activity since the last report on April 25.

WEBMASTER ACTIVITY

Updates and Changes to Website Pages since last Report

- Made topical updates to pink splash section of the Home Page.
 - Call for new directors and Oktoberfest leader.
 - Date change for RTVOS project, and first date for Oktoberfest.
 - Call for any information about Honey-Bunch-Lunchers
- Added call for new coordinator in Fix-It Guys section of online Bridge.
- Updated RTVOS project description with new information.
- Made updates to the Scholarship pages using input from the Scholarship Foundation.
- Made routine additions to the Archives page for board minutes, treasurer's reports, online Bridges, and 2014- photo gallery.

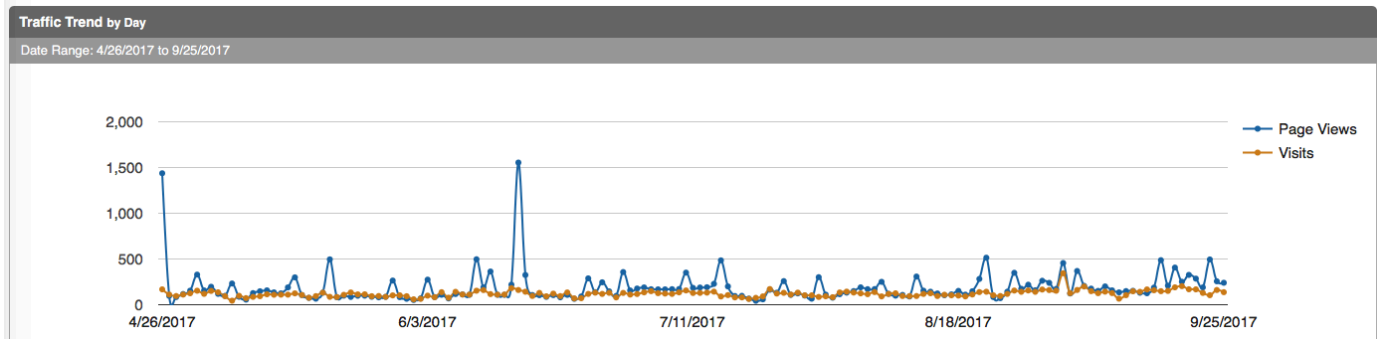
Email, Hotline and Website Administration

- Made routine May and September eBridge distributions, mailing list updates and email transmissions.
- Handled routine Hotline emails about retiree deaths, address changes, membership renewal not working (lost checks), requests for links to be added to our website, etc.
- Sent mass emails about change of date for the RTVOS project and about Oktoberfest now taking place.
- Performed a routine check of the entire website for dead links. There are still quite a few dead links in older Archives items, especially for missing images for online Bridges in the Archives older than November 2014.
- Visitor traffic continued to increase, reaching 114 visitors per day, compared to the 95-96 of the prior two reporting periods, and the 60 of periods prior to that.

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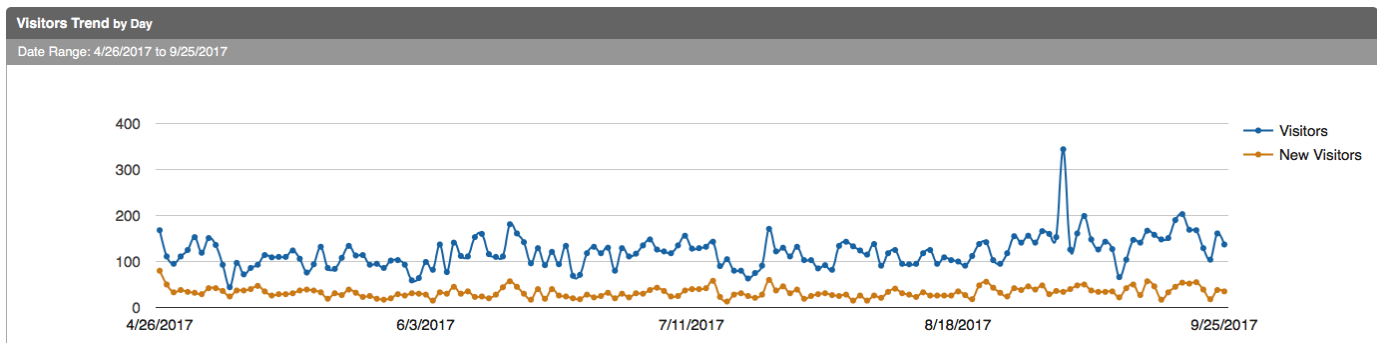
WEBSITE STATISTICS

Site traffic report for April 26 to September 25, 2017:



By far the biggest visitor by IP address was 178.79.176.192, the London branch of the American company Linode, which provides cloud hosting and Linux servers. Most of those accesses were to archived copies of the online Bridge. There are no negative reports in Symantec's Abuse IP database for this address, so there is no concern. (We also had many accesses from Linode on March 29 and April 18 in the previous reporting period.)

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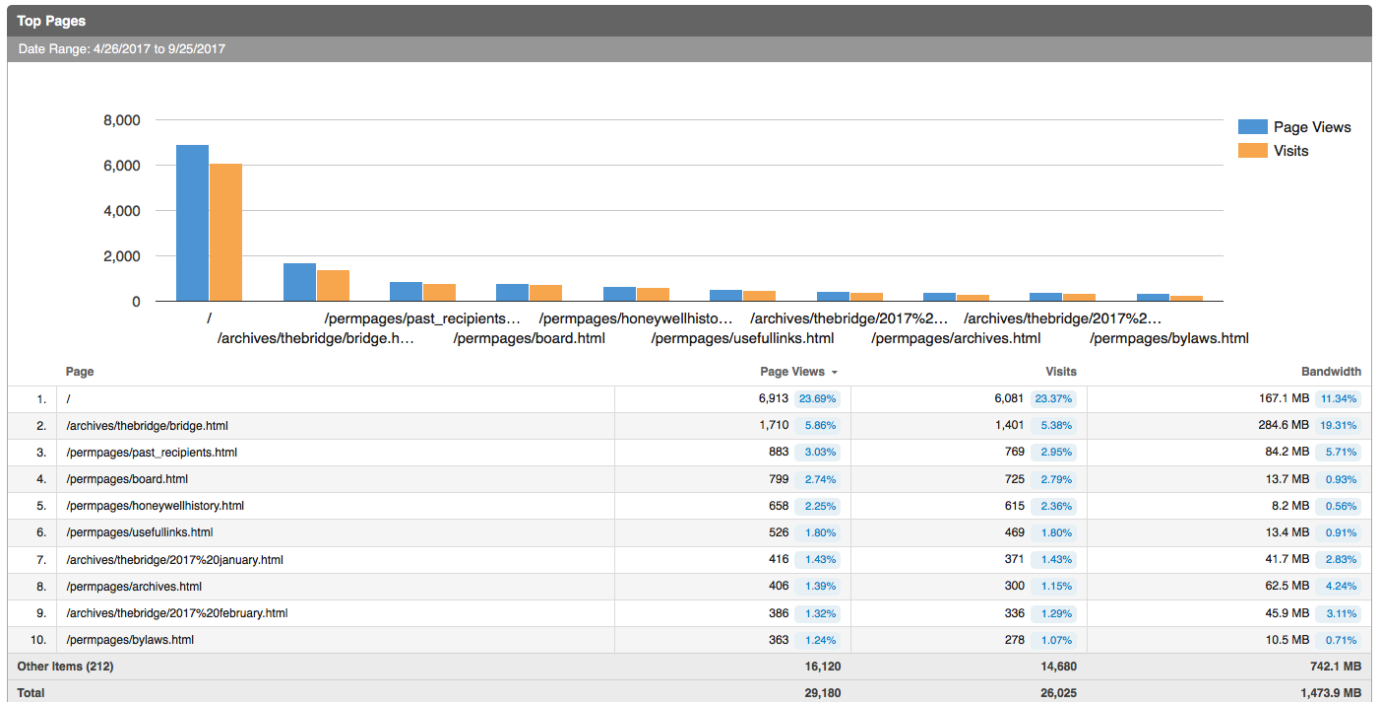


The average number of visitors per day was 127—a notable increase over the 95-96 of the previous two reporting periods, which were themselves a significant increase over the 60 of the previous several months. The spike on September 2 was from IP address 82.80.249.212, which is Bezeqint Hosting in Israel. Symantec's Abuse IP database has three entries for this IP address, although none in the last week, reporting a bad web bot and a DDoS attack, with a note of a very heavy scan in a short timeframe. It does not appear that any harm has been done to our website, and there is little cause for concern.

Date	IP Address	Organization	Comments
March 29	178.79.176.192	Linode LLC (Cloud hosting) UK	18 out of 135 visits that day; not much grater than next few organizations.
April 18	178.79.176.192	Linode LLC (Cloud hosting) UK	109 out of 135 visits that day

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The most visited pages for the same period:



The Online Bridge was again the most popular this period (after the home page), but Past Scholarship Recipients and the Board Members pages were more popular than Honeywell history.

Other notable items:

- There was no excessive traffic from foreign countries or cities during this report period.
- The USA accounted for 78% of bandwidth, followed by “N/A” at 9%, then the UK at 6%.
- Within the USA, Arizona accounted for 69% of bandwidth, then came “N/A” at 10%, followed by New Jersey at 4%.