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*April 3rd, 2011 General Windows SIG review by Alan Raul*

**Apple iPad 2**
http://www.apple.com/ipad/

**IronKey** - The World's Most Secure Flash Drive
https://www.ironkey.com/
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/IronKey

**IronClad** - Lockheed Martin has partnered with IronKey to produce a bootable version of an IronKey drive, branded the IronClad. IronClad drives combine IronKey hardware with customized virtualization and security software that enables the drives to house and boot an entire operating system, applications and files from the USB drive.
http://www.lockheedmartin.com/products/ironclad/

**How to change your default web browser**
http://windows.microsoft.com/en-US/windows-vista/Change-your-default-web-browser
http://support.mozilla.com/en-US/kb/How%20to%20make%20Firefox%20the%20default%20browser
http://www.google.com/support/chrome/bin/answer.py?answer=95417

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*April 3rd, 2011 Main Meeting Review by John Waller*

At 12:45 PM **Alan Raul** conducted his Q & A session.
At 2:30 PM Main Meeting speaker was Guy Savage - Director of Information Technology (County of SLO). His Presentation Links: http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/it/Presentations.htm. He gave a brief overview of his job and then discussed the Internet and accessing it, particularly broadband options. He then focused on his main topic which was Wi-Fi. This entailed the setting up of Wi-Fi and the various security issues. Overall he gave a very interesting and informative talk.

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*May 1st, 2011 Programming Schedule: by John Waller*

Prior to the main presentation, **Alan Raul** will conduct his Q&A session

**Main Program Presentation**:
This month's meeting will be an extension/continuation of Alan Raul's Q & A session

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*President's Message:*
Go to http://www.slobytes.org/newsletter/push/ to see the **PUSH** reviews.  They come to us from **Dave Gerber**, Director/PUSH Chairman of APCUG.  Our Webmaster, **Ralph Sutter**, uploads these articles to our website.  The actual PUSH articles are hyperlinked from the index.

You can view the Association of Personal Computer User Groups (APCUG) Publications here:
http://www.slobytes.org/apcug/index.html.

Take a look at http://www.kcbx.net/training.html to see if you would like to avail yourself of the various computer related classes available at the KCBXnet Training Facility.

Cal Poly Continuing Education's Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) is a comprehensive learning and service program for those 50 and over. This is a highly rated College level education program available at Cal Poly. This is their website: http://www.olli.calpoly.edu/.

*--Ray Miklas*

### Treasurer's Report for May 2011

**Income - April: Renewing members**   $150.00
   New Members                      50.00
   Refreshments receipts        31.40
**Expenses - April:**
   Hall rent                          90.00
**Bank Statement for end of Feb 2011–**
   Checking acct             3,396.16
   Savings acct               55.00
   Interest for year 2011      0 .83

**Renewing Members:** Robert Mires, Jim Buenrostro, Jim Middlemist, Don Jones, Robert Mellama, Ed Faeth, Ginny Monteen

**New Members:** Irene Wetzel

**Treasurer's Comments**: Gary Savage presented an interesting look into the county's digital Information Management system, and, I thought, presented a fine program.

*Robert Mires, Treasurer*

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### Club Information and Meeting Times

**SLO Bytes,** a PC Users Group dedicated to educate its members in the use of personal computers, digital devices and software, meets on the first Sunday of each month at the Independent Order of Odd Fellows (IOOF) Hall at 520 Dana Street, San Luis Obispo. All meetings are open to the public at no cost. Special interest groups meet from 12:45 PM to 2:00 PM and guest speaker presentations begin at 2:30 PM. Contact **John Waller** (johnlwaller at sbcglobal.net) or visit http://www.slobytes.org/index.shtml for additional information about SLO Bytes and the scheduled presentation.

**HardCopy** is a monthly publication of SLO Bytes PC Users' Group located in San Luis Obispo, California. Information in this Newsletter is derived from both our own membership and other PC User Group Newsletters. The purpose of this publication is to inform our members of meetings and provide information related to the use of PCs and various Operating Systems.

**Membership Dues** are $25 per year. Full membership entitles you to our monthly newsletter via e-mail, technical assistance, raffle gift drawing at the end of the meetings, a voice in the affairs of the club, and comradeships.

**Article Submission** Deadline for submission of articles is the 20th of each month. Articles should be E-mailed to the editor (rmiklas at pacbell.net).

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