Bruce Scherzinger (to danie): Hey... got the projector?

danie (to All - Entire Audience): yes

Bruce Scherzinger (to danie): so, when are you going to arrive?

danie (Private): bruce where are yopu

Bruce Scherzinger (to All - Entire Audience): at the library

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): Hi guys, just found Dorothy's invite, sorry for joining you late.

Dorothy Firsching (to All - Entire Audience): hi Sully

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): v. difficult hearing anyone but you and Bruce.

Bruce Scherzinger (to All - Entire Audience): Yeah, I'm probably the biggest bigmouth here.

Bruce Scherzinger (to All - Entire Audience): Others have normal volume voices and we're using Dorothy's computer as the microphone. She's in the front of the room (I'm in the back)

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): RE: the site, TMG has template club with JoomlaBamboo.com, can donate

Bruce Scherzinger (to All - Entire Audience): is it open shopping?

Bruce Scherzinger (to All - Entire Audience): who can donate?

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): Joomla Vulnerable Extensions list:

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): http://docs.joomla.org/Vulnerable_Extensions_List

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): configuration.php can also be set to 444 for security if Super User also has access to directory structure

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): Akeeba Admin Tools--also good to chmod files/directories, and to change the db prefix from default jos_

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): Another big tip: Use apache to hide XML files from the browser

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): Extensions often can be detected & version numbers detected from XML manifests

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): You can always unblock a directory you need viewable for XML. Still, good practice.

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): !!!! Change the db prefix !!!! I fix this every month for some hacked client.

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): for a site using jSecure, see http://magazine.joomla.org/administrator -- redirects back to home page.

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): http://magazine.joomla.org/administrator?baoVe gets admin login

Bruce Scherzinger (to All - Entire Audience): great meeting tonight... popular topic

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): Joomla! Generator tag does not identify release version (i.e., Joomla! 1.5, NOT Joomla! 1.5.8)

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): yes, Admin Tools can randomize that

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): better to Randomize than to just take next sequential ID (eg, don't go from 42 to 43)

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): Default ID for 1.5 = 62, for 1.6 et seq 42

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): we use Roboform for password mgmt/creator

Bruce Scherzinger (to All - Entire Audience): we're watching

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): sweet. thanks!

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): Akeeba Backup Pro can backup to a cloud location and do restore points prior to any install

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): extension install*

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): just an old fashioned htpasswd can be a good feature over sensitve directories, too

Bruce Scherzinger (to All - Entire Audience): yeah, Danie suggested at the minimum protecting the administrator directory that way

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): I prefer the jSecure method, because the end user can change it easier without http

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): grr ftp

Bruce Scherzinger (to All - Entire Audience): Danie says he uses both

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): good plan. You can use Admin Tools to set htpasswd, by the way

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): over Admin directory

Bruce Scherzinger (to All - Entire Audience): nice

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): Repeat that question, Gene?

Bruce Scherzinger (to All - Entire Audience): Gene isn't here. Which question?

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): Can you ???? with Akeeba Backup?

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): sorry, thought that was his voice.

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): AWESOME point-- eXtplorer is practically a red carpet to hacking

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): A lot of indian firms use it

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): that way they do not have to train their people on use of FTP or set up symlinks

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): it's great for developing a site but it HAS to come out.

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): JeffChannell.com

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): HiddenJoomlaSecrets presentation by the One True Brian

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): AkeebaBackup's site

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): all of those have great resources

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): Oh!!! Biggie--change the email from author to site in global config

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): otherwise you are providing a live email address for each user who contributes an article

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): I typically do something like no-reply@sitename.com for a site email

Sully Sullivan (to All - Entire Audience): this can be exploited with some RSS readers