

## Re: AddNew button on the Record selector

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Hi again, Marsh,

I found out something interesting. I tried this code from the help file to list all open forms and, for each one, all the controls they hold:

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'*****'
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Dim frm As Form, ctl As Control
Dim intNbFrm As Integer
intNbFrm = Forms.Count
MsgBox "There is actually " & intNbFrm & " from(s) open."
' List the Forms collection.
For Each frm In Forms
' Print the name of the form.
Debug.Print "Form name: "; frm.Name
' List the Controls collection for each form.
For Each ctl In frm.Controls
' Print the name of each control.
Debug.Print "Control name >>> "; ctl.Name
Next ctl
Next frm
'*****'
```

That code shows that there is only one form open and that the subform it holds is considered to be a control. That is why I cannot access it as a form. What can I do now with that control? Can I still go to it's last record or use methods or properties that apply to forms?

Thanks again.

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Jac Tremblay

"Marshall Barton" wrote:

> Jac Tremblay wrote:

>> On my form, I had to create a personalized AddNew button because I need some

>> special calculations to be done when that event happens.

>> I need the record selector to be displayed for the user to navigate between

>> records (First, Previous, Next and Last).

>> But the record selector has an AddNew button also that does not do the same

>> thing as my personalized one. And that causes me a problem.

>> I would like to keep the record selector but disable the AddNew button or

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> > get the button to run the procedure I wrote for the AddNew record.  
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> It sounds like you are talking about the Navigation buttons  
> at the bottom of the form, not the Record Selector button at  
> the left of each record.  
>  
> The New Record navigation button just takes you to a new  
> record, it doesn't create a new record. That happens when  
> the record is saved by navigating to a different record or  
> several other actions.  
>  
> You can run your own procedure to set values in a new record  
> by putting your code in the Form's Current event procedure:  
>  
> If Me.NewRecord Then  
> ' your code  
> End If  
>  
> without creating your own button or trying to fudge the  
> navigation buttons.  
>  
> Note that if a user accidentally navigates to a new record and  
> your code sets the value of some bound controls, the user  
> needs to hit the Esc key twice (to back out of the changes  
> you made) before navigating to a different record.  
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> Marsh  
> MVP [MS Access]  
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