

Fleamarket 2003, November 1

Background

This year we are putting on our club's seventeenth annual Amiga computer show. So come join us and show your support for the Amiga.

Where: The Brookside
Convention Center
Hurst, Texas

When: Saturday
November 1, 2003

Time: 1:00 PM until 4:00 PM

Admission: Free

Amiga Flea Market

Amiga hardware and software from members and non-members will be available for sale. For those of you familiar with how we have done things in the past, this year we are doing things a little bit differently. The officers are tired of collecting things, marking them, holding them until the day of the show, delivering them, and then having to keep an eye on them as the buyers browse around. So this year we are leaving it all up to you. Anyone who has items for sale will need to rent a table, bring their stuff the day of the show, and watch over it themselves. Tables are available for the price of \$1 for members and \$2 for non-members. Please make arrangements in advance for your tables. If you have any questions about this new arrangement, please contact one of the officers.

Buyers: I feel certain that the sellers will accept cash. Any other arrangements are between the buyer and the seller.

Demos And Stuff

We will have a least one AmigaOne on

hand running WinUAE. We had hoped that AmigaOS 4.0 for the AmigaOne would be available, but that is not looking too good at the moment. David Lund of StartUp-Sequence will also be there demoing his Pegasos machine and MorphOS 1.4.

Other Attractions

I am hoping to have some CDs available containing the club's complete collection of Amiga software for sale.

A special on memberships will be offered: thirteen months for the price of twelve.

Directions & Parking

The Brookside Convention Center is located at 1244 Brookside Drive in Hurst, Texas. To find the Convention Center get to Highway 183/121, take the Precinct Line Road exit, and drive south on Precinct Line Road. After approximately 0.3 miles turn left (east), on Bedford Euless Road. Drive 0.4 miles to Brookside Drive. The Convention Center is on the southeast corner.

Contact

Your assistance is necessary to make the show a success so if you can volunteer to help please contact us. If you have any questions, please contact any of the club officers or contact me, Ned Kelly, at home at (817) 277-5825, or by email at nedkelly@ticnet.com.

October 13 Meeting Info

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David Lund of the AmigaMCCC will be demonstrating the Pegasos on October 13th at the University of Texas at Arlington

Alex Bartonek of the Central Texas Amiga Computing Society will present the Pegasos in a demonstration on October 20th at 6:30pm at the group meeting in Austin, Texas.

The focus of these events are the Pegasos and its strong Amiga compatibility! Commonly available Amiga software programs will be demonstrated on the Pegasos at this event and attendees will have a chance to question David about the Pegasos and his experience with this exciting new platform.

The Pegasos is the new PowerPC computer system from

Genesi and supports both G3 and G4 PowerPC processors. The Pegasos is a highly affordable computer system based on the CHRP standard and supports at least seven flavors of Linux including Debian, Mandrake, Gentoo and others.

To compliment the Pegasos and provide a complete solution, Genesi has developed MorphOS — an Amiga compatible, preemptive multitasking operating system. MorphOS combines a modest footprint with scalability, high performance, and amazing ease of use for developers and end users. It's beautifully designed interface and modular object-oriented design offers a modern solution out of the box.

Some operating systems work through emulation

including Amiga and Macintosh, and other operating systems such as QNX, OpenBeOS and NewOS are under development already.

For more information on the October 13th event visit AmigaMCCC at www.amigamccc.org or email David Lund at dslcc@msn.com. For information on the October 20th event email Alex Bartonek at bartonekdragracing@yahoo.com.

MCCC BOD Nominations

It's time once again to elect club officers. The current Board of Directors has agreed to continue in their current positions for another year, pending

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October Calendar

October 13 — Amiga By-The-Loop Chapter
7:30 pm — University Center, Pedernales Room
W. First St. & S. West St., Arlington

October 13 — MCCC Board of Director's Meeting
Approx. 10:00 pm — TGI Fridays
Cooper Street just south of I-20, Arlington

October 16 — Amiga North Dallas Chapter
7:30 pm — Junkins Building, SMU
Dyer and Airline Extension Rd., Dallas

October 25 — Newsletter Deadline — 7:00 am

ratification by the club membership. The names below will be submitted as nominees at the October Chapter meetings. Additional nominations will be accepted from the floor in October. Elections for club positions are held in November. (Chapter nominations and elections lag by one month.)

President:	Bill Raecke
Vice President:	Ned Kelly
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