



## Customizing Your TAB Express Home Page

TAB Express, a TAB-branded version of the popular executive CEOExpress portal, allows you to easily search local and world news, business topics, weather, travel and much more at your finger tips. In addition to site categories such as Small Business, Company Research, Business News, Office Tools, Travel Site, Human Resources, Leisure Activities, etc., your page is customizable, even allowing you to download all of your favorites into the portal. Set it as your home page and take advantage of being able to link to other areas of the TAB website.

The following directions go through customizing your TAB Express portal:

1. Adding links to your home page
2. Creating your own categories
3. Edit/move categories on the home page
4. The One-Click link option
5. Editing the stock ticker
6. Customizing the Weather Center
7. Technical Support

1. Under each of the Home, Business & News and Life & Tools tabs, there is a [MyLinks](#) portlet. From here you can add either add your own personal links, or create subcategories of your own links within the content provided for you.

The screenshot displays the TAB Express home page interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with tabs for HOME, BUSINESS & NEWS, and LIFE & TOOLS. Below the navigation bar, there are several portlets. The 'MyLinks' portlet is highlighted with a red circle. The page also features a search bar, a weather widget, and various financial data sections like 'World Indices' and 'Stocks'.

Index	Value	Change
S&P 500 IN...	1135.81	+10.22
NASDAQ C...	2336.19	+20.58
S&P/TSX C...	12237.97	+73.41
FTSE 100	5602.54	+94.09
ISEQ - 20 P...	449.91	+4.83
CAC 40	3788.01	+65.99
DAX	6294.58	+84.82
BSE SENS...	19906.10	+311.35
S&P CNX N...	5980.45	+95.50
SSE COMP...	2588.71	-9.98
COMPACT	2270.00	+2.07

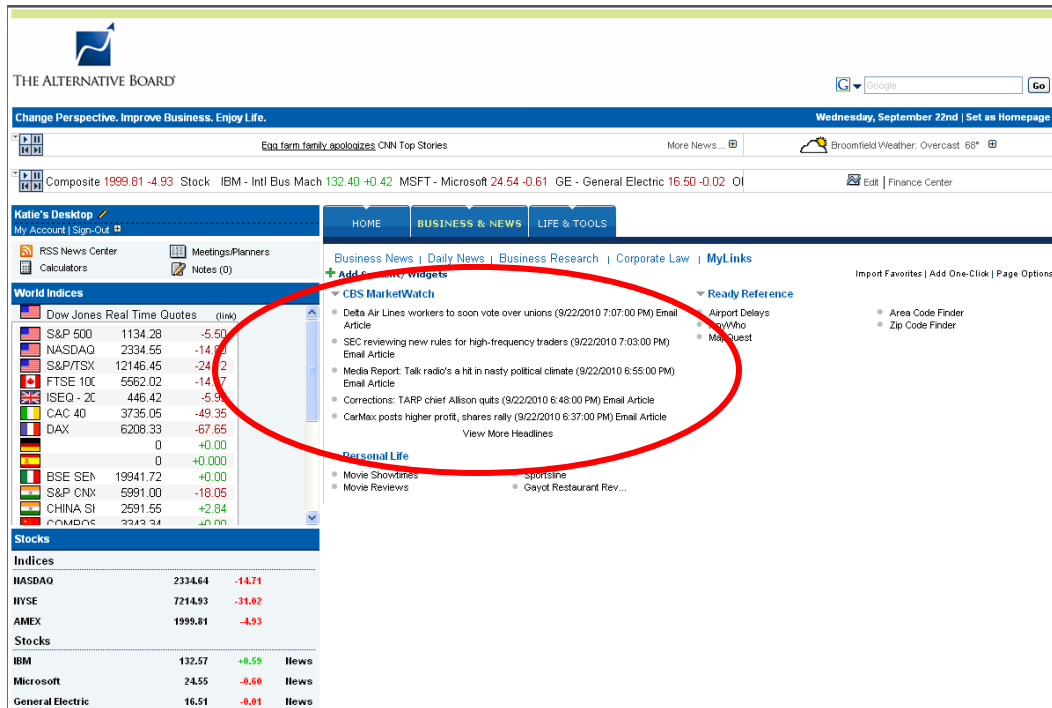
Once you click on MyLinks, you can add Content/Widgets by clicking on the Add Content/Widgets link.

The screenshot shows the homepage of 'THE ALTERNATIVE BOARD' with a navigation menu including 'HOME', 'BUSINESS & NEWS', and 'LIFE & TOOLS'. A red circle highlights the '+ Add Content/Widgets' link in the top navigation bar. Below the navigation, there are sections for 'World Indices' (listing S&P 500, NASDAQ, etc.), 'Stocks' (listing IBM, Microsoft, etc.), and 'Ready Reference' (listing Airport Delays, etc.).

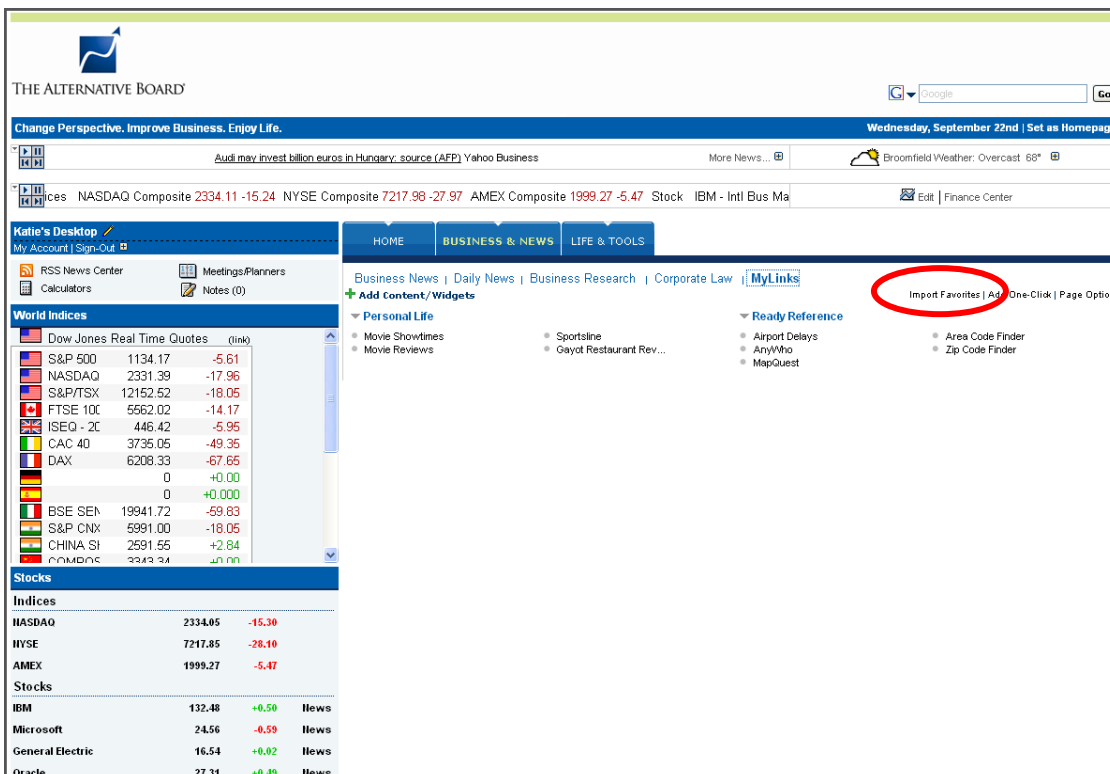
It will then bring you to this window where you can pick the different categories you can feature on your TABExpress homepage. Below shows an example of the process of picking General News Feeds – Business News – CBS Marketwatch.

The screenshot shows the 'Add Widget' dialog box open over the homepage. The dialog has three panes: 'WIDGETS', 'Choose:', and 'Choose:'. In the 'WIDGETS' pane, 'General News Feeds' is selected. In the 'Choose:' pane, 'Business News' is selected. In the second 'Choose:' pane, 'CBS MarketWatch' is selected. Red circles highlight these three selections.

Once you click on CBS MarketWatch, it will then be loaded on the “Business & News” homepage.



2. You can also create your own categories. At the top of the MyLinks portlet there is a row of links. Click Import Favorites. This is where you will add your own links. Examples of what you may want to include here are: your email account or other frequently accessed sites.



- You can edit and move any of your categories by hovering over the category, which will cause the Edit and Move options to appear.

The screenshot shows the website interface with a navigation bar containing 'HOME', 'BUSINESS & NEWS', and 'LIFE & TOOLS'. Below this is a 'MyLinks' section with a sub-menu 'Add Content/Widgets'. The 'CBS MarketWatch' link is highlighted, and a red circle is drawn around the 'edit move X' text next to it. Other links in the sub-menu include 'Ready Reference', 'Area Code Finder', 'Airport Delays', 'AnyWho', and 'MapQuest'. The main content area displays market news and a 'Personal Life' section with links for 'Movie Showtimes' and 'Movie Reviews'.

- The Add One-Click link at the top next to Import Favorites is where you can add a button to your Links toolbar. If you find a link that you want to add to your personal page links, simply click Quick Links buttons in your toolbar.

This screenshot is similar to the one above but highlights a different feature. In the 'MyLinks' section, the 'Add One-Click' link is circled in red. The rest of the page layout, including the navigation bar, market data, and news articles, remains the same as in the previous image.

- You can edit your Stock Ticker by going into the edit option, and customizing it to what you want to view.

The screenshot shows the website's desktop interface. At the top, there's a navigation bar with 'HOME', 'BUSINESS & NEWS', and 'LIFE & TOOLS'. Below this is a 'Business News | Daily News | Business Research | Corporate Law | MyLinks' section. The main content area features 'CBS MarketWatch' with various news articles and a 'Personal Life' section. On the left, there's a 'World Indices' table and a 'Stocks' table. The 'Stocks' table is highlighted with a red circle, and an 'Edit' link is visible next to it.

Stock	Price	Change	News
AMEX Composite	46.30	-0.49	
AMEX Composite	1999.81	-4.93	
IBM - Intl Bus Mach	132.40	+0.42	
MSFT - Microsoft	24.54	-0.61	
GE - General Ele			

Click [Edit](#), which brings you to this page, and choose what you would like to display:

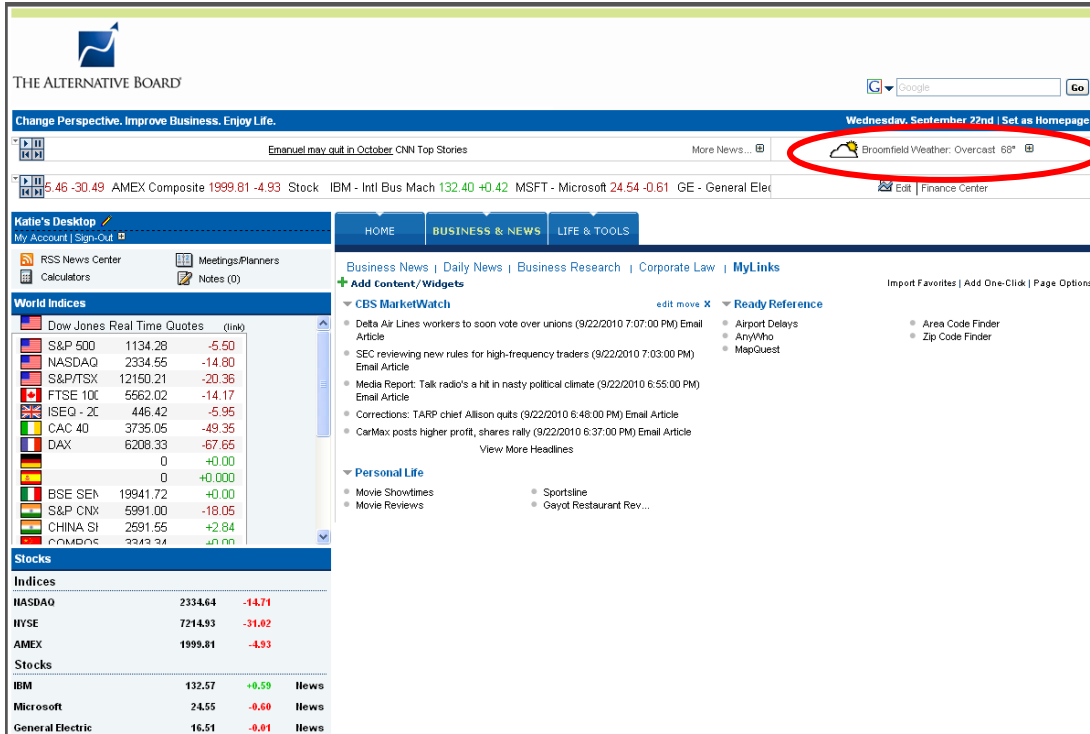
The page is titled 'Set Up/Modify Your Desktop Stock Ticker'. It has two radio buttons: 'Turn on Stock Ticker' (selected) and 'Turn off Stock Ticker'. Below this is a text input field for 'Enter Stock Symbols separated by commas:' containing 'IBM,MSFT,GE,ORCL'. There's a 'Find Symbol (equities and commodities)' link. A section 'Select Indices from the list below:' contains several checkboxes for different indices. An 'Update' button is at the bottom.

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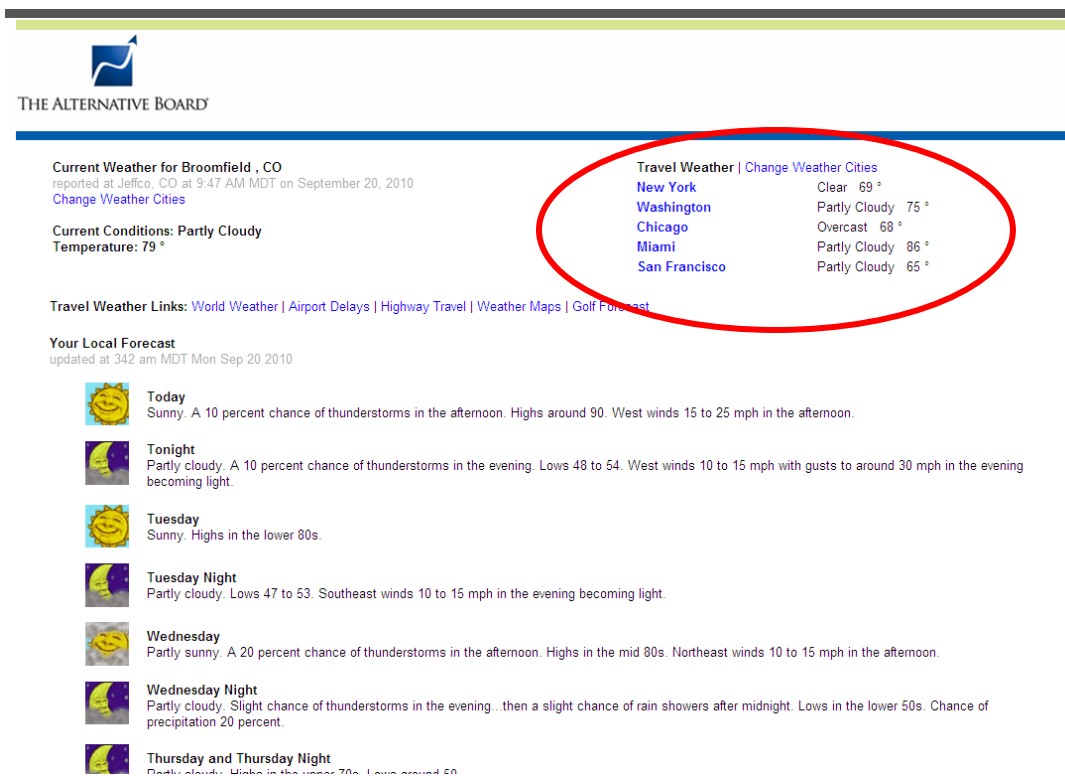
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6. Customizing the Weather Center: The current temperature for your home city will appear on your homepage, to the right of the news ticker. Click the “+” for a 7-day forecast, or click the temperature to access your personal weather center:



Once you click on the weather, you will come to this page where you can select up to five travel cities to view their current weather as well:



7. For questions or technical support go to TAB Boards' [User Manual](#) or the [Feedback Form](#), and someone will get back to you.