# SLCC JOURNAL

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At the next meeting......

## Now, Run Your 8-Bit on a VGA Monitor
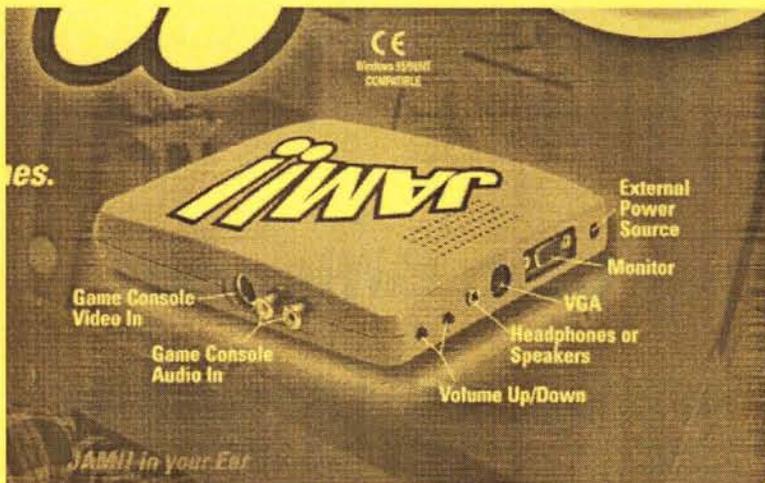


There is now an adapter that sells for $80 that allows you to run any NTSC video source on a high resolution VGA monitor. Called JAM!!, it is designed for use on a game machine, like a Jaguar or PlayStation, but can also use a VCR or Atari 8-bit as its input.

Of course, I ran right down a bought one....

I can say with few reservations that the results are spectacular!! Come to the October meeting and see for yourself!!

## Meeting Goodies

**A complete MEGA 2 ST system with color monitor, Megafile 30 HD, external floppy drive.**

**A 1050 and an 800XL, and lots of PC software**

## GENERAL MEETING

**Tuesday October 6th 1998 8:00PM**

**St. Leander School**
**Davis Street – San Leandro**

# More Stuff !

In reviewing the last several meetings one thing stands out, what's that you say. What stands out is nothing, this is mainly because nothing much has taken place and this is not to say that those in attendance didn't do anything. For those that were in attendance spent their time exchanging ideas and solving various problems that were brought up for discussion and for all intents and purposes that is what this club was created for. The main problem is lack of participation. Our membership, like those of all groups has dwindled considerably. Probably more so because our base has always been the Atari platform, which has ceased to exist for all practical purposes.

All Atari clubs have shared the same fate, and many have dropped by the wayside. Those that continue to function have become computer clubs in the true sense of the word and have branched out into the MS-dos or more aptly the Windows world. What all this boils down to is if this club is to continue as a viable one we have to start building our membership. For the past few months I have been working with quite a few people that are fairly new to computers and believe me they need all the help they can get. Most know far less than most Atari owners about the most basic parts of a computer so there is a real need for a club such as ours which is long on answers and short on membership. How about it do you have any ideas on how to put the two together?

Why not get back to attending meetings and lets see if among the bunch of us we can't figure out some way to solve this problem.

That is more than enough soapbox stuff for this month. The holidays are almost here again, are we going to have a party this year?

**Jim Moran – Secretary**

p.s. If all else fails, the following might help.

THIS FROM A STRESS MANAGEMENT SEMINAR:

*Picture yourself near a stream. Birds are singing in the crisp, cool mountain air. Nothing can bother you here. No one knows this secret place.*

*You are in total seclusion from that place called the world. The soothing sound of a gentle waterfall fills the air with a cascade of serenity.*

*The water is clear.*

*You can easily make out the face of the person whose head you are holding under the water. There now....... feeling better?*

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