**SLO Bytes Computer Users’ Group**Minutes of the August 5, 2018 SLO Bytes meeting of the Board of Directors

**Officers present**: Earl Kaplan, Alan Raul, John Waller, Bob Styerwalt and Ralph Sutter

President **Earl Kaplan** called the meeting to order at 12:15 pm. The minutes of the July 1st BOD meeting were approved as submitted,

Treasurer **Bob Styerwalt** reported that the dues for 4 members were up for renewal this month. Bob received a request from our bank, SESLOC, that we submit SLO Bytes’ **Articles of** **Incorporation**. Styerwalt provided that information.

Secretary **Ralph Sutter** asked Bob how much money we have currently in the treasury. Styerwalt indicated that we have approximately $2500.

Sutter promised the BOD at our previous meeting that he would investigate how to add SSL to the SLO Bytes. Ralph did so and determined that the elaborate process wasn’t worth the effort.

Alan received the new **Optima** data projector earlier this month. He and Ralph tried it out. Sutter purchased a VGA to HDMI adapter for use by those SLO Bytes presenters with devices that only have a VGA output.

Raul reminded the BOD that our next meeting falls on Labor Day. We do not intend to reschedule the meeting.

Alan proposed SLO Bytes Second Session programs for the remainder of 2018. They are as follows

**September 2**Ubuntu Mate 18.04.1 and Linux Mint 19 Demo

I don't expect to convert anyone to Linux so much as to inform the audience of the state of Linux. Both these Linux distributions are the latest and just recently updated. I would also demonstrate how you can use a bootable USB flash drive with Linux on it to diagnose hardware, networking (Wi-Fi) issues and of course Windows 10 system problems. A lot of our members do not go out at night anymore, so this will keep them in the Linux loop.

**October 7**  
Bob G.  
National Cyber Security Awareness Month

**November 4**  
Ralph and/or Alan could demo image and video viewing applications that come with **Windows 10**. Honorable mentions should also include **IrfanView** and **VLC**.

John and the rest of the BOD approved Alan’s proposal.

The meeting ended at 12:34 pm