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Using Photos and Artwork to Enhance your Presentations with Dee Baily, President of Creative Computer Workshop Inc.

Wednesday, November 1st @ 7:30 Pm

Dee will demonstrate how easy it is to use scanned photos, photographic "clip art," and other kinds of artwork to spice up your presentations, memos, and letterhead and make them uniquely yours. She will show how to use images in Microsoft Powerpoint, Word, and Printshop Deluxe. She will have color printed samples on hand as well. Dee owns Creative Computer Workshop, a self-service computer graphics center at 145 Hamilton Avenue in downtown Palo Alto. She offers in-shop computer rental, Web browsing, classes and training in a wide variety of graphics software. She also has free demonstrations of what is new and exciting in computer graphics, including Web home Pages, 3D software packages, and image-editing software.

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General Meeting
Moves to Creative Computer
Workshop, 145 Hamilton
Corner of High St., Palo Alto
Wednesday, November 1st @ 7:30 PM

Creative Computer Workshop Inc.
Dee Baily, President

Creative Computer Workshop, on the corner of High and Hamilton Street in downtown Palo Alto, is a self-service computer graphics center. We offer high-end graphics workstations: Pentium 90 Mhz and Power Macintoshes, with NEC 21 inch monitors and Wacom Drawing tablets ($12.75 per hour). Browsing the World Wide Web with Netscape is available at the rental rate on our PC. We offer many opportunities to learn about computer graphics software through classes (the current schedule includes: Learn how to Scan, QuarkXPress, Ray Dream Designer, Fractal Design Painter and Poser, Adobe Photoshop, and Intro to the Macintosh). Self-paced programs include Personal training systems audiotapes, which are free with computer rental (for example, we have an introduction to Microsoft Office on audiotape). Newest to our list is an interactive CD-ROM on the Internet and HTML programming for Web Pages. We also can arrange individual tutoring for special projects. We have many printing options, from photorealistic dye sublimation prints to full tabloid size black and white laser prints. Even if you don't need to print or rent computer time, come by to see our

digital art galley, currently exhibiting the work of fourteen local artists. It is the only gallery of its kind on the Peninsula. We also offer free seminars on a number of computer topics, including "Design for the World Wide Web," new 3d software for drawing the human figure (Fractal Design Poser), and MacroMedia's director, to make exciting multimedia presentations. Call (415) 328-5048 to be on our mailing list for announcements about these seminars, as well as updates to the class schedule.

"Of course they always tell you to make changes -- that's because you always tell them how easy it is to make changes."

For you PC advocates, we have the following software on the Pentium: Microsoft Word, Powerpoint, and Excel, QuarkXPress, Adobe Photoshop, CorelDraw, WordPerfect, Ray Dream Designer, Fractal design Painter, and PrintShop Deluxe, and Netscape.

INTERNET SIG

October 18, 1995 @ 7:30 PM
Roche Bioscience Conference Center, Room A2-1, 3401 Hillview Ave, Palo Alto

Kendric Smith will demo 2 software items: Homer, an IRC client, and Talk, a 1-1 chat client. Kendric will discuss these two as alternatives to email.

Tips & Tricks:
Labels & Stick-Um
by Larry Weinberg
SPAUG Treasurer

Try making 3 1/2 " disk labels on plain paper using 3x3 shareware label maker and attaching them with Dennison's Removable glue stick. 3x3 has an outstanding feature - it prints an edge zone so the contents of a stack of disks can be read without removing the disk. The glue stick allows labels to be cleanly stripped from a disk. I bought my glue stick from Norney's but I'm sure they're available at any stationer's. 3x3.zip can be found on AOL.

3x3 is a small utility which does one thing well; it produces 3 1/2 " disk labels on Avery 5196 label sheets or plain paper. Avery 5196 is a 3x3 matrix of labels for laser or inkjet printers, hence the file name. I find plain paper preferable to commercial labels- no adjusting the printer, easy to secure and strip with the glue stick, and much less expensive. 3x3 was easy to use once I learned it's procedure, but that wasn't simple. I spent several hours of trial and error before I got the hang of the program. It's HELP file seemed to lack coherence and was not too helpful. However, once learned it's easy to use so stick with it. (Check some of the disks in the DOM box to see the end result). If anyone tries 3x3 and has a problem call me. I think I can help you get started. 3x3 does not print single labels; only nine at a time. I found this disconcerting at first - throwing eight labels away just to get

one - but there's nothing lost when print on computer paper.

I've tried both the Permanent and Removable glue sticks. They both adhere will; however the removable type peels off cleanly and the permanent does not. The permanent type leaves some residue which scrapes off easily compared to commercial labels, but isn't as easy to remove as the removeable kind. I also tried removeable glue stick over ocmmercial label adhesive. The commercial label peeled with none of the familiar, almost impossible to remove debris or residue. Some may prefer the permanent glue stick; it's easy enough to try both. Make your own choice or use both as usage dictates.

I find the use of a glue stick so enticing that I'm going to try not to used commercial labels any more. As an inveterate experimenter I'm going to try making labels templates with Claris Works for Windows' draw Utility (Claris Works-Win is the son of Mac Works) and has excellent Level 2 desk top publishing capability. Whether or not this works I'm going to make small edge zone labels on which I can hand print or print and over paste on my master commercial disks to identify the master at a glance. I also plan to make some blank 2 3/4 x 2 3/4 wrap around labels out of printer paper to see where that approach leads. If anyone has other ideas we can share them.
P.S. It's easy to do, making different labels in one printing. but learning the process was anything but intuitive. 🕭

The Sidewalk Faire Recap
Beverly Altman
SPAUG Director

The Sidewalk Faire was a financial success in spite of the various crises that occurred, including our being evicted from Building 7 the day before the event! We will never know how much more successful it might have been without "the glitches".

However, on the brighter side, the reason for the success of the Faire was the great software that was donated by so many generous companies. Without their support, we couldn't have even attempted such a fund-raising effort. Many thanks to Adobe Systems, Berkeley Systems, Borland, Broderbund Software, Common Ground Software, Computer Attic, EasyPhoto, JDGBooks, Individual Software, Intuit, Kepler's Books, Logitech, Lotus Development, Maxis Software, Microsoft, Mike Murach & Associates, Novell, Starfish Software, and ViaGrafix.

Also a special thanks to the very cooperative members whose brain and brawn was so indispensable: LaVonne Murdock, who worked long and hard on all the signs on the tables, Alex Ehunan, who worked from 3:30 to 10:30 loading, unloading, packing, unpacking and whatever else was necessary and helpful; Allen Holzman, Jim Dinkey and Jim Bailey for more loading and unloading and for the use of their tables. I really appreciate your time and effort.

PS. The fund-raising continues. Look over the list of available software and keep on buying. Do your holiday shopping. It's for a very good cause! ✌

Bargains Still Available

Under a Killing Moon CD
Acrobat Exchange
Adobe Wild Type
Looney Tunes Screen Saver
3D home Architect
Infinite disk
Ascend 5.0
AnyTime
Quicken
Parents' Guide to Money
Financial Planner
TrackMan
Word Pro 96
Smart Suite
Sim City 2000 CD
Sim Tower
Widget Workshop
Windows 95 w/o Windows
Perfect Office
Power Mouse
Sidekick 2.0
Easy Photo
CADD 5.0
Enable Works plus 1.1
InfoCentral
ObjectVision 2.0
Perform Pro
QEMM & 2 games
Norton Utilities
Norton Navigator
Norton Antivirus
Norton pc Anywhere
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Norton Disklock 3.0
World of Multimedia CD
Training Programs
Learning Win 95
Learning Word 6
Paradox
dBase
Delphi
ReportSmith
Typing Instructor

After the Sidewalk Faire

We sold a lot of software and still have many good bargains left. Here is a sample. If you would like to browse through the "SPAUG warehouse" or have an item brought to the next meeting, call Beverly (415) 329-8252
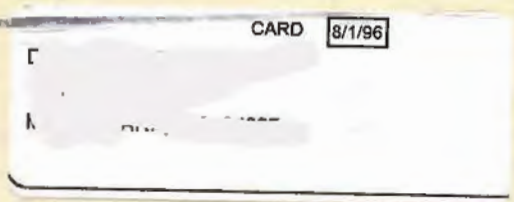
Item	Company	Notes	Street $	SPAUG $	SPAUG $
Under a Killing Moon	Access	4 CD Roms incl	59.95	40	
Acrobat Exchange	Adobe	Publishing Tool	129.95	60	
Adobe Wild Type	" 14 Fun Typefaces 39.95 20	Publishing Tool	129.95	60	
Looney Tunes Screen Saver	Berkeley Systems		29.95	15	
Paradox	Borland	Training program	19.98	7.50	7.50
dBase		19.98	7.50		
Delphi		19.98	7.50		
ReportSmith		19.98	7.50		
3D Home Architect	Broderbund	Easy home design; CD ROM	69.95	30.00	
Infinite Disk	Chili Pepper Software	Storage Mgmt System	44.95	20.00	
Ascend 5.0	Franklin Quest	Personal Info Mgr.	149.95	40	
AnyTime	Individual Software	An easy organizer	23.73	12.5	
Typing Instructor	" Lessons and Tests 14.95 7.5	An easy organizer	23.73	12.5	
Quicken f/ Windows, CD ROM	Intuit		52.99	35.00	25.00
Parents' Guide to Money	" 29.00 17.50 17.50		52.99	35.00	25.00
Financial Planner	" 38.00 25.00 25.00		52.99	35.00	25.00
TrackMan	Logitech		44.95	25.00	
Word Pro 96 for Win 3.1	Lotus		99.00	45.00	60.00
Smart Suite	" CD-Rom Version 419.99 200.00 299.00		99.00	45.00	60.00
SimCity 2000 CD Collection	Maxis		64.95	45	45.00
Sim Tower	" 28.99 20 25.00		64.95	45	45.00
Widget Workshop	" Game for kids 32.95 20 25.00		64.95	45	45.00
Windows 95 w/o Windows	Microsoft		164.99	80	
Perfect Office	Novell		449	200	299.00

Product	Company	Description	Price			
PowerMouse	ProHance		89.95	30		
Sidekick version 2.0	Starfish Software	For Windows	47	25		
Easy Photo	Storm Software		69.95	50		
Aito-Virus for Netward	Central Point					
CADD 5.0	Generic	Design & Drafting				
Enable Works plus 1.1	Enable Software	Office suite				
InfoCentral	WordPerfect	Info Manager	88.95	35.00		
ObjectVision 2.0	Borland					
PerForm Pro	Delrina	For filling out forms				
QEMM & 2 games	Quarterdeck		59.95	35.00		
Norton Utilities	Symantec		118.73	75.00		
Norton Navigator	" 94.95 40.00		118.73	75.00		
Norton AntiVirus	" 74.95 40.00		118.73	75.00		
Norton pc Everywhere	" 129.95 70.00		118.73	75.00		
SQZ! Plus (Compresses Lotus files	" 29.95 10.00 10		118.73	75.00		
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World of Multimedia	Wiz Technology	CD-ROM 10 Pack	49.00	35.00		35
Learning Windows 95	ViaGrafix	CD-ROM Tutorial	49.95			22.5
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NEW LOCATION

The General Meeting

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at the Creative Computer Workshop
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Palo Alto
Parking under the City Hall on Ramona St.

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