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Wikipedia

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
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Wikipedia

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How to of the Day

- How to Be a Good Listener
- How to Roast Pumpkin Seeds

- Okay, so now it’s showing weather in Raleigh.
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How to of the Day

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Weather

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Humidity: 49%

Today
82° | 68°

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 - <http://www.aauw.org/rss/equityIssues.xml> - news on Equity Issues
 - <http://capwiz.com/aauw/RSS/> - Legislative alerts
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What's after that?

- Once you've got more than a handful of feeds
 - The Google home page will get cluttered
 - You'll want to look for another option
- You can migrate to Google Reader
- Or look for other web-based solutions
 - [Bloglines](#) is popular
- Or configure a desktop program to read the feeds

- Ask your usual computer advisor for suggestions

Final remarks

- What if you don't use Google?
 - Well ... Do you use Yahoo!, AOL, or any other "portal"?
 - You'll find that they are moving towards a similar system
 - Look around for their info on "RSS"
 - Or ask your local guru for support

- Once you've started to find news via RSS
 - Enjoy your personalized "net newspaper"
 - You may even clear some of the clutter from e-mail!