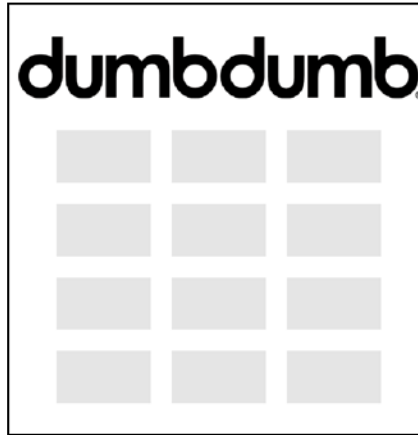# Request: Video Gallery plugin (grid layout)

A wordpress video gallery plugin that will be able to show videos in a grid layout (similar to dumbdumb.com). The plugin needs to be able to insert a video gallery into any page or post. It would be nice if the plugin could insert the video gallery inside widgets also, but this is not critical.

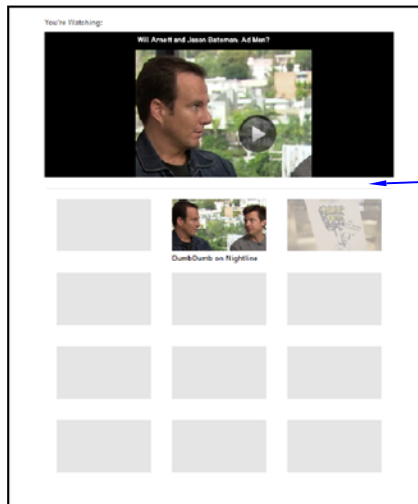Initially, the page just shows an image overlay.

Upon mouseover, the overlay banner moves up, revealing the blank thumbnails underneath.

As the mouse moves over the thumbnails, the thumbnail image and captions appear.

Controls:

1. I must be able to specify the size of the grid (3x3, 4x4, 3x5, etc.).
2. I should be able to choose the large overlay image.
3. I should also be able to choose the thumbnail image for each video.
4. I should be able to have a title for each video.
5. I should be able to have a long description/caption for each video.
6. Gallery navigation controls (next/previous video, volume, etc.)

Once a video is clicked, the player will appear at the top, the overlay image will disappear, and the thumbnails will move down to make room.

I'd also like the ability to add captions below the video that is playing. No restriction on the length of the caption. If it's long, it should just push the thumbnails down further.

Interface:

This is up to the plugin author. I'm imagining this thing as a plugin. But I will also accept a custom page template for Hybrid that can do the same thing. The key thing is that I need to be able to convert any page or post into this kind of layout, and I need to be able to input the parameters using shortcodes or a gui.

I'd like to avoid having to change my theme or child theme, however. I want to be able to customize my theme independantly of this plugin's funcionality. That's why I want the plugin to work with any page or post.

Plugin Requirements

Styling:

I want fine control over all styling elements. As long as the plugin allows me to control it's styling with simple css, that is good. Either a css file specifically for the plugin, or I can also use my custom css file I already use with the Hybrid theme.

Video-player:

So that you don't have to program a custom video player, please use the following open source player: FV WordPress Flowplayer.

FTP friendly:

My videos and images are uploaded using ftp, and are accessed using their full address (in other words, I don't use wordpress' media manager). So this plugin needs to be able to handle the file addresses as inputs.

Any other ideas regarding how to implement all of this will be entertained. There are just two factors: cost, and I don't want to program anything other than css or shortcodes.