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March 6th, 2011 General Windows SIG review by Alan Raul

Recover valuable disk space after installing Windows 7 SP1
http://goo.gl/zPWCh
Windows 7 Commands:
disk cleanup
winver
Temporarily preview the desktop using Peek
http://windows.microsoft.com/en-US/windows7/Temporarily-preview-the-desktop-using-Peek
Or just press WinKey + Space....
Windows 7 - Aero Peek - Turn On or Off
http://www.sevenforums.com/tutorials/838-aero-peek-turn-off.html
Windows 7 Desktop
http://windows.microsoft.com/en-US/windows7/products/features/desktop
Acronis Home & Home Office Products Discussions
http://forum.acronis.com/forums/acronis-discussion-forums/acronis-home-home-office-products-discussions

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March 6th, 2011 Main Meeting Review by John Waller

At 12:45 PM **Alan Raul** conducted his Q & A session.
At 2:30 PM Main Meeting presentation was by **Greg Perry**, Manager of KCBX.net. Here is the URL for the Windows 7 Tips that Greg covered in the March 6th meeting: http://kcbx.net/windows7/

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April 3rd, 2011 Programming Schedule: *by John Waller*

Prior to the main presentation, **Alan Raul** will demonstrate Apple's latest iPad 2 in addition to moderating his Q & A session from 12:45 PM to 2:00 PM. The iPad 2 is the second generation of the iPad, a tablet computer designed, developed and marketed by Apple.

Main Program Presentation:
Guy Savage will be our featured speaker at 2:30. He will be speaking on wireless technology.

Guy has over 25 years of experience in information technology. In his current role as Director of Information Technology for the County of San Luis Obispo, he manages a staff of 70 and a budget of nearly $14M.   The IT team supports critical applications such as SAP for financials and human resources functions, uses Lotus Notes for email, and provides the usual spectrum of desktop, server, network, applications development, and public safety radio communications support. Guy has degrees from Fresno State and the University of Southern California. His experience includes defense work, public and privately held corporations, non-profit organizations, management consulting, and software startups. Guy, his wife, and two daughters live in Los Olivos, California.

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President's Message:
Go to http://www.slobytes.org/newsletter/push/ to see the **PUSH** reviews. They come to us from **Dave Gerber**, Director/PUSH Chairman of APCUG. Our Webmaster, **Ralph Sutter**, uploads these articles to our website. The actual PUSH articles are hyperlinked from the index.

You can view the Association of Personal Computer User Groups (APCUG) Publications here:
http://www.slobytes.org/apcug/index.html.

Take a look at http://www.kcbx.net/training.html to see if you would like to avail yourself of the various computer related classes available at the KCBXnet Training Facility.

Cal Poly Continuing Education's Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) is a comprehensive learning and service program for those 50 and over. This is a highly rated College level education program available at Cal Poly. This is their website: http://www.olli.calpoly.edu/.

--Ray Miklas

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Treasurer's Report for April 2011

Income - March:

Renewing members	$75.00
New Members	75.00
Refreshments receipts	34.61

Expenses - March:

Hall rent	90.00
Annual Casualty Insurance	226.00
Photo Sig cable – Grover	30.04

Bank Statement for February 28, 2011:

Checking acct	3,396.16
Savings acct	55.00
Interest for year 2011	0.83

Renewing Members: David McLaughlin, Glenn Zaretzka, Bob Grover
New Members: Rebecca Robertson, Micky Long, Les Long

Treasurer's Comments: The Win 7 presentation was very good, plus we will get Greg Perry back in 2-3 months to give us his last half. Thanks to the members and Officers for assisting me with my efforts to reestablish an updated membership data base.

Robert Mires, Treasurer

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Club Information and Meeting Times

SLO Bytes, a PC Users Group dedicated to educate its members in the use of personal computers, digital devices and software, meets on the first Sunday of each month at the Independent Order of Odd Fellows (IOOF) Hall at 520 Dana Street, San Luis Obispo. All meetings are open to the public at no cost. Special interest groups meet from 12:45 PM to 2:00 PM and guest speaker presentations begin at 2:30 PM. Contact **John Waller** (johnlwaller at sbcglobal.net) or visit http://www.slobytes.org/index.shtml for additional information about SLO Bytes and the scheduled presentation.

HardCopy is a monthly publication of SLO Bytes PC Users' Group located in San Luis Obispo, California. Information in this Newsletter is derived from both our own membership and other PC User Group Newsletters. The purpose of this publication is to inform our members of meetings and provide information related to the use of PCs and various Operating Systems.

Membership Dues are $25 per year. Full membership entitles you to our monthly newsletter via e-mail, technical assistance, raffle gift drawing at the end of the meetings, a voice in the affairs of the club, and comradeships.

Article Submission Deadline for submission of articles is the 20th of each month. Articles should be E-mailed to the editor (rmiklas at pacbell.net).

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