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Thank you for your quick reply.

In reading some of the other posts, I see that I am not the only one.

Could it have been one of the recent patches I applied?

I hate to admit it but I don't know which device is a video driver. I looked into Device Manager and did see a Graphic Accelerator but I don't know how to update the driver. Sorry. I am not as technically savvy as some others.

BUT I am great at following directions (smile).

I will keep an eye out for now and see if Microsoft posts a hotfix....it can't be that all of us are suddenly having issues....

Thanks again,

Yvonne

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Yvonne

"Echo S" wrote:

Wow, we're seeing a lot of these odd display things lately. Sounds to me as if something's messing up video drivers.

I'd first try changing hardware acceleration.

How to set graphics hardware acceleration back
<http://www.pptfaq.com/FAQ00129.htm>

Then I'd try updating video drivers.

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Echo S [MS PPT MVP] <http://www.echosvoice.com>
What's new in PowerPoint 2007? <http://www.echosvoice.com/2007.htm>

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"Yvonne" <Yvonne@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
<news:F8C3FDD7-1DF0-492A-888B-3577F504BF44@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

I am running Windows Home Edition Version 5.1 (build
2600.xpsp_sp2_gdr.070227-2254: SP2)

I am trying to create a scrapbook page using my MS Office PPT 2003.

Prior to July 2, 2007, I have had no problems with my PowerPoint program.

Currently I am having trouble viewing the background on my slide.
When I insert a picture I can see it on the left side under the slides
tab.

But it does not show up on the current slide in the center of the window.

When I 'grab' the PPT window at the top and move it down past the task bar
on the bottom...dipping the window below the horizon so to speak....and
back
up, the pictures I have pasted into the slide, appear.

Now that I am typing this question, the area this window covers on the
slide
underneath, has become a white area.

I recently tried to save a template as a .pot file. Not sure I did it
correctly.

I have tried to reinstall/fix the PPT program and no luck.

I also recently applied Windows patches

Am I missing something or have I really messed things up?

Thank you in advance.

Yvonne