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New Location for August

The August meeting will be held on August 1st at 41 Chestnut Street in Lewiston.

The Directors LAMUG, recently announced the winners of the 2001 Membership Drive, which they called a success. Signing up the most new members was Francis Gagnon, Executive Director of Via-Vision Film & Video Productions of Lewiston. Of the many prizes to choose from, Gagnon decided on a professional computer video editing software program, Final Cut Pro, worth \$1,000. He plans to use the program within his business on his Mac computer editing system and looks forward to becoming more involved with the computer group.

Gagnon will present a few of his videos at future LAMUG meetings, which are held the first Wednesday of every month, and are free and open to the public. Stating it is encouraging that Lewiston/Auburn has such an active group for new and experienced Macintosh computer users to share notes and learn more about what is coming in the future, Gagnon was one of many new members to sign up during the membership drive.

In addition to giving away t-shirts, caps, decals, and travel coffee mugs, a raffle was held

at the July meeting. Winners were:

- Lida Iles - Spring Cleaning
- Francis Gagnon - Stuffit Deluxe
- Lisa Giguere - Spring Cleaning
- Donna Dube - Drag Strip

LAMUG is able to offer software and discounts to its members through its non-profit status and the generosity of software companies. Another member, Bob Collier, took home the software 'QuicKeys' in return for writing a short review on it for the LAMUG newsletter, "CiderPress".

The next monthly presentation will be on August 1, 6:00 pm for early birds, 6:30 pm for the presentation, at 41 Chestnut Street in Lewiston. It will be a continuation of the popular Question & Answer session which helps many users solve irksome problems and discover new and easier ways of using their computers and laptops.

Discussions at the July meeting included car pooling to Macworld, disappearing icon problems, allocating memory to applications to prevent freezing, differences in date and time when sending/receiving emails, preventing disconnects from the internet, how companies retrieve information from your computer using cookies, email attachments and virus software, and much more.



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To submit articles please e-mail them as text files to davnic@adelphia.net by the third Thursday of the month.

August

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|-----------|---|--|-----------|-----------|
| | | 6:30 pm 1 Auburn Meeting Designs by Skip | 2 | 3 |
| 6 | 6:15 pm 7 Officer's Meeting Designs by Skip | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
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Events

August 1st

Extended Q & A
Beginners

August 7th

Board of Directors meeting at Skip's office, 41 Chestnut St. Lewiston at 6:30 pm - All LAMUG members welcome to attend. We'd like your input!

Volunteers Wanted

- Digital Art Contest committee
- Tutor senior citizens through the Auburn Adult and Community Ed Dept.
- School Liaison Directors - inform group of school events which LAMUG could participate in
- Community Projects Directors - inform group of charities and seek volunteers to create committees to work on projects
- Auction Project - volunteer for this committee today
- Writers for CiderPress

If you are interested in volunteering for any of the above, please contact Denise Scammon at 783-5203 or sammeyeam@exploremaine.com

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Macworld New York Attracts Record Crowd

Attendance Tops 64,000, Crowning Macworld the Largest East Coast Technology Show

FRAMINGHAM, Massachusetts and CUPERTINO, California—July 25, 2001—IDG World Expo and Apple® today announced that more than 64,000 attendees packed the Jacob K. Javits Convention Center in New York City last week for the Macworld Conference & Expo. This year's record attendance is the highest ever for the New York event.

The final attendance numbers contrast sharply with lowered attendance figures at other technology shows this year—most notably, PC Expo held at the same convention center just three weeks prior. Macworld has now surpassed both PC Expo and Internet World as the largest annual technology event in New York City.

“The loyalty of the Mac community is astounding,” said Charlie Greco, president and CEO of IDG World Expo. “While other tradeshow struggle with low attendance numbers, Macworld Conference & Expo continues to set new records. As the number one technology tradeshow in New York City and San Francisco, Macworld is proof positive that the Macintosh platform is hotter than ever.”

“The growing enthusiasm for the Mac platform is contagious. Our customers and developers demonstrated phenomenal support for Apple's latest innovations at Macworld this year,” said Philip Schiller, Apple's vice president of Product Marketing. “It's really great to see this

strong show of support and excitement by so many customers for Mac OS X and all of Apple's digital lifestyle products demonstrated at this year's show.”

In addition to the show's record attendance, more than 44,000 people around the world tuned in simultaneously for a live stream of Apple CEO Steve Jobs' keynote via their QuickTime® Player. QuickTime 5, Apple's industry-leading software for creating, playing and streaming high-quality audio and video over the Internet, is available for free download to Macintosh® and Windows users at www.apple.com/quicktime.

Highlights from the opening keynote address included a preview of Mac® OS X version 10.1, with demonstrations of native Mac OS X applications by 10 major developers including Adobe, Aspyr, Alias|Wavefront, Blizzard, Connectix, FileMaker, IBM, Microsoft, Quark and World Book. More than 1,000 native applications are now available on Mac OS X and more than 50 third-party developers made announcements at the show supporting Mac OS X.

Apple introduced major upgrades to its desktop computing family with the introduction of a new line of faster Power Mac™ G4s with the revolutionary SuperDrive™, and faster, more powerful iMacs™ for today's digital lifestyle. iDVD 2 for Mac OS X v 10.1 was also previewed.

“Macworld New York was a great success for Connectix,” said Mitchell Cipriano, vice president of Marketing at Connectix, one



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<http://www.macworldexpo.com/>

Record Crowd continued

exhibitor featured in the 'Ten on X' keynote. "The attendees are perfect for our products and booth traffic was heavy. In short, a perfect show."

"The traffic at our booth was phenomenal," said Michael Rogers, president of Aspyr Media, Inc. "The entire games area, including the gaming theater, was one of the most popular we've seen at any expo. We were thrilled by the opportunity to showcase our products at the event."

About Apple

Apple ignited the personal computer revolution in the 1970s with the Apple II and reinvented the personal computer in the 1980s with the Macintosh. Apple is committed to bringing the best personal computing experience to students, educators, creative professionals and consumers around the world through its innovative hardware, software and Internet offerings.

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New Products from Macworld

Every Macworld Expo brings a flurry of new products to the Mac market. Here are just a few of this year's highlights.

Apple showed off several new and updated products at this year's Macworld Expo including new G4 towers, revised iMacs and previews of OS 10.1 and iDVD2.

<http://www.apple.com/>

Corel announced a line of software under a new Mac-focused brand titled "Procreate." Their first product will be Painter 7 followed by the Photoshop plug-ins KPT and Knockout.

<http://www.procreate.com/>

Intuit introduced Quicken 2002 which will be available later this summer and will run natively in OSX.

<http://www.intuit.com/>

For gamers, Aspyr Media showed off Tony Hawk's Pro Skater II, The Sims House Party Expansion Pack, Clive Barker's Undying and American McGee's Alice.

<http://www.aspyr.com/>

Microsoft previewed the next version of its popular Office suite of software. Office 10 is scheduled to be released this fall and will run exclusively on OS X.

<http://www.microsoft.com/mac/>

Alias/Wavefront announced Maya Complete 3 for Mac OS X. Scheduled to ship by September 25th, Maya is an industry-standard 3D rendering and animation package.

<http://www.aliaswavefront.com/>

Don't Forget!!

Next meeting
is Wednesday,
August 1st at
Design's by Skip.

Early birds at 6 pm
general meeting
starts at 6:30 pm.



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