

Mail Snail

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He's a snail, on a mission!

Mail Snail is a fully functional mailbox. It stores notecards others have sent you and allows you to retrieve them with two short clicks. You can even have friends pick up your mail for you!

Features

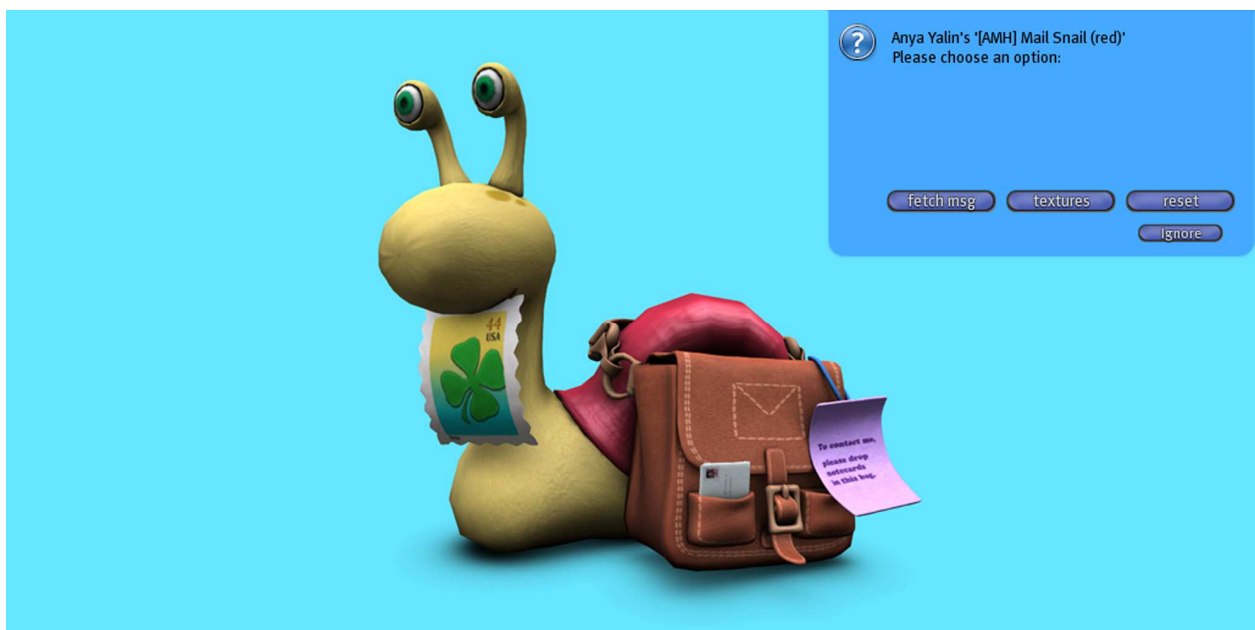
- fully sculpted and adorable ^^
- optional email and IM notification
- optional floating text indicating the number of messages received
- ability to add administrators
- 5 texture options for the bag's note
- reset button
- customizable chat text
- When someone leaves a note, they see a letter drop in the mailbag. The mailbox chooses at random from a total of 5 envelope and 5 stamp designs.

Manual

There are two ways to use and alter your Mail Snail. First there's the blue popup menu for basic functions, and second the Configuration notecard for advanced editing.

Blue Popup Menu

Access by left clicking on the mailbox. You'll be presented with 3 options.



Fetch messages

Transfers any notecards left for you to your inventory, putting them in a dated folder.

Textures

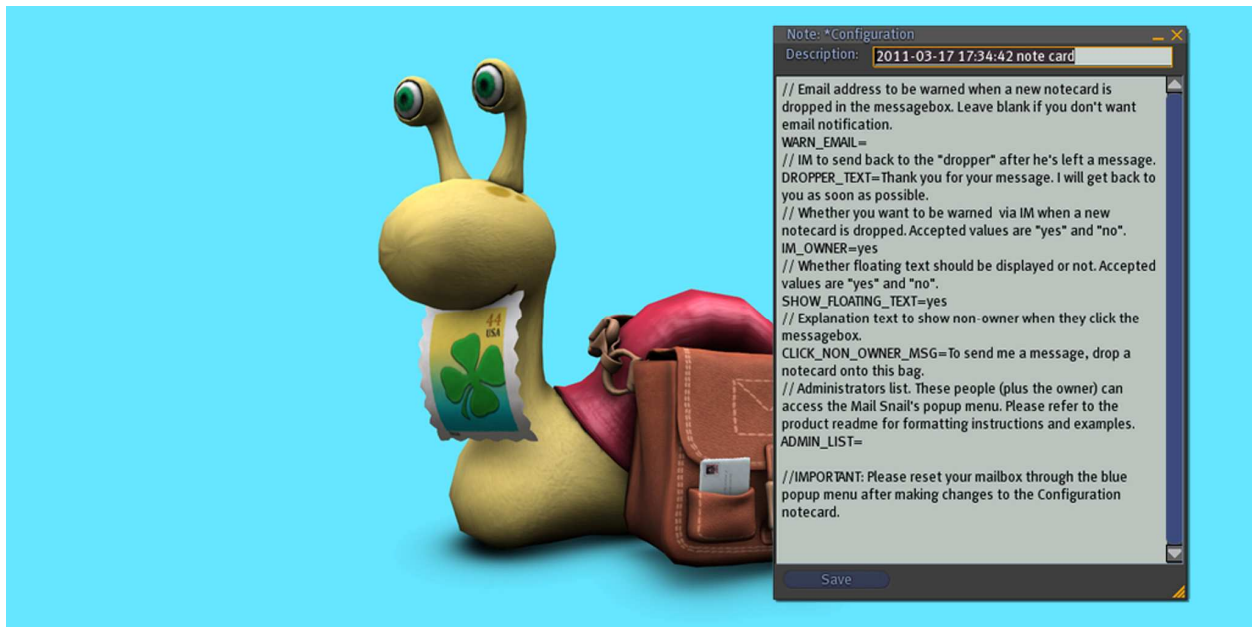
This menu allows you to change the bag's note. There are 5 texture options in total.

Reset

This resets the mailbox. You should always do this after you've made changes to the Configuration notecard!

Configuration Notecard

Access by right clicking on the mailbox, choosing Edit and selecting the Content tab. Double click the *Configuration notecard to open it. Here you can make more advanced changes.



WARN_EMAIL

Input the email address here that you want notified when a new message is dropped. Leave blank if you don't want email notification.

DROPPER_TEXT

Customize the message people see when they drop a note inside the mailbox.

IM_OWNER

Choose whether or not to receive IM notifications of new messages by inputting "yes" or "no" here.

SHOW_FLOATING_TEXT

Choose whether or not floating text is displayed over the mailbox by inputting "yes" or "no" here.

CLICK_NON_OWNER_MSG

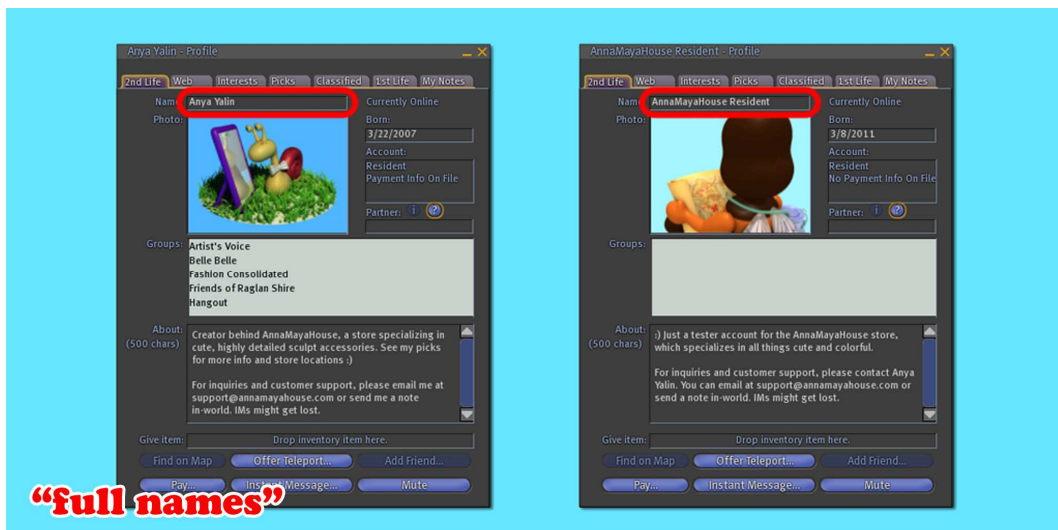
Customize the message people see when left clicking the mailbox.

ADMIN_LIST

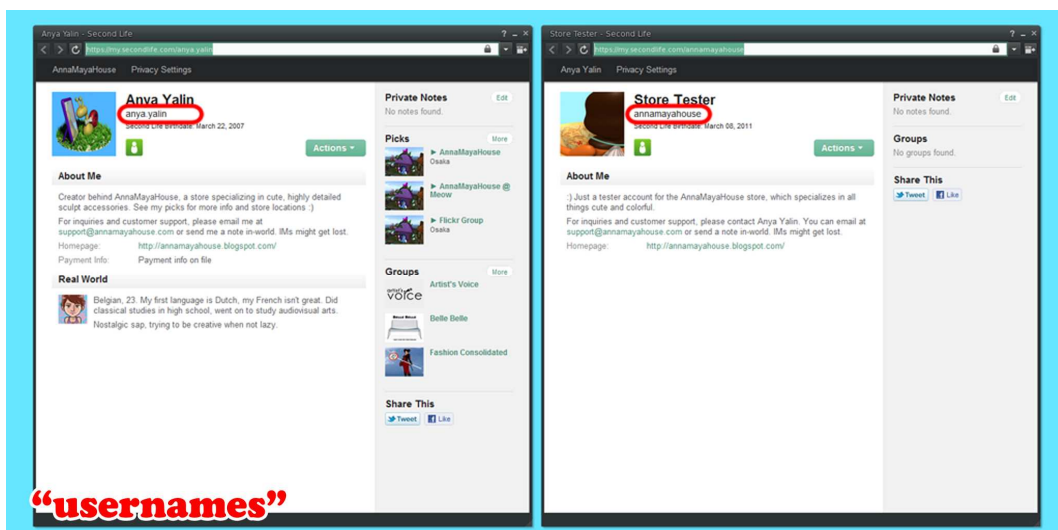
Input names here of people whom you want to have access to your Mail Snail's popup menu. These "admins" can then pick up your mail for you. Once mail is retrieved it's gone from your mailbox, so please only grant this capability to people that you fully trust.

The formatting you'll use for the admin list will depend on the viewer you're running. If you are using Viewer 1.23 or any other viewer that does NOT support display names (changeable names), you will be using "full names". If you are using Viewer 2 or any other viewer that DOES support display names, you will be using "usernames". You can find these names by checking the person's profile through Search or your contact list.

"Full names" in Viewer 1.23



"Usernames" in Viewer 2



The previous pictures show two profiles as they appear in Viewer 1.23 and Viewer 2. You can see that "full names" differ from "usernames", but either of these names will work for the admin list.

Thus your admin list can look like either of the examples below:

Admin list using Viewer 1.23

ADMIN_LIST=Anya Yalin, AnnaMayaHouse Resident

Admin list using Viewer 2

ADMIN_LIST=anya.yalin, annamayahouse

I strongly recommend you follow the method outlined for your particular viewer. "Full names" are case sensitive for instance and Viewer 2 does not allow you to see what case was originally used during name selection. Therefore I do not recommend trying to form "full names" using Viewer 2.

IMPORTANT: As mentioned previously, you should reset the mailbox after altering the Configuration notecard, so the changes will take effect.

Note about updates

- The original version of this mailbox was released on March 29th, 2010.
- Mail Snail was updated to version 1.10 on March 18th, 2011. The update added admin capabilities. There were no bug fixes.
- Updates are free and they are sent out through my product database. Anyone who missed the Mail Snail update can contact me personally to receive v1.10 of their particular color.

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