

Re: fstab and LABEL=

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----- Ric Moore <wayward4now@xxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

On Sun, 2006-10-22 at 15:51 +0930, Tim wrote:

James Wilkinson:

Please note that /dev/hdx device names are going away in the future -- even parallel ATA disks (IDE) will be called /dev/sdx. When this happens, references to /dev/hdx in grub config files or /etc/fstab will break.

Tim:

This seems to be a MONUMENTALLY STUPID thing to do. [snip]

Jay Cliburn:

You should direct your complaint to the kernel developers. That's where

this

change comes from.

While I might, eventually (depending on getting myself organised, figuring out how and where to do it, and checking that someone else

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hasn't already said the same thing, etc.). This was the first place that I heard that plan, so I replied in the same arena. And as others will say, it gives a chance for the thoughts to be mulled over before making a bug report.

That makes a lot more sense than 20 of us half-witters whining at developers, when one articulate envoy could be nominated from us, the rank & filers in the cheap seats, to present a reasonable, informed and defined question. Answers are easy to come by, once you phrase the question correctly. That's why I would make the case, as Tim does, that this is the correct place (I would add necessary place) to air a problem before doing the Don Quixote thing and go tilt at the Big Dev's. I think they would appreciate that approach. It shows a little courtesy.

If I had their skills, I couldn't do their job. Way too much Fear & Loathing of the approach of the unworthy, yammering with gravel in their mouth. I'd have to find a Shiny R