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A Newsletter From Your...

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SIG and Help Meetings are
HELD AT THE CONSOLIDATED MUTUAL
WATER DISTRICT BUILDING
12700 W 27th Avenue
Lakewood – 7 to 9 pm
unless otherwise noted



MEETING DATES SET FOR
JULY— DEC 2010

Picnic	July 11	Sunday
Mac SIG	Jul 20	3 rd Tues
Help SIG	July 28	4 th Wed
Mac SIG	Aug 17	3 rd Tues
Help SIG	Aug 25	4 th Wed
Mac SIG	Sep 21	3 rd Tues
Help SIG	Sep 29	5 th Wed
Mac SIG	Oct 19	3 rd Tues
Help SIG	Oct 27	4 th Wed
Mac SIG	Nov 16	3 rd Tues
Help SIG	Nov 24	4 th Wed
Mac SIG	Dec 21	Party
Help SIG	Dec 29	5 th Wed

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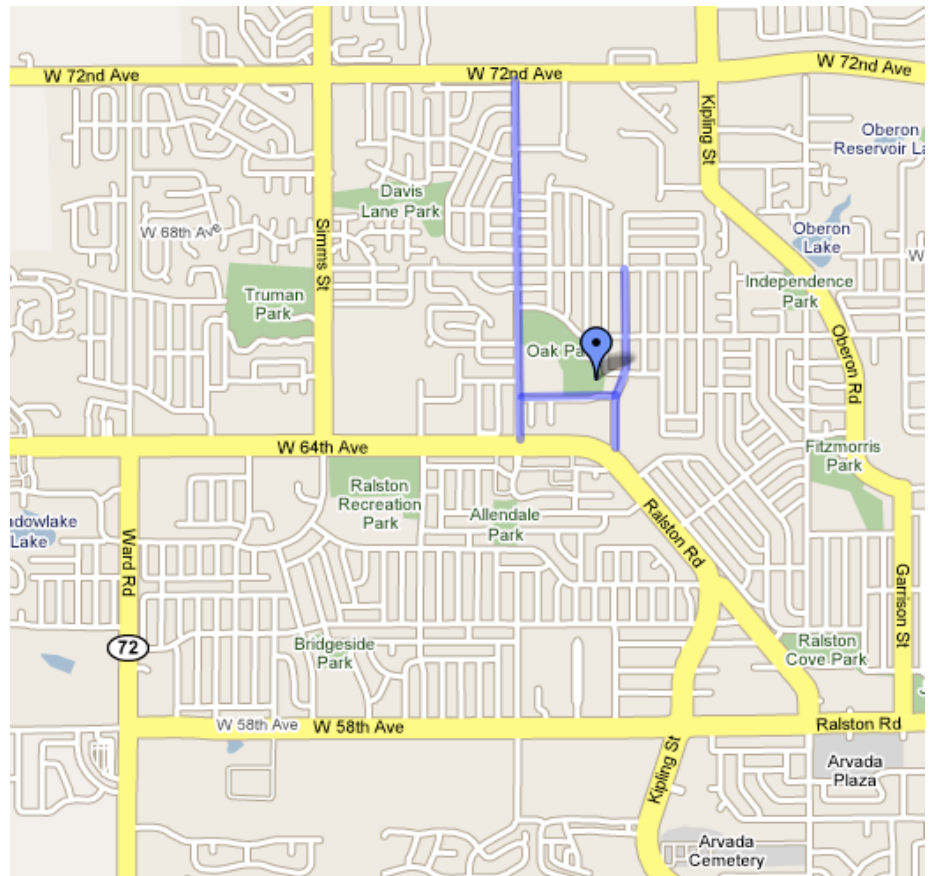
Bring your empty
inkjet and laser toner
cartridges to the next
meeting. Our club
recycles !

MAC SIG MEETING

Tuesday, July 20, 2010

Charles Holt* - Tips and Hints
For Use On your Mac

*Certified Apple Macintosh troubleshooting at
<http://www.PEBMAC.com>



**Don't miss our Denver Apple Pi Picnic
on Sunday, July 11, 2010
*See Next Page for Details***

Time:**12 noon til 5:00 pm****Location:****Oak Park Pavilion,
Arvada – W. 64th Place
between Oak and Miller
Streets behind Camp-
bell Elementary School****Food – Potluck:****Bring your special salad,
dessert, etc., enough for
others to enjoy. The
Club will provide meat,
buns, condiments, water,
pop, plates and silver-
ware.****Facilities:****Covered picnic area,
porta-potties****Games:****Horseshoes and croquet****MEMBERSHIP**

Welcome to new member:

- Jeff Dodd

July 2010 membership renewals
are due for the following DAPI
members:

- Darleen Boord
- Leah Elias
- Kandy Maharis
- Sheldon Ronholdt
- Pam Seman

If you receive a snail mail copy
of *The Seed*, your dues are \$20
per year. If you receive an email
PDF copy of *The Seed*, your
dues are \$15 per year. You canbring your payment to the monthly meetings or you can send your re-
mittance to the club mailing address: Denver Apple Pi, 6501 Welch Ct.,
Arvada, CO 80004-2223.**UPGRADE YOUR MAC TO RUN BETTER THAN NEW**
[OWC Offer](#)

1. Turbo Boost Your Mac (or PC) with OWC Mercury Extreme Pro SSDs 60GB to 480GB from \$199
2. Double Your Data Capacity with OWC's Data Doubler Optical Bay Drive Solution, \$79.99
3. Seagate's New HardDrive/SSD Hybrid! \$169.99
4. Many other offers. Go to

http://eshop.macsales.com/Customized_Pages/owc_macworld_special_june_2010.html?APC=MacWorldEM629&Source=MacWorldEM629**WHICH NEW MAC IS FOR YOU?**

Here are some general guidelines for :

MacBook – starting at \$999

- White plastic body w/built in Webcam
- 2.4Ghz Intel Core 2 Duo processor
- 2GB Ram, 250GB hard drive
- 10-hour battery life
- Additional RAM or larger hard drive costs more

MacBook Pro – starting at \$1,199 to \$2,299

- Aluminum body w/built in Webcam
- 13-, 15- and 17-inch models
- 4GB RAM, 250GB hard drive and upgrades in processor speed and drive size
- Good for video games and video editing, viewing online video, light photo editing for digital camera photos and camcorders
- SD card reader and FireWire Port
- On 15-inch upgrades /Intel Core i5 in 2.4GHz or 2.53GHz, or
- 2.66GHz Intel Core i7 processor
- Enough power to watch and edit HD video
- 17-inch screen has 2353GHz Intel Core i5 processor great for video and games

MacBook Air — \$1,499 to \$1,799

- 13-inch model, light and thin
- 1.86GHz Intel Core 2 Duo, 120GH HD limited to 2GB of RAM or

- 2.13GHz Intel Core Duo, 128GB limited to 2GB of RAM
- No optical drive—no CDs or DVDs. Can borrow another computer's optical drive wirelessly, or purchase an external optical drive from Apple

iMac — all in one desktop starting at \$1,199 to \$1,999 –will satisfy most needs

- 21-inch \$1,199 has 500GB HD; 3.06GHz Intel Core 2 Duo, 4GB memory.
- 21-inch (\$1,499) and low-end 27-inch (\$1,699) have same processor, same memory, same 1TB hard drive, same improved graphics card. Screen size is the difference
- 27-inch model (\$1,999) is the high end with 2.66 GHz Intel Core i5 processor and better graphics card.

Mac mini — \$699

- No monitor, keyboard or mouse: these cost extra
- 2.4GHz Intel Core 2 Duo processor, 2GB RAM and 320GB HD
- HDMI port to connect to HDTV
- SD card reader to transfer media from digital cameras or camcorders

An online site for checking Mac prices that are updated DAILY is <http://www.pcpriees.net/>

This site shows available rebates as well as bundles that can save additional dollars.



Prosoft is offering a special 25% discount for all Prosoft Customers from their Data Rescue Center! Prosoft reps came to the DAPI meeting several years ago and made a presentation and they continue to send these offers to DAPI.

Some other services they offer include:

- Digital Picture Recovery from all types of digital camera media cards
- Photo Scanning of family photos.
- Data migration from ANY device (Hard drive, SCSI devices, tape drives, floppy disks, Zip® and Jaz® Disks, cassette tape or VHS to Hard drives or DVDs.
- Hard Drive & Deleted File Recovery

Have any questions, call the Data Rescue Center at 1-877-501-4949 or www.thedatarescuecenter.com

http://prosoftengineering_bmemails5.com/c/p?9tSN8Jgb1CZux/1slvOSxqyrEcSbMsoROB14N1mSWMQ7saXVvO5IGfS41OJtm34E8EMeXcaNve7etHauOTTfpNjCO17x6YLRzR2MrFaD54=



FIVE THINGS TO DO BEFORE LEAVING ON VACATION

From Joe Kissell, Macworld.com

In a nutshell, here is what Joe Kissell suggests. Go to his website for full details.

http://www.macworld.com/article/152239/2010/06/vacation.html?lsrc=nl_mwweek_h_cbstories

1. Update your backups
2. Make important data available to yourself using online backup service
3. Set up remote access for email, remote Login. Leave computer on in case you do need remote access. Sleep mode even prevents remote access (disable sleep in Energy Saver pane of System Preferences) and turn off your Mac's display
4. Turn on an out-of-office notification
5. Change your voicemail message.

Full details as well as software and websites are available at Macworld.com

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DENVER APPLE PI, 6501 Welch Ct, Arvada CO 80004-2223

Elissa McAlear: call 303.421.8714 for information about Apple II, GS and Mac. Email elissamc@comcast.net

Our website is: <www.denverapplepi.com>

Macintosh SIG meets the **THIRD** Tuesday of the month, 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Troubleshooter Group Mac Help meets the **FOURTH** Wednesday of each month, 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

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 Renewal _____ New _____ Change _____
 Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____
 Phone _____
 Email _____
 Kind of Computer: Apple II ___ GS ___ Mac ___ OS _____

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Membership Chair	Sheila Warner

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