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TOPIC -----

This article describes a workaround that prevents alarms for repeating events in the Newton Datebook from going off early.

DISCUSSION -----

Sometimes Datebook alarms go off days, weeks, or months early. But, if events are created in a specific order, then the alarm for these events is not activated prematurely.

When creating the repeating event, create the item in the following order:

- 1) Create the meeting or day note
- 2) In the event slip, set the Alarm
- 3) Set the Frequency

Make sure you set the Alarm before you set the Frequency. If you set the frequency first, the alarm for the event may go off early.

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