

Re: MsgBox basics

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Phil take out the (), MsgBox "Your time has expired", vbOKOnly, "Time expiry notification"

or just MsgBox "Your time has expired", , "Time expiry notification"

and for yes no cancel use something like this

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Sub Message_box_test()
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Msg = "Put message here"
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Title = "Put title here"
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Response = MsgBox(Msg, vbYesNoCancel + vbQuestion, Title)
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If Response = vbNo Then
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'your code if no is clicked here
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```
MsgBox "you clicked no"
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Exit Sub ' Quit the macro
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End If
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If Response = vbCancel Then
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'your code if Cancel is clicked here
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```
MsgBox "You clicked cancelled"
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```
Exit Sub ' Quit the macro
```

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End If

'your code if Yes is clicked here

MsgBox "you clicked yes"

End Sub

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Paul B

Always backup your data before trying something new

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"Phil C" <philip.cosgriff@xxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
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Hi Guys

Please help. I am obviously failing to understand something very basic about

MsgBox syntax.

I have only previously used this function to give simple messages to the user, and provide a single (default) OK button: E.g.

MsgBox "Your time has expired"

I want to add more buttons in due course (Yes, No, etc) but, for now, was just trying to customise the title (caption) of the the message box:

MsgBox ("Your time has expired", vbOKOnly, "Time expiry notification")

produces a compile error ("expected: =") and I can't make sense of the Help

associated.

I am not including any Help/Context, so have left those options blank

I have tried assigning the message and Title as strings

Dim Msg As String

Dim Title As String

Msg = "Your time has expired"

Title = "Time expiry notification"

MsgBox (Msg, vbOKOnly, Title)

but to no avail..

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And

MsgBox (Msg, vbOKOnly, Title, , ,) just produces another type of
'expected'
compile error

Thanks, Phil

PS. Once I have sorted the syntax, I should be able to use 0 instead of
vbOKOnly, 1 for vbOKCancel, etc. Right?