

## Re: Set your system clock

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On Sun, 2005-02-13 at 16:53 -0600, John Hasler wrote:

> *Ron Johnson writes:*

> > *Your ISP probably has an NTP server. Because of it's proximity to you,*  
> > *that's the recommended path.*

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> *However, it's unlikely that anyone you can communicate with at your ISP*  
> *will have the foggiest idea what NTP is. ISP's often run an NTP server on*  
> *their nameservers and that's worth a try, but there's no way to tell for*  
> *sure where they've put it.*

Try: `ntp.<yourisp>.*`

The one I use is `ntp.cox.net`.

> > *Things like pool.ntp.org and tick.usno.navy.mil work just as well,*  
> > *though.*

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> *Better to use pool.ntp.org. It's intended for general public use. As the*  
> *name implies, it's a pool of servers. See the Web site for details.*

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The enemy thinks and plans and strategizes, too.

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