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Three big political parties in Germany, Social-Democratic SPD, the Green and the Left Party coordinated to #LeaveTwitter today.

Here's the SPD farewell message on Twitter, translation by me:

X has descended into chaos in recent years. Political debates thrive on dialogue that reaches and informs people. X, on the other hand, is increasingly promoting misinformation. That is why we are no longer posting to this account.

x.com/spdde/status/20511951534...

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SPD Parteivorstand 🇪🇺

@spdde

...

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X ist in den letzten Jahren im Chaos versunken. Politische Debatten leben vom Austausch, der Menschen erreicht und informiert. X hingegen fördert zunehmend Desinformation. Deswegen bespielen wir diesen Account nicht mehr.

#WirVerlassenX

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@jwildeboer

And for the typical German "Yes, But" replies: A collection of SPD accounts on the Fediverse. You are welcome.

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3. Talk to your local SPD Ortsverein and offer them help to join us here



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Andreas Bulling
@abulling@fedifreu.de

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@jwildeboer Let me guess - the conservatives (CDU/CSU) did not join / will stay?

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@abulling They stay for now. Together with their friends from the radical-right noAfD, as far as I can see.

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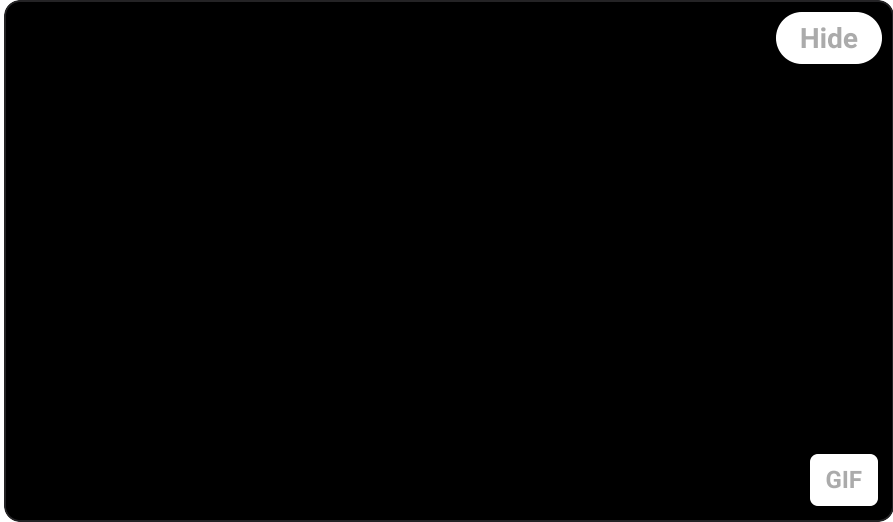
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camulus

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@abulling

Birds of a feather flock together

@jwildeboer

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Henrik Pauli

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2h

@jwildeboer Great, although I fear with the upcoming Wsocial stuff this will get worse and much more fragmented than it already is.

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Leave X - Protect Democracy

@leavex@mastodon.social

2h

@jwildeboer 🙄

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Schlaftablette

@fernsehchat@mastodon.online

3h

@jwildeboer Never forget: x.com/roberthabeck/status/1854...



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X (formerly Twitter)

Robert Habeck (@roberthabeck) ...

Orte wie diesen den Schreihälsen und Populis...



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ABoulderBelowTheShoulders1

@Thumptastic3@mstdn.plus

3h..*

@jwildeboer Lol. It took them this long. It's like MAGATs finally saying #Felon47 is wrong for debating the new Pope.

So, what was their line?

*I see their view, but....



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Toni Aittoniemi

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@jwildeboer This actually helps more than you think, because a lot of what leftist accounts drive on racist shithole platforms, is being the targets of abuse.

It turns out far right doesn't talk to itself much at all. Instead they find common identity signals mostly through bullying others. Thus when you delete the bullied from the equation, they don't have too much to bind over suddenly.



Sebastiaan Ammerlaan

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4h

@jwildeboer I'm not crazy about them joining Bluesky instead, but hey. Let's not have perfect be the enemy of good, I suppose.

We'll have to see what happens when Bluesky inevitably ends up in the hands of Nazis as well... If it isn't there already.





Hugs4friends 🇺🇸 🇪🇺 🇩🇪 🇯🇵

@Tooden@aus.social

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@jwildeboer Took them long enough! The Blue Bird died late 2022.

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SecondUniverse (she/her/they)

@SecondUniverse@autistics.life

5h

@jwildeboer What are they using instead?

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Rainer "friendica" Sokoll

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5h

@jwildeboer And then thy move to Bluesky 🧑🏻:

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Calamity Joan 🤪

@clickhere@mastodon.ie

5h

@jwildeboer tschuss!

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6h

@jwildeboer

So, now join the Fediverse?

Or only the Meta World?

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Three elected officials and two city associations 🙄

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@beandev That you already followed to make sure they feel welcome here? I am talking to my local SPD Ortsverein to help them move here. You should too! #SolutionsNotProblems

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Ah, less than 20 regional associations. Hm...

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@beandev Do you have anything positive to add or will you continue to post demotivating replies?

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Chris-Evelyn

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🌙 5h

@jwildeboer @beandev It's things like this that demotivate me:

Allerdings wird erwartet, dass reichweitenstarke Politiker der drei Parteien weiterhin auch X nutzen.

<https://table.media/berlin/news/wirverlassenx-gruene-spd-und-linke-empfehlen-ihren-mitgliedern-den-ausstieg-aus-dem-sozialen-netzwerk>



Table.Briefings · 18h

#WirVerlassenX: Grüne, SPD und Linke empfehlen ihren Mitgliedern den Ausstieg aus...

Sie können besser entscheiden, weil Sie besser informiert sind – ...

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🌙 3h

@jwildeboer

I've simply presented the facts, not to discourage you. But perhaps that's just the way these facts make you feel.

It's a good thing, though, that the parties have left X. However, I see a major gap in how parties should deal with social networks in the future, given that we've supposedly learned that privately run networks are a problem.



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Simply switching to Bsky or playing on meta-platforms just isn't enough.



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@beandev Bluesky :/ @jwildeboer



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@jwildeboer Those are just individual accounts, the official account is now on BS.



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[@chris_evelyn](#) the German Green Party directly linked to Bluesky, really clever. The SPD und Die Linke left that open and didnt



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