



SVFIG Speakers' Schedule Saturday, February 24, 2018

Forth Book of the Month

Andreas Wagner will be offering copies of "Starting Forth" and the [Book of the Month](#) for \$10 each.

SVFIG T-Shirts

[Brad Nelson](#) will be selling high quality black t-shirts sporting the SVFIG logo for \$15 each, \$3 additional for shipping.



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:

- May - this meeting may be cancelled due to possible participation in the Maker Faire
- November 17th - Third Saturday - Forth Day
- 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 or via YouTube, please RSVP on [Meetup.com](https://www.meetup.com). 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 [Peterson Building](#), so you can find it easily. If you get lost, call Kevin Appert at 650/678-0532
- 2) Browse the [General Meeting Information](#).
- 3) Park in one of these suggested locations: along Santa Teresa Street, in the lot near the intersection of [Santa Teresa Street and Lomita Drive](#), 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 presentation PDFs, meeting videos, source files, and links
 - [Past Meeting Announcements Archive](#)
 - [Next Meeting Details and a link to the Speakers' Schedule](#)
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Meeting Schedule

09:40 --- Coffee and a Chat

10:00 --- IBM 1130: The First Forth Computer - Carl Claunch

Carl will tell us a little bit about the IBM 1130, the computer which played host to the very first version of Forth. We'll discuss the possibility of making IBM 1130 FIG-Forth, or another implementation, since Carl has a machine on which to run it.

10:30 --- The Impact of Forth - Jack J. Woehr

Jax will tell us about the impact of Forth on his practice seen from 30+ years down the road.

11:30 --- Lunch

We will enjoy lunch at [The Treehouse](#).

13:00 --- Introductions, Announcements, Rumors, and Gossip

Possible discussion topics include: Have you seen something cool? Have you read a good book? Have you heard a good podcast? Can you share the interesting things you are working on? These do not have to be Forth-related.

13:10 --- Kestrel-2DX Progress Update and Kestrel-3 Vision - Samuel A. Falvo II

"I'll give an update on my Kestrel-2DX project, which as I type this, is 'almost done.' I just need to finish the Forth compiler and add programmable timer support, but I think for the most part, it is finished. I will demonstrate what I have done, to the greatest extent that I can. I will also talk about my future plans for the Kestrel-3."

14:00 --- Two Topics - James Bowman

- 1) [Accessing the RPi hardware in Gforth](#)
- 2) [I used myforth on EFM8 and I liked it](#)

14:40 --- Break for Cake

We'll take a long break to celebrate Sam's birthday.

15:00 --- Creole Forth for JavaScript - [Joseph M. O'Connor](#)

Joseph will join us via Hangout to tell us about his [latest project](#).

16:00 --- Clean Up & Adjourn

While we try to adhere to this meeting schedule, sometimes a presentation unexpectedly 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 us and we'll do our best to accommodate your desires.

Dave Jaffe, the FIG and SVFIG webmaster, adapted this document from the [Speakers' Schedule posted on GitHub](#) created by [Kevin Appert](#), the SVFIG Program Chair. Your comments, corrections, and suggestions are always welcome.

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