GENERAL MEETING
TUESDAY
July 7th 1998
8:00PM

St. Leander School
Davis Street - San Leandro
Directions inside...

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Minutes and Seconds

The meeting started on time. (At least that's what these notes say) the first order of business was to review the raffle prizes for the Crooked Raffle. Th e main prize was a complete 8 Bit system consisting of a 130 XE, a Happy Drive, (Which replaced a XF 551 that committed suicide) a koala pad, an Epson printer and tons of software. This setup was prepared by that 8 Bit Guy, Bob Woolley.

History repeats itself, a bunch of 410 and 1010 cassette recorders (Future raffle prizes) were tested to make sure they worked. After much ado it was decided that the assembled group lacked the technical wherewithal to test the recorders. Credit must be given to this great group because it only took them 45 minutes to decide they were in over their heads. (What they all forgot was that the recorders never did work even when new.)

The acquisition of ATARI property and name by Hasbro was discussed at length. The interest of Hasbro in PC gaming was thought to have a connection.

President Bridges mentioned the election for 1998/1999 Officers, but since the Secretary wasn't present with the pencil the election would have to be scrubbed until next year. For punishment all incumbents were declared winners.

History repeated itself again with the winning ticket in the raffle being held by John Dickerson, one of the Presidents brothers. (That did happen last year also didn't it?)

With the big win in the raffle the meeting was declared indecent and adjourned.

Jim Moran - _Secretary

Stuff!

The only stuff this month is the release of Windows 98. Not much news here, the only news is the size of the program. You had better have a huge hard drive or you are going to be in trouble. The other stuff is the action of Intel in cutting its chip prices. CPU prices will be cut as much as one half by October. 400 MHz. Anyone?

NEW MEETING LOCATION

The SLCC has been meeting in the San Leandro Library for the last 14 years or so. Sadly, the Library is closing for seismic re-construction and we must find a new location to hold our meetings (this should not be big news to you all....) To our good fortune, Millie Lepley has offered the St. Leander School facility as an alternative for the club meeting.

St. Leander is just three blocks west (towards I880) of the Library, on the south side of Davis street. Park in the playground at the rear of the school and use the entrance located there.

This Month

Well, the 8-bit nut found the Touch Tablet and a working 1010 tape drive…..

I suppose that they properly belong to John Dickerson, but crotchety as I am, he'll have to cough up a buck and take his chances in the Crooked Raffle just like everyone else. So, if you want to get these treasures before John snakes off with them, get your self down to the meeting!

No sign of a good XF551. These things are really awful junk.

See ya there!

<<< (400mhz will just make you dizzy..)