

SVFIG Speakers' Schedule Saturday, December 15, 2018

Forth Book of the Month

Andreas Wagner will be offering copies of "Starting Forth" and the <u>Book of the Month</u> for \$10 each.

SVFIG T-Shirts

<u>Brad Nelson</u> is selling high quality black t-shirts sporting the SVFIG logo for \$15 each, \$3 additional for shipping. The current inventory includes: M=9, L=3, XL=3, XXL=3.

Meeting Videos

- This meeting's live video stream and past videos (please subscribe to this YouTube channel)
- Dennis Ruffer's video channel
- Search for SVFIG videos on YouTube

Future Meeting Dates

SVFIG is scheduled to meet on the fourth Saturday of each month in 2018 with the following exceptions:

December 15th - Third Saturday

Any deviations from the posted meeting schedule will be announced.



Meetup RSVP

If you are planning to attend this month's meeting in person <u>or via YouTube</u>, please RSVP on <u>Meetup.com</u>. If not, there is no need to offer your regrets.

Notes for First-time Attendees

- 1) Print a Stanford map showing the meeting location, the <u>Peterson Building</u>, so you can find it easily. If you get lost, call Kevin Appert at 650/678-0532
- Browse the <u>General Meeting Information</u>.
- 3) Park in one of these suggested locations: along Santa Teresa Street, in the lot near the intersection of <u>Santa Teresa Street and Lomita Drive</u>, or in any "A" or "C" designated areas. Do NOT park in places marked with 24/7 restrictions! Most other spots are okay on Saturdays. There is no need to feed the parking meters on the weekends. When in doubt, read the signs!

Links to Other SVFIG Information

- Meeting Notes Archive includes PowerPoint slides, PDFs, meeting videos, source files, and links
- Past Meeting Announcements Archive
- Next Meeting Details and a link to the Speakers' Schedule

Meeting Schedule

08:00 --- Breakfast

We'll meet up at the Palo Alto Creamery, 566 Emerson St.

10:30 --- Coffee and a Chat

10:30 --- Beetle-Bot Demo - CH Ting

"I bought a Beetle-Bot Kit from Amazon for \$59. It has an Arduino Uno board as a controller, with wheels, drivers, and lots of sensors. I got the wheels to turn under my 328eforth and I hope to port Don Golding's Whisker system to it, but there is no guarantee it will work. It is fun just to see wheels turn and LEDs flashing."

11:30 --- Lunch

We will enjoy lunch at The Treehouse.

13:00 --- Quantum Realism and Infinite Subconstituency - Jack Woehr

"Paradox is misperception." Jack will posit a resolution of a 9-decades-old controversy over quantum paradox.

14:00 --- Apollo Computer Restoration - Carl Claunch and Mike Stewart

Carl is a member of the team restoring a leftover Apollo program guidance computer. He will introduce his pick of the Curious Marc YouTube videos documenting the restoration process and answer our questions.

15:00 --- Break

15:15 --- Lamp Get - Brad Nelson

Brad will lead us on an exploration of Forth to craft interactive fiction. Together we'll adventure forth and seek the almost right words to solve this minor mystery.

16:00 --- Clean Up & Adjourn

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Dave Jaffe, the FIG and SVFIG webmaster, adapted this document from the <u>Speakers' Schedule posted on GitHub</u> created by <u>Kevin Appert</u>, the SVFIG Program Chair. Your comments, corrections, and suggestions are always welcome.

SVFIG tries to adhere to this meeting schedule, but sometimes a presentation unexpectantly runs long or the presentation starting times need to be reassigned. If you're desperate to see a particular presentation at a specific time, please alert Kevin and he'll do his best to accommodate your desires.

No Newsgroup posts or other media distribution please! Contact Kevin if you wish to advertise SVFIG meetings.

