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NEW MEETING LOCATION

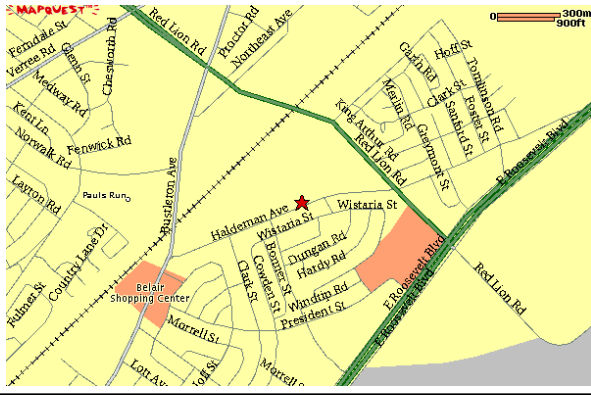
CESOP meetings now take place at 9940 Haldeman Ave, The Bayerischer Volksfest Verein (Bavarian Club)

Meetings will be held at the 7th District's Community Room only as an alternative to the BVV

DIRECTIONS:

From Roosevelt Blvd northbound... Use the center lanes and turn left at Conwell St. (This is the second light after Grant Ave). Follow Conwell St to the end, which is Haldeman Ave. (You will be looking right at the BVV.) Turn right on Haldeman Ave and an immediate left into the driveway of the BVV. Park anywhere on the outer parking lot. Walk through the second gate and enter through the main doors under the canopy. (The building to your left as you walk through the gate.

From Roosevelt Blvd southbound... Use the outside lanes and turn right at Haldeman Ave. (This is the first light after the shopping center and is a soft right). Follow Haldeman past Red Lion Rd. and approximately 100 feet before the next light you will see the driveway entrance for the BVV on your right. (See above)



President's Report - September 2000 by Tom Burke

WOW! Where did the summer go? I certainly hope everyone enjoyed this summer. Now on to business.

Going, going, gone.....

Now that we are resuming our meetings, our presentation this month will be about on-line auctions. Mainly, we will be discussing Ebay, the most popular of all the on line auctions. There are a few other auction sites that will be mentioned. We will show how to get in on the action of both buying and selling. You would be amazed at what you can sell on Ebay. All that stuff lying around the house that you want to rid of, but you don't want to just throw it away, you can sell on line at the auction.

I have been "Ebuying" since the end of June. My sister turned me on to it and told me that it is like "eating potato chips", once you start, you can't stop.

Last March, Roy Kalbs demonstrated a Sony Mavica camera. I was so impressed, I bought one. It is really a great asset if you start to auction. I will be bringing mine to show how to get your photos on line from start to finish. It's a snap!

Hopefully we will be able to get on line and have a live demonstration on participating in an auction.

This month's meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 13. The business meeting will start at 7:30 PM followed by the auction demonstration.

FYI - There is a kitchen available for anyone wanting something to eat or drink. Prices are reasonable. Coffee is supplied by CESOP.

As always, I want to thank our Internet domain sponsor, PlantagaNet for their generosity. For those of you that have asked me about an ISP, give them a call. See their ad on page 3.

Thank you also goes to the Bayerischer Volksfest Verein for allowing us to use their facilities for our meetings. If you have need of a hall for an upcoming affair, give them a call at 215-673-5646. They can cater all types of affairs.

Remember this is your club, come out and support it. See you at the meeting

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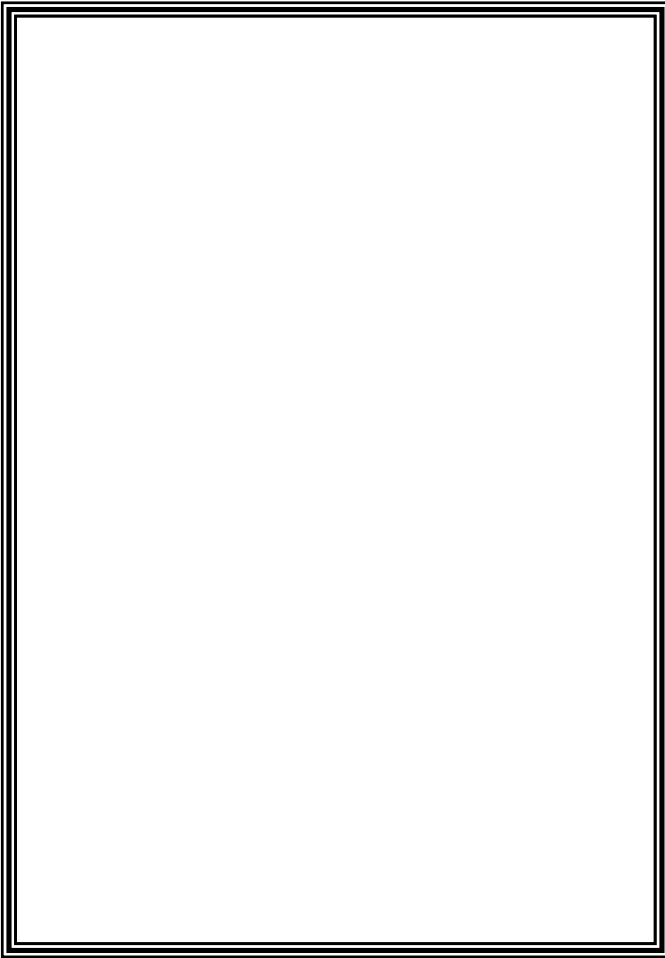
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CESOP is formed exclusively for charitable, educational and scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code") (or corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), and particularly to: engage in the exchange of ideas, techniques and information for the broader and more effective use of computer hardware and software; promote the general pursuit of knowledge and education in computer hardware and software generally; sponsor meetings, seminars, lectures, and workshops to share knowledge, experiences, and discussion of computer topics of interest to members and the general public; publish and distribute a periodic newsletter containing computer information and news...

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2. On 3.5" diskette mailed to Philadelphia Bits & Bytes Editor 1312 Brighton Street Philadelphia, PA 19111

The required format is electronic, IBM compatible in either plain ASCII text or MS Word 6.0 or better. Do not use any justification or margins. Single space between lines and double space between paragraphs. Paragraphs should not be indented. Lists or table entries should be separated by indenting or tabs... do not use spaces. Drawings or artwork not in digital form should be in black ink suitable for scanning.

Please include the article name, your name and phone number, (with area code).

Deadlines

All articles submitted for publication in Philadelphia Bits & Bytes must be in our hands by the third Wednesday of the month preceding the issue month you request. Example: articles for the June issue must be submitted by the third Wednesday in May.

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