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April 2nd, 2023, First Session Notes by Alan Raul

CCleaner Portable - is the portable version of CCleaner, an easy-to-use, safe, well-known drive cleaner with other additional features including a conservative registry cleaner, startup manager, and more.

https://www.majorgeeks.com/files/details/ccleaner_portable.html

Autoruns Portable 14.09 - will show you which programs are set to run during login or system bootup.

https://www.majorgeeks.com/files/details/autoruns_portable.html

HWiNFO Portable 7.42 - provides you with comprehensive system information details, including hardware analysis, monitoring, and Windows and DOS reporting.

https://www.majorgeeks.com/files/details/hwinfo32_portable.html

Bitwarden flaw can let hackers steal passwords using iframes

<https://www.bleepingcomputer.com/news/security/bitwarden-flaw-can-let-hackers-steal-passwords-using-iframes/>

<https://www.tomsguide.com/news/hackers-are-using-fake-google-ads-to-steal-bitwarden-password-vaults-how-to-stay-safe>

<https://www.bleepingcomputer.com/news/security/bitwarden-password-vaults-targeted-in-google-ads-phishing-attack/>

BitWarden - Users Update Your Encryption Security!

<https://youtu.be/GacFlufZySo>

How to Get Rid of the Illustrations Inside of Windows Search

<https://www.makeuseof.com/windows-search-remove-pictures/>

<https://youtu.be/inO8UJxsqYw>

The Windows 11 Field Guide is a full-length e-book about the latest version of Microsoft Windows, aimed at those users who will upgrade from Windows 10 or acquire Windows 11 with a new PC.

<https://leanpub.com/windows11fieldguide>

Windows Everywhere - The rise and fall of the most important software platform of all time

<https://leanpub.com/windowseverywhere>

HANDS-ON WINDOWS - WINDOWS 11 MOMENT 2

<https://twit.tv/shows/hands-on-windows/episodes/31>

DPReview.com to close

<https://www.dpreview.com/news/5901145460/dpreview-com-to-close>

<https://petapixel.com/2023/03/21/dpreview-is-shutting-down/>

To Save its Content, Archive Team is Attempting to Back Up All of DPReview

<https://petapixel.com/2023/03/22/to-save-its-content-archive-team-is-attempting-to-back-up-all-of-dpreview/>

DPReview Leaves Massive Shoes to Fill

<https://petapixel.com/2023/03/22/dpreview-leaves-massive-shoes-to-fill/>

PetaPixel - The Photography Terms Glossary

<https://petapixel.com/photography-terms-glossary/>

Multiple Exploitable Samsung 0-Days

On Security Now, Steve Gibson and Leo Laporte talk about a series of critical 0-day vulnerabilities revealed by Google's Project Zero team that impact a number of Samsung, Google Pixel, and Vivo devices with the Exynos Auto T5123 chipset.

<https://youtu.be/Jf7iDYXt03g>

Some Android users should turn off Wi-Fi calling due to security concerns, Google team warns

<https://duckduckgo.com/?q=Some+Android+users+should+turn+off+Wi-Fi+calling+due+to+security+concerns%2C+Google+team+warns&ia=web>

Tim Grey - Photo Backup Overview

<https://asktimgrey.com/2023/03/31/photo-backup-overview/>

A Glossary of Storage Terms and Acronyms

<https://www.bhphotovideo.com/explora/computers/tips-and-solutions/a-glossary-of-storage-terms-and-acronyms>

Everything You Need to Know about SD Cards

<https://www.bhphotovideo.com/explora/computers/buying-guide/everything-you-need-to-know-about-sd-cards>

What is Security Keys for Apple ID and why does it matter?

<https://www.zdnet.com/article/what-is-security-keys-for-apple-id-and-why-does-it-matter/>

The **YubiKey** is a hardware authentication device manufactured by Yubico to protect access to computers, networks, and online services that supports one-time passwords, public-key cryptography, and authentication, and the Universal 2nd Factor and FIDO2 protocols developed by the FIDO Alliance.

<https://www.yubico.com/>

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/YubiKey>

YubiKey 5C NFC

<https://www.yubico.com/product/yubikey-5c-nfc/>

Alan Raul

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May 7th, 2023, Program by *Ralph Sutter*

The **First Session** will feature **Alan Raul** offering a Questions and Answers program from 12:45-2:00 p.m. Usual topics include security issues, recent changes in Windows operating systems, tablets and smart phones as well as demos of software and hardware.

We always encourage questions and observations from the audience. There will be a break from 2:00-2:30 pm allowing the audience to sip a beverage, pet the dog or stretch.

The **Second Session** will continue with the format begun recently. Speakers will be members of the SLO Bytes audience. Afterwards, everyone is invited to pose computer issues that they face and/or solutions to them. We will call this segment Potpourri.

View **Zoom** tutorials at https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLKpRxBfeD1kEM_I1Ild3N_XI77fKDzSXe

If you have any questions, please contact ralph@rsutter.com

Ralph Sutter

Treasury Report by Kaye Raul

Month of March 1 to March 31, 2023

Checking Balance Forward	\$	2,589.22
Income		0.00
Expenses - State Farm Ins.		(325.00)
Cash Balance		2,264.22
Business Share Savings		55.03
Total Cash and Savings	\$	2,319.25

Kaye Raul

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Photo Group Report *by Ralph Sutter* Notes from the Meeting of 04/16/2023

TOPIC: Spring

Ralph Sutter opened the meeting, calling attention to the Links Page of the Photo Group website. There, Sutter posted the following links.

PetaPixel - The Photography Terms Glossary; <https://petapixel.com/photography-terms-glossary/>

Sony firmware update to the Sony A7IV;

<https://www.sony.com/electronics/support/e-mount-body-ilce-7-series/ilce-7m4/software/00288929>

Also; <https://www.sony.com/electronics/support/e-mount-body-ilce-7-series/ilce-7m4/software/00280505>

Updated camera manual for Sony A7IV; <https://helpguide.sony.net/ilc/2110/v1/en/index.html>

Link to download the Sony Creators' Cloud app; <https://creatorscloud.sony.net/catalog/en-us/creatorsapp/index.html>

Ralph continued, sharing images of local wildflowers found at Pismo Preserve as well as at his house.

Kaye Raul showed a spectacular image of Morro Rock shrouded by mist. Alas, she was unable to display additional images, victim of the fickleness of Zoom. After the meeting, she overcame Zoom's petulance and promises to offer the remaining images at the May meeting.

John Waller visited Walmart, showing the Spring clothing offerings. He then went outdoors to Pine Mountain for pictures of the snow melt and Lopez Lake.

Stanford Brown highlighted the transition from Winter to Spring. He offered many images of Turtles, Easter Bunnies, Wood Ducks, birds' nests, tall weeds and profuse blankets of wildflowers

The next meeting will take place on **May 21st 2023 beginning at 2:00 pm via Zoom**. This is one week later than usual in deference to Mothers' Day on **May 14 th** The topic will be **Lines**

The meeting schedule for the remainder of 2023 is as follows

- June 11
- July 9
- August 13
- September 10
- October 8
- November 12
- December 10

See the [Links](#) page for tutorials and other resources

Ralph Sutter

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Push Library

Look at the **PUSH archives**, <http://www.slobytes.org/push/>. This is a repository of articles where you will find tips, product reviews, and personal recommendations contributed by computer clubs across the country.

They are provided courtesy of the Association of Computer User Groups, **APCUG**, the national organization with which SLO Bytes is affiliated.

The actual **PUSH** articles are hyperlinked from the index located at

<http://www.slobytes.org/push/index.html> (All articles on one long page)

<http://www.slobytes.org/push/push-condensed.html> (Links to **PUSH** articles by month received)

You can view additional APCUG publications here: <http://www.slobytes.org/apcug/index.html>

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SLO Bytes Bulletin Board

Everyone can read the SLO Bytes Bulletin Board at <http://slobytes.org/smf/index.php?board=1.0> but only subscribers can post comments or respond to the posts of others. Despite the usual connotation of **subscribe**, it costs nothing to join the bulletin board. It is free to all current SLO Bytes members. However, to guard against cyber-mischief by spammers and other ne'er-do-wells, I have disabled self-registration. If you want to be added to the bulletin board, please send your request to me at ralph@rsutter.com.

If you are currently registered with the SLO Bytes Bulletin Board and wish to change your password, you will find a video screen capture of how to do so at

<http://www.slobytes.org/documents/change-bb-password.mp4>

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Club Information and Meeting Times

SLO Bytes, a PC Users Group dedicated to educating its members in the use of personal computers, digital devices and software, meets on the first Sunday of each month via **Zoom**. Zoom credentials are sent to members twice shortly before each meeting. If you are a SLO Bytes member and don't receive this e-mail, please contact ralph@rsutter.com.

All meetings are open to the public at no cost. A general interest and Q&A session occurs from 12:45 PM to 2:00 PM and guest speaker presentations begin at 2:30 PM. Contact **Ralph Sutter** (ralph@rsutter.com) or visit slobytes.org for additional information about SLO Bytes and the scheduled presentation. All ideas for speakers or presentation subjects are welcome.

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. Membership entitles you to our monthly newsletter via e-mail, technical assistance comradeship and a voice in the affairs of the club.

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Outside Special Interest Groups (SIGs)

The Linux Group normally meets via Zoom at 6:30 PM on the first Thursday of the month.

View the web site at www.slolug.com. Contact Alan@alanraul.com for credentials to join the Zoom Session.

The Photography Group normally meets via Zoom beginning at 2:00 PM on the second Sunday of each month. Contact ralph@rsutter.com for credentials to join the Zoom Session.

Visit the website at www.slobytes.org/digital

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