

ANTF VIDEON X

USER MANUAL

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KNOWN ISSUE(S)

As of the release of Videon X 2.2, there is only 1 known intermittent issue that will not stop the app from working but may pose a minor annoyance to some users. The issue only impacts machines with Intel processors. The issue has not been found in AMD as of yet.

On initial setup, when choosing a profile/creating a profile, it may freeze up for a few moments. It will eventually unfreeze, and resume operation and never do it again. This issue is being researched.

If you should encounter other issues, let us know about them either through the feedback tool in the settings menu, or by emailing us at support@antfcorp.com



BEFORE USING VIDEON X

INSTALL 3RD PARTY SOFTWARE

To ensure proper functionality, Videon needs the latest version of the Google Chrome web browser and VLC media player installed on the target machine. It is recommended to disable VLC automatic update checking as this can ruin the flow of the transition from Videon to movie down the road. In addition; if the target machine does not have .Net 5 runtime, it will need it.

Below are download links to the following 3rd Party Software



[Chrome](#)



[VLC](#)



[.Net 5 Runtime \(x86/64\) \(recommended to install both\)](#)

Important Note: For best experience, we advise disabling Automatic Updates in VLC as the popup window can detract from the user experience. To do this, open VLC, then to Tools > Preferences, and then make sure “Activate Updates Notifier” is unchecked. You can then close the dialog window and close VLC.

FILE DIRECTORY SETUP

On the device that contains the media files. The media files should be grouped in the following ways in order for Videon X to work. The entire folder structure must exist within the following structure:

Drive Letter:\Some path ...\Movies and Shows

Then, within the “Movies and Shows” folder, create two other folders. “Movies” and “TV Shows” (Spelling/Capitals Count)

Note: If the data resides on a NAS, it is recommended to create another folder which you can name as anything to store the Database if you wish to globally share the instance on the network. (*This is optional*)

Within the “Movies” folder, it is recommended, though not required to add the following folders to sort your media collection. Move the appropriate files to the appropriate “Genre” folders. You can create your own Genres and have as many as you want.

- *Action*
- *Adventure & Fantasy*
- *Anime*
- *Comedy*
- *Crime & Gangster*
- *Documentary*
- *Drama & Thriller*
- *Family & Animation*
- *Foreign*
- *Holidays*
- *Horror*
- *Musical*
- *Romance*
- *Sci-Fi*
- *Stand up comedy*
- *Superhero*
- *Western*

TV Shows do not require “Genres” but should be organized as follows: Outer folder should be the name of the show/series followed by the year wrapped in parens. For example “Scooby Doo (1969)”. Then inside that folder add season folders such as “Season 1”, “Season 2”, and place media in the appropriate season folders.

FILE CONVENTIONS

Movie files should all be named in the following way to allow the Auto media mapper to work.

Media title [space] (Year)

For Example “Argo (2012)”

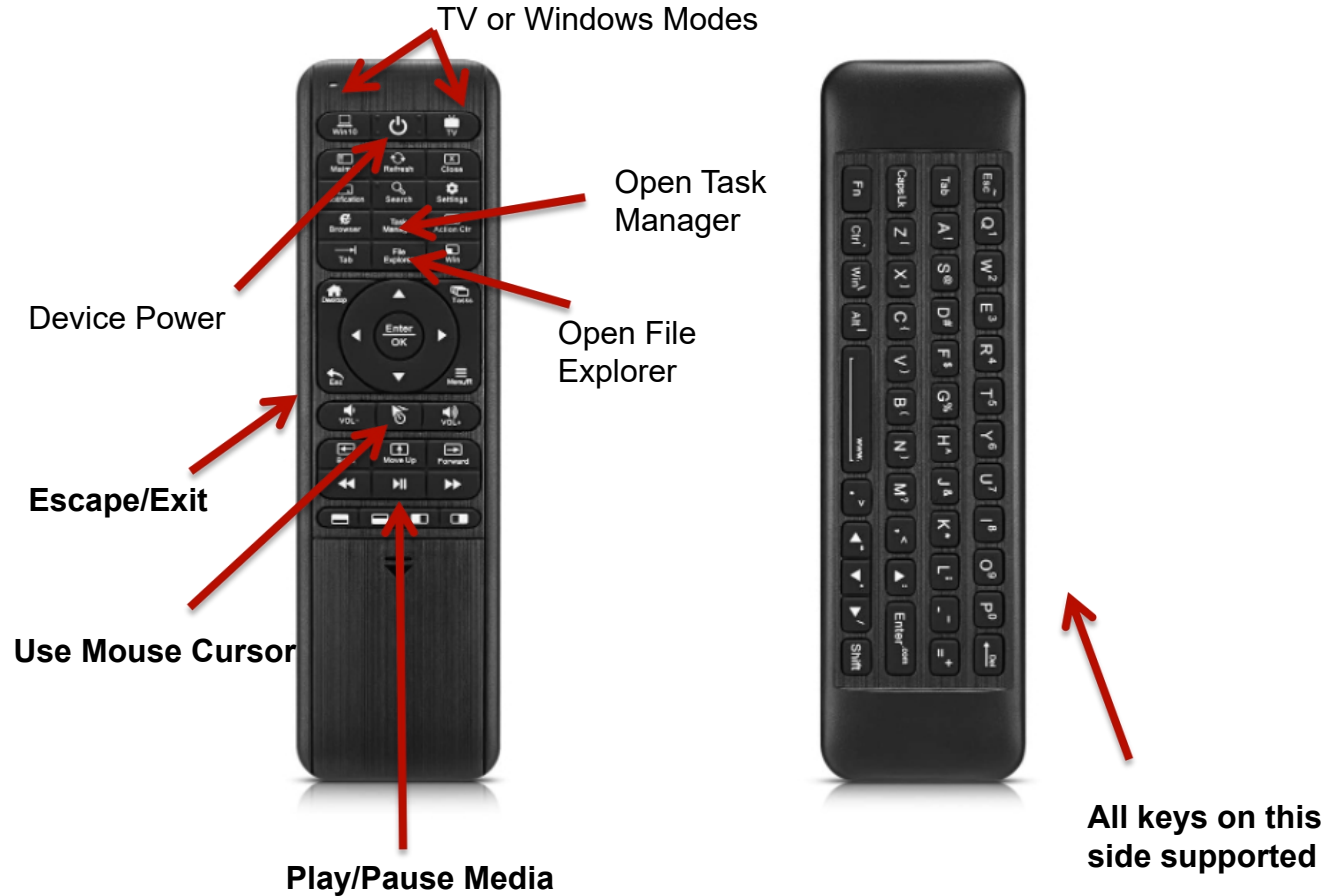
This is a tedious task, but it will ensure the best quality interaction with Videon. It also helps keep the media library very organized. The Title and the year are required to allow the media API to find the appropriate information about the movie/show.

Show's are similar except the “Media title [space] (Year)” apply to the outer folder only

Example:



REMOTE INFORMATION

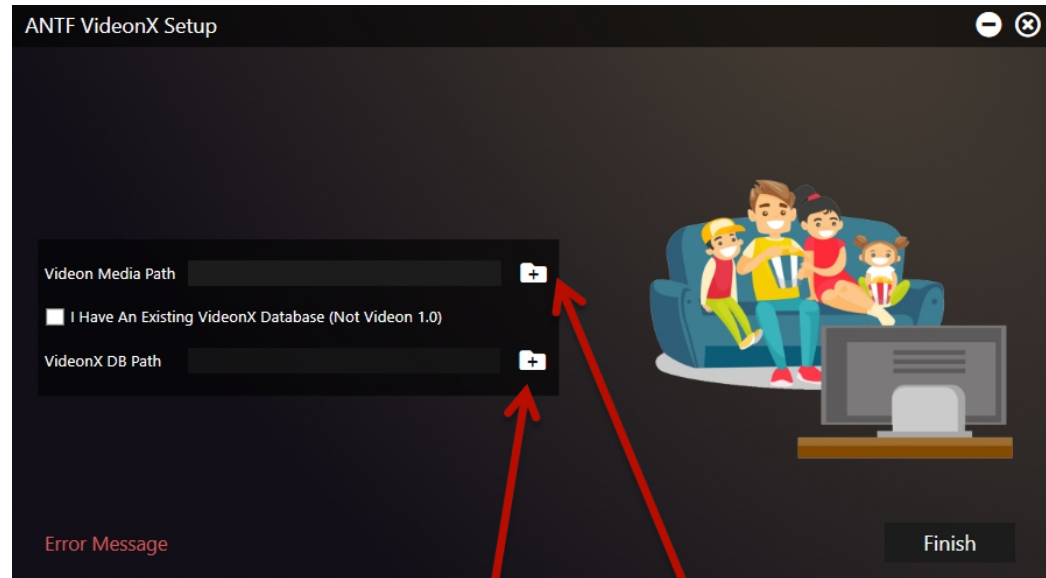


Look for this symbol in the manual. This symbol indicates the remote control/certain features like ESC can be used here

VideonX mostly supports the Pepper Jobs Brand W-10 Gyro remote for media center operation.

SETUP & ACCOUNTS

INITIAL SETUP

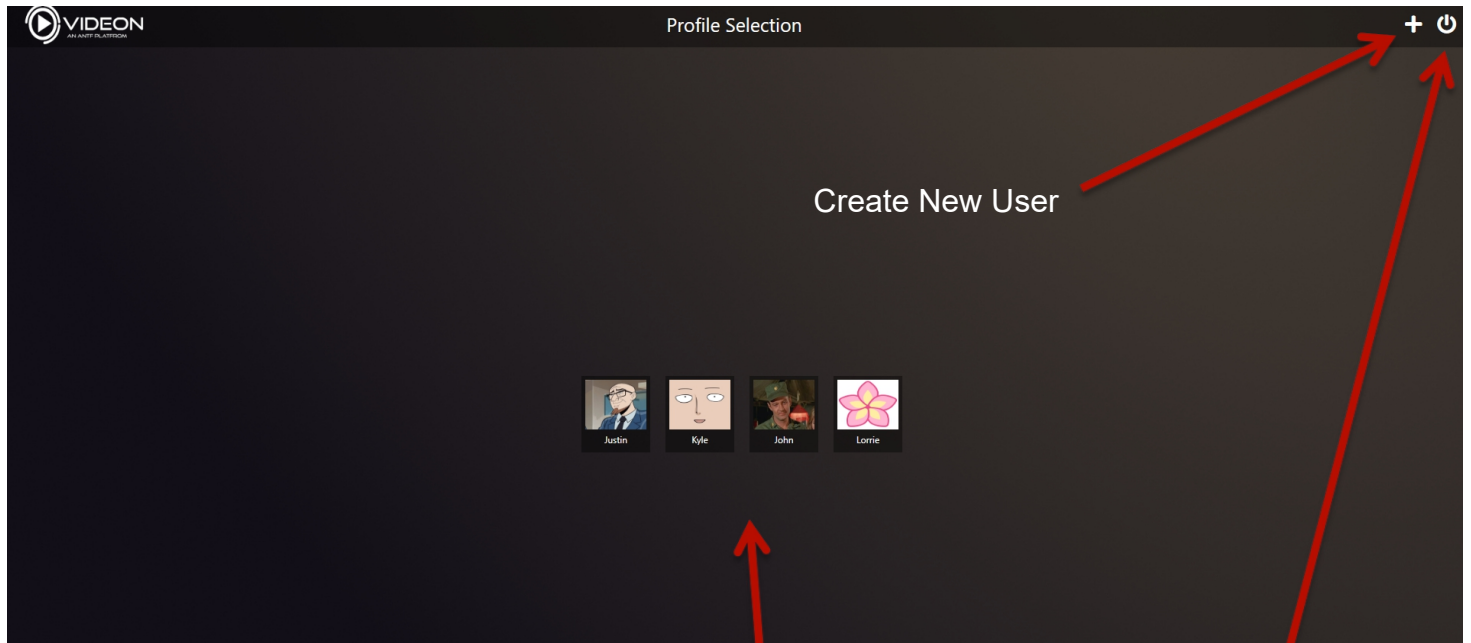


If any issues happen, a message will be displayed here

If you already have an existing VideonX DB (like say on a NAS), you can select it. You can do this later in settings as well

Choose where the movie resource folder (mentioned earlier) is stored. Remember.. it should be path...\Movies and Shows

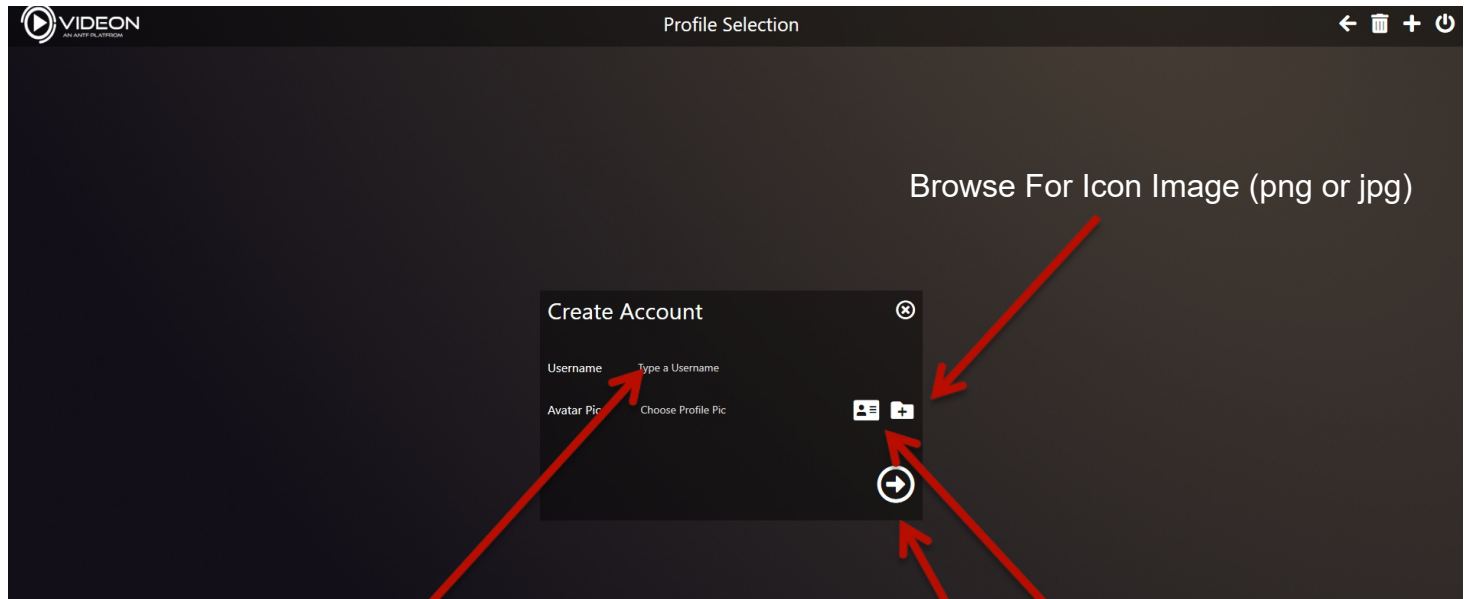
LOGGING IN



Click Profile to sign in as that account

Close/Shutdown App/PC

CREATE NEW USER



Browse For Icon Image (png or jpg)

Create Account

Username

Type a Username

Avatar Pic

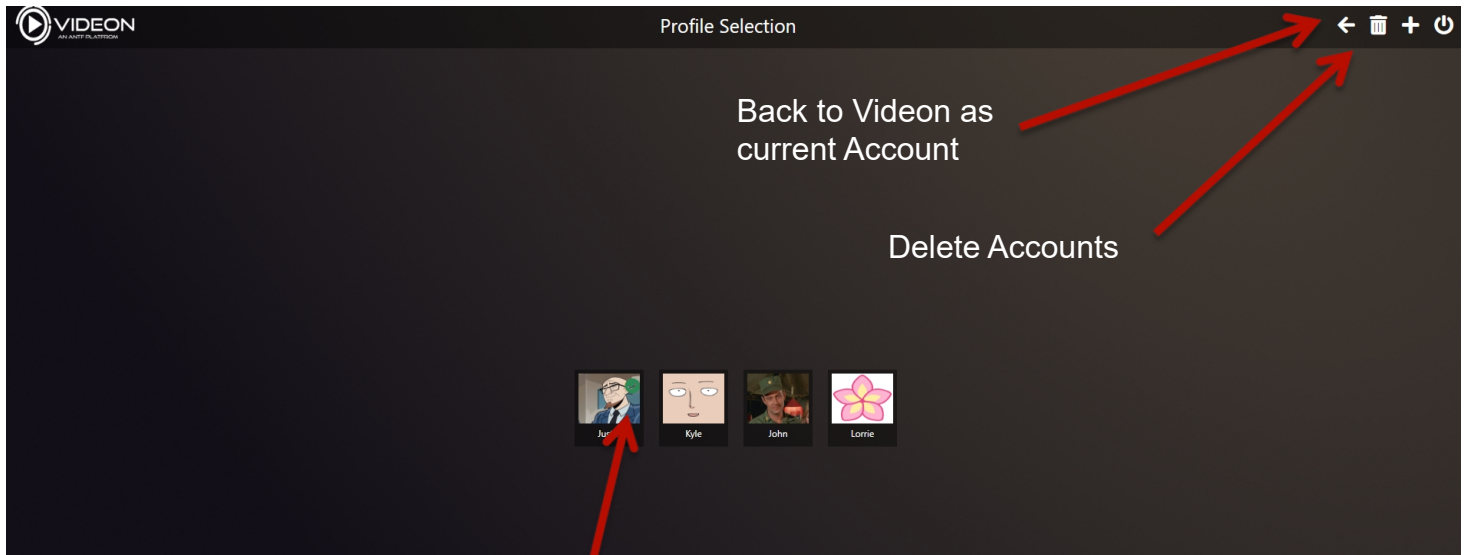
Choose Profile Pic

Account Username (10
Character Limit)

Choose Default Icon if you
cannot supply one

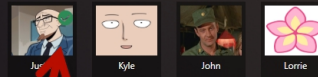
Create Account

SWITCHING ACCOUNTS



Back to Videon as current Account

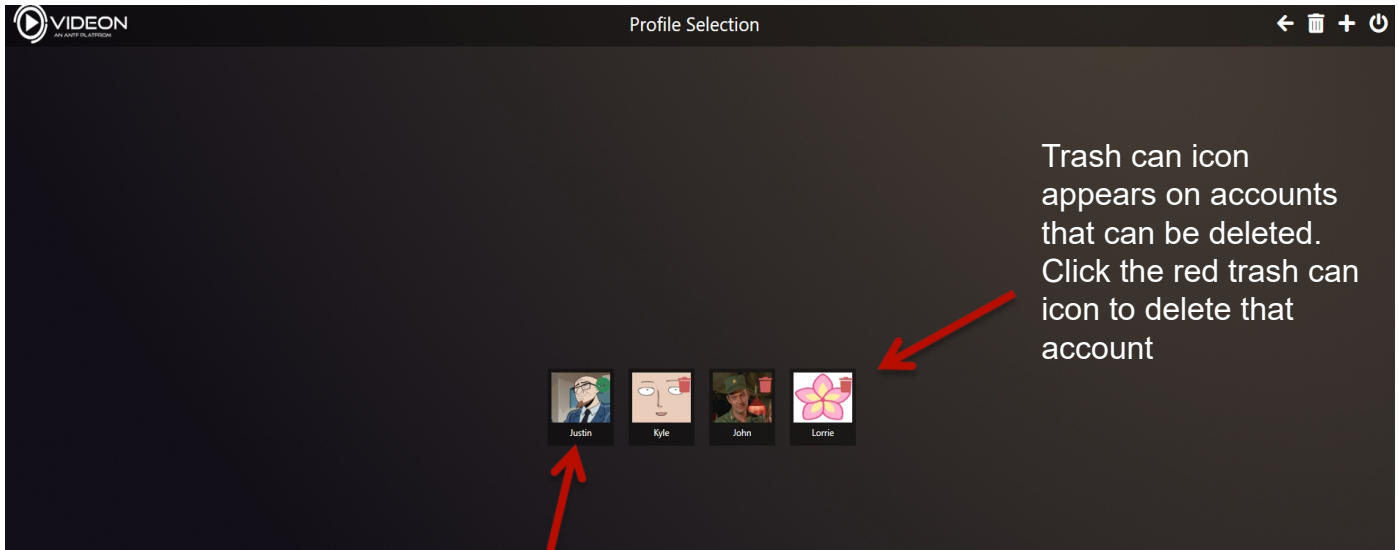
Delete Accounts



Click another account to sign in as that account instead

Green Checkmark indicates User that is currently signed in on this machine

DELETE ACCOUNTS

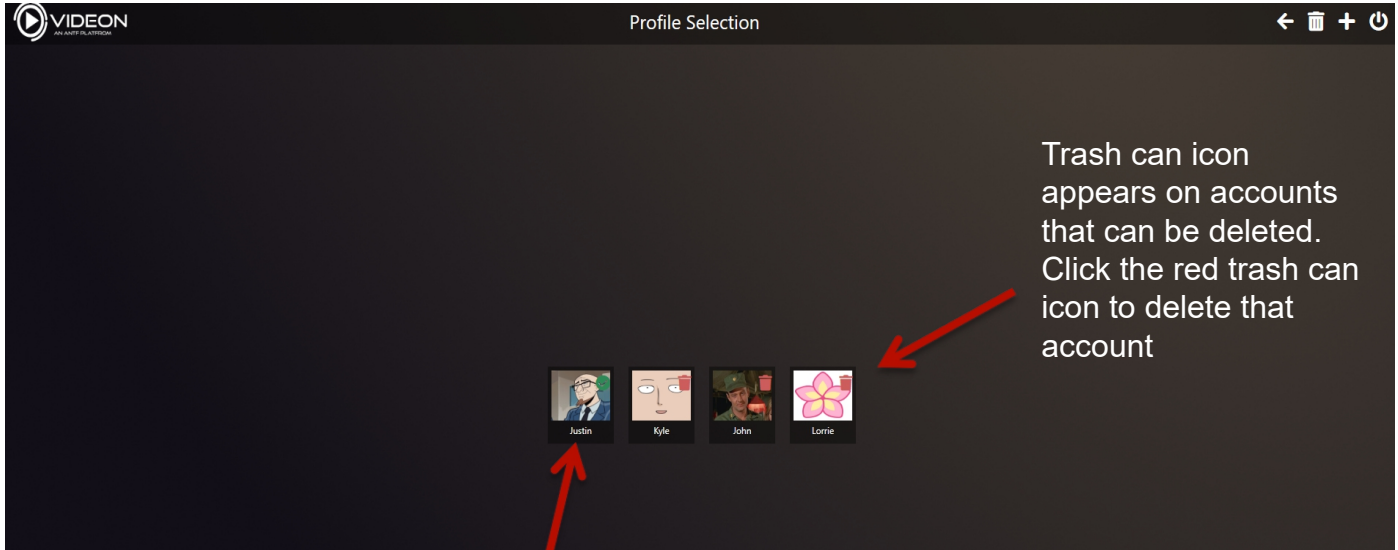


Trash can icon appears on accounts that can be deleted. Click the red trash can icon to delete that account

Note: Clicking the trash can icon at the top of the screen toggles account deletion.

Note: Account that is signed in cannot be deleted. You must sign out of that account to delete it

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EXPLORING VIDEON X

VIDEON X SIDEBAR

Indicates what option is selected



Newer Releases - Media with release dates within last 2 years

My History - Movies and Shows you have watched so you can go back and find them

TV Shows - Media with Seasons/Episodes

Videon Trending - Aggregate of favorites and watched movies across all users on the device.

Movies by Genre - Choose Genre/Category of Movie

My Favorites - Movies and Shows you have bookmarked as favorites to refer to again.

Streaming Services - Quick launch applets to a selected streaming provider such as Netflix.

Recommended Flicks - Movies and Shows suggested for you to watch by other users on the Device.



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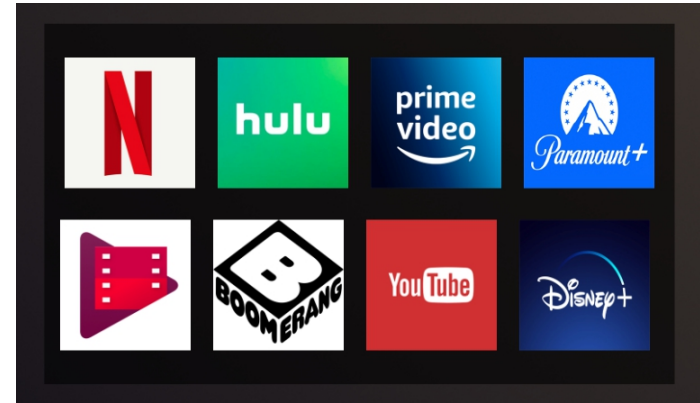
Streaming Services

Recommended Flicks

STREAMING SERVICES

The following streaming apps are supported by Videon:

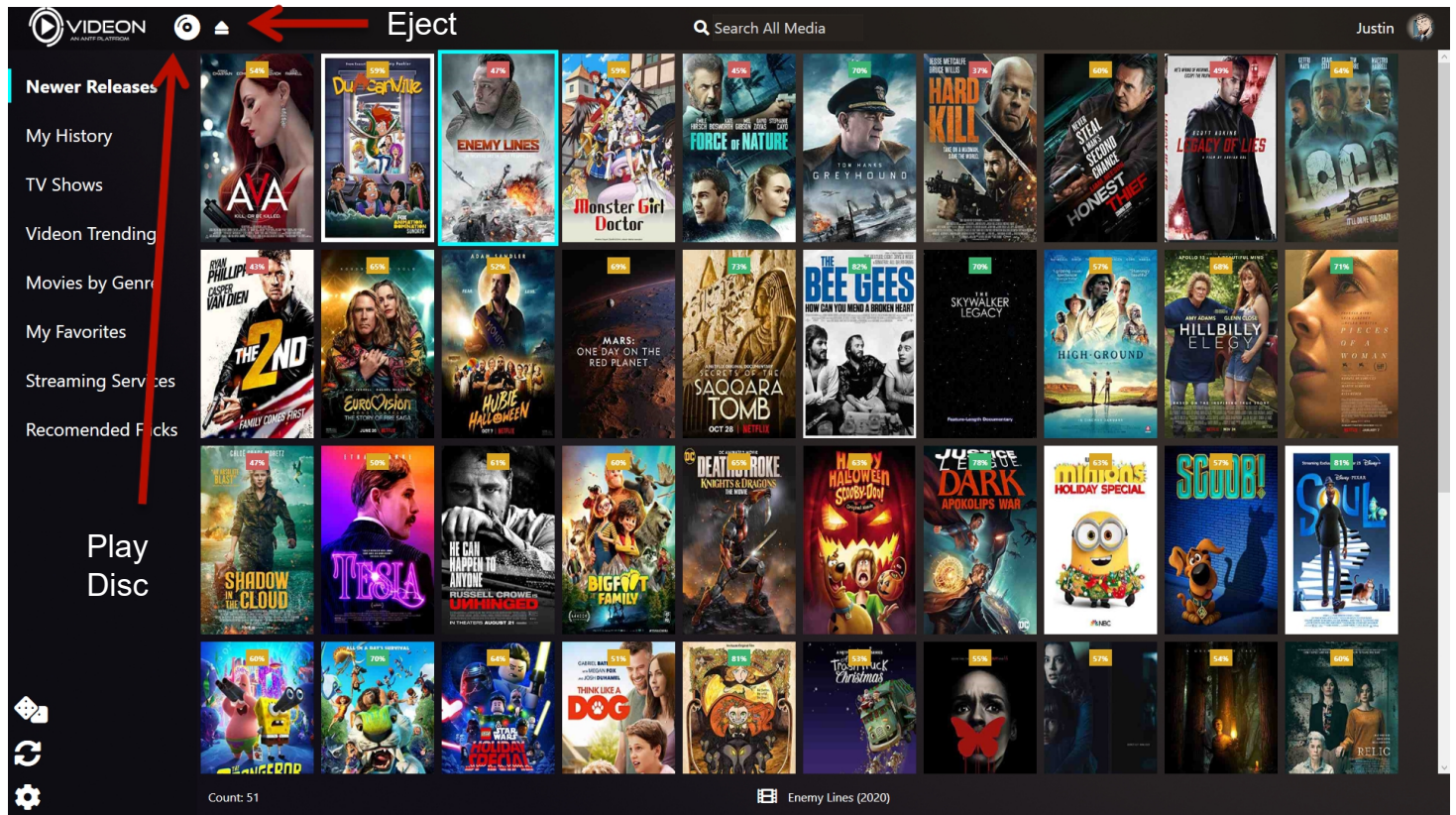
- Netflix
- Hulu
- Prime Video
- Paramount + (Formerly CBS All Access)
- Google Movies/Shows
- Boomerang Classic Cartoons
- YouTube
- Disney+



Videon utilizes Google Chrome on the device to launch these applets. Videon sync's Chrome with the ability to navigate and Exit the Browser when you want to return to Videon. While you can use any browser other than Chrome for launching the apps and navigating, the auto-close feature will not work with any browser other than Chrome at this time.



DVD SUPPORT BETA



When a Disc is inserted, it takes about 10 seconds for Videon to recognize it. When it does a disc icon will appear in the top left. If you click the disc, it will take you to a menu to play the DVD. If you press the Eject icon, the disc will be ejected and the icons will no longer show at the top until another disc is inserted. The remote can be used during playback. BETA means that this feature is not fully supported.


PLAYING MEDIA

PLAY MEDIA (MOVIE)

← Greyhound ↗

← Back to media listings

Share with other Videon User (on same Device) ↗



Several months after the U.S. entry into World War II, an inexperienced U.S. Navy commander must lead an Allied convoy being stalked by a German submarine wolf pack.

Year: 2020
Runtime: 91 min
Rated: PG-13
Actors: Tom Hanks, Elisabeth Shue, Stephen Graham, Matt Helm

Click to play media

Indicates if you have seen the media before ↘

▶ ↘

Toggle media as Favorite or not. ↘

🔔 You have watched this 6 times before!

IMDb 70% ★



PLAY MEDIA (SHOW)

The screenshot shows a video player interface for the TV show "The Nanny". The interface is dark-themed with white text. At the top, the title "The Nanny" is displayed. Below the title, there are two main sections: a "Seasons" list on the left and a "Go Back to Season List" section in the center. The "Seasons" list includes Season 1 through Season 6, with Season 6 selected. The "Go Back to Season List" section displays a list of 22 episodes, with "Personal Business" selected. To the right of the episode list is a poster for "The Complete Series" featuring Fran Drescher. Further right, there is a description of the show, its year (1993), runtime (22 min), rating (TV-PG), and actors (Fran Drescher, Charles Shaughnessy, Daniel Davis, Lauren Lane). At the bottom right, there is a "Toggle media as Favorite or not." option with a star icon. Red arrows point to several UI elements: a back arrow at the top left, a share icon at the top right, a back arrow in the "Seasons" list, a share icon in the "Go Back to Season List" section, a back arrow above the episode list, a share icon above the show description, and a star icon at the bottom right.

← Back to media listings

Season 1
Season 2
Season 3
Season 4
Season 5
Season 6

Seasons

← Go Back to Season List

1 The Pilot
10 The Nanny-In-Law
11 A Plot for Nanny
12 The Show Must Go On
13 Maggie The Model
14 The Family Plumbing
15 Deep Throat
16 Schleppe Away
17 Stop The Wedding I Want to Get Off
18 Sunday in the Park with Fran
19 The Gym Teacher
2 Smoke Gets In your Lies
20 Ode to Barbara Joan (Daddy Dearest)
21 Frankie's Choice
22 I Don't Remember Mama
3 My Fair Nanny
4 The Nuchslap
5 Here Comes The Brood
6 The Butler, The Husband The Wife and
7 Imaginary Friend
8 Christmas Episode
9 Personal Business

The Nanny

Share with other Videon User (on same Device)

After being fired from her job and dumped by her boyfriend, a cosmetics saleswoman becomes the nanny to the three children of a rich English widower. As time passes, the two fall for each other.

Year: 1993
Runtime: 22 min
Rated: TV-PG
Actors: Fran Drescher, Charles Shaughnessy, Daniel Davis, Lauren Lane

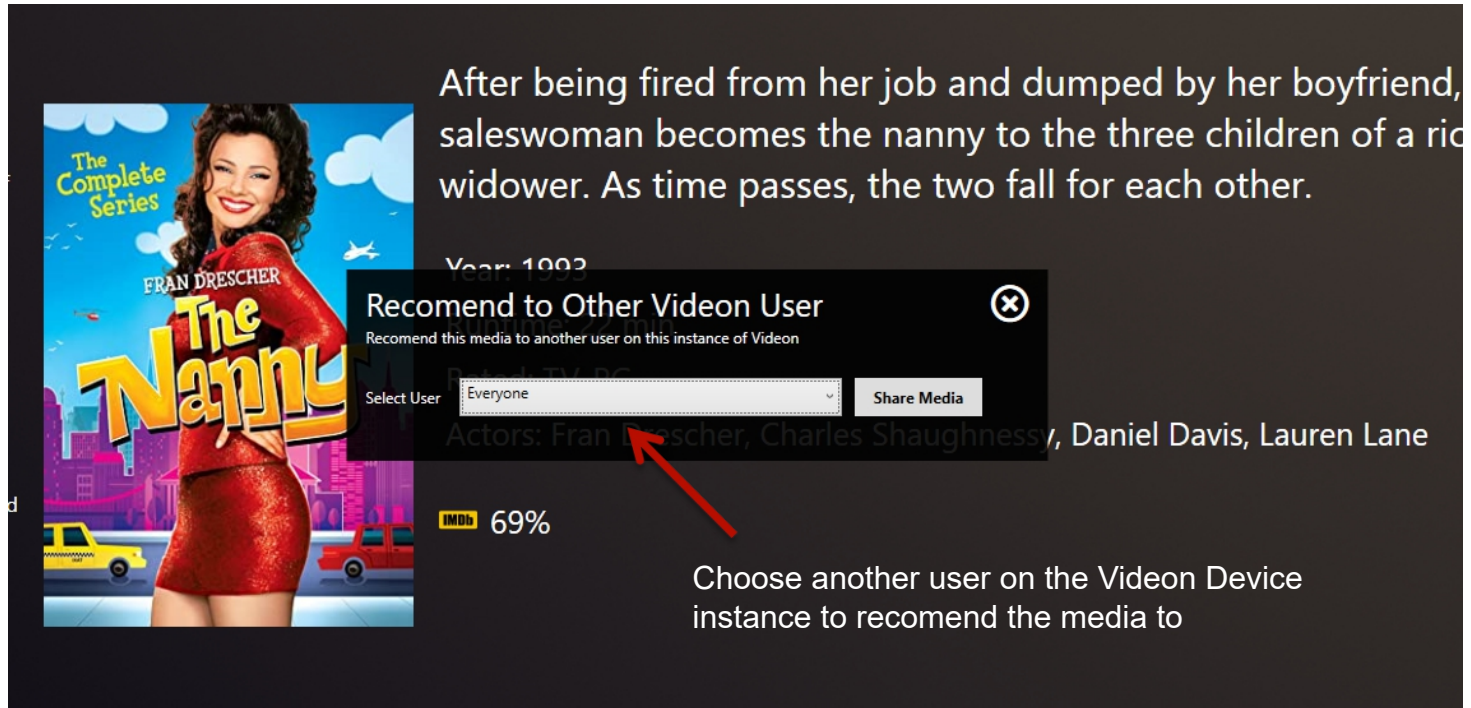
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Toggle media as Favorite or not.

Episodes



SHARE MEDIA



After being fired from her job and dumped by her boyfriend, saleswoman becomes the nanny to the three children of a rich widower. As time passes, the two fall for each other.

Year: 1993

Actors: Fran Drescher, Charles Shaughnessy, Daniel Davis, Lauren Lane

IMDb 69%

Recommend to Other Videon User (Close icon)

Recommend this media to another user on this instance of Videon

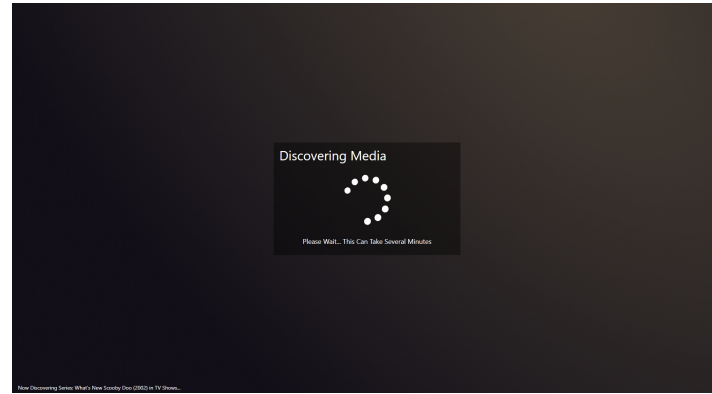
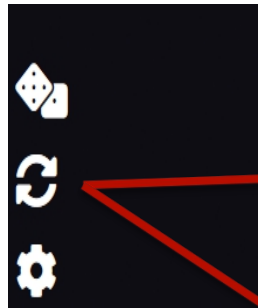
Select User:

Choose another user on the Videon Device instance to recommend the media to

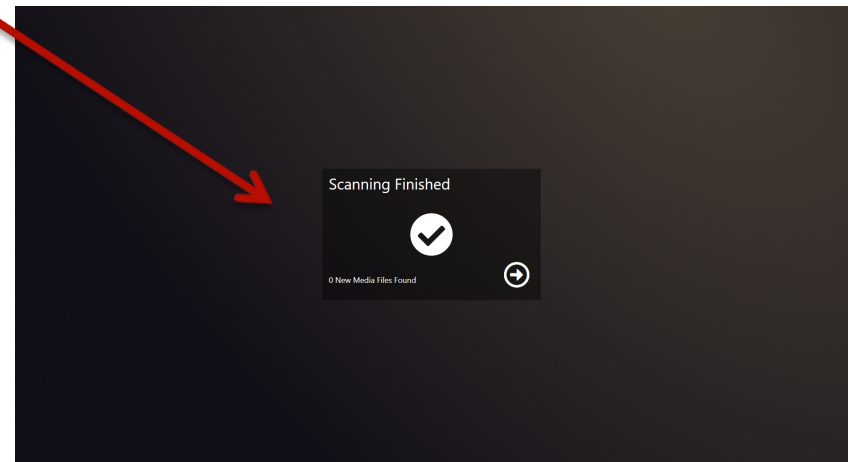
Videon Allows you to recommend a title to another user on the same device to watch. You can also recommend to all other users. A recommended media title will stay in Recommendations until the media is watched.

ADDING MEDIA AND MEDIA CORRECTION

SYNCING NEW CONTENT



Note: If you choose to ignore media correction, you can still watch the media, but no meta data will be present.



To Scan/add new media, click the circular arrow icon on the left sidebar. A new screen will appear that searches for new media added to the Videon instance. Upon completion a message will be displayed with a button to return to Videon. If there were any media items that the API resolver could not find/or if the API resolver was unavailable, a message would appear at the bottom asking you to correct this media. You can choose to ignore the message and return to Videon.

MEDIA CORRECTION

The screenshot displays a media management application interface. On the left, a list of media records is shown, including titles like 'family Guy- Blue Harvest.mp4' and 'Joker's Millions.mp4'. A search bar is at the top left. A red arrow points to the search bar with the label 'Search Media Records'. Another red arrow points to the list of records with the label 'Media Records'. At the bottom left, a refresh icon and a path are visible, with a red arrow pointing to the refresh icon and the label 'Refresh Media Records List'. On the right, a detailed edit form for 'Joker's Millions' is shown, featuring fields for Title, Year, Release Date, Runtime, Genre, Director, Actors, Plot/Summary, Media Poster, Rotten Tomatoes Score, Metacritic Score, and IMDb Score. A 'No Cover Image' placeholder and a 'Save Changes' button are also present. A red arrow points to the 'Auto Find' button with the label 'This Form allows you to correct details about the selected media record item. To use the autofind button you must at least supply a title and a year'. Another red arrow points to the 'Filter Media' and 'Broken Media' tabs at the top right with the label 'Choose between editing any media cord, or only the broken ones. (Broken being media without Metadata)'.

Refresh Media Records List

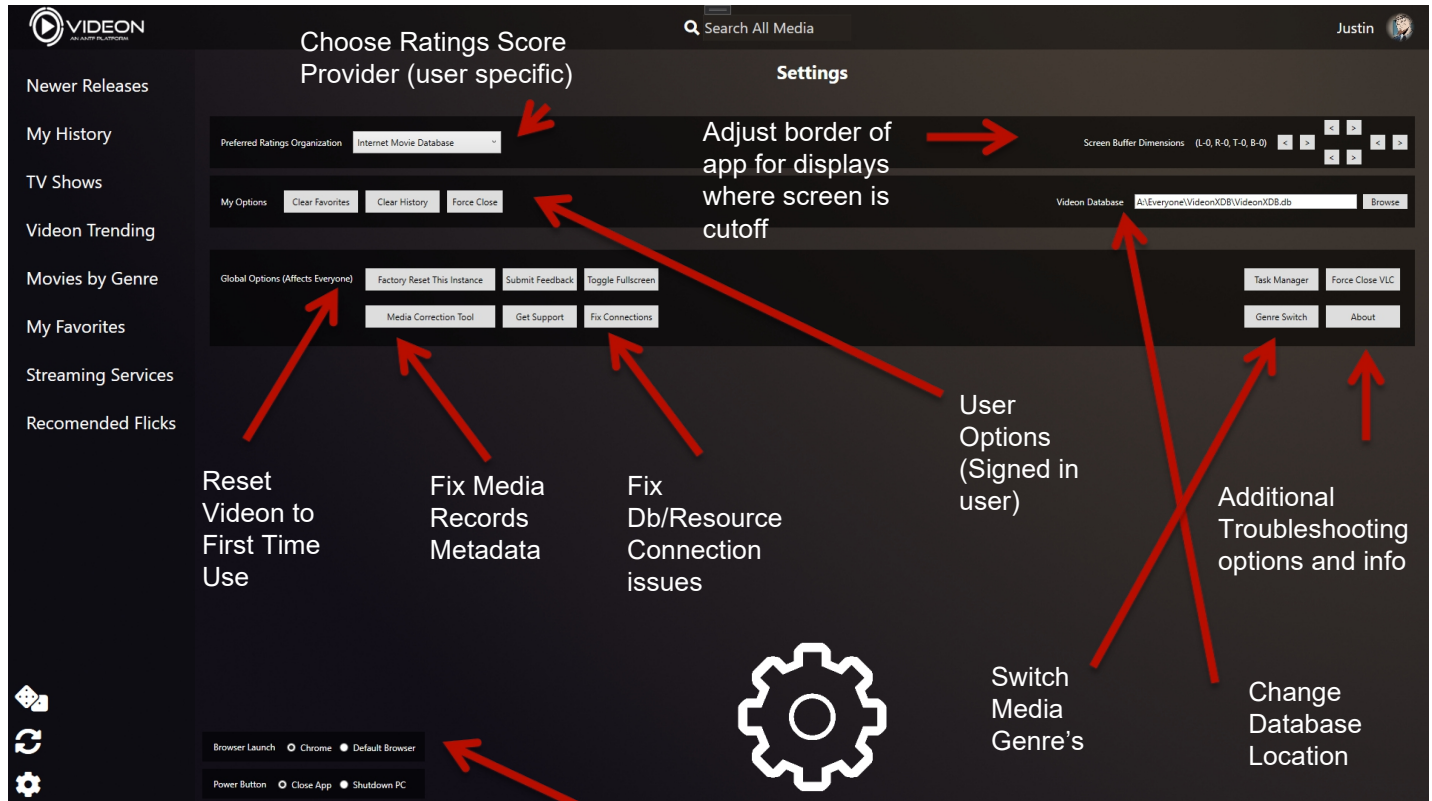
This Form allows you to correct details about the selected media record item. To use the autofind button you must at least supply a title and a year

Choose between editing any media cord, or only the broken ones. (Broken being media without Metadata)

Upon Saving, the media record will be removed from the list. Note: Autofind has limitations and may not always be available due to daily limitations by the providers. If the autofind does not work. You can try again later/the next day, or just enter the information in manually. Covers can be jpg/png

SETTINGS MENU

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Reset Videon to First Time Use

Fix Media Records Metadata

Fix Db/Resource Connection issues

User Options (Signed in user)

Additional Troubleshooting options and info

Switch Media Genre's

Change Database Location

Choose to use Managed Chrome or unmanaged default web browser for streaming

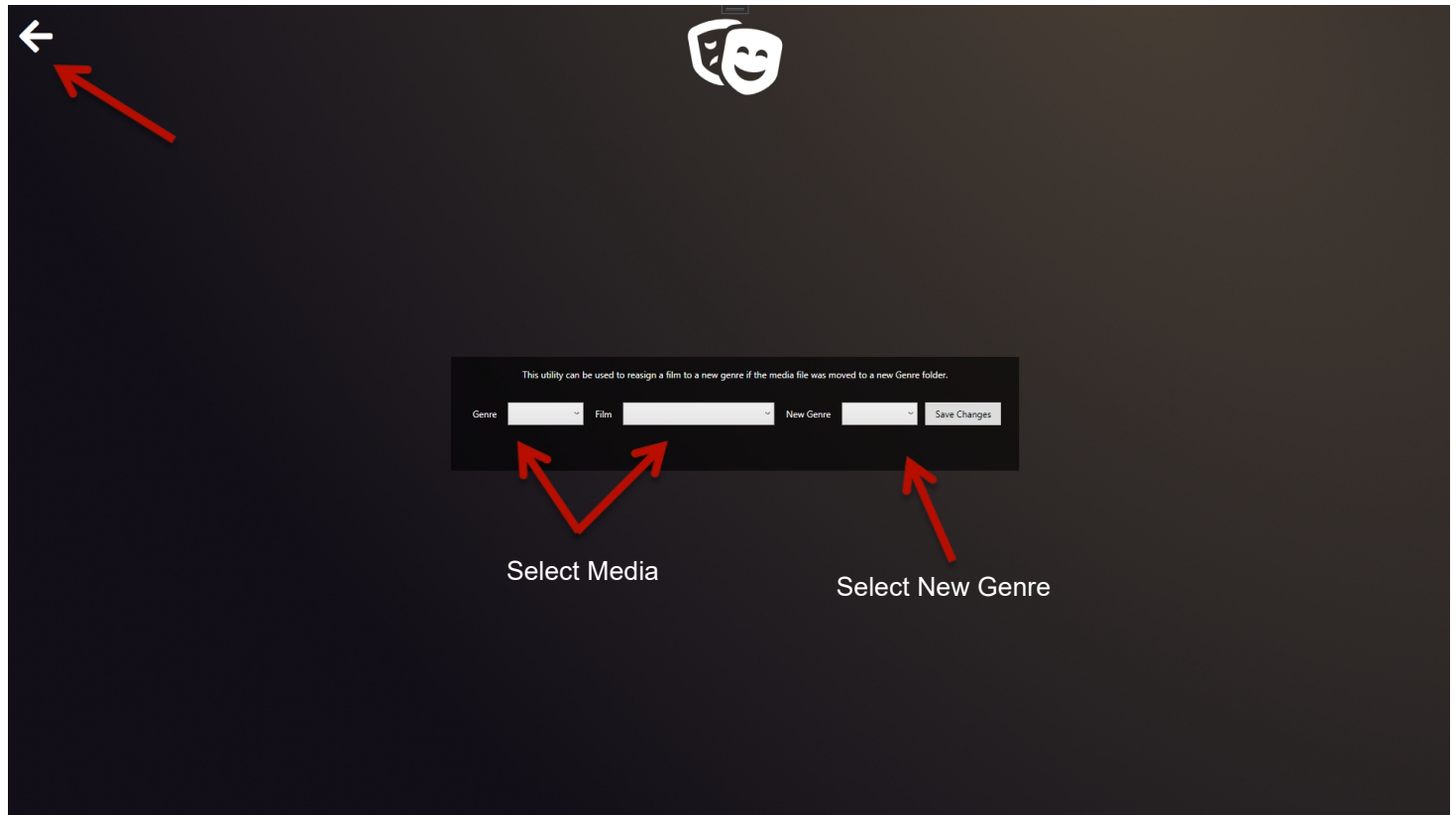
Choose to Shutdown pc or close app when pressing the exit button (device specific)

CONNECTION RESOLVER

The image displays two overlapping screenshots of a software interface. The top screenshot shows a dark grey window with a yellow warning icon and the text "Connection Issue Detected" and "Videon Could Not Connect to the Movie Repository. Please Redefine It". Below this is a "Choose Drive Where Repository Resides" dialog box with a "Drive Letter" field containing "A:" and a "Verify and Save" button. The bottom screenshot shows the same error message window, but the dialog box has "Videon Path" set to "E:\Games\Movies and Shows" and the "Update Videon Path" checkbox is checked. A red arrow points to the "Update Drive Letter" checkbox, and another red arrow points to the "Additional Options" section at the bottom, which contains "Restart App" and "Force Close App" buttons. Text annotations include "Go back to settings (only available from settings menu)" with an arrow pointing to a back arrow in the top left, "Toggle between Drive Letter and Path Remapping" with an arrow pointing to the "Update Drive Letter" checkbox, and "Additional Options" with an arrow pointing to the "Restart App" button.

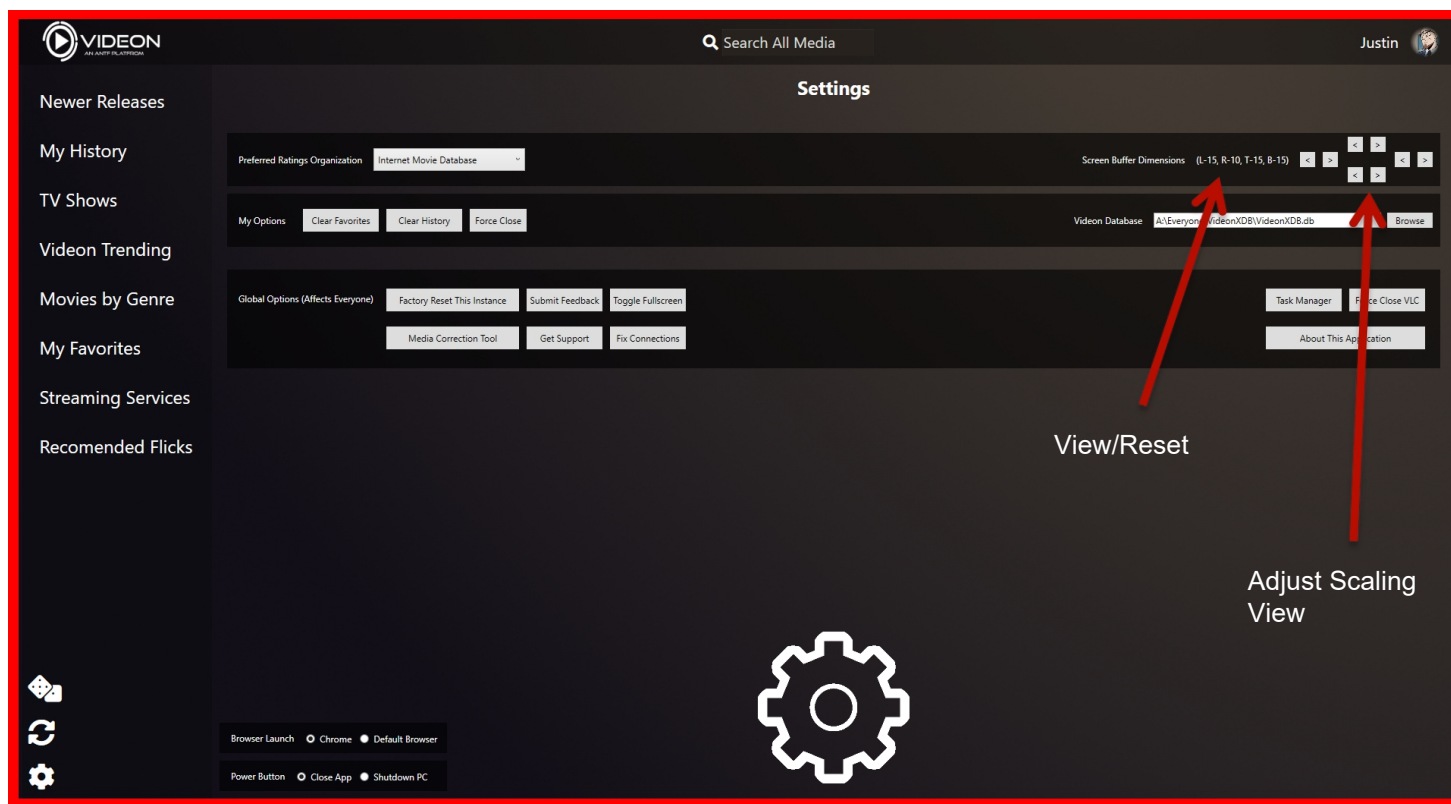
Sometimes Videon may not be able to reach where your media content is, or the database depending on configuration. This menu allows you to either remap the drive letter to the location (such as a use case with a portable USB drive) or remap the folder location.

GENRE SWAPPING



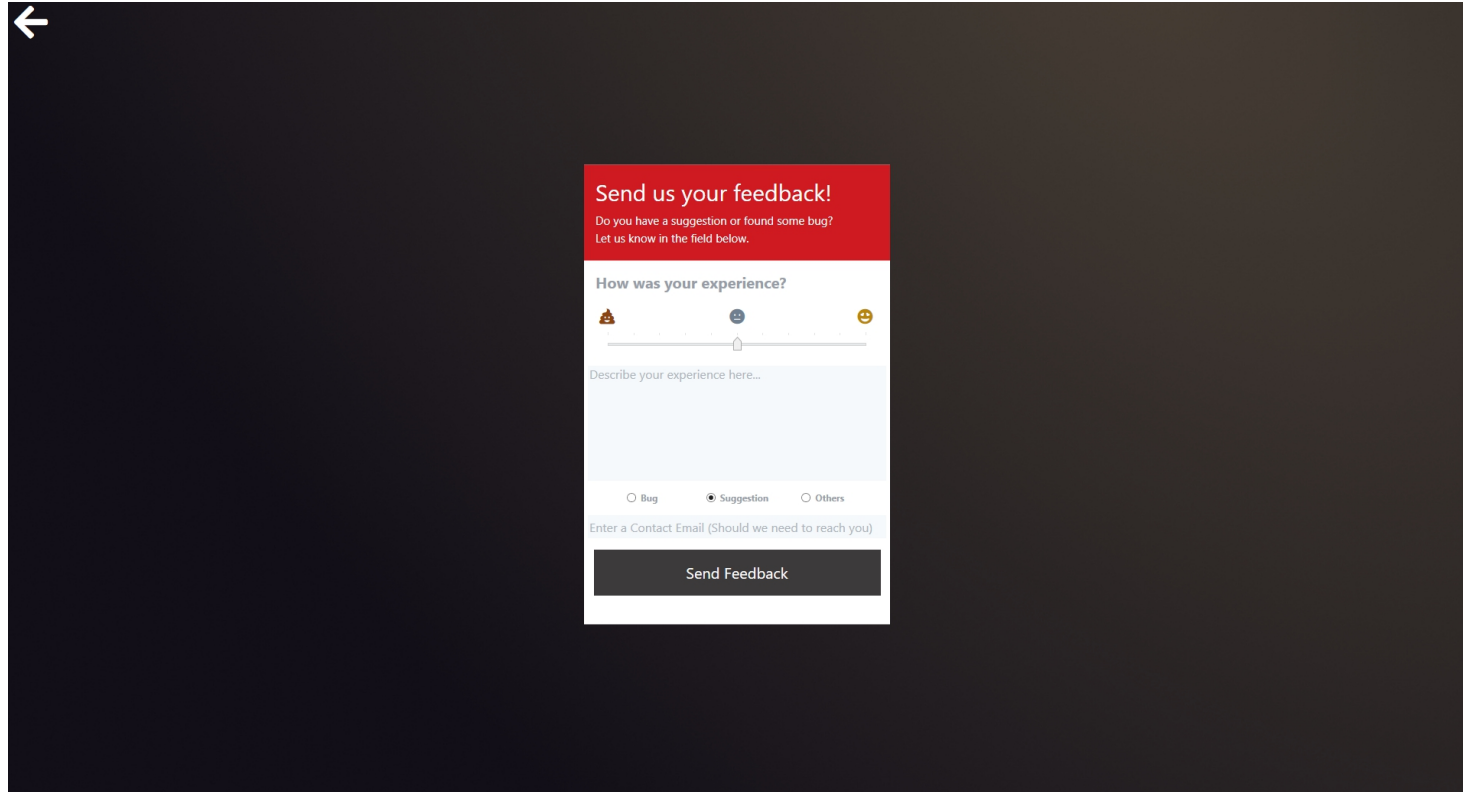
If a film is moved into a new Genre folder, Videon will not automatically know that. To deal with this, one can either use the media correction tool, or use this tool to select the media, and change it's genre to the new one where it resides (file must be moved to the new genre folder first before using this tool)

DISPLAY BUFFERING



Some Monitors cut off part of the Windows screen. Videon tries to remedy this by allowing the user to scale the application to fit the screen. Using the up, down, left, right controls. A red border shows, pushing the app inward. The object is to adjust the screen until you do not see any red, yet the screen is rescaled to the desired view. The current scale information is shown to the left of the buttons and if you click that information, it will reset the scaling to default (all zero's). This information is applied on a per-device level

SUBMIT FEEDBACK

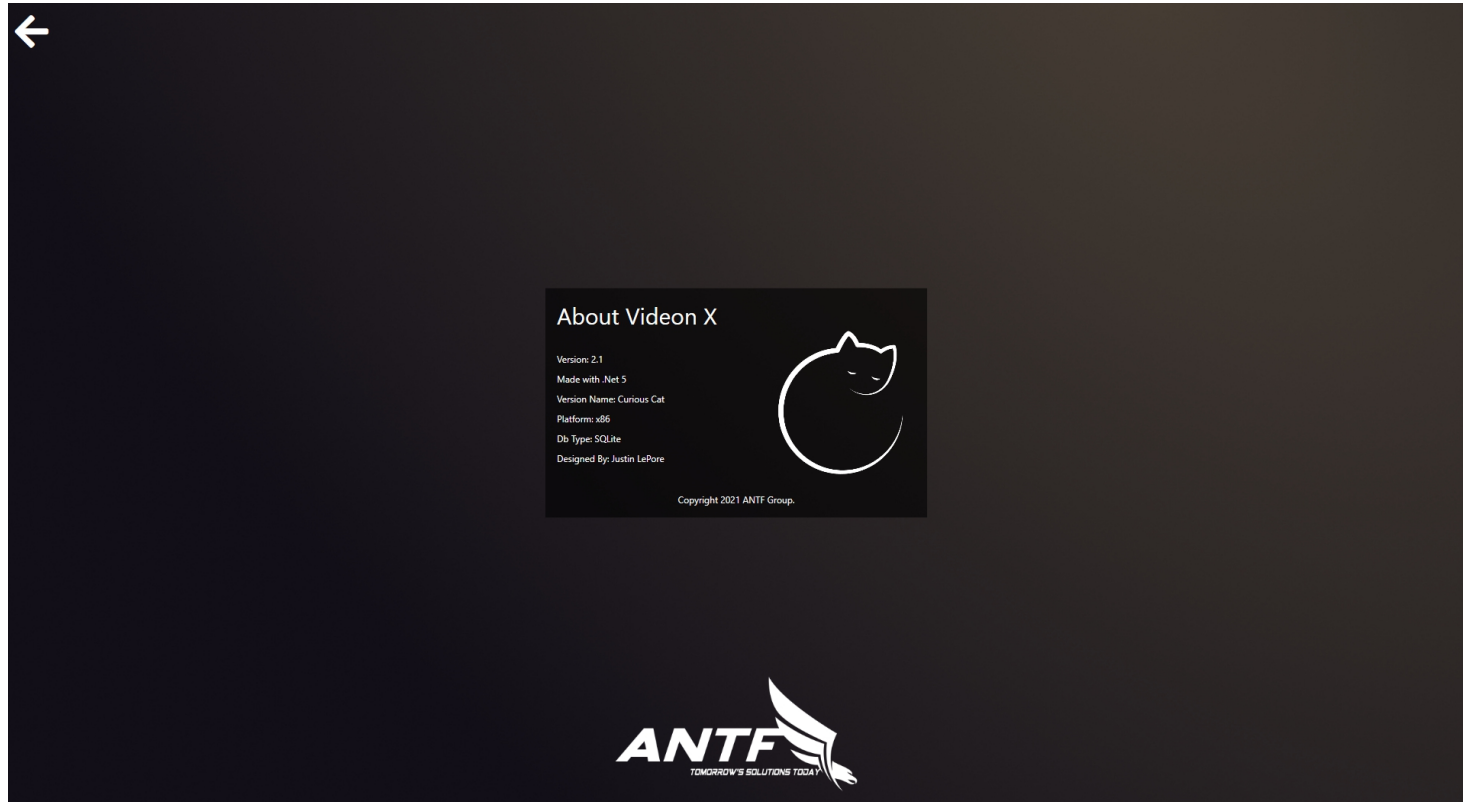
A screenshot of a mobile application's 'Submit Feedback' form. The form is displayed on a dark background with a white and red color scheme. At the top left, there is a white back arrow icon. The form itself has a red header with the text 'Send us your feedback!' and a sub-header 'Do you have a suggestion or found some bug? Let us know in the field below.' Below this is a section titled 'How was your experience?' featuring a horizontal scale with three icons: a sad face, a neutral face, and a happy face. A slider is positioned in the middle. Underneath is a text input field with the placeholder 'Describe your experience here...'. At the bottom of the form, there are three radio buttons labeled 'Bug', 'Suggestion', and 'Others', with 'Suggestion' selected. Below the radio buttons is another text input field with the placeholder 'Enter a Contact Email (Should we need to reach you)'. At the very bottom of the form is a dark grey button with the text 'Send Feedback'.

The Submit Feedback tool allows the user to submit feedback back to ANTF express application issues, questions/comments, and future enhancements users would like to see.

Feedback responses usually are answered within 48 hours

Additional support: support@antfcorp.com

ABOUT



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