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Robbie's Hobbies

P.S. Got some PC stuff for the raffle, some 8-Bit stuff, some ST Monitors, and your favorite, A T-Shirt!

My daughters' computer was freezing up all the time, especially with (the dreaded) AOL. I decided it was time to clean it up a few weekends ago. As I started, I couldn't even get the machine to boot! I finally put in a new hard drive cable, and then got it booted with a WIN 98 Boot Floppy. I got a tip from Bob on how to install WIN 98 so that it would run from their hard drive. I did an FDISK, then FORMAT, so I could use FAT32. As it was, just about finished installing, it stopped! No matter what I did from that point on, with the CD, or from the hard drive, it wouldn't continue. I finally went to Microsoft's Knowledge Base and got some answers about memory. I went in and left 32 Megs. of new chips and took out the original 16 Megs. and everything went well after that. Maybe it was that memory all along?

My next project is to figure out why my CD-ROM spits out the disk when you send one in! It's very frustrating <yadda, yadda, yadda.... Maybe it is **broken**, Robbie?>

March Meeting:

LOCATION

James P. Hanson Accountancy Corp.
22973 Sutro St.
Hayward, CA

Directions from South of Hayward:

Take 880 North to the Jackson St. East exit. Follow Jackson St.(about 1.5 miles). The 5th signal will be Meek Ave. Turn left. Look to your right and you will see a parking lot with tall palm trees and a one story rock covered building.

Directions from North of Hayward on 580:

Take Highway 238 exit, Foothill Blvd. Continue on Foothill about 2 miles to the Mission-Jackson interchange. Bear right onto Jackson St.(towards San Mateo Bridge). Turn right on Meek Ave. Look to your right and you will see a parking lot with tall palm trees and a one story rock covered building.

Directions from North of Hayward on 880:

Take Winton East exit towards downtown Hayward. Follow Winton St. to Jackson(about 2 miles). Turn left on Jackson St. Turn left on Meek. Look to your right and you will see a parking lot with tall palm trees and a one story rock covered building.

NEXT GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday

June 6th 2000

8:00PM

Minutes & Stuff!

The May meeting was called to order at the stroke of 8 PM as all our meetings have been. It seems that President Bridges has made a real point of the meetings starting on time, probably so he would have some claim to fame to use during his current run for a new term of office. (He needs something as the competition is getting closer all the time.)

Speaking of terms of office, the June meeting will be the big election of 2000/2001 Officers. There were no new nominees at the May meeting but there is still hope that some brave souls will step forward prior to the voting at the June meeting and nominate at least six or eight good candidates that will make the voting more than a show of hands. Remember that if there are no new officers we will have to put up with the current bunch and their Crooked Raffle for another year.

The main thrust of the meeting was the extended efforts of most of those present attempting to make some or all of the hardware pieces, that were going to be in the evenings raffle, work up to its potential. The normal meeting was just about forgotten and the hardware bunch took over. Probably an improvement over the norm.

There were enough raffle prizes for tonight's drawing that everybody should have gone home a winner, and surprisingly it seems almost everybody did. It looks like the powers that be decided that prizes for all might lead to votes. Hmmm.

Other than the Crooked Raffle which was a resounding success the meeting died a very informal death about 9:30.

Stuff!

There is no Stuff this month! It seems that the Stock Market is still going down and Judge Jackson is still working on the noose for Microsoft. It does seem that the Judge will call an end to this trial (?) or whatever it is in early June. By the time he finishes writing up his decision and five hundred lawyers try to cut it apart the public will be paying

double for the next version of Windows. (Does anyone wonder as I do if this Judge has ever used a computer?)

That's all folks, see you at the meeting on the 6th. Don't forget your pencils to fill out your ballots

Jim Moran --- Secretary.

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