PHP: Bonnie Brightlight 2012

Bonnie is a generous and thoughtful woman. She likes to give birthday gifts to her friends. Her one flaw is her poor memory. Facebook shows the birthday only a day before the actual date.

What the program will do

Bonnie needs an app ~~where she can~~ that will let her store data about her friends. Then later, she can type in the month to find which of her friends have a birthday ~~then~~ during that month. The app will also display how old the friend is so that she can tailor the gift to match the age of the friend.

What the program will not do

If the user types in Mar for March, the search algorithm will not find the data in the array. Why is that? I think you will have to give a rationale for this deliberate exclusion from scope.

**Design specifications:**

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| FR01 | mainmenu | Allows user to navigate the entire program – to add data and to search for birth month |
| FR02 | Data Collection | Gathers firstname, surname, month of birth, year of birth |
| FR03 | Save data to file | Data is saved to a file. Comma or pipe delimited |
| FR04 | Search month form | A form allows the user to type in the month of birth. |
| FR05 | Read data | File is opened and data read into an array. |
| FR06 | Age calculation | The current year – birth age is calculated. |
| FR07 | Search and display month | If birth month is found, firstname, surname and age of those friends are displayed |
| FR08 | Link to add more data | User is returned to the Add Birthday data form |
| FR09 | Link back to mainmenu | User is returned to main menu |

**Data collection form**

GET firstname, surname, month of birth, year of birth

//Calls file: bonnie-savedata.php

OPEN file for append

//bonnie.txt is a csv file

Add data to the file

CLOSE file

Allow user to return to main menu.

**Search form**

GET month of birth

//Calls file: bonnie-search.php

OPEN file for read

Add data from file to array

//explode – remove the commas or pipe

IF searchmonth = month of birth THEN

DISPLAY the name of the friend

CALCULATE age

//2012 – year of birth

DISPLAY the age of the friends.

END IF

CLOSE file

Allow user to return to main menu.

<html>

<!—bonnie-bdform.html gathers firstname, surname, month, and yob and saves to file

calls bonnie-savedata.php

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<head>

<title>Get Data</title>

<link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href = "bonnie.css" />

</head>

<body>

<h2>Get the story started</h2>

<form action="bonnie-savedata.php" method="post">

<fieldset>

<legend>Bonnie gets started </legend>

<p><label>First name</label>

<input type="text" name="firstname"></p>

<p><label>First name</label>

<input type="text" name="surname"></p>

<p><label>Month of birth </label>

<input type="text" name="month"></p>

<p><label>Year of birth </label>

<input type="text" name="yob"></p>

<p class ="submit" ><input type = "submit" value = "Save data" /></p>

</fieldset>

</form>

</body>

</html>

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<?php   
  
    /\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*   
  
    file: bonnie-savedata.php   
    called from bonnie-bdform.html  
    gathers firstname, surname, month  and yob   
    to a commma delimited file   
    named bonnie.txt   
  
    \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*/   
    include(bonnie-header.inc');   
    page\_header('bonnie saves data');   
  
$firstname = $\_POST['firstname'];   
$surname = $\_POST['surname'];   
$month = $\_POST['month'];   
$month =strtoupper($month);   
$yob = $\_POST['yob'];   
  
$data = $firstname . ",".$surname. ",". $month.",".$yob. "\r\n";   
$fh = fopen("bonnie.txt", "a");   
  
fwrite($fh, $data);   
fclose($fh);   
  
echo "<a href= \"mainmenu.html\">Main Menu</a>"   
  
?>  
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<html>  
<! bonnie-search.html   
calls bonnie-search.php   
to find birthday info  
  
gets month   
searches for all those in that month   
outputs them   
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<head>  
<title>Bonnie has friends</title>  
<link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href = "bonnie.css" />  
  
</head>  
<body>  
  
<h1> Bonnie needs to search </h1>  
<form action="bonnie-search.php" method=post>  
<fieldset>  
  
<legend>Month for birthday</legend>  
  
  
  
<p ><label >Enter the month</label></p>  
<p ><input type="text" name="searchmonth" /></p>  
  
  
<p  class ="submit" ><input type = "submit"  value = "Clikity" /></p>  
  
</fieldset>  
  
</form>  
  
<hr />  
<a href= "mainmenu.html">Main Menu</a>  
</body>  
  
</html>  
  
  
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<?php   
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file: bonnie-search.php  
gets the month

opens bonnie.txt and removes commas  
  and fills array   
uses a while loop  
  searches for searchitem and outputs to the screen   
  ~~Thanks to Greg Durkin~~   
You don't need to credit me for a public domain linear search - - but, thank you.  
\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*/   
include('bonnie-header.inc');   
page\_header('Bonnie looks for...');   
$searchmonth = $\_POST['searchmonth'];   
$searchmonth = strtoupper($searchmonth);   
//name the file   
$file = "bonnie.txt";   
//create the file handler  
$fh = fopen($file, "r");  
  
    // It contains lines of code separated by commas ( , )   
  
        while ($thisLine = fgets($fh, 2048))   
        {   
            $field = explode(",", $thisLine);   
            // Now, $field is an array 0 .. 3 of  items from the text file.   
  
            $firstname = $field[0];   
            $surname   = $field[1];   
            $month     = $field[2];   
            $yob       = $field[3];   
            //clean data is in array called $field   
            //calc age in years   
            $agenow = 2012 - $yob;   
            if($searchmonth == $month)   
            {   
                echo "The name is ".$firstname. " who needs a gift for ".$month." .<br />";   
                echo "This friend named ".$firstname. " is now ".$agenow." .<br />";   
            }   
        }   
        fclose($fh);   
  
echo "<br /><a href= \"mainmenu.html\">Main Menu</a>"   
  
  
?>  
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<html>  
<!--This program is the Main Menu for Bonnie Brightlight.

file: mainmenu.html  
-->  
<head>  
<title>Bonnie has friends</title>  
<link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href = "bonnie.css" />  
  
</head>  
<body>  
<a href= "bonnie-bdform.html">Bonnie's database form</a>  
<hr />  
<a href= "bonnie-search.html">Bonnie's search for month of birth</a>  
<hr />  
  
</body>  
  
</html>  
  
  
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<?php   
/\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*   
file: bonnie-header.inc   
page\_header function   
incorporates css   
  
  
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function page\_header ($title)   
// Use this function to make an easy page header with a title.   
// This version uses a CSS file to modify the appearance.   
  
{   
    echo "<html> \n";   
    echo "<head> \n";   
    echo " <title> $title </title>\n";   
    echo " <link rel=\"stylesheet\" href=\"bonnie.css\" type=\"text/css\">";   
  
  
    echo "<body> \n";   
    echo " <fieldset> ";   
  
    echo " <legend>Bonnie has some friends</legend> ";   
}   
  
  
echo "<br /><br />";   
  
?>  
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/\* \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*   
file: bonnie.css   
  
  
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html   
 {   
     margin:0;   
     padding:0;   
  
 }   
  
  
body{   
  
    font-family: arial;   
    font-size: 16px;   
  
    margin:2em 0 0 5em;   
     padding:0;   
     font-family: 'Palatino Linotype', Garamond, serif;   
     background: #406E72; /\* pastel greenish \*/   
     color: #FFF;   
  
}   
  
label {   
 display: block;   
 width: 200px;   
 float: left;   
  
 padding-left: 5px;   
    text-align: right;   
  
    font-weight: bold;   
  
}   
input {   
   float: clear;   
    display: block;   
    width: 150px;   
    float: left;   
    position: relative;   
    margin-left: 4px;   
    margin-bottom: 15px;   
  
}   
  
  
fieldset   
{   
border: 1px solid #BF3044;/**\*reddish\***/   
width: 30em;   
padding-bottom: 20px;   
padding-left: 10px;   
}   
  
legend   
{   
color: #fff;   
background: #A8A8B3; /\*pastel light green \*/   
border: 1px solid #FFFF66; /**\*reddish\***/   
padding: 2px 6px;   
}   
  
.submit  input   
{   
  
color: #fff;   
background: #5877B1;/\*gold \*/   
border: 2px outset #FFFF66; /\*outset so it looks like a button \*/   
margin-left: 4em;   
margin-top: 2em;   
font-weight: bold;   
width: 100px;   
padding-bottom: 5px;   
  
}   
  
  
h1{   
    color: #666633;   
}   
  
  
a{   
    text-decoration: none;   
  
}   
a:link{   
    color:#000; /\* black \*/   
}   
  
a:visited{   
    color: #000; /\* black \*/   
}   
a:hover {   
    color: #DAE492; /\*grey \*/   
}

You are very formal here. I think, with CSS 3 on the table, that it should now be possible to use the CSS colour name when your colour is a standard SVG value. If you have customised a specific colour that is not one of the standards, then, of course, give it a descriptive name in a comment as you have done above.