

The Bub Hub iPhone App

Overview

The Bub Hub iPhone App allows Bub Hub forum members to use the forum on their iPhone through a native app. The App is available at the App Store in iTunes.

Most features of the regular forum are available for use.


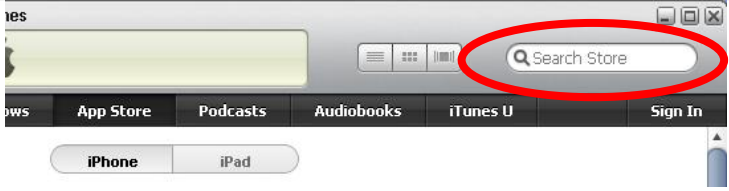
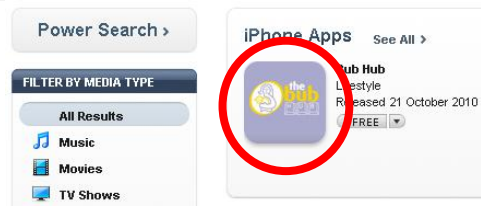

Some features are not available, including

- Tickers
- Signatures

This is The Bub Hub's first iPhone app ever. If you find any bugs, please let us know.



How to download The Bub Hub App to your iTunes

<p>Open iTunes on your PC / Mac.</p>	
<p>Click on Store > iTunes Store.</p>	
<p>Search the Store for 'Bub Hub' – enter 'Bub Hub' in the search field, and press <i>Enter</i>.</p>	
<p>The Bub Hub App should appear in the search results. Click the Bub Hub icon.</p>	
<p>Click the 'Free App' button.</p>	
<p>Log in with your Apple ID and password. Or you will have to create a new account if you don't have an Apple Account already. This is a free app.</p>	

The Bub Hub App will download to your iTunes. A 'Downloads' icon will appear while this process occurs. It should take approximately 10 seconds.



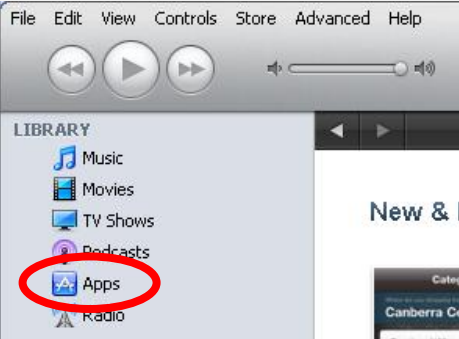

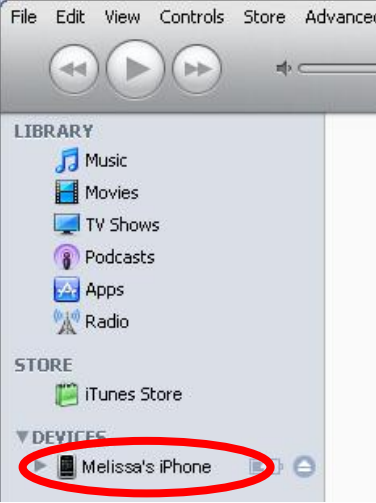
Once the download is complete, The Bub Hub App will be available in your Apps Library. To open your Apps Library, click the 'Apps' button on the left.



Make sure you can see The Bub Hub App. If not, delete The Bub Hub App from your Apps Library and go through the instructions again.



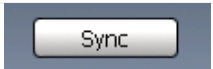
How to install The Bub Hub Iphone App on to your iPhone

<p>To do this you need to have installed the App (see the instructions above for how to do this.)</p>	
<p>Open your apps library in iTunes by clicking the 'Apps' button on the left.</p>	
<p>Make sure you can see the Bub Hub App. If not, you may have to do the steps above, in 'How to download The Bub Hub App to your iTunes'.</p>	
<p>View your iPhone's apps by clicking your phone menu item in the 'Devices' menu.</p>	

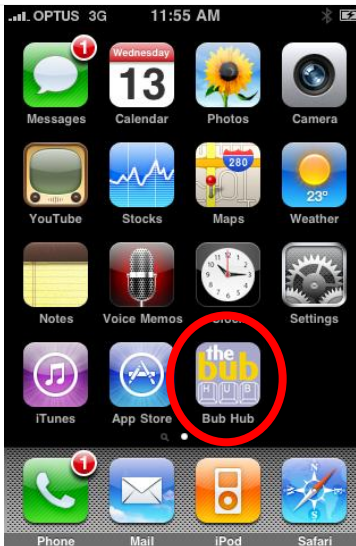
You should see two columns, with the Bub Hub App on the left, and the apps on your phone on the right.



Click 'Sync' in the bottom right hand corner. This will sync the apps in your library to your phone (thereby adding the Bub Hub App to your phone.)



Look at your iPhone. You should see the Bub Hub App icon in the app list. If you can't see it, try scrolling to the other app screens. If you still can't see it, try repeating this process.



Using The Bub Hub Iphone App – The Basics

Click the Bub Hub App icon in your app list on your iPhone.



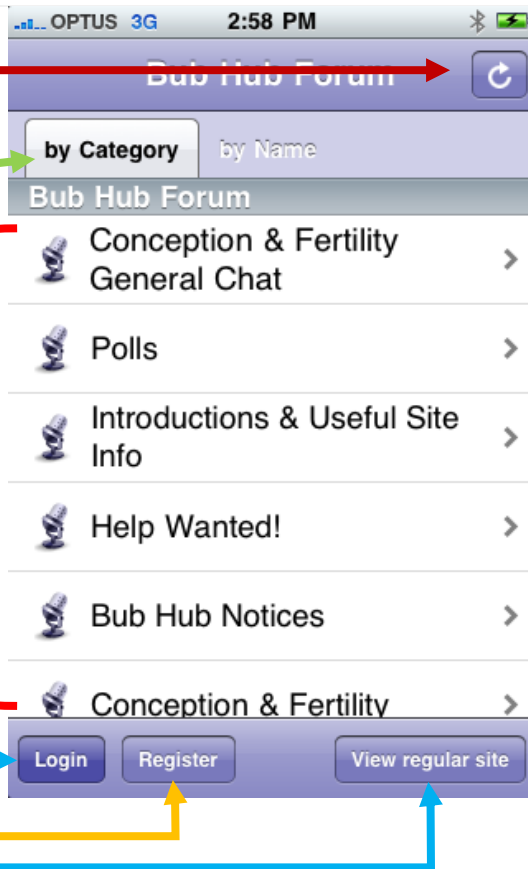
Your next screen will be the loading screen. If this is the first time loading the app, it may take up to 20 seconds.



Your next screen will be the forum.

The main buttons are

- Refresh the page
- Sort by Category or by Name
- Open a forum section
- Login using your forum member login
- Register on the forum (for first time users)
- View the regular site in Safari



Click one of the forums to open it and see the subforums.
See more content by scrolling – drag the forum list upwards or downwards.

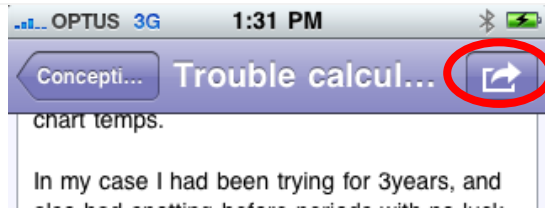
You can go back to the previous screen by clicking the back arrow button in the top left.



If you go all the way through the sub-forums, you'll end up at the thread list. Clicking the top right arrow Allows you to either refresh the page or add a new thread.

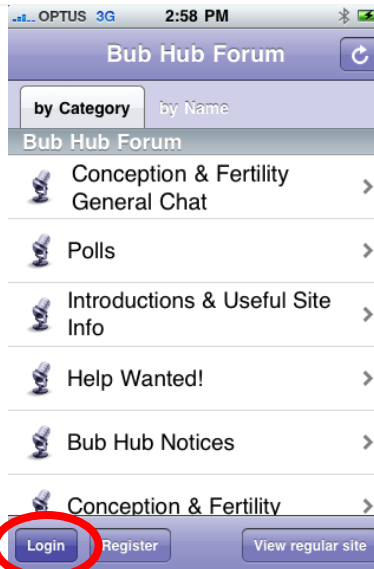


If you open a thread you can reply or subscribe, by pressing the top right arrow.

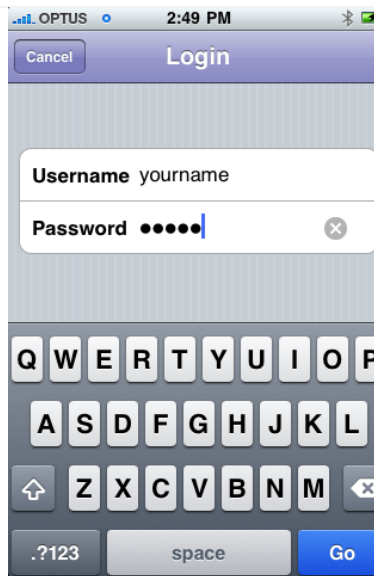


Using The Bub Hub Iphone App – Logging In

Click the Login button at the bottom left.

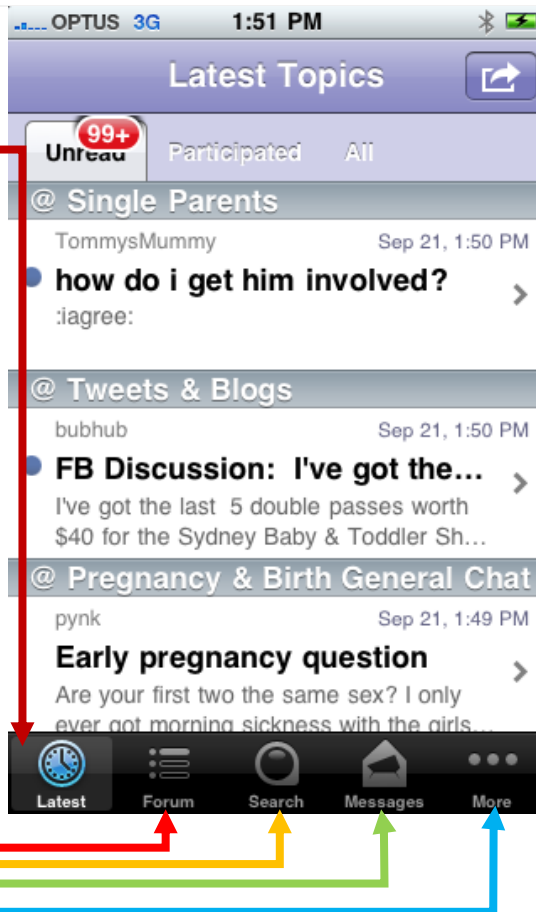


Enter your username and password, then press 'Go' in the bottom right.



When logged in, a special user menu appears at the bottom of the screen. The options here are

- 'Latest' - Lists the latest posts which is similar to 'New Posts' on the regular site.
- 'Forum' - Lists the top level forums
- 'Search' - Search the forums
- 'Messages' - Send and read your private messages
- 'More' - Allows you to access extra features – favorites, profile, statistics, settings, directory, reviews and articles



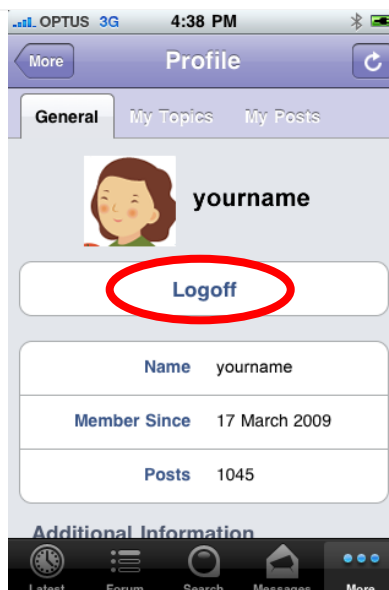
Logging Out

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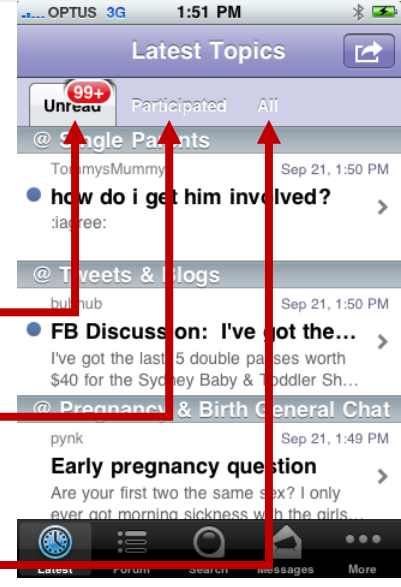
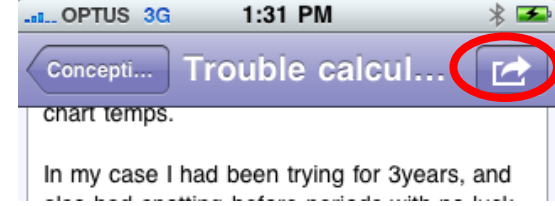

To log out -

Click 'More' > 'Profile'

Click the 'Logoff' button.



Using The Bub Hub Iphone App – Common Tasks

<p>Latest Topics - New Posts and Threads</p> <p>When you first log in, you see the 'Latest Topics' view.</p> <p>The tabs listed at the top sort the latest topics –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 'Unread' – This lists the latest posts which you haven't read. • 'Participated' – This lists the latest posts on threads which you've subscribed. • 'All' – This lists all the most recent posts, regardless of whether you've read them or subscribed to them. 	
<p>Replying to a post</p> <p>If you open a thread you can reply or subscribe, by pressing the top right arrow.</p>	
<p>Quoting a post</p> <p>Click the post you want to quote. This will show a 'quote' button.</p> <p>Click this quote button to reply to this post with that post quoted.</p>	

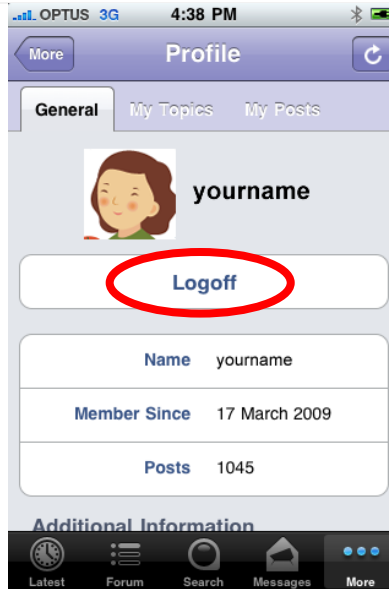
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BUT THAT MEANS THAT ANYBODY USING YOUR PHONE WHO OPENS THE APP CAN POST AS IF THEY WERE YOU - OR READ YOUR PMS, ETC

WE SUGGEST LOGGING OUT EACH TIME.

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Click the 'Logoff' button.



The 'More' button

Clicking 'More' gives me these options –

- 'Favorites' – These are your subscribed threads.
If you'd like to delete one, press the 'Edit' button in the top right. This will add 'delete' icons to each thread. If you press the icon, it will remove that thread from the subscribed thread list. Press 'More' again to go back.
- 'Profile' – This lists ..
 - your profile details,
 - 'my topics' - threads you started
 - 'my posts' – posts you made
- 'Statistics' – How many members are online, total posts etc
- 'Settings' – Your Bub Hub App settings. Here you can change if links open in Safari or the app, display of avatars and signatures, etc
- 'Directory', 'Articles' and



<p>'Reviews' – open other sections of the website, similar to the mobile browser-based version of the site.</p>	
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