

MeWe Guide from A-Z – V. 2.1.0

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Introduction to the guide:

MeWe's founder, Mark Weinstein, dreamed of the next generation of online communication and envisioned a social and chat app that would provide the most exciting and helpful sharing technology with built-in privacy to people everywhere - where members would feel safe and respected. Mark thus created the beta project "Sgrouples" and assembled a team of engineers. The team was to design the world's first privacy-by-design social network. A 3-year beta phase followed before MeWe launched. With the official launch during SXSW 2016 (South by Southwest), MeWe was honored as a 2016 Start-Up of the Year Finalist for "Innovative World Technology." World-renowned opinion leaders are proud to sit on MeWe's Advisory Board, including the inventor of the World Wide Web, Sir Tim Berners-Lee. („The MeWe Name and logo are © 2022 Sgrouples Inc.“)

At MeWe we care a lot about your privacy - your content stays your content. More details in the [privacy policy](#) or in the [terms of use](#).

Special from MeWe:

- You decide who can see, share and download your content.
- If you leave a group, not only the posts are deleted, but also all comments.
- No data is collected from you and MeWe is ad-free.
- MeWe is financed by Pro Accounts (business), stickers, encrypted chat and cloud storage expansion (8GB free, but enough for an average user).

Informationen about ME & Guide:

My name is Jefferson Krautsieder (Jeff) from Austria and due to the upcoming closure of Google+ (August 2019) I have started to look for a new home. After all, I was the owner of the largest community for Austrians "Österreich (Austria)" on Google+ and had the Google+ page "Magazine about Google & Co." together with Patrick Graber. After the most different platforms I finally got stuck with MeWe. For me, MeWe is Google+ only better. I immediately felt at home here. However, to my regret I had to realize that there were hardly any German-speaking groups and also no German-speaking support as a MeWe group. Therefore, I founded not only my own groups, but also a [MeWe support group](#). In the course of this, smaller guides were already created by me (visible in [my blog](#) and the [MeWe page](#)). But I thought it was time to create a bigger guide where I summarize everything. Of course I also plan to expand the guide from time to time. With the help of the guide you should be able to find your way around the desktop and the app version.

Before we start, I would like to point out that I have censored all pictures and people of the members as far as possible. Should something have escaped me, please let me know. I would also like to mention that I do not go into every detail, because some things are self-explanatory with the help of screenshots. I would also like to point out that I used very few screenshots for the smartphone app guide, because I simply had to censor too much.

My Profil:

<https://mewe.com/i/jeffersonkrautsieder>

MeWe Support (Deutsch-inoffiziell) (Group):

https://mewe.com/join/mewe_support_deutsch

My MeWe Page:

<https://mewe.com/p/jeffsblog>

My Blog:

<http://www.jeffsblog.at>

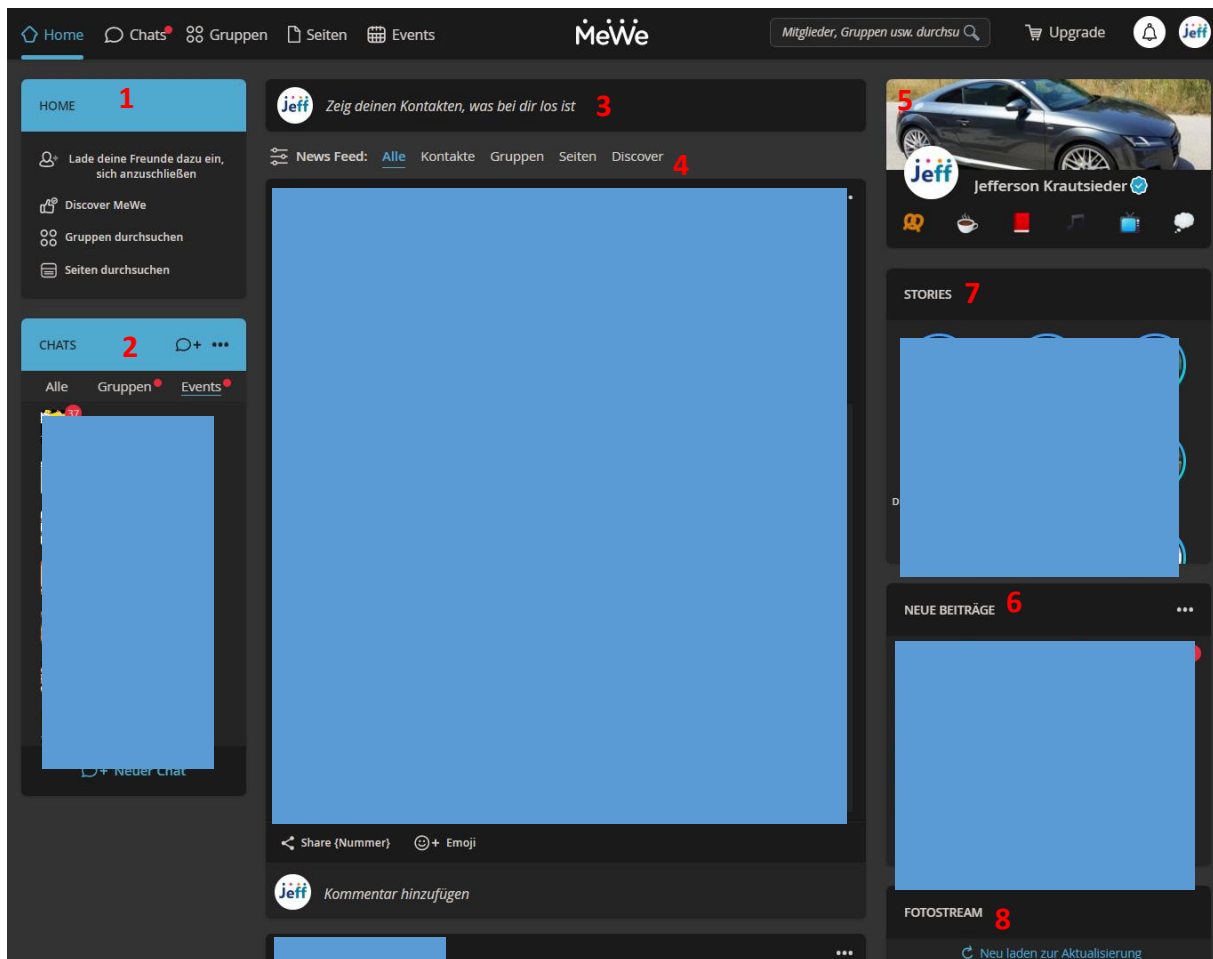
The Desktop Guide (Chrome Browser)

The navigation bar



As you can see, the navigation bar is divided into different areas. I will now introduce you to each area individually.

Home



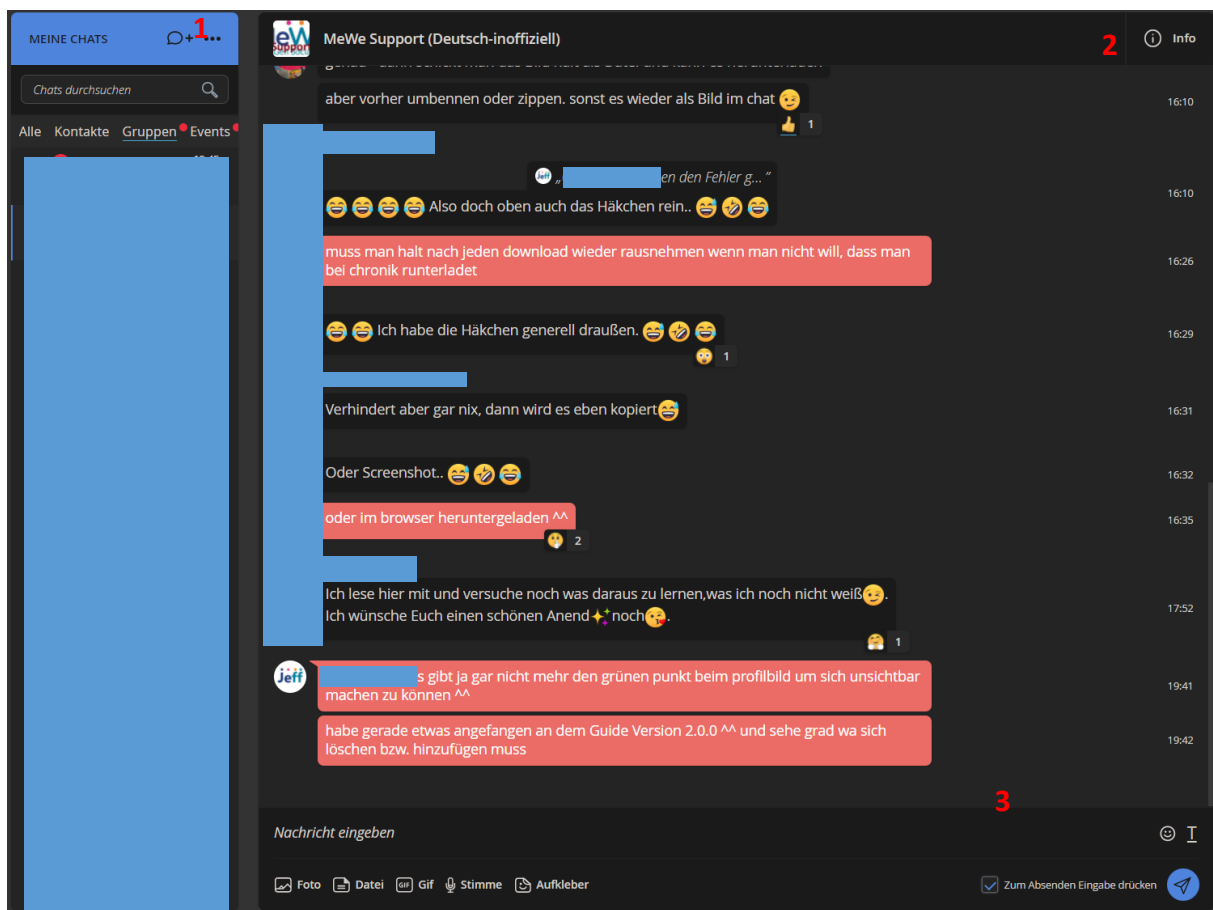
From your home area, you actually have access to just about everything.

1) You can invite friends, get suggestions for groups and pages, browse groups and pages. Further you can set for Discover interests, so that you get appropriate contributions.

2) Access to your personal and chats. Through the 3 items you can view your chat requests, mark all chats as read, set whether the chat opens automatically or plays a sound when you receive a new message.

- 3) Share your content with your contacts.
- 4) These are the posts of your contacts, groups and pages. Under "Feed" you can choose if you want to see everything at once or only contacts, only posts from groups or only news from pages. At Discover you get, according to your defined interests (also there to set), contributions from selectively-set groups suggested.
- 5) Click on the profile picture or the header to get to the profile. About the 5 small graphics you can share, for example, what you are eating.
- 6) In the window "New posts" you can see the groups with new content.
- 7) You can view the latest stories of your contacts.
- 8) When contacts create posts with photos, they are displayed separately in a photo stream.

Chats



Now let's move on to the chat area:

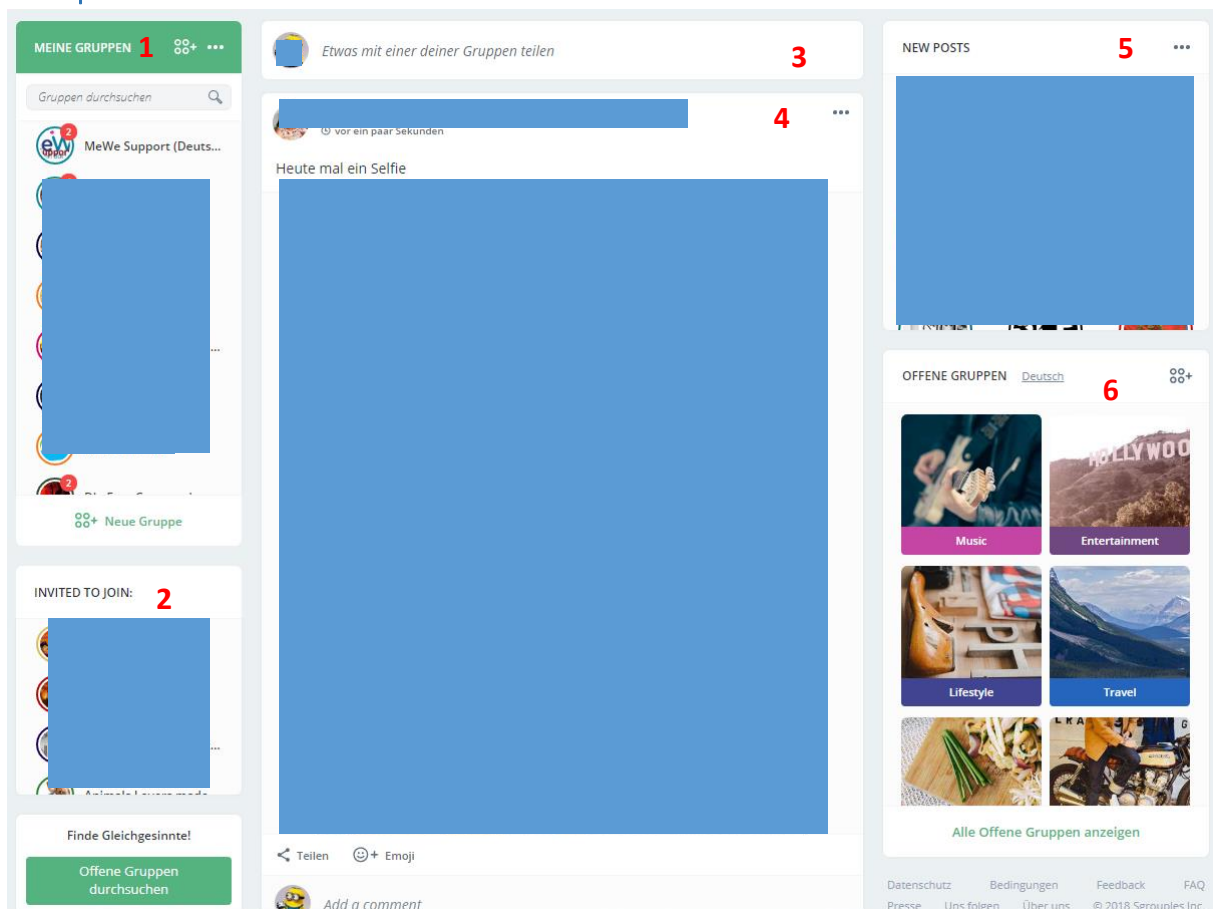
- 1) Via the 3 points you can view your chat requests, mark all chats as read, set whether the chat opens automatically or plays a sound when you receive a new message. Because of the many contacts and groups you have, you can also search for them if you can't find the chat you are looking for. You can also decide if you want to see all chats or only for contacts, groups or events.

2) The info icon gives you access to the shared photos, file and posts of a group or that you have shared with the contact. You can also view the members of a group, invite new members, go to the group, hide the chat and leave the group. If you hide the chat, you will not receive any notifications.

3) Besides text messages, you can share pictures, files, gifs, sound recordings and stickers with your friends. You can also set whether you want to send the message immediately by using the Enter/Enter key.

Info: If you move the mouse over the message, 3 dots will appear, there you can now copy or delete the message - please note that if you delete other people's messages, they will only be deleted for you (unless you are admin/owner). You can assign emojis to the messages or reply directly to them.

Groups



Now we come to the groups:

1) All your groups are listed and there is also a search option. On the top right as well as on the bottom you can create a new group. About the 3 points it goes to the general group settings and all groups can be marked as read. Both settings allow you to set the group signals, to deactivate the chat or to get to the respective group settings.

2) Further down you will find the window for invitations or you can search for open groups.

3) Share content with your groups.

4) The group stream.

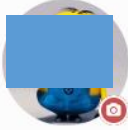
5) Groups with new content are displayed.

6) Here you can also search for groups divided into categories. Additionally you have the possibility to change the language of the suggested groups.

► Join Groups

TEST-2-Gruppe

SET YOUR PROFILE FOR THIS GROUP



ADD GROUP INTRODUCTION

SET MOBILE PUSH NOTIFICATIONS FOR THIS GROUP

☒ Notify me when someone creates a post

☐ Notify me when someone sends a group chat message

When you join a group you can choose a different profile picture for that group, describe yourself (and if set you will have to answer questions) and you will be asked right away if you want to be notified of new posts or a chat message. Note: in each group you have your own profile in addition to your main profile.

And this is how it looks when you are invited:

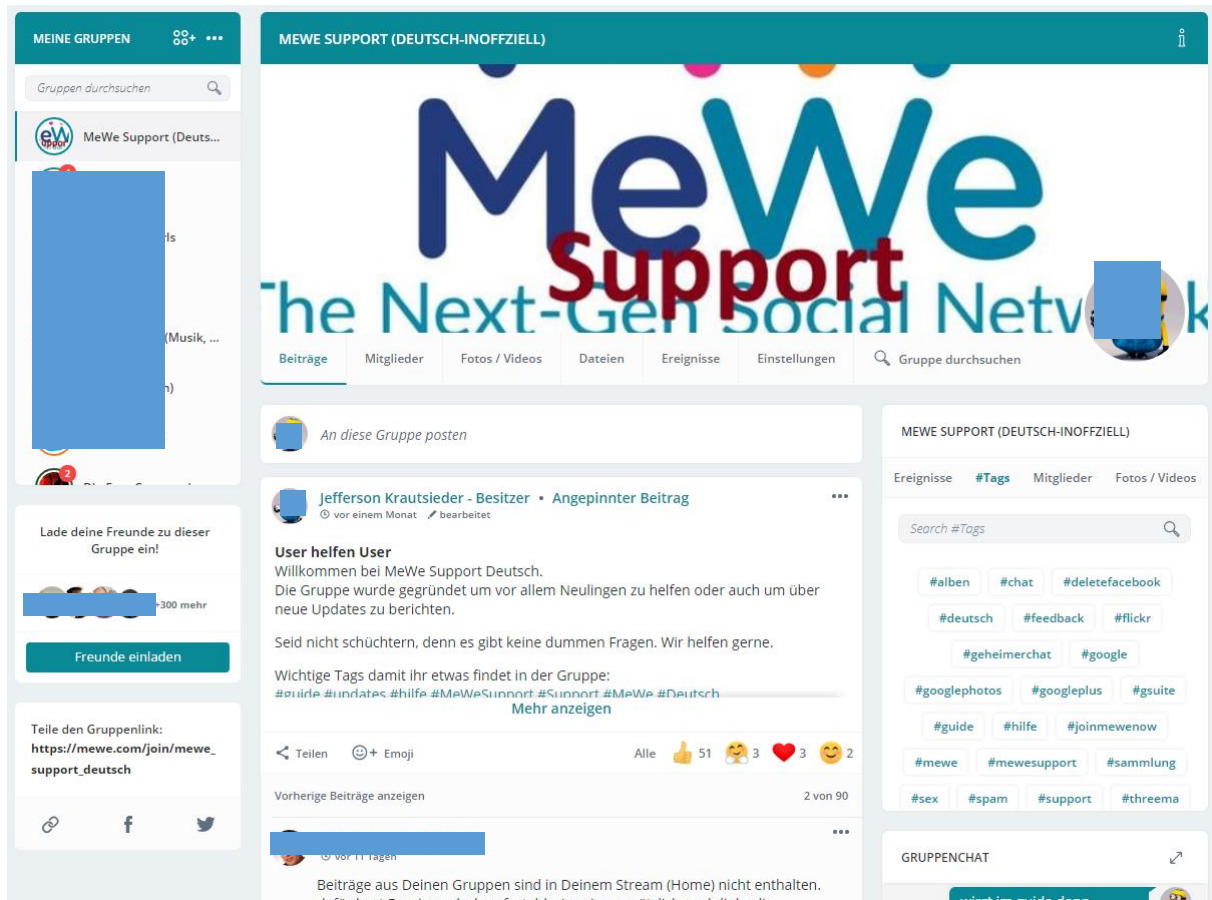
has invited you to join Foodporn.

[Ablehnen](#) [Annehmen](#)

Du siehst die Vorschau der Gruppe mit beschränkter Genehmigung. Bitte trete der Gruppe bei, um teilzunehmen. ☐ Decline all future invitations to this group

You decide whether you want to accept or decline the invitation. If you are always bothered about the invitation, you can also check the box below to reject future invitations to this group (every now and then Buggy). If you set that future invitations will be declined, it is currently not possible to cancel this. If you still want to join you have to search for the group itself. If the group is private this will be a problem, but usually you only activate this because you really want to. The easiest way is if the owner/admin gives you the link to the group.

► A Group



This is what a group looks like. On the left you have access to your groups again. A bit below it is possible to invite friends to the group and share on the link to the group.

On the right there is an overview of events, used #hashtags, members of the group and shared photos/videos. You also have the possibility to chat with your friends directly in the group.

The navigation bar of the group:

» Members

The members of the group are displayed and you can invite new ones (if set). Furthermore, group owners can download the group member info. A CSV file will be created. Beside the name of the member you can also see the answers to the questions you asked when joining the group.

» Photos/Videos

You will see all the photos/videos that have been shared with the group and you can upload new ones.

» Files

You will see all the files that have been shared with the group and you can upload new ones.

» Events

The group calendar (self-explanatory). For open and selective groups, events can only be created by the owner or the admins. For private groups, by everyone.

» Settings

- General: Change the appearance of the group.
- Membership: Leave the group (Attention! It will remove all your posts, photos/albums/videos/files, comments, and chats).
- Permissions: Set whether others can download your photos. (only possible for selective groups, not for private or public groups)
- Notification settings (no effect on app notifications!): define if you want a signal on new posts, that means if the group is shown on "New posts". You can also add the birthday (if defined in the profile settings) to the group calendar. Set if you get emails when someone comments or shares posts with the group. Additionally you can choose if you want to receive a daily or weekly summary by email. You can also set if you want to see posts in the news feed - this setting can also be done for the respective posts of groups.

► Create Group / Own Group

The image displays two side-by-side screenshots of the 'NEUE GRUPPE ERSTELLEN' (Create New Group) form in the MeWe app.

Left Screenshot (Initial Form):

- Gruppenname *** (max. 50 Zeichen): TEST-2-Gruppe
- Beschreibung** (max. 3000 Zeichen): Meine Beschreibung
- Gruppenkategorie**: Family
- Gruppenfoto** (wähle oder lade deine eigenen hoch): Foto hochladen (Image of a record player)
- Eine Gruppenfarbe wählen**: A row of color swatches with the first one (red) selected.
- *Pflichtfeld** (required field) label.
- Weiter** (Next) button.

Right Screenshot (Settings):

- WIE KÖNNEN PERSONEN DER GRUPPE BEITRETEN?**
 - ☐ **Privat**: Nur auf Einladung
 - ☒ **Öffentlich**: Jeder kann dabei sein. Die Gruppe hat einen Link oder QR-Code zum Teilen
- ☒ Diese Gruppe im MeWe-Verzeichnis aufnehmen, um es den Personen zu erleichtern, die Gruppe zu finden und ihr beizutreten (Nur, wenn eine Gruppe mehr als 5 Mitglieder hat.)
- Gib den Text im Bild ein**: w2£37
- MITGLIEDER HABEN FOLGENDE BERECHTIGUNGEN**
 - ☒ **Beitragende(r)** *personalisieren*: Beitrag • Kommentar / Chat • Erneut teilen • Andere einladen
 - ☐ **Eingeschränkt**: Mit Genehmigung veröffentlichen • Erneut teilen • Kommentar / Chat • Andere einladen
 - ☐ **Ansicht**: Kommentar / Chat • Erneut teilen • Andere einladen
- Zurück** (Back) and **Abschließen!** (Finish!) buttons.

You want your own group? Then you have to create it first. Click in your group view at "My groups" on the sign with the 4 circles and the +.

Now the window "Create new group" pops up.

Give a name, tell in the description what the group is about, choose a category, change the group photo and the color in which the group is displayed (users can change this for themselves) and now click on continue.

Now comes the most important point in the groups, namely the settings how people can enter, and what permissions they have.

When entering you can choose if the group should be private (by invitation only), public (anyone can join) or selective (members can request to join). You can also decide if the group should be added to the MeWe-directory (Discovery) (requirement 5 members).

In the permissions you can decide which permissions new members have when they join. You should consider this carefully, because if you decide that the members are contributors and then you may not want the members to be able to post, you will have to edit every single member that joins - for large groups this can be very time consuming.

Info: When creating a group no profile questions can be created, only afterwards via the settings.

Now click on Finish.

You will be asked if you want to receive notifications, just like when you join a normal group.

Your group is now created.

Additional information:

"public" groups are automatically always in the directory, but no posts are shown in Discover

"Selective" groups are only in the directory if you activate "Discovery". Discovery selects posts to be displayed in the home stream, but you can also select posts to be displayed in the group itself. In this case, however, posts with zero to one emoji can be selected manually. Posts with 2 or more emojis are automatically added to the pool of recommended posts by the system. Only one post per group may be recommended per 24 hours, i.e. if a post has been selected by the system and is displayed, you cannot recommend any posts yourself.

Menu bar:

[»Posts](#)

As owner / admin of a group you can delete posts or pin one. To pin a post, click on the 3 dots and on "Function". The post is now pinned at the top.

[»Members](#)

The members of the group are displayed and you can invite new ones (if set). As owner/admin of groups you can download the group member info. A CSV file will be created. Beside the name of the member you can see the answers to the questions you asked when joining the group. Via the 3 dots at the respective member you can set/change his permissions.

[»Photos/Videos](#)

You will see all the photos/videos that have been shared with the group and you can upload new ones. Additionally you have the possibility to delete the photos/videos.

[»Files](#)

You will see all the files that have been shared with the group and you can upload new ones. Additionally you have the possibility to delete the photos/videos.

[»Events](#)

The group calendar (self-explanatory). For open and selective groups, events can only be created by the owner or admins. For private groups by everyone.

[»Settings](#)

- General: You can change the general information like name, category, description, group photo and color or change the owner and delete the group.

- Membership: Manages how new members can join the group (Private, Selective, Open) and what permissions new members should have. Also defines if the group should be added to the MeWe directory (requirement 5 members).

- Profile questions: The profile questions are very interesting, for example if you create a fan group about Marvel series/movies you can define up to 4 questions that "new" members should answer. When a new member joins the group, the questions will appear for them to fill out, but if the member only enters a letter anywhere now, they can still join the group. So the owner/admin has to check the users (if one wants to) if the questions have been filled in. That's why you can download

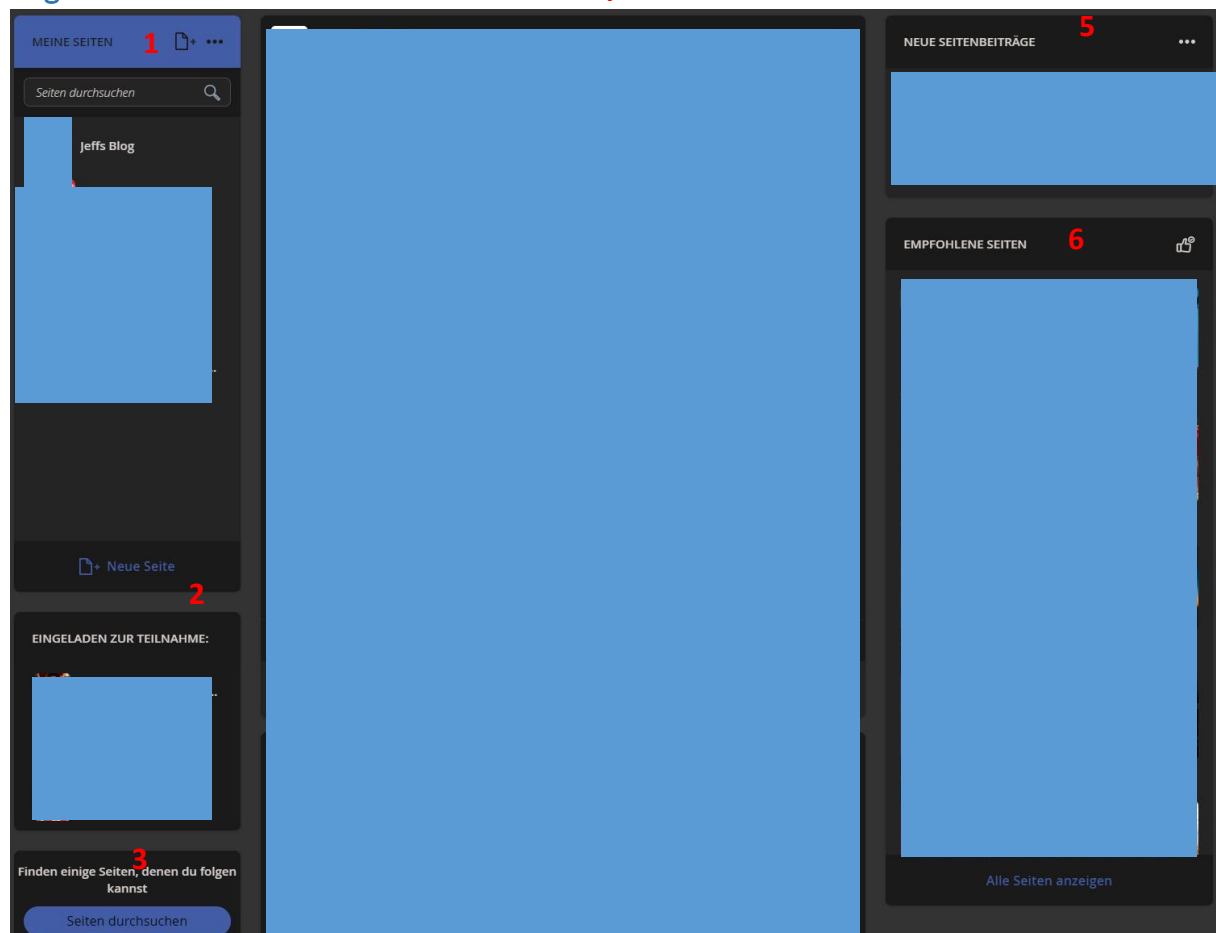
the member information under members. Checking each member individually would probably be too much work.

- Permissions: Specify if others can download your photos. Furthermore you have the possibility to set the group permissions for "Contributor, Restricted and View".

- Notification settings (no effect on app notifications!): define if you want a signal on new posts, i.e. if the group is shown on "New Posts". You can also enter the birthday (if defined in the profile settings) in the group calendar. Set if you get emails when someone comments or shares posts with the group. Additionally there is the possibility if you want to receive a daily or weekly summary by email.

- Group chat: You can not only enable or disable group chat, but also delete the entire chat history. For privacy purposes, this is a really great tool.

Pages



1) The pages you follow or your own are displayed and you can create new pages (against payment). About the 3 points you can mark all pages as read.

2) You are which pages you were invited to.

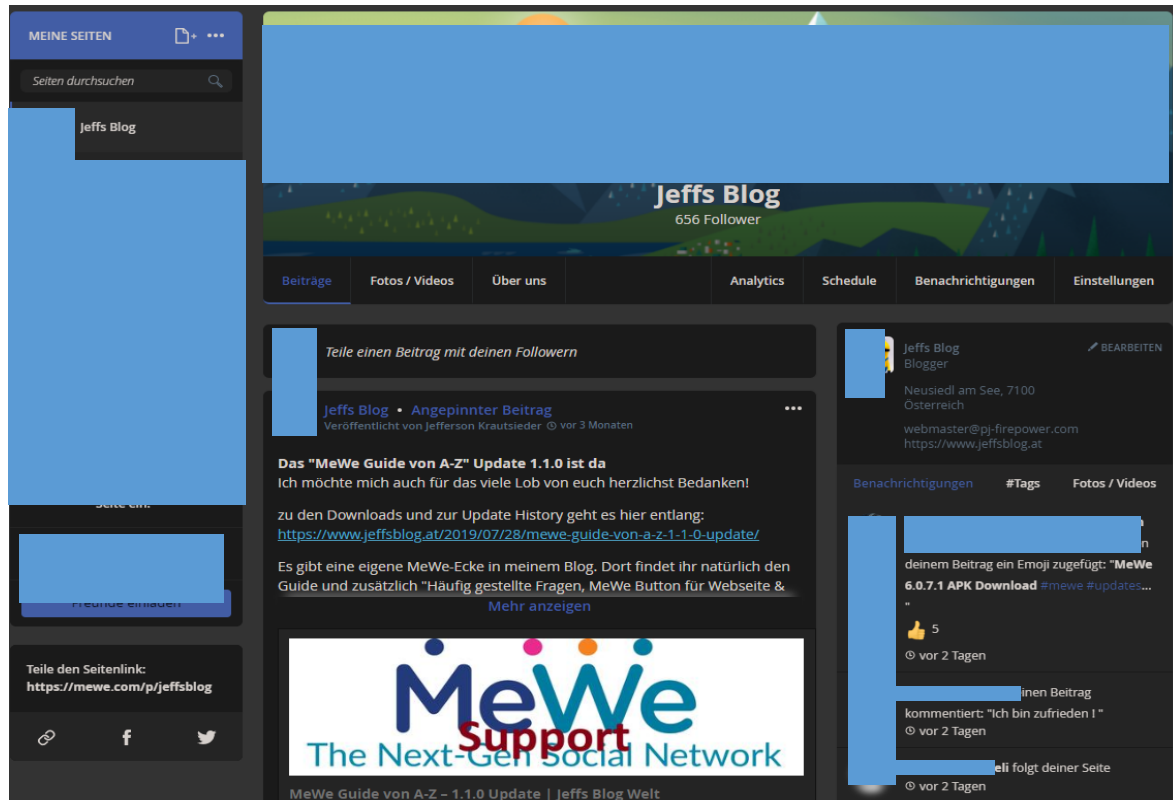
3) Search for pages

4) New posts from pages

5) Pages with new posts

6) Pages recommended by MeWe or you can see all pages that exist on MeWe.

► A Page / Join a Page



This is now a page. On the left you see your page again. A little bit below you get the link that you can share with others. On the right you can follow the page, below you will find again the overview of the hashtags or you can search for something within the page and it can also be viewed which photos / videos have been shared so far. In the middle you have of course the navigation menu and the posts.

» Photos/Videos

You will see all the photos/videos that have been shared.

» About Us

Here you can find general information like phone number, email address, location and description of the page.

► Create a Page / Own Page

CREATE A PAGE (BETA) X CREATE A PAGE (BETA) X

Welcome to Pages

Pages are a premium feature and will cost **\$2.99 per month** to host.
Give your page a name and select a category to get started.

Page Name

Page Category
Select the category of the page ▼

Make your page pop by adding a profile and cover photo!

Profile Photo - Help people find your page by adding a profile photo

Upload a Profile Photo

Cover Photo - Pages with cover photos typically get more Page follows

Upload a Cover Photo

Step 1/2 Abbrechen Weiter Step 2/2 Zurück Create Page

The pages are currently still in beta and will cost \$2.99 per page per month in the future. Now click on Create Page and a window for creating the page will pop up. You will also be informed that the page will cost 2.99\$ per month. Enter the name of your page and choose a category. Now click on Next. In the next window you can choose your own profile picture and a background picture. When you are done you can click on create. - Your page is now created.

» Posts

For pinning posts click on the 3 dots and on "Function". The post is now pinned at the top of the page.

» Photos/Videos

You can see your own photos that you have shared on the page, delete them including the post or upload new photos.

» About us

Here you can find general information like phone number, email address, location and description of the page. You can edit this information at any time.

» Analytics

Under Analytics you can find the statistics of your MeWe page.

» Schedule

Create posts and define when they should be shared on your MeWe page.

» Notifications

As owner/admin of a group you have your own page notifications. You can see who has recently followed your group, commented on something or given an emoji.

» Schedule

You can set dates and time when your future posts will be posted. A very useful tool, because if you have a lot of time you can easily prepare posts for the next days and they will be posted automatically with the help of the tool.

» Settings

- General: As with Pages, you can change the name, category, description and photos.
 - Contact & Location: Enter your data here, such as phone number, email address, website, and address.
 - Admin/Owner: In this menu it is possible that you put the page online and offline. If the page is offline, the posts can only be seen by the owner / admin. Additionally you can appoint new admins, transfer the page or delete it.
 - Payment for subscription: Manage your page subscription
 - Notifications: Set when you want to receive notifications to your Page.
 - Followers / Blocked: It will be displayed when the respective followers have joined and you can also block them for your page or promote a follower as an admin. Die Pages befinden sich derzeit noch in Beta-Phase und werden zukünftig 2,99\$ pro Page pro Monat kosten.
- Klickt nun auf Page erstellen und es poppt ein Fenster zum Erstellen der Page auf. Ihr werdet hier auch gleich darauf hinweisen, dass die Page 2,99\$ pro Monat kostet. Tragt euren Namen der Page ein und entscheidet euch für eine passende Kategorie. Klickt nun auf Weiter. Im nächsten Fenster könnt ihr nun ein eigenes Profilbild wählen und wie auch bei den Gruppen ein Hintergrundbild. Seid ihr fertig könnt ihr nun auf erstellen klicken. – Eure Page ist nun erstellt.

Events

The events are a calendar. Of course you can add new events here (self-explanatory)

Search

Yes, there is also a search function at MeWe 😊.

MeWe Store

In the MeWe Store you can currently find Emoji Packs for \$0.99 and the Dark Theme for \$1.99 for purchase and other stuff.

Notifications

As with other social networks, there is also a separate item for notifications. With one click you can also mark all of them as read.

Profile picture

Clicking on the profile picture will take you to the following functions/submenus:

My Profile

The screenshot shows a MeWe profile page for Jefferson Krautsieder. The layout includes a left sidebar (1) with profile details, a top header (2) for the background image, a central feed (3) for posts, a right sidebar (4) for status and privacy settings, and a bottom navigation bar (6). The profile information section on the left includes fields for 'Stadt', 'Job', 'Unternehmen', 'Schule', 'Universität', 'Beziehungsstatus', and 'Interessen'. The central feed displays a post about a 'MeWe Guide' with links to a blog and RSS feed. The right sidebar features a 'STATUS' section with options to share what you're doing, drinking, reading, or listening to, and a 'DATENSCHUTZ UND TEILEN' section with checkboxes for search visibility, contact permissions, and photo sharing.

Clicking on "My Profile" will take you to your profile.

1) On the left side you can change the profile picture, reveal information about yourself and you will also find the link to your profile that you can share with others.

2) Change your background picture if you want.

3) Share something with your contact. About the 3 points you can of course again with the help of "Function" pin a post.

4) Share your status and set your favorite group.

5) About your profile you have access to your privacy and sharing settings.

You have the option to set if your profile should be included in the search (disable it and people won't be able to @ you), allow contacts to see your contacts and you can also set if contacts can download your shared photos. However, the download feature only affects your normal stream and not the groups. You have to set the groups individually.

Contact profiles: When you go to a profile of your contacts, you can see the contact permissions there and decide what the contact is allowed to do or what you want them to do. Currently the following settings are possible:

- Show posts from XYZ in your home feed.
- Allow XYZ to see what you post in your chronicle

- Show the stories of XYZ (setting only possible in the browser!)
- Allow XYZ to see your stories (setting only possible in the browser!)

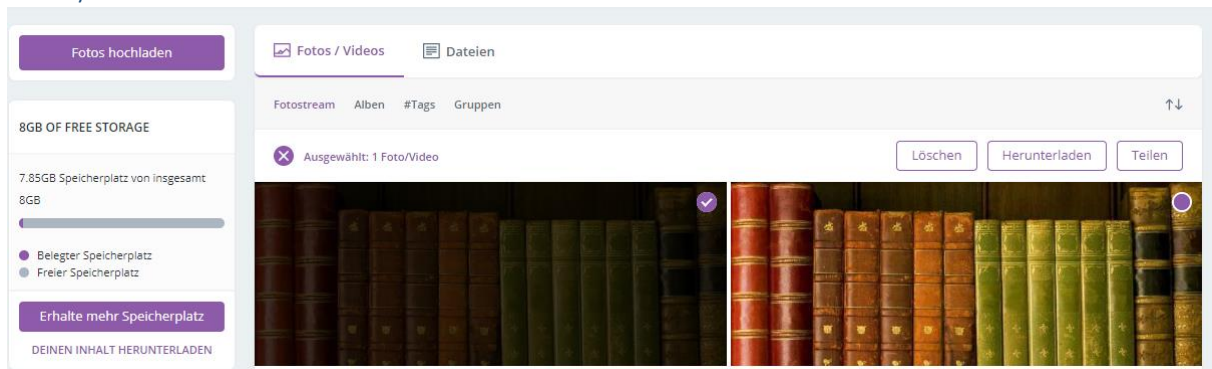
6)

- Contacts: You can manage your contacts here.
- Photos/Videos: You can see your own photos you shared (not group/page!) and delete them including post.
- Groups: All groups are displayed.

► My Contacts

You will get to your contacts that you can manage.

► MyCloud



Every photo/video you upload will end up in the MeWe MyCloud. You have 8 GB of storage space at your disposal for free. For an average user, the 8 GB will be perfectly sufficient. With an image size of 0.5MB it would be 16,000 images. Even with larger GIFS with 5 MB it would be 1,600 gifs. It is also important to mention that the images are compressed by an average of 40%, which means that with a size of 1 MB you save about 0.4 MB. You can easily test this yourself by uploading a picture and then downloading it via the cloud. A test picture of mine had only 0.81 MB instead of 1.28 MB. If the storage is really not enough you can expand it > 50 GB 4,99\$ / month; 100 GB 9,99\$ / month and 500 GB 19,99 USD / month.

If you want to delete/download/share photos you just have to go to the photo until the purple dot appears and click on it. If you just want to download the photo, just click on it and click Download.

In MyCloud you can see all your uploaded photos/videos and files. You can manage your albums and even see which photos you have uploaded in the groups. Please also note that if you delete a photo, for example, and you have it in 3 posts in use, that the associated posts will also be deleted. Therefore, you should consider whether it may not be better that you upload the image a second or third time.

► Settings

» My Account

Under My Account you can find your personal information and change your data. It is also possible to delete your account.

» Subscription & Purchases

Here you can find your purchases and subscriptions from MeWe.

» *Privacy and sharing*

- Set if your profile should be found in the MeWe search, but note that if you deactivate it, you can not be addressed with @.
- Controls who can send you contact requests > all or only contacts of your contacts.
- Enable if others can see your contact list.
- Enables if contacts of your address book, which are already on MeWe, should be added as contacts automatically.
- Activates if only your contacts are allowed to write to you via chat or also contacts from groups.
- Allow your contacts to download shared photos. (This only applies to your timeline and private posts, not to groups).

» *Notifications & Signals*

- There is a possibility to enable desktop notifications.
- Enable the sound for new chat messages and mentions.
- Set which email notifications you want to receive.

» *Feed settings*

You can decide if the posts are sorted by new posts or posts with new comments (Home Feed, Private Posts + Groups).

» *Groups*

Enable/disable group signals and group chat respectively you can also go to the respective settings of the group.

► *Feedback*

If you have a problem or ideas for new functions, please write a feedback to the MeWe-Team.

► *Help Center*

► *Logout*

► *Themen*

Manage your purchased themes and change this.

Smartphone App (Android 13)

The navigation bar



Home



Communities



Chats



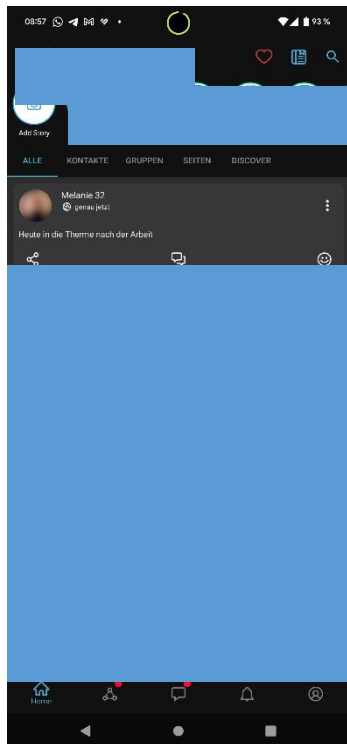
Notification



More/Profile

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Home

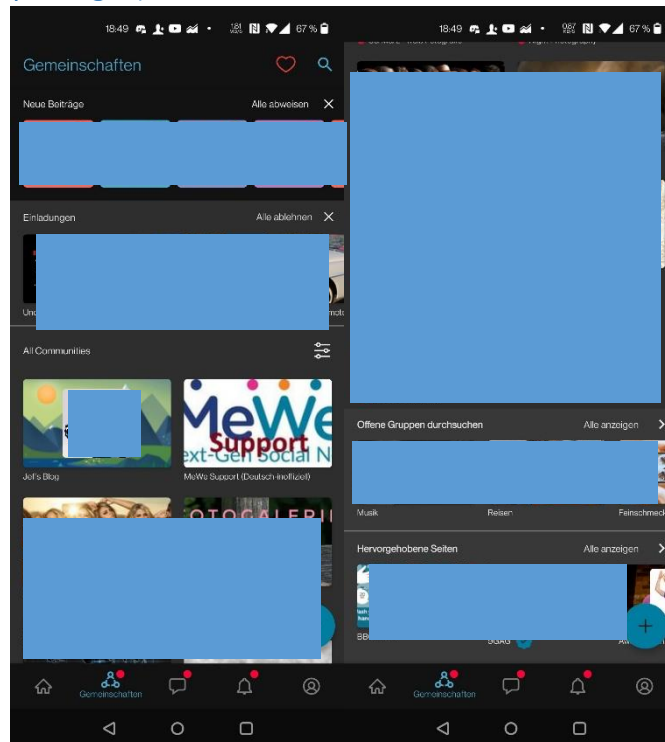


Under Home you can see the posts of your contacts, groups and pages. You can choose whether you only want to see posts from contacts, groups or pages. At Discover you get, according to your defined interests (also there to set), contributions from selectively-set groups suggested.

At the top you will find the stories of your contacts and you can also create new stories. Via the sign to the left of the magnifying glass or to the right of the heart you can also access a story menu and find your archive. Stories expire after 24 hours, so you can replay your own stories if you want. However, the stories of your contacts are gone.

It should be noted that if you comment on a story, you open a new chat with the person.

Communities (Groups/Pages)



In the app, the groups and pages are grouped together as communities. You can't tell which of them is a Group or Page. Jeff's blog about Google & Co would be a Page in this case and MeWe Support (German unofficial) would be a Group. Click on the drop-down menu where it says "All Communities" and choose if you want to see everything or only groups or MeWe pages.

In the communities view you can see where there are new posts, invitations, all your pages & groups, of course you can also browse open groups and pages are suggested.

With a click on the X at the right side of New Posts you can mark all posts as read. If you click on the X at Invitations, all invitations will be rejected.

Compared to the desktop version, you don't have your own stream here. You have to work your way from group to group, but this is relatively fast. Just open a group where there are new posts and you can jump with left and right to the groups with new posts.

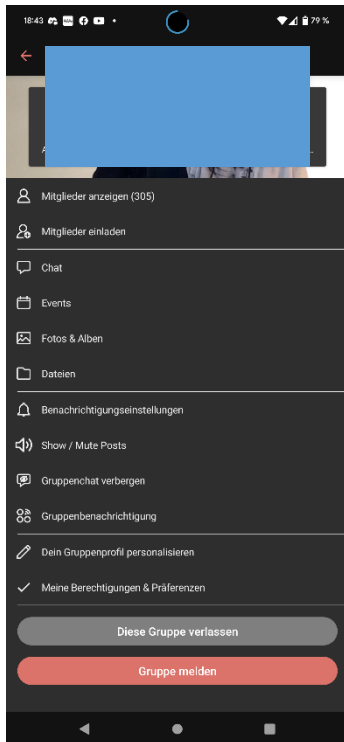
With the green icon you can search for Pages & Groups and create Pages and Groups.

► Join Groups

If you want to join a group, an extra window will appear where you can change your profile picture and also describe yourself (if questions are posted, of course answer questions). You will also be asked if you want to be notified about new posts or chat messages. Note: in each group you have your own profile in addition to your main profile.

When you receive an invitation you can decide if you want to accept or decline the invitation. If you are always bothered about the invitation you can also check the box below to reject future invitations to this group (still quite buggy). If you set that future invitations will be declined, it is currently not possible to revoke this. So if you still want to join you have to search for the group itself. If the group is private this will be a problem, but usually you only activate this because you really want to. (If someone has information about this you can tell me).

► A Group



Of course, in the group you can see the contributions of the members. In the first place, you will often find a post with a star. The star shows you in the app that the post is pinned. In the background image of the group you will find an (i) in the upper right corner and a speech bubble below it. The speech bubble is the group chat. The (i) will take you to the group setting.

» *Show members*: Display of the group members

» *Invite members*: Share the group link / QR code with others, invite members, invite members via your phone contacts.

» *Chat*: go to the chat of the group

» *Events*: events & birthdays are displayed. For open and selective groups, events can only be created by the owner or admins. For private groups by everyone.

» *Photos & Albums*: photos & albums of the group are displayed.

» *Files*: Files of the group will be displayed.

» *Notification settings*: Sets whether you want to be notified when there are new emojis, comments/replies, posts, or new chat messages.

» *Show / Mute Posts*: set whether you want to see the posts in the feed.

» *Hide Group Chat*: hide the group chat in the chat view

» *Group notifications*: enable/disable the group notifications

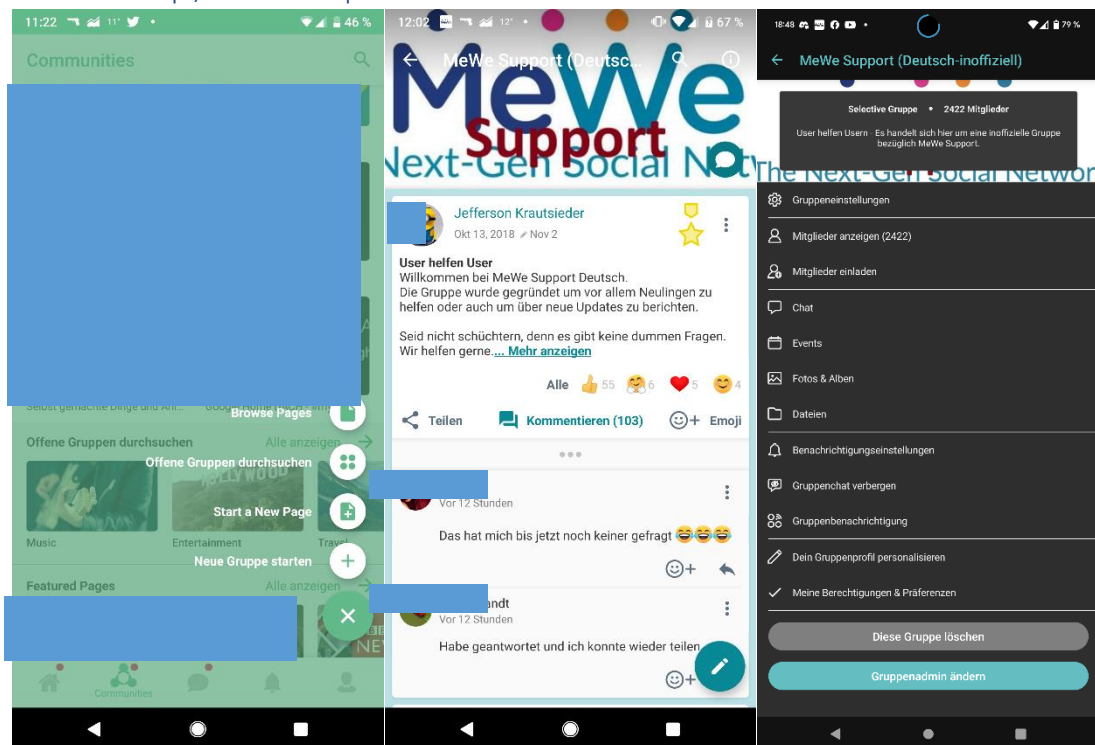
» *Personalize your group profile*: Introduces yourself to the group or answers/changes questions

» *My permissions & preferences*: see what permissions you have in the group. Allow (or not) members to download your photos. Determine if your birthday will be added to the group calendar. Change the color of the group for you.

» *Leave group*: Leave the group (note: when leaving the group, all posts, photos, comments, and chats will be deleted).

» *Report group*: Reports the group to MeWe.

► Create a Group / Own Group



Screenshot 1: You want your own group? Then you have to create it first. Click on the green icon in your community view.

Now the window "New group" pops up. Give a name, tell in the description what the group is about, change the group photo and the color in which the group is displayed (users can change this for themselves) and now click on continue.

Now comes probably the most important point in the groups namely the settings how people can enter.

When joining you have the choice if the group should be private (only by invitation), public (everyone can join) or selective (members can request to join).

Info: When creating a group, you can't create profile questions or select a category, only afterwards via the settings.

Additional information:

"public" groups are automatically always in the directory, but no posts are shown in Discover

"Selective" groups are only in the directory if you activate "Discovery". Discovery selects posts to be displayed in the home stream, but you can also select posts to be displayed in the group itself. In this case, however, posts with zero to one emoji can be selected manually. Posts with 2 or more emojis are automatically added to the pool of recommended posts by the system. Only one post per group may be recommended per 24 hours, i.e. if a post has been selected by the system and is displayed, you cannot recommend any posts yourself.

Screenshot 2: This is how your group looks like. Info: via the 3 dots you can pin the post - star appears.

Screenshot 3: Via the (i) you are now in the settings (there you can also change the group owner (is called in the app group admin change "BUT" it is the owner of the group!)). As you can see, there is now the extra item "Group settings" with the following functions:

» *Name, Description & Photo*: You can change the general information like name, description, group photo and color here.

» *Group Category*: now set your group category.

» *How to become a member*: Manages how new members can join the groups (Private, Selective, Open) and what permissions new members should have. You can also see and change your group link here.

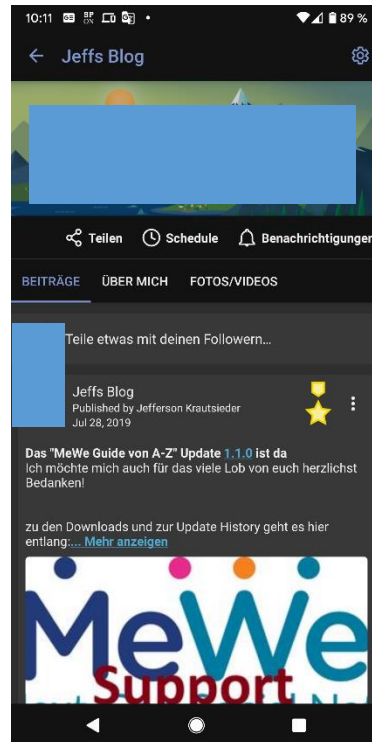
» *Group permissions*: You can change the permissions for contributors, restricted and view.

» *Member Permissions*: Changes the permissions of individual members.

» *Profile questions*: Create the questions you want your members to answer.

» *Group chat*: Enables or disables the chat.

► Pages



Under Communities you will find as mentioned above (Communities) also the MeWe pages. A click on the icon on the bottom right where you can also create new groups, you will find the options "Create a new page and browse pages". Own MeWe pages cost 1,99\$ or 2,19€ / 2,09€ per month per page.

MeWe page as a follower:

When you follow a MeWe page you don't have many options. You can comment and share the posts or page.

MeWe Page as owner:

As owner of a page you can share posts or set a time when the posts should be shared using the schedule function. You can also manage the page and share information. In addition, there are separate notifications that you can only see in the page. Unfortunately, an analytics tool is not yet available in the app version.

Chats



Now let's move on to the chat. Since almost every group has a chat, it can happen that you have a lot of chats with notifications. Just click on the 3 dots and on "Mark all as read" so all chats are marked as read. The chat area also has a search function. This is important in case you can't find group chats/chats anymore.

You can start the following chats by clicking on the speech bubble in the lower right corner:

- Video call
- Voice call
- secret chat (only available after purchase; 1,09€ per month or 6,49€ per year)
- normal chat

Besides text messages you can share pictures, files, doodles, gifs, stickers and sound recordings with your friends. Furthermore, there are the following two functions in the app:

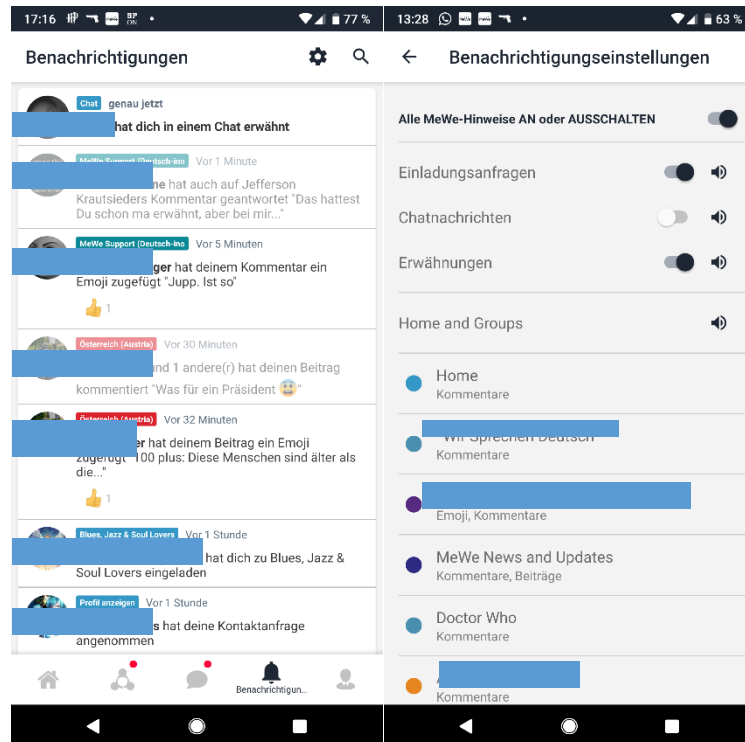
"ME" - selfie function (front camera) with 24 hour timer.

"We" - normal photo/video shooting with 24 hour timer.

With both functions, the photo/video is deleted after 24 hours or you can only view it 1x each.

Tip: if you hold your finger on a message you can copy, forward, delete and select more. By "select more" you can click on more messages which you can then forward, copy or delete. Again, you delete the messages only for you - unless you are owner/admin.

Notifications



As with other social networks, there is also a separate item for notifications here. You can also mark notifications as read in the app. To do so, simply swipe down from the top, as if you wanted to refresh. However, this kind of "read" looks a bit different in the app. You can see it in the screenshot.

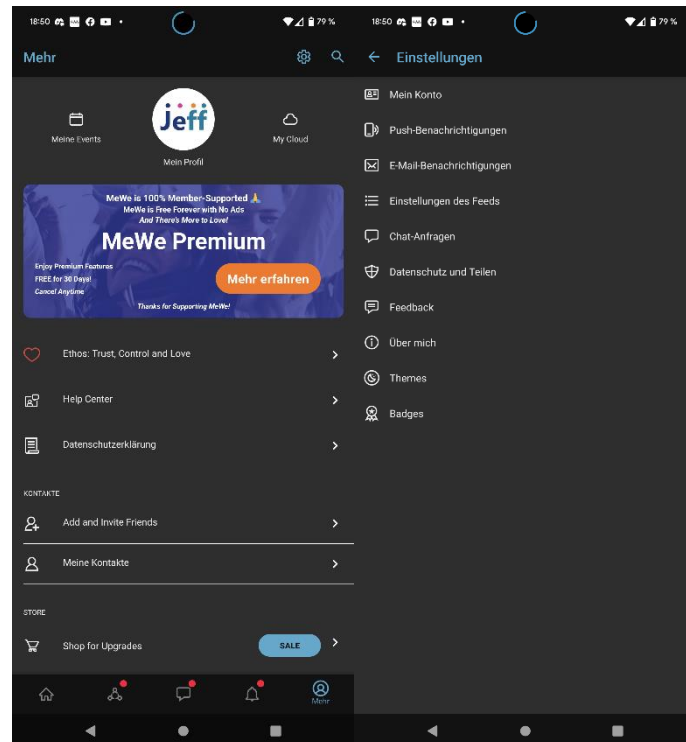
Notification 1: is new - everything is written bold

Notification 2: is actually read - everything is grayed out

Notification 3: is read/ignored - the name remains bold but the rest of the writing becomes normal. This is just to show you that you have ignored the notifications > should you have missed something.

Via the cogwheel you get to the notification settings. There you can define which notifications you want to receive on your smartphone.

More (Profile)



► My Events

Shows you your events and birthdays of your contacts. You can also create a new event.

► My Profile

You will be taken to your profile, you can edit it and create new posts.

► My Cloud

Just like in the browser, you can access your cloud in the app and manage your photos, videos & files.

► Ethos: Trust, Control and Love

Promote MeWe and share your profile link

► Help Center

Various information / help about MeWe

► Invite Contacts

Invite phone contacts

► Contacts

Manages your own contacts

► MeWe Store

Subscribe to Secret Chat or buy emoji packs

► Settings

» *My Account*

Manage your data, such as name, phone number, email address, date of birth, password or delete your account or log out.

» *Push Notifications*: You will be taken to the notification settings for your app notifications

» *E-Mail-Notifications*: Enables email notifications

» *Feed setting*: You can decide whether the posts are sorted by new posts or posts with new comments (Home Feed, Private Posts + Groups).

» *Chat-Requests*: Enables or disables whether members from groups can contact you.

» *Privacy and sharing*

- Set if your profile should be found in the MeWe search, but note that if you deactivate it, you can not be addressed with @.

- Controls who can send you contact requests > all or only contacts of your contacts.

- Enable if others can see your contact list.

- Enables if contacts of your address book, which are already on MeWe, should be added as contacts automatically.

- Activates if only your contacts are allowed to chat with you or also contacts from groups.

- Allow your contacts to download shared photos. (This only applies to your timeline and private posts, not to groups).

» *Feedback*

If you have a problem or ideas for new functions, please write a feedback to the MeWe-Team.

» *Themes*

If you bought the dark theme, you can switch between the light and dark theme.

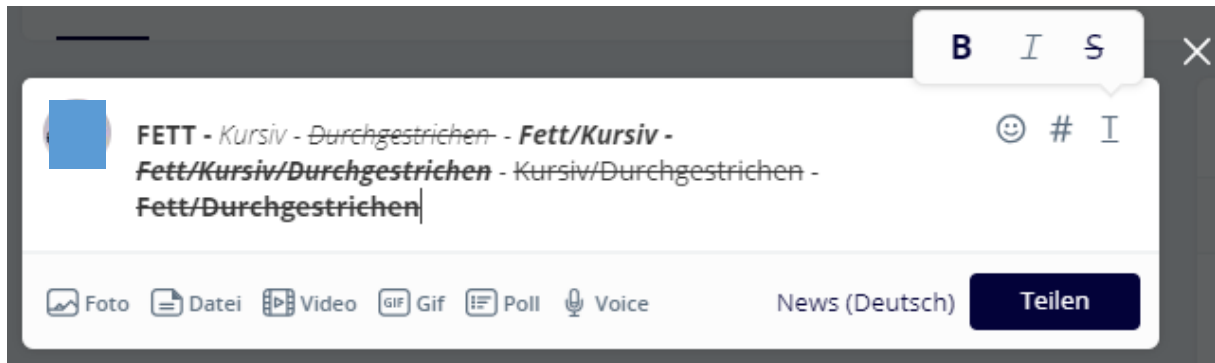
» *Badges*

If you have purchased MeWe Premium or donated to MeWe, you can manage your badge here, which will be displayed in your profile.

Extras

Format text correctly – Markdown Guide

As in other social networks, MeWe also has hidden functions to format the text or make it more beautiful. MeWe itself offers you the options for **bold**, *italic* and ~~strikethrough~~ text in a simplified form when creating a post or comment.



You can also format the text with characters as follows

text = *text* (italic)

text = **text** (bold)

text = ***text*** (bold+italic)

text = *text* (italic)

__text__ = **text** (bold)

___text___ = ***text*** (bold+italic)

~~text~~ = ~~text~~ (strikethrough text)

> Text = | quoted-Text

Text

> Text 1

Text 1

Text 2

Text 3

= multiline quoted Text

[text](link) = Instead of a link like <https://www.google.at> you can simply

[Google](<https://www.google.at>) and with your contribution appears simply the clickable Link [Google](#).

* at the beginning of the line = • appears as a bullet

– at the beginning of the line = • appears as a bullet

1. or 1) = 1. ; so the bracket after a number becomes a point by itself (enumeration)

--- or *** or ___ or __ _ = Horizontal line appears (nothing else may be written in the line)

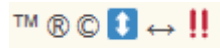
`text` = The text is displayed in a font of an old computer (only visible for PC/notebook users)

„`Text = The text should be displayed in a gray box, doesn't work for me on PC or mobile.

: = If you enter : when writing, the smileie search will open (Only for PC/Notebook users)

Text 1 | Text 2 | Text 3 = This is a frameless table

... or .. = Unicode Omission points



= If you copy these Unicode characters into the text, they will be automatically converted to emojis (had to paste as image, because Word did not display all of them)

Text = **Text** (only bold displayed on PC, no further function)

Text = **Text** (only bold displayed on PC, no further function)

Text = **Text** (only bold displayed on PC, no further function)

max 6 Levels of # to ##### (only bold displayed on PC, no further function)

The following example shows you how to display a code:

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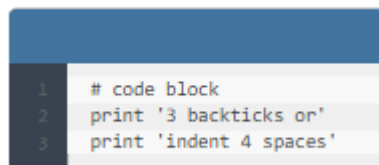
# code block

print '3 backticks or'

print 'indent 4 spaces'

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Instead of ``` you can also use ~~~, and if you write a name right after the first characters, it will be displayed in the blue field; only if you write javascript as a name, the field will be red instead of blue.

If you want to use characters like * without making the text bold, you can insert a \ (backslash) *`text`*.

@{{u_5bbd2e2a2ee15f2bb816e1b9}}Mein Name} – this character/string of letters is my profile number. If you want to link a profile and you may not be able to address it correctly with @, then you can simply take its number and thus link. You will not see the number in your profile. You can easily find it in the browser via Profiles.

It should also be noted that you can combine the different formatting. So that your post looks good you will probably need some practice and also have to edit the post a few times.

Block members / contacts

Make sure you are in the correct view for the person you want to block. If you block a person "in the group", then the person will only be blocked for this group. If you want to block the person completely, i.e. for you and all your groups, then you have to go directly to the main profile and block this person there. Please note that blocked members in the group can be managed by you via the member directory and not via your own contacts (only possible for admins/owners).

If you block members in other groups, they will automatically be blocked everywhere and not only in this one group and you will find them via your contacts menu.

Restrict members in groups (prohibit posting)

You can, if you wish, set members so that posts from you must be approved before they appear in the group. If a restricted member now shares a post you will receive a notification.

Browser: Go to your group and you will see an extra tab under posts with "Pending Posts" and there you can share all the posts.

App: You click on the (i) to get to the settings, there is now also an item "Pending Posts".

Since notifications can sometimes go missing, you should check it regularly.

Important!!! - If you share a post, it will be shared as a "new" post. So if someone has shared a post on 3.11 and this ends up in the pending post and you share this on 5.12, then this post also has the date 5.12.

Tips for Chats

- If you click on the 3 dots you can edit chat texts afterwards (Browser)
- If you long press the text you get the option to edit the text (App)
- If you press a text longer and then click on more, you can select multiple texts and then copy or delete them. (App) (Browser not possible)
- Messages you delete will only be deleted for you (except admin/owner) others can still see the messages (unless they are your own).

Tips for Photos / Cloud

- Currently it is not possible to select a photo, video or file from the cloud when you create a post. But if you want to use a photo from the cloud, you must first go to the cloud, select the photo/video/file and then click Share. (Browser/App)

- Photos in the cloud cannot be easily added to an album. If you want to add a photo you have to go to your post or indicate that you want to add the photo. (Browser/App)

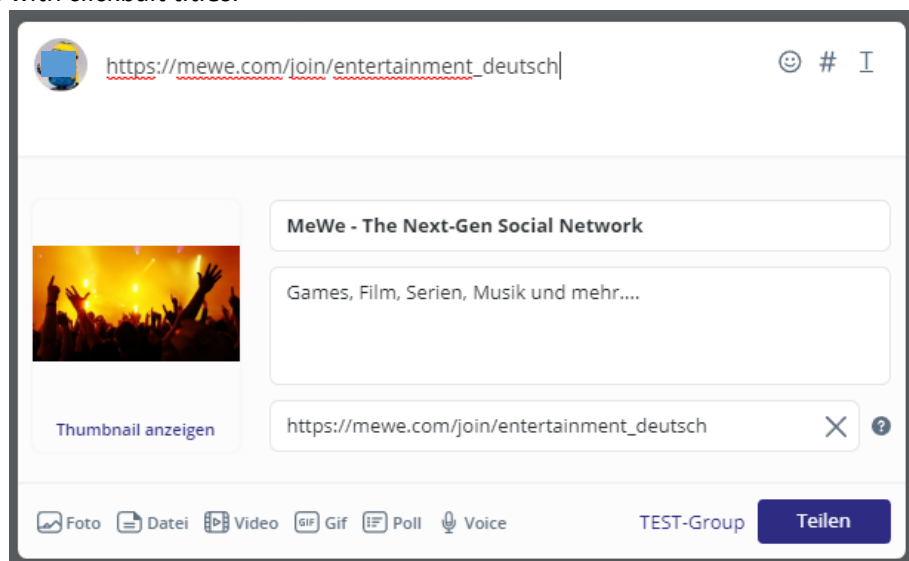
Proper handling of shared links

You have probably already noticed that not all websites attach great importance to what information is transmitted. Even MeWe could be better as you can see from the screenshot.

However, you have the possibility to change the title, the description and also the link, if you have copied the wrong one. In the app, unfortunately, you can no longer change the link and even have to recreate the post in an emergency so that a preview appears.

In my screenshot you can see that I want to share a group, but displayed here me only the description correctly. The group is called "Entertainment (Music, Movies, Series, Games & Co)" and so I only have to change the title and maybe add a better description.

So make sure that when you share a link, you add or correct important information. Especially it is very helpful with clickbait titles.



What does MeWe offer you with a Pro subscription or additional costs

MeWe also has to finance itself somehow, so that the costs of the employees, server and Co are covered. Therefore 3 subscriptions (currently only 2 available) are offered.

For the following additional functions, no subscription is necessary:

1) MyCloud: MeWe provides you with 8 GB of storage space. If you need more storage, you have the following options: - 50 GB for 4,99 \$ per month - 100 GB for 9,99 \$ per month - 500 GB for \$19.99 per month

2) MeWe's secret chat is a more secure end-to-end encrypted chat for \$1.09 a month or \$6.49 a year on.

3) You can also enhance your chat with seepers (emojis). Each package costs 1,09€ (one time).

Now we come to the subscriptions: (Attention you create a new account with a subscription) These features are included in all Pro subscriptions:

Groups & Subgroups:

- Enhanced interactive group newsfeed
- smart search - personalize permissions
- Guest access
- Comment and post with voicemail - and much more

Next generation chat + private posts:

- Private posts > clear history of conversations
- Next generation chat > fully editable text and voice messages
- Voice & video calls with advanced features
- Custom camera, filters and memes/gifs creation
- Send disappearing content

Fully encrypted secret chat:

- Double Ratchet encryption technology
- Protect your IP and company secrets
- Full customization of chat functions

Calendar and events:

- Integrated event chat - Custom reminders
- Convenient multi-calendar option
- Sync with Outlook, Google Calendar and iCal

Microsoft and Google documents in real time:

- Share and edit simultaneously
- Comment with text and voice messages
- Advanced MeWePRO collaboration tools

Everyday fun and contacts:

- Giphy integration
- 1,800+ emoji
- Custom camera
- Meme and gif generators

Subscriptions:

1) Silver (\$4.99 Monthly or \$3.99 Monthly for annual subscription/users):

- Unlimited users for your groups
- 50 GB cloud storage / per member
- File size 1 GB
- 12 admins
- Basic Support

2) Gold (\$8.99 monthly or \$7.99 monthly for annual subscription/users)

- Silver Features
- Groups with unlimited subgroups (similar to categories)
- 100 GB cloud storage / per member
- File size 2 GB
- 24 admins per subgroup
- Voice & Video Calling
- Premium Support

3) Platinum (price on request):

- all of Silver + Gold
- unlimited guest access
- unlimited cloud storage
- file size 5GB
- unlimited admins
- video conferencing
- 2-factor authentication

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Add photo to an album

You can't add a photo from the cloud to an album directly from the cloud. The only option currently available is to create a new album, but you cannot select photos that you have already uploaded.

However, you have 2 options to drop your albums:

1) right when you create the post

2) if you forgot to add the photo to the album when creating the post, go back to the post > click the 3 dots > Add to album > select the album.

If you have selected the wrong album, you can remove the photo by clicking on the 3 dots, but be careful > the displayed text "This deletes the post from the album "xxx"" is a bit misleading. You only remove the photo from the album and can then add the photo to another album.

If you share the post with the photo in another group, you can simply select an album where the photo should end up. It is possible to create separate albums for each group. Unfortunately, this is not possible with the app. You have to go to the respective post and then add it to an album.

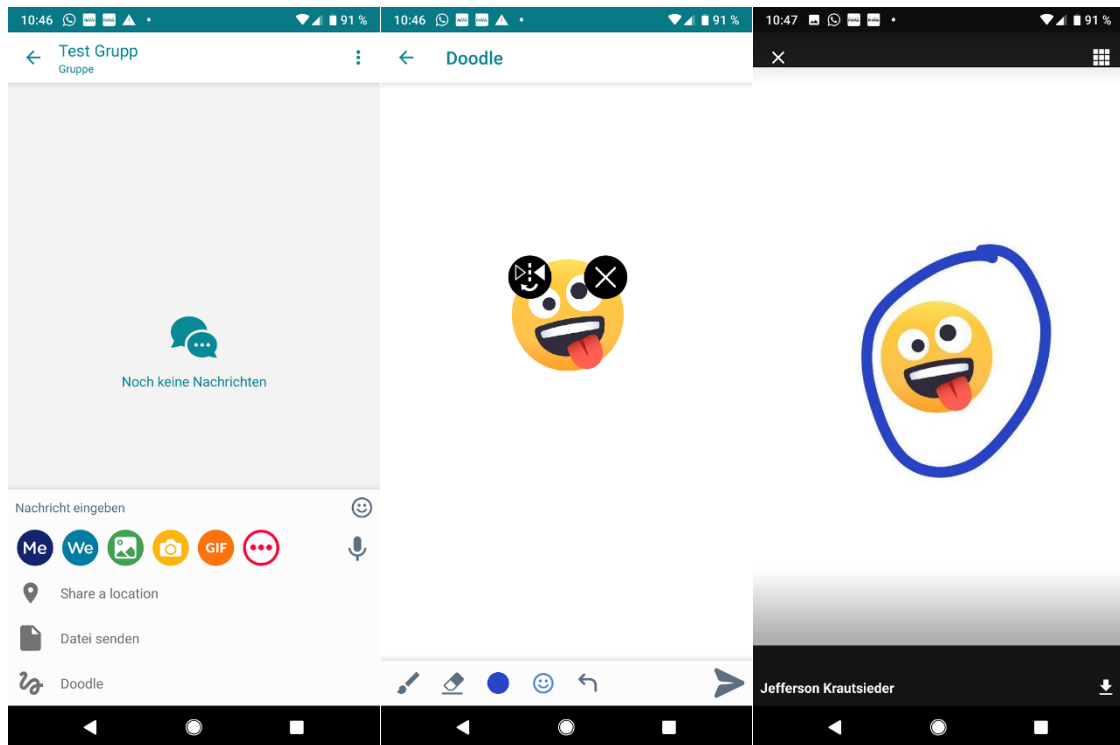
Photo Show / Slider

App: If you want to take a closer look at a photo you can simply click on it, but if you swipe left and right you will automatically jump to the photo in the group or profile.

Browser: In the browser you can of course also view the photos and jump to the next one. To do this, simply click on the arrows "< or >" at the top.

Doodle-Function in Chat

In MeWe Chat (only in the app) there is a doodle function. Most of you should know what this is. If not, a short explanation: You can make your own drawings.



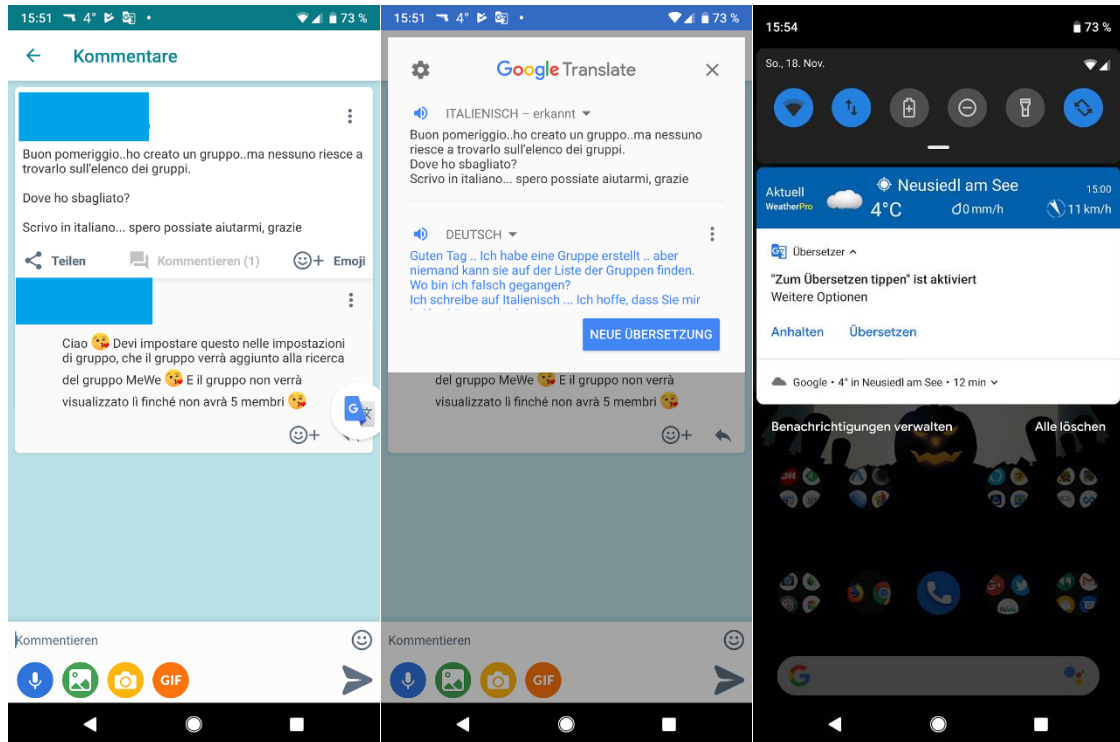
Once in the chat, simply click on the 3 dots and then on Doodle. Now you are in the drawing area. With the brush you can paint and also change the strength of the brush. With the eraser you can erase areas. The size of the eraser depends on the thickness of the brush. With the smile icon it is possible to add smileies and stickers. The selected image will automatically be placed in the center of the drawing. If you want to move it, you just have to hold your finger on it and drag it somewhere else. With a short click on the image you can also delete or flip it. However, it is not possible to remove parts of the smiley or sticker with the eraser.

When you are done, just send the doodle.

The created doodle will end up in the chat and also in your MeWe Cloud. If you click on your doodle you can download it. But if you go to the browser, you can share the doodle with a group or home stream.

Translate MeWe App content with the help of Google Translator

As you know by now, there is no way to translate the text in MeWe itself. In the browser, this is relatively easy, as there are several ways to help yourself. On the smartphone or tablet, the app "Google Translator" from the App Store is recommended.



Once you have installed the app, open it. Click on the 3 lines in the upper left corner > Settings > "Tap to translate" and activate this. Also set your main language. In my screenshot 3 you can see that the app is now active.

If you are now in a group where something is written in Italian like in the screenshot above > hold your finger on it > "Copy text" is displayed > now click on Copy text > immediately the Google translator pops up (you can move the icon) > click on it and just translate your text (screenshot 2)

Correct handling of tags

Those of you who come from Twitter or actively use Twitter will probably know how important the right #hashtags can be. They also play an important role at MeWe. With hashtags, you can not only make your posts easier, but also find interesting things on other topics.

However, there is a big difference here whether you click on a #hashtag in the home stream or in a friend's profile.

The big difference:

Home stream:

If you click on a #hashtag via the home stream, all posts with the selected #hashtag will be displayed, just like via search

Profile:

If you click on a #hashtag in the profile, only the posts of the respective user will be displayed.

Group:

Posts within the group will be displayed (important to separate content).

Due to the difference, it may be possible that you create your own #Hashtags.

For example:

If I create a post in the morning to greet my followers, I give the post the #Hashtag "#GoodMorning". Now when someone clicks on it in the home stream, they see all the posts with #GoodMorning. That's why I just add "jk" to relevant #hashtags. Then it looks like this for me "#GutenMorgenjk". This way it doesn't matter if my post is visible in the home stream or not.

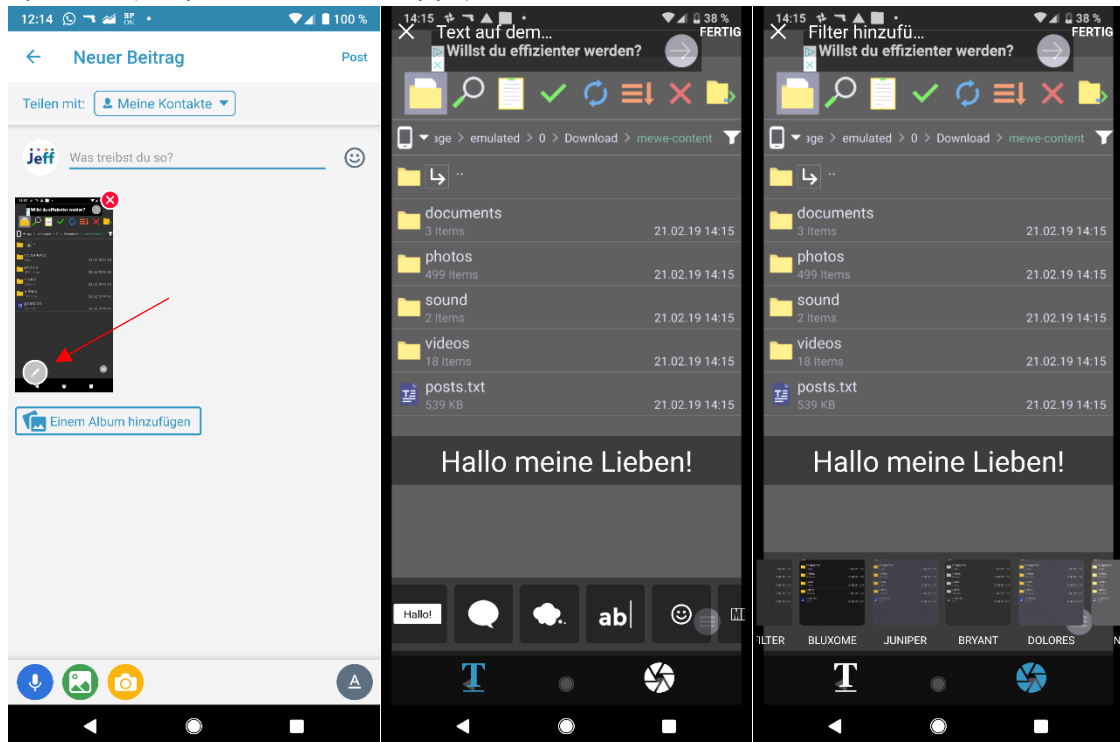
I also recommend that you define your important #Hashtags for your profile in the first post, because there are no categories or collections and if you bring different posts like me, it is simply clearer for followers if you separate them with #Hashtags.

My hashtags:

#gutenmorgenjk #gutenachtjk #wochenendejk #funnyjk #tierejk #GIFjk #musikjk #gamesjk #filmejk
#serienjk #meinblogjk #meinefotosjk #österreichjk #newsjk #technologiejk #geschichtejk
#gesundheitjk #wissenschaftjk #kochenjk #zitatejk #sonstigesjk

Also interesting to me is that when someone shares my post, that I can see who shared it by the #hashtag because no one actually edits them when they share.

Edit photos (only in der MeWe App!)



Many of you may not know it, but you can edit your photos in the MeWe app. However, the function only exists when you want to upload and share a new photo.

First, you create a new post or you can also select that you want to share a photo. Select the corresponding photo and then click on the small pencil in the app (see red arrow). You now have 2 options to choose from:

1) Text: You have a wide variety of text options available to you e.g.: Speech bubbles, memes and more. You can also simply move your text with your finger on the image or zoom in and out with 2 fingers (pull together / pull apart).

2 Filters: You can use a wide variety of filters

Of course you can also combine everything.

When you are done, just click on Done in the upper right corner and share your masterpiece.

Google Chrome (Browser) – reduce required memory

The more tabs you have open in the browser, the more memory you need. If you have a problem with this, you can reduce the memory under the following function, if you set it to "Enabled".

<chrome://flags/#automatic-tab-discarding>

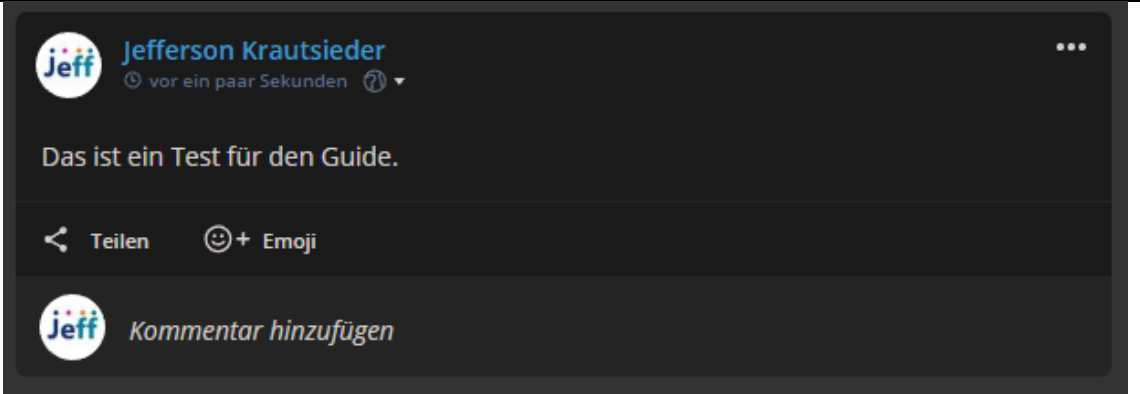
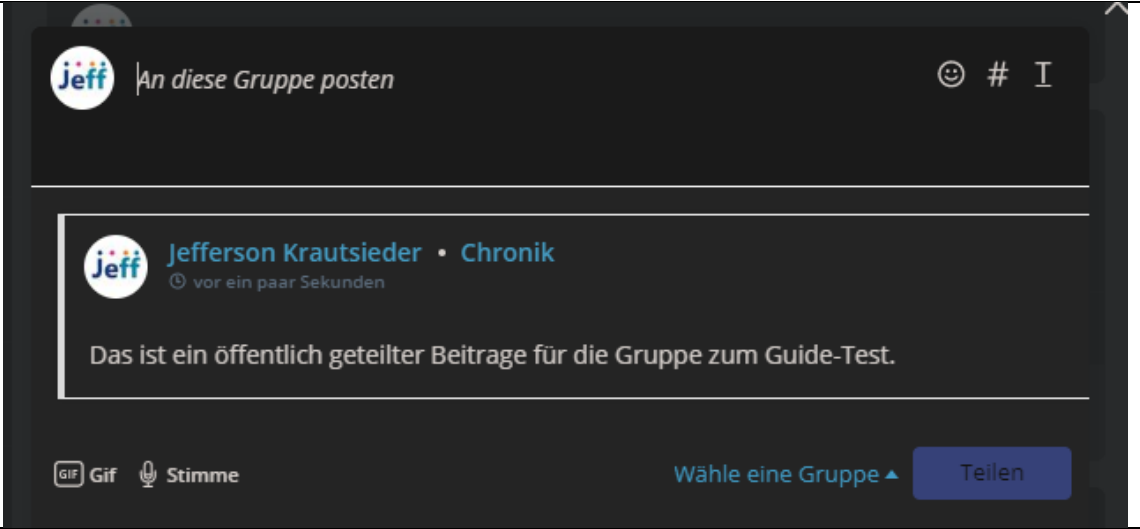
The function simply freezes the currently unused tab. (Use at your own risk).

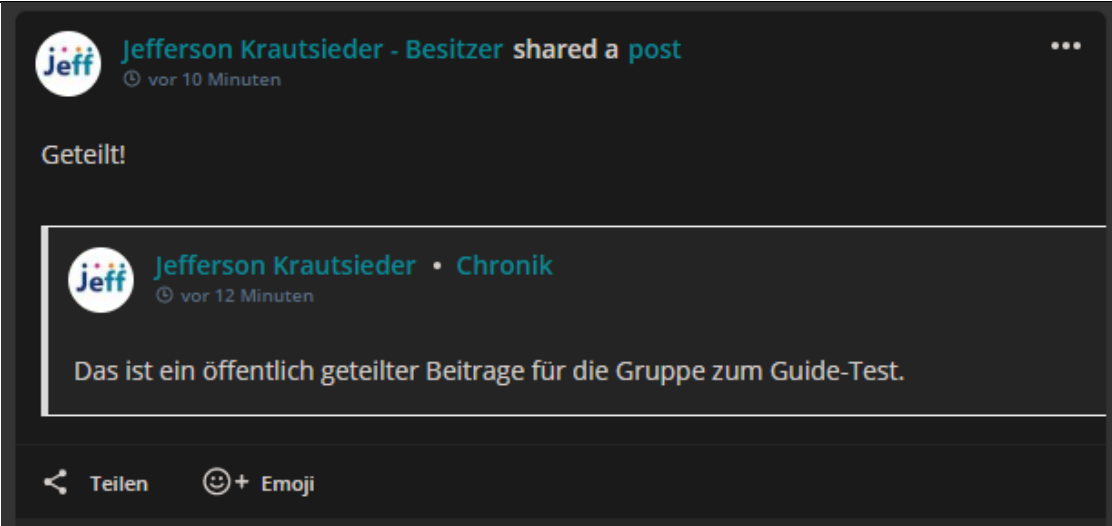
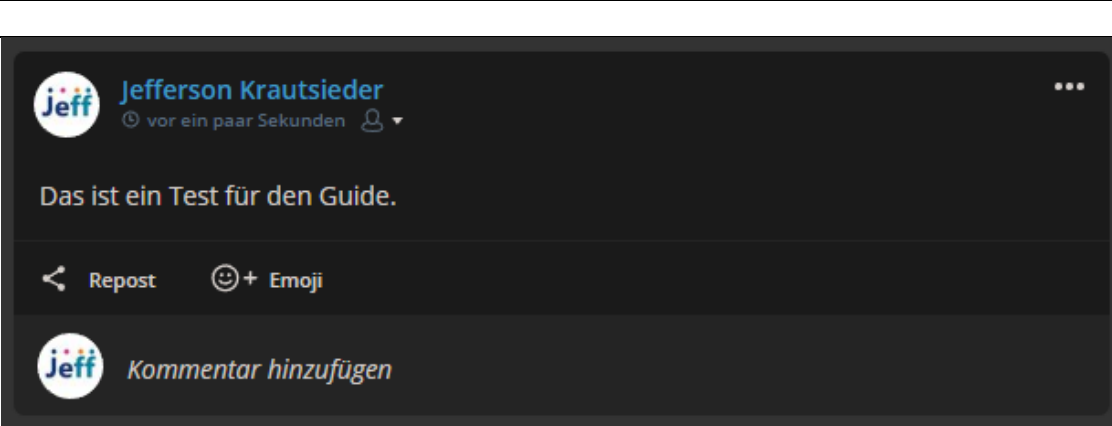
All about sharing posts

At MeWe it is not quite clear for some members how something is shared or why you can share or not share something from others. That's why I try to provide a hopefully understandable instruction/explanation with this extra.

First of all, I would like to inform you that there is no longer a share on or off function (except in selectively set groups), because publicly shared posts can share all and private only each himself. In the app under "Settings > Privacy and Sharing" you can still see the function regarding sharing. However, this only affects the downloading of images. This also leads to misunderstandings again and again.

Note: You can share your posts "always"!

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	At the name / date above you will see a small globe, this shows you that the post was shared publicly. In addition, you have the option to share the post further.
	If you want to share a publicly shared post, your original shared post will appear and you can add something at the top.
	
	If the post is shared in an open group, the post can be shared by others. If it is a private group, sharing is not possible. In case of a selective group, it depends on the settings of the owner.

	
	<p>This is what it looks like when you share a publicly shared post. Note that if the original post is deleted, only your additional text is displayed here, but the shared post itself is gone. It will also show where you originally shared the post. Many group owners do not accept this sharing method anymore, because you indirectly advertise for other groups/profiles.</p>
2.	
	<p>As you can see, instead of a globe, you see a small figure. Thus, the post has been shared exclusively with your contacts or with you. Strangers can not share the post. If it's your post, it says "Repost" in the browser and "Report again" in the app.</p>
	<p>If you share the post yourself, a copy is made here and is an independent post. So you should be careful, because if you share this in an open group, others can share this further.</p>

Short info about groups:

open group = everything can be shared

Selective group = the owner determines under > group settings > permissions (in the app group permissions) > if posts can be shared or not

Private group = nothing can be shared

My suggestion or approach is that I share posts in principle first private > the posts then in the respective group and the original then set to public. Since I myself do not find the display " XYZ has shared a post / shared a post" nice and do not want in my groups.

Format posts, comments & chat messages using other fonts & Markdown

If you don't know it yet, but MeWe offers much more than the normal text formatting (bold, italic, strikethrough). It is a lot of fun to design your own text with other fonts. This way you can find your individual design that suits you and you also highlight your texts.

The following should be considered:

UTF8 or Google Fonts fonts should be used. If you use unusual fonts, it can come to problems with the display for other users and I think you do not want that. Furthermore, especially owners of older / cheap smartphones / tablets have problems with the display (I was told due to problems of some members). So you should really pay attention to what fonts you use. Therefore you should check if the text can really be read by your contacts - maybe you talk among yourselves and decide which font you can use.

Browser (PC/Notebook):

If you use a browser, you can easily use other fonts. All you have to do is open a writing program, select the font, write your text, and then paste it into MeWe.

Smartphone/Tablets:

For smartphones/tablets it looks a little different, but there are countless apps here, and here you have to decide which apps are suitable for you.

– Liste of Top 20 Font Apps for Android und iOS

<https://www.easytechtrick.org/font-style-apps/>

Tips:

If you don't want to use a writing program or app now, you can of course write online. The two links are examples of UTF-8 fonts and Google Fonts - in both cases you can write online and then paste it into MeWe (or other platforms).

– UTF-8 Fonts - <https://www.topster.de/text/utf-schriften.html>

– Google Fonts - <https://fonts.google.com/>

Have you chosen your font?

Once you have selected the appropriate font for your text, you can format it further using the Markdown Guide (see Table of Contents), because there are more options than **Bold**, *Italic*, and .

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Link MeWe Tags

As you know, there are no categories in MeWe, so we have to help ourselves with tags. There is also an extra mini-guide in the MeWe Guide (How to use tags correctly).

Many of you don't know that you can also link to tags. It should be noted that this is extremely inconvenient via the app, unless you save the corresponding links and Markdown codes separately and copy them in when writing a text. I therefore rather recommend the use of the browser.

Imagine you have shared a post about the Netflix series "Stranger Things", then you will for example set a hashtag like #Netflix and #StrangerThings. But you want people to find only your post with a hashtag so your creativity is needed and you might create a hashtag like #NetStrangeThingsJK. In my case a connection with Netflix, Stranger Things and the first letters of my first and last name. In that case, I assume that no other user will use this hashtag. The question now is how can you link to your hashtag?

Each profile, page and group has its own ID which is displayed in the URL (address bar) (example):

My Profile:

<https://mewe.com/profile/5bbd2e2a2ee15f2bb816e1b9>

MeWe Support:

<https://mewe.com/group/5bc202f8a40f300b62281b59>

My MeWe Page:

<https://mewe.com/page/5bd888c8a40f301d8a04cd33>

After Profile, Group & Page you will see the respective ID.

Please note that hashtags that you click on will only display posts in the respective environment. This means that if you click on a hashtag in the profile, only posts in the profile will be displayed.

The link will look like this:

<https://mewe.com/profile/5bbd2e2a2ee15f2bb816e1b9?tag=NetStrangeThingsJK>

As you can see the link at the end ?tag=NetStrangeThingsJK hinzugefügt.

Of course, the link does not look very nice in a comment / post. Here you can help yourself with the following Markdown code:

[text](link) = Instead of a link like <https://www.google.at> you can simply use [Google](<https://www.google.at>) and with your contribution appears simply the clickable Link Google.

Using my example, the code would look like this:

[#NetStrangeThingsJK](<https://mewe.com/profile/5bbd2e2a2ee15f2bb816e1b9?tag=NetStrangeThingsJK>) > Result: #NetStrangeThingsJK

Unfortunately, the linking does not work across groups. That is, you can not link in a group (eg) to your profile hashtag (tested with FireFox, Chrome and Edge Chromium). Further, the linking is still somewhat buggy. It is hoped that MeWe will add a few more features here.

MeWe Button for Websites

<https://www.jeffsblog.at/mewe-social-network/mewe-extra-hilfe/mewe-button-fuer-webseiten/>

MeWe Button for Browser

Share everything about MeWe no matter where you are on the web

<https://www.jeffsblog.at/mewe-social-network/mewe-extra-hilfe/mewe-button-fuer-browser/>

FAQ

How can I share posts publicly (to WWW e.g. Facebook, WhatsApp, Twitter...)?

- Currently not at all, will be introduced with upcoming updates.

How do I get to the link of the post so that I can share the post in for example a messenger?

- Currently not at all, will be introduced with upcoming updates.

What all falls into the 8 GB cloud storage?

- Photos/GIFS/Videos you upload in a group, page, chat or profile.

I am also in non-German groups, how can I get the text translated?

- On the desktop it is best to use Google Chrome Browser, there you can translate the text from Google with a few clicks (right mouse button) > alternative Copy & Paste in Google Translator or Deepl.

- if you want to do it in the app, install Google Translator and set it to run in the background, then you just have to highlight the text and click copy and the translator pops up and asks if you want to translate it

I can't find my albums and photos, where can I find the cloud?

- Currently not possible in the app > only via browser.

If you use a smartphone/tablet browser, you may have to activate the desktop version of the page in the browser settings. Link directly to the MeWe Cloud: <https://mewe.com/mycloud>

How do I change my name later?

- in the profile settings (My account, every 60 days possible)

How do I create categories?

- There are no categories here, but you can solve it by using #Hashtags. For example, if you have a group about music, then you simply set the tag #Rock for rock music.

How can I download videos?

- The function does not currently exist. There are countless tools for this, just google for it.

Where can I see how much free space I have?

- In MyCloud (in the browser)

If you have a smartphone/tablet browser, you may have to activate the desktop version of the page in the browser settings. Link directly to MeWe Cloud: <https://mewe.com/mycloud>

- in the MeWe Store if you want to extend your cloud storage (in App)

Is it possible to create a second profile here?

- You can create as many profiles as you want.

How can I prevent others from downloading my photos?

- Group: Settings: My Permissions & Preferences (App) / Permissions (Browser)

- Profile: Settings: Privacy & Sharing (App/Browser).

Where can I view the group profile?

- In the group, simply click on a person's profile picture or yours.

Can I just follow contacts or does the person have to add me to their contacts?

- Currently you can't follow contacts, you can only add them to your contacts (feature is planned though).

How can I chat with someone privately?

Browser: Chats > click on the small speech bubble > now select your contact (currently no possibility to use the secret chat)

App: Chats > click on the small bubble > select Chat or Secret Chat (if you have the subscription) > now select your contact

Where can I find my activity log like on Facebook?

Unfortunately there is no such thing here. You can see in the notifications what is going on with you. Also, in each group you have your own profile, so you just have to click on your profile there and see all your posts within the group. I recommend that you work with #Hashtags so that you can find your posts easier.

I can't find my group in the directory or it can't be entered?

For the directory, your group must have 5 members before it can be entered. Groups with erotic content sooner or later fly out of the directory and can no longer be entered. If no posts are shared in the group, it will be removed from the directory after a few days, but if you share a new post, it will be added again - be sure to check the settings to see if it has been added. Private groups can not be included.

Problems with the login?

Many have the problem that when they want to log in in the browser it does not work because they have logged in in the app with the cell phone number. In principle, it should very well work if you enter the number when logging in, but many try to enter their email address. Login with email only works if you also add your email address in the app. If you have added your email address in the app, you should not have a problem anywhere. I advise you anyway to log in with your email address and not your phone number. A password reset currently also only works with the email address.

What is the difference between public and share with contacts?

Public: The post can be shared, will be found via search by people who don't follow you and can be read on your profile even if the contacts don't follow you (useful for the upcoming follow function).

Share with contacts: The post is only visible to your contacts and can also only be found by your contacts in search.

Tip: So that you don't get a "repost from" on your own posts, you should first share the post with your contacts and then "repost" and set the new post to public there. It just looks better than sharing yourself.

How can I edit my post?

To do this, click on the 3 dots on the right and then click edit.

What format should the group/profile banner image have?

The standard MeWe banner has a size of 770px x 300px (width x height; px = pixels). The image loses about 24px at the top and bottom in this size. If the image is larger, of course, more. The recommendation would be 945px x 320px. Images in the sizes of 742px x 250px and 1666px x 562px

also work great, but with the same limitation. The best way is to create an image and test it and if it fits save a template.

Why can't I delete my albums?

Currently you have to delete every single image in the album beforehand and even then it may not be deleted immediately (sometimes takes a few days).

My group is no longer in the directory why?

Always check if the checkmark is set under "Settings > Membership > "Include this group in the MeWe directory to make it easier for people to find and join the group (browser only!).

You will be kicked out of the directory for the following reasons:

- Less than 5 members
- No posts within 1 month; You get the message as a notification that due to inactivity the group has been removed from the directory, but will be re-entered when a new post is made. (Check mark)
- You change any setting; check mark must be set again.
- The group or the posts in the group do not comply with the terms of use. If you want to set the checkmark, you will get an error message when saving (which doesn't tell you anything). The advantage is that MeWe basically does not delete.
- The group or the contributions of the group were reported. You will not be able to set a checkmark here.

Posting of forbidden content according to MeWe terms of use:

- Violation of laws and guidelines.
- Sending unsolicited or unauthorized advertising or business communications such as spam.
- Performing spidering, data harvesting, or use of software or spyware that collects data from the Site or Services.
- Using automated methods to use the Website or Services.
- Stalking, harassing, bullying, intimidating or hurting other users.
- Posting illegal, infringing, obscene or pornographic content.
- Impersonating someone else.
- Publishing content that is abusive, threatening, hurtful, incites violence, or contains graphic or gratuitous depictions of violence.
- Use of MeWe for illegal, false, malicious or discriminatory acts.
- Publishing content that you do not have the right to publish.
- Publishing content that violates trademarks or copyrights.
- Publishing viruses or malicious scripts.
- Posting of spam or link baits.
- Attempts to circumvent technical security measures designed to protect the Site or the services of MeWe or MeWe's operators or third party companies (including other users).
- Attempting to decrypt, decompile, or disassemble the software used to protect the Site or Services, or to destroy it by reverse engineering.
- Solicit, encourage or assist a third party to commit any of these listed acts.

Why does my post with photo/video disappear?

It often happens, especially in the evening and on weekends, to server problems and therefore the upload often takes longer or does not go at all. You have to look at the post if it says "Pending", that

means the upload is not finished yet and you must not click any further, because if you continue you will cancel the upload and the post is gone.

How can I delete a MeWe Page?

At the moment you can only delete a page in the browser via Settings > Admin/Owner.

Censorship affecting MeWe

In countries like China, images captured directly by MeWe, such as ME's or WE's, are removed directly when uploaded. In some countries (e.g.: Muslim countries), MeWe's hit list on Giphies is completely different. For example, words like "sex" or "porn" will not show any hits at all. Other search terms like "erotics" show a selection, but are completely different thumbnails than in other countries. (Thanks to user "Board Rider" for the information!).

Due to the MeWe terms of use, some content is banned but tolerated as long as there are no reports to MeWe. However, this content is filtered out by the search. Thus it is not possible to search for eroticism or sex. This is for example also a reason why groups or pages are not shown in the directory.

Can I share posts time-shifted?

On MeWe Pages, yes, because you have a subscription. In other areas you can do this on MeWe only with a premium membership.

Why can't I have more than 8,000 contacts?

It is no longer possible to have more than 8,000 contacts. You should consider creating a MeWe page or group.

Bugs

On my blog you can find a list of the current major bugs:

<https://www.jeffsblog.at/mewe-social-network/derzeitige-bugs/>

Important links on Jeffsblog.at:

- 1) MeWe Guide from A-Z (Download PDF & Google Drive) > check for a new version
<https://www.jeffsblog.at/mewe-social-network/mewe-guide-von-a-z/>
- 2) MeWe – Format text correctly – Markdown Guide
<https://www.jeffsblog.at/mewe-social-network/mewe-extra-hilfe/mewe-markdown-guide/>
- 3) MeWe Button for Webseiten
<https://www.jeffsblog.at/mewe-social-network/mewe-extra-hilfe/mewe-button-fuer-webseiten/>
- 4) MeWe Button for Browser (Share everything about MeWe no matter where you are on the web)
<https://www.jeffsblog.at/mewe-social-network/mewe-extra-hilfe/mewe-button-fuer-browser/>
- 5) Link MeWe Tags
<https://www.jeffsblog.at/mewe-social-network/mewe-extra-hilfe/mewe-tags-verlinken/>
- 6) Frequently Asked Questions > You will always find the latest Frequently Asked Questions here before they are still in the guide.
<https://www.jeffsblog.at/mewe-social-network/haeufig-gestellte-fragen/>

- 7) Current Bugs > You have a problem? Check out our bug list
<https://www.jeffsblog.at/mewe-social-network/derzeitige-bugs/>

More links on MeWe:

- MeWe Support

https://mewe.com/join/mewe_support_deutsch

Update History

Update 2.1.0

- The Desktop Guide (Chrome Browser) > Home > Screenshot exchanged + point 1 regarding Discovery (**added**)
- The Desktop Guide (Chrome Browser) > Create Group / My Group > Settings Membership (Discovery function explained) (**changed**)
- Smartphone App > Home > Screenshot exchanged - Discovery (**added**)
- Smartphone App > Create Group / My Group > Settings - Membership (Discovery function explained) (**changed**)
- Extras > Members / Block contacts (**changed**)
- Frequently Asked Questions > How do I change my name later? (**changed**)
- Frequently Asked Questions > Can I share posts time-shifted? (**added**)
- Frequently Asked Questions > Why can't I have more than 8,000 contacts? (**added**)

Update 2.0.0

- Various text, updates & screenshot adjustments + English Version