MUSIC CITY 99ers USERS GROUP QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER   THIRD QUARTER 1989

TI-SDOM FROM THE PRESIDENT:

Hello everyone! The summer is really going to be great and we are growing
sTIll. Our BBS up and running at 2400 BAUD. Nicky Nance is our new SysOp
and the BBS telephone number is 615-356-3226(8N1). The WildCat BBS uses an
ANSI graphics driver and, TELCO v2.3 is recommended since it supports
ANSI. If you haven't called and logged in yet, DO IT! It is easy to leave
messages and exchange programs and hear the news "HOT OFF OF THE WIRE!" If
you need some help logging on, be at our next meeTIng and ask me about it.

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IT IS AGAIN SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY JULY 18TH 7-9 P.M. IN ROOM #312 AT THE
WEST END METHODIST CHURCH. DO NOT FORGET IT! WE WILL MISS YOU, TOO! DON'T
MISS YOUR CHANCE TO MEET WITH YOUR GROUP WHO UNDERSTANDS YOUR TI NEEDS AND
RESPONDS TO THOSE NEEDS WITH ANSWERS, TUTORIALS, & TECHNICAL HELP.

For further informaTIon, write our Post Office box or call me at home,
(615)889-5852 or at work (615)871-9903. I'll be listening for you! Make it
a point to get involved in this great club experience! JOIN, LEAD, &
ENJOY! If you would like to contribute some TIme or some arTIcles for
UpTIme, contact me or any of our officers and know that your input will be
well received. Our club program library is really growing and to date, we
have well over 1000 great programs. They are all available to you for
copying at either of our regular meeTIngs. We manage to get together a
full DISK-OF-THE-MONTH for each meeTIng and we have a cassette library.
Our 300/1200/2400 BAUD BBS is now running and is in need of callers. We
want you to enjoy this service and also upload some of your arTIcles,
programs, and messages. It's fun and educaTIonal too! Don't forget your
$15.00 annual membership. Your dues includes membership, library, and this
newsletter. The Music City 99ers Users Group completely supports the
TI-99/4A HOME COMPUTER and MYARC 9640. Tell us how we can serve you best!

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Please let us know your needs and we will surely help all that we can.
This group is worth every thing that you put into it and more. SomeTImes
if you feel that you are not getTIng enough out of this group or any
group, try donaTIng your TIme and talents to making it better. You as a
group have purchased a someTImes idling dual-disk system with 2
double-sided, double density drives. You could determine how to make it
useful to you, to benefit you, to help you, and also to nourish your
desire to be producTIve with your own TI-99/4A Computer.
   MEETING JULY 18th, 7 p.m. BE THERE !

ANNOUNCING! NEW AND IMPROVED SOFTWARE AND HARDWARE!

Remind Me! by John Johnson. Graphical calender with pop-up windows for daily
($15.00) entry of schedules and appointments. Quick searches and complete
report prinTing control. Also interfaces with all clock cards as
an opTIon(not required). E/A, TIW, XB, or Myarc 9640.

TRIAD by Wayne Smith. Full-featured 1)Terminal emulator, 2)Disk manager,
($20.00) and 40 column text editor in a single program. TRIAD stays memory
resident and uses a 13k buffer. E/A, TIW, XB, or Myarc 9640.

AV-Index by Don and Aaron West. Creates videotape and audio cassette labels,
($15.00) box inserts, and library indexes. XB or Myarc 9640.

PC-Transfer by Mike Dodd. Transfers text files from TI to IBM disks in four
(25.00) formats. Allows for external rouTInes to import/export MacPaint
pictures, delimited dBASE III database files, Lotus 1-2-3 ASCII
saves. Requires double density controller. XB, E/A, or Myarc 9640.

Picture Transfer for the Myarc 9640 by Paul Charlton. File conversion for
($30.00) viewing, cropping, cut-and-pasTing, prinTing, and interchanging
GIF, RLE, MYArt, MacPaint, and GRAPHX files. Also enables slide
shows and animaTIon creaTIon. Myarc 9640 MDOS.

MacFlix by J. Peter Hoddie. Allows for viewing, prinTIng, and saving Mac-
($15.00) Paint pictures from the huge library of available BBS catalogs.
XB, E/A, or Myarc 9640.

Graphics Expander by J. Peter Hoddie. This uTILity can stretch and shrink most
($10.00) popular graphics by factors from -9 to +9. Includes BIG-TYPE program.
Also provides upside-down, invert, mirror, and rotate features. E/A.

FirstBase by Warren Agee. Menu-driven, full-featured database program written
($49.95) in C language with complete flexibility. Each record may have up to
75 fields with fieldnames of up to 20 characters. Each field may be
up to 720 characters long and each record may hold up to 3000 bytes
of informaTIon. A database may hold up to 34 megabytes of data! Sorts
on up to 75 field keywords and full four-funcTIon floaTIng point math
between fields. Even performs calculaTIons on database contents. Runs
TI-99/4A and Myarc 9640 computers.

TI-Base v2.01 by Dennis Faherty. dBASE III lookalike for the TI and Myarc 9640.
($24.95) Easy to use command language allows custom programming to suit your
own needs. Full math support and mulTIple field sorTing. Help screens
and sample database tutorial included. XB, E/A, or Myarc 9640.

MICROdex Vol. I & II by William Gaskill. Add-in database for TI-Base with the
($22.95) complete cross-referencing of related wriTings from Micropendium,
COMPUTE! '83-'86, 99er/HCMagazine, Computer Shopper, and many more!
Quick searches and reports on all topics. Requires TI-Base v2.0.

TELCO v2.3 by Charles Earl. Full-featured terminal emulator with auto-dialer,
($20.00) text editor, and macro language. Even emulates ANSI, VAX 52 and 100,
DEC, and H/P terminals. XB, E/A, or Myarc 9640.

ANNOUNCING! NEW AND IMPROVED SOFTWARE AND HARDWARE!

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ARCHIVER 3.03 by Barry Boone. Useful for compressing and uncompressing files
($10.00)   for disk archives and for transferring files to and from BBS's.
            Also has disk management, file view, and uTIlity loader. E/A.

Funnelweb v4.13 by Tony and Will McGovern. Complete operaTIng environment with
($20.00)   40-column editor, formatter, custom loaders, C99, DiskPatch, and
            DM-1000. Custom configured and works in 80-column mode on Myarc
            9640 or AVP-9938 board. XB, E/A, or Myarc 9640.

Myarc HDFCC   Hard and floppy disk controller card for the TI-99/4A and Myarc
($299.95)   9640 computers. Fits in PEBox and controls up to 4 hard drives,
            4 floppy drives, ramdisk, and streaming tape backup systems. Its
            data transfer rate is near the speed of ram. Comes complete with
            hard drive management software(MDM5), cables, and installaTIon
            manual. Hard drive with its own external power supply recommended.

The Printer's ApprenTIce by Matt McCann. Desktop publishing program with full-
($22.50)   featured rouTInes for all sorts of prinTIng and page designing.
The Geometer's ApprenTIce by Matt McCann. Three dimensional CAD drawing program.
($39.95)   Both of these require expanded system, XB, E/A or Myarc 9640.

RAG Editor v4.02 by R. A. Green. Newest upgrade to TI-Writer with more funcTIons
($10.00)   than ever before. All operaTIons have been speeded up considerably
            and you can customize your configuraTIon. Best yet! XB or Myarc.

MulTIplan Printer Codes by Jack Mathis. Allows you to put printer control codes
($10.00)   into blank cells of your MulTIplan templates for creaTIve reports.
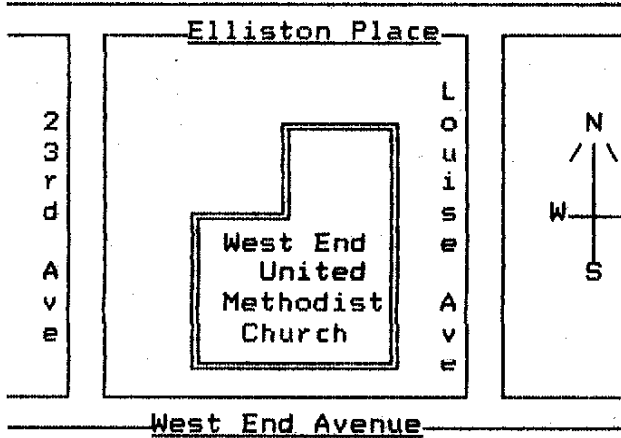
MORE NEW STUFF is on the way from many authors. If you have bought or written a
            program lately or, re-discovered an old favorite, write a one or
            two page review about it. Also, send a wish list for future stuff.

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MY WISH LIST

A version of Myarc Disk Manager for E/A OpTIon 5 and one for MDOS on the 9640.

A mouseware uTIlity which allows for the design and use of Mouse-Driven menus.

A MDOS loader which bypasses loading of a GPL interpreter and returns to MDOS.

A 0-1 sectors restoraTIon program to easily repair a scrambled disk directory.

A disk drive tesTIng uTIlity determining head alignment, speed, and condiTIon.

A transparent RS232 tesTIng uTIlity to report on serial intermittent problems.

A person or group to grant me the wishes above or, enlighten me to the source.Ed

WE WELCOME ALL NEW MEMBERS AND VISITORS!

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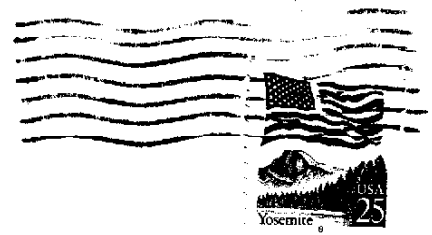
MeeTIng at the West End Methodist Church in Room #312. Go into the back doors and take the elevator up to the Third Floor. Turn left, go through the double doors, then left again to the end of the hall- ROOM #312. The meeTIng begins promptly at 7:00 p.m. on the Third Tuesday evening of every month. DON'T MISS A SINGLE ONE!

Send inquiries to the address below and call our BBS at 615-356-3226(2400,8,N,1).

MUSIC CITY 99ERS USERS GROUP SUPPORTS TI-99/4A AND MYARC 9640 FAMILY COMPUTERS.

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