

Ohio Regional

Come to the APCUG Annual Midwest Regional Computer Conference
Be Part of the Historical First that is Ohio

by Robert Vance



Cherry Valley Lodge

“First in flight and first in light” because of the native sons of Ohio, the Wright Brothers of Dayton, and Thomas Alva Edison inventor of not only the incandescent light and the phonograph but many other devices that we can be thankful for. And when it comes to things out side of this world, Ohio is the birthplace of John Glenn, the first man to orbit the earth and Neal Armstrong who was the first man on the moon.

As an attendee of the APCUG Annual Conference in Newark, Ohio (at the Cherry Valley Lodge) August 28th, 29th & 30th, 2009 you will be a first time attendee at the very first Annual APCUG event to be held at a regional location. Also this will be the first time that

the Licking County Computer Society has ever held an Ohio Midwest Regional Event. Looking forward to having you join me at the conference this coming August 28th 29th and 30th.

We are still booking sponsors, but so far we have:

Magix -- a media editing software product company for video and audio creation and editing. <http://www.magix.com/us/>

Microsoft -- There will be a presentation on the new and exciting Windows 7 and how to use it in a Virtual mode.

Ai Squared -- Ai Squared is here to help – for over twenty years, we’ve been helping people use their computers with greater com-

fort and ease. www.aisquared.com/

Coral is a leading provider of software for graphics, illustration, digital media creation, DVD authoring, photo and video editing, and office productivity. <http://www.corel.com>

Stagynos -- A suite of tools to encrypt data, provide encrypted e-mail, remove Internet traces, and provides protection from hackers. www.steganos.com

We have many exciting programs for you:

Genealogy Workshop will be presented by Raynola St. Clair the president of the Licking County Genealogical Society. She will be discussing research techniques using the internet and computers.

A presentation on Identity Theft is scheduled to be presented by Ira Wisker either in person or possibility as a remote presentation.

Ira Wilsker has served APCUG both as an Advisor, and currently as a Director. He is the past President (4 terms), past Vice President (2 terms), and past Newsletter Editor (2 terms) of the Golden Triangle PC Club, in Beaumont, Texas. He is an Instructor IV of Management Development at Lamar University Institute of Technology, in Beaumont, Texas, where he teaches classes in business, law, computers, and related fields. At Lamar for 21 years, Ira



Chat with your friends in the lounge

is now the President of the Faculty Senate. He is also a police officer, and an arbitrator for the Better Business Bureau (26 years). In 1997, he was the recipient of the Ben and Julie Rogers Community Service Award, the highest award for community service in southeast Texas, and the 1998 recipient of the Dan Bell Community Service Award. Ira has an MBA from the University of Maryland. He is the host of a weekly radio show, The Computer Information Hour, heard on KLVI radio, and over the net at <http://klvi.com> on Thursdays from 10am - 11am Central Time.

John Kennedy and avid Linux user with the nick name of free John will be doing a presentation on Open Source Programs and free software applications that are available.

Angie Palmer of Internet Radio fame and a current member of the Licking County Computer Society will be doing a workshop on the social networking program know as Facebook. Angie Palmer net radio site is: <http://www.blogtalkradio.com/angiepalmer>.

Ron Sherwood a professional photographer with many awards to his credit will be doing a workshop on digital photo techniques and image enhancement.

Live Meeting is a real time remote training applications that will insure that you are able to have a presentation from a remote location even if you presenter gets stuck somewhere, and your at-home or traveling members can watch your General Meeting, whether the speaker is real or virtual. You can also have vendors offer there demos in this manner. This program will be presented remotely by Don Singleton, as well as one on Remote Presentations, which uses 5 different desktop sharing programs to allow you to share a presentation or even go on line and fix a fellow users computer from your home.

Hank Feinberg has a presentation on P.C. Renew which is an organization that takes your old computer, repairs and updates it and then donates it to the needy. <http://www.pcrenew.org/>

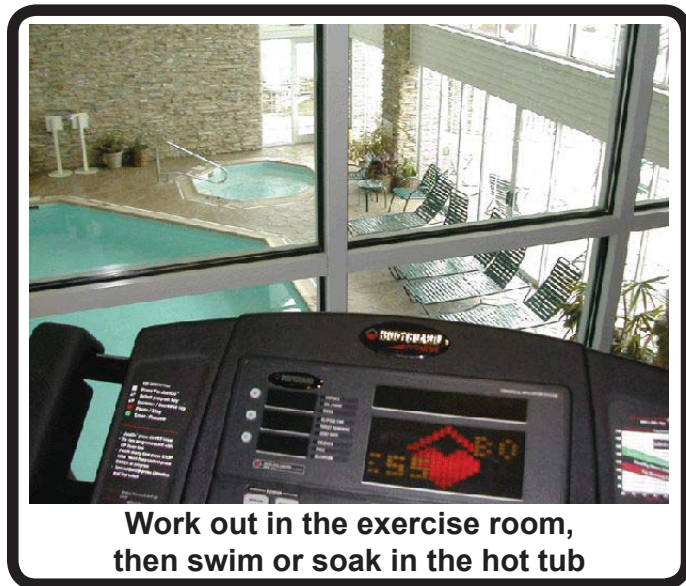


Dining Room

Philip Staiger will probably be doing a remote presentation on PD Particles which is a drawing and digital enhancement software program. PD Particles is a software program for sketching, doodling, painting and drawing with particles. It is loaded with features made for professionals, yet priced low enough for artists, students and hobbyists at all levels. If you like to draw, this is for you! Get more information at: <http://www.thebest3d.com/pdp/index.html>

There is a possibility that Gene Barlow might be doing





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then swim or soak in the hot tub**

a remote presentation on Acronis hard drive backups.

For details on this product and the remote presentations visit: <http://www.ugr.com/>

Dual Booting Linux/Win and all things Linux with the The Linux Guy.

Why Linux? Glad you asked! Linux is commonly known as a server operating system or an operating system for advanced users. Can a non-pro use it, and why should he or she do so? Don will be able to answer these questions and many more. Also visit his site at: <http://www.thelinuxguy.com/linux.htm>

Don Tillman from the Buckeye Mac Group will be presenting 3 sessions which include running 3 OS's on a Mac, Virtual Machines and their history and finally during the Sunday session Hard Disk Data Destruction.

Background: Mr. Tillman has been working with computers since 1982 and has been working as a computer professional since 1987. During that time he focused on computers and electronics which led him to getting his Associates in Electronics (Owens Community College) and his Bachelors in Computer Science from BGSU. During that time he worked as a lab consultant and as a private computer consultant and as an

instructor. Don is also the president of Safe Data Destruction: www.safedata1.net

Publicizing Your User Group will be presented by Bill James who is one of the APCUG Board of Directors.

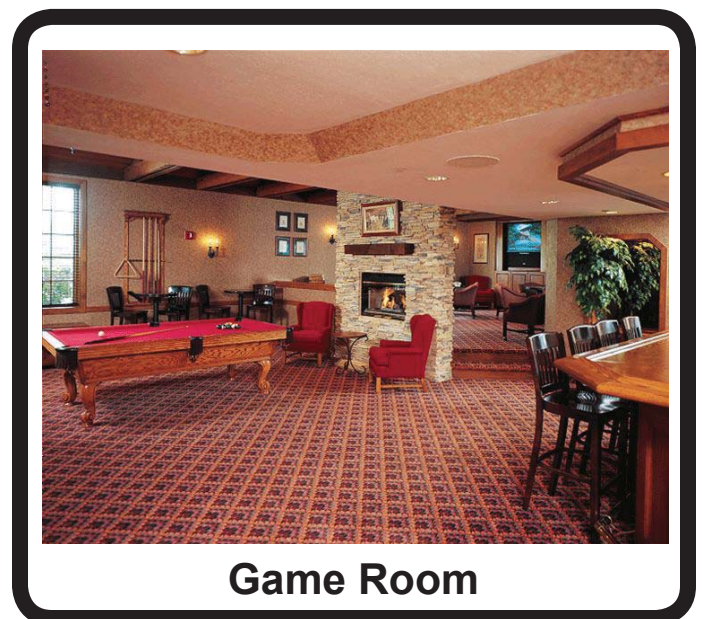
Bill was born in Oklahoma City and has lived there all his life. Bill attended college in Oklahoma & hoped to complete a degree in music -- but was interrupted by the Vietnam War. He was drafted into the US Army in 1968 -- spent my entire tour of duty (2 years) in Germany. Bill joined the Army Reserve in 1971 - - retired in 1998 as a CW3. He is currently working in the IT department for the FAA Logistics Center in Oklahoma City as a functional analyst on supply systems. Bill has been employed at the FAA for 37 years. He has been a member of the Computer Club of

Oklahoma City (CCOKC), formerly the Oklahoma City Personal Computer User's Group (OKCPCUG) and served on its Board of Directors as its President (2002 – 2004). His favorite pastime is listening to music -- mostly classical, using, and building personal computers.

With all of that, and maybe more, have you registered yet? Why not? Go to <http://ohiomidwest.apcug.org/> and register today.



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