

<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>

Side Navigation XML file to be used with uscgaux\_SideNavigation.js

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25 Jan 2010 Modifications includ:

remove the backslash in the first logo and index path

add a Contact Us side navigation link - edit with your contact email

changed header file to the unit level, so drop down menu links open in new window

changed the first logo picture number designation to "2" to keep from popping a new window when clicked

Rules for use:

Valid Tags for both levels are:

\*\* name - name of link

\*\* url - URL of link either fully or partially qualified

Your headers must have a url tag within them.

The url should be written like this <url>#</url>

The # sign acts as a top of page and keeps you on the current page

without the # you will always go back to the index page

\*\* pic - must be either 0 - no picture or 1 - picture - 2 is only used in the logo picture position

\*\* title - title of link

target- \_blank, \_parent, \_self, or \_top

picsrc- source link for a picture , such as, a pdf, acrobat, or paper icon

http://www.cgauX.org/\_images/leave\_site.gif 17x11 - pic for links that are off of your

site

http://www.cgauX.org/\_images/pdf.gif 10x10 - pic for aAdobe Arcobat pdf files

http://www.cgauX.org/\_images/ppt-logo.GIF 12x12 - pic for Microsoft powerpoint files

width - width of picsrc

height- height of picsrc

picalt- alt name for picture if it does not exist

styles- MenuItemSubmenuC - centered

MenuItemSubmenuCB- centered and bold

MenuItemSubmenuCBi-centered, bold, and italics

MenuItemSubmenuB - bold

MenuItemSubmenuBi- bold italics

MenuItemSubmenui - italics

\*\* - tag is mandatory

Note that you will see this error if you forget to put the pic tag within the link:

Caught exception in Spry.Data.Region.prototype.evaluateExpression()

while evaluating: {dslinks::pic} == 1 Exception:[object Error]

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How to write a simple side nav bar:

<links>

<firstlevel>

<name>Unit Home</name> :: required tag ::

<url>index.htm</url> :: required tag ::

<pic>0</pic> :: required tag - 0 indicates that there is no pic ::

<title>Home Page</title> :: required tag ::

</firstlevel>

<name>Vessel Exams</name> :: required tag ::

<url>ve.htm</url> :: required tag ::

<pic>0</pic> :: required tag - 0 indicates that there is no pic ::

<title>Vessel Exams Home</title> :: required tag ::

</firstlevel>

</links>

The code above will create the two links below on the Side nav bar

Unit Home

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## Vessel Exams

Any time you need to use the following characters: &, ', <, and > you need to enclose them in a CDATA tag. The tag is written like this: <![CDATA[your data]]>  
for example, <title><![CDATA[User's Guide & Docs]]></title>

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<links>
  <!-- first firstlevel is reserved for picture at top of your side nav -->
  <firstlevel>
    <picsrc>images/ITdept_banner(300x100).gif</picsrc> <!-- IT Department Banner -->
    <url>#</url>
    <pic>2</pic> <!-- used for home logo only -->
    <picalt>IT Department</picalt>
    <width>150</width>
    <height>50</height>
  </firstlevel>
  <firstlevel>
    <name>Home</name> <!-- Example, change to your own home page, such as Flotilla 5-1 Home -->
    <styles>MenuBarItemSubmenuCB</styles> ::example of the use of a style here it is Centered
    <url>/index.htm</url> <!-- this should work if your home page is index.htm -->
    <pic>0</pic>
    <title>Home</title> <!-- Example, change to your own home page, such as Flotilla 5-1 Home
Page -->
  </firstlevel>
  <firstlevel>
    <name></name> <!-- required tag -->
    <url></url> <!-- required tag -->
    <pic>0</pic> <!-- required tag -->
    <title></title> <!-- required tag -->
  </firstlevel>
  <!-- Example of a pop out secondlevel menu

  <firstlevel>
    <name>Local Links</name>
    <url>#</url>
    <pic>0</pic>
    <styles>MenuBarItemSubmenuCB</styles> ::example of the use of a style here it is Centered
  </firstlevel>
  <secondlevels>
    <secondlevel>
      <name>Local Weather</name>
      <url>enter your local weather web address</url> ::Enter URL address::
      <pic>1</pic> ::example of the coding for a picture with your link::
      <picsrc>http://www.cgauX.org/_images/leave_site.gif</picsrc>
      <picalt>This link takes you to a site off enter unit name domain!</picalt>
      ::Enter Unit Name::
      <width>17</width>
      <height>11</height>
      <title>Link to CITY NAME Weather</title>
      <target>_blank</target>
    </secondlevel>
    <secondlevel>
      <name>NOAA</name>
      <url>enter the NOAA address that links to your local area</url> ::Enter URL
address::
      <pic>1</pic> ::example of the coding for a picture with your link::
      <picsrc>http://www.cgauX.org/_images/leave_site.gif</picsrc>
      <picalt>This link takes you to a site off enter unit name domain!</picalt>
      ::Enter Unit Name::
      <width>17</width>
      <height>11</height>
      <title>Local NOAA weather</title>
      <target>_blank</target> ::example of the use of the target attribute::
    </secondlevel>
  </secondlevels>
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</firstlevel>
<firstlevel>
  <name></name>
  <url>#</url>
  <pic>0</pic>
  <styles>MenuBarItemSubmenu</styles> ::example of the use of a style here it is italics::
  <secondlevels>
    <secondlevel>
      <name>Short Term Training Request</name>
      <url>http://forms.cgau.org/archive/a7059f.pdf</url>
      <pic>1</pic> ::example of the coding for a picture with your link::
      <picsrc>http://www.cgau.org/_images/leave_site.gif</picsrc>    <!-- Small icon
symbol on Navigation -->
      <picalt>This link takes you to a site off enter unit name domain!</picalt>    <!--
Enter Unit Name -->
      <width>17</width>
      <height>11</height>
      <title>Short Term Training Request Form (STTR)</title>
      <target>_blank</target> ::example of the use of the target attribute::
    </secondlevel>
  </secondlevels>
</firstlevel>
</links>

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