

Resource Central Catalog

Over the next 24 months, Resource Central plans to move its publications over to a new user group. Five pages of this catalog have been dedicated to getting that group on its feet. The last three pages are Resource Central's standard catalog. Call us at 913-469-6502! Spring 1994

Any computer plugs into this network!

Join ICON now!

The International Computer Owners Network — a world-wide user group

ICON is a non-profit computer user group being launched under the sponsorship of Resource Central. We'd like you to join us!

ICON's Mission

ICON's mission is to educate the public about computers and related technologies. ICON's publications, online forums, and seminars provide basic and continuing education as well as channels for the exchange and dissemination of information.

ICON's Activities

Monthly Disks

ICON publishes inexpensive monthly disks for Apple II, Macintosh, MS-DOS, and Windows users. Each disk is designed to educate computer users by means of tutorials, feature articles, news summaries, tips and tricks, and access to the best freeware and shareware to appear in the last month. ICON's editors winnow out the chaff so you can stay wise about the best of what's new for just a few dollars a month.

ICON's monthly disks are available by subscription or by purchasing disks from our back issue library. Subscribers automatically become ICON members. Monthly disk subscriptions are the primary source of ICON's income — by subscribing you support the group as well as save yourself time and money!

Special-Interest Disks

ICON also publishes disks every-other-month for members with special interests. Currently special-interest disks are published for Apple II users who use *AppleWorks*, *HyperStudio*, or *HyperCard*, and for Macintosh users who use *HyperStudio*. Moreover, publishing additional special-interest disks is at the heart of ICON's mission. If you would like to start and manage a special-interest disk, please contact us.

Like ICON's monthly disks, special-interest disks are available by subscription or from our back-issue library. Subscribers to special-interest disks automatically become ICON members.

ICON Online

An international user group would be unthinkable without electronic information highways to shrink the world down to a manageable size. ICON has official forums for the Apple II, Macintosh, and PowerPC on

GENie, General Electric's internationally-available online service. ICON's forums are open to the general public and include active bulletin boards, packed software libraries, and frequent real-time conferences. An ICON special-interest group for Apple II users, called PAL, already meets monthly online.

Help ICON

Help ICON is a volunteer program in which members help the public and other members with computer problems on a person-to-person basis. If you're available to help, let us know your areas of expertise. If you need help, let us put you in touch with a member close to you.

ICON Summer Conference

This year, ICON's summer conference will be held July 21-23 in Kansas City. The conference is held at a small college. Attendees can stay in the dorms and eat in the cafeteria or they can stay at local hotels. Members give seminars on various aspects of using computers. This is a great time to meet and learn from fellow ICON members.

Member Benefits

ICON's educational materials are available to the general public, however, there are advantages to supporting ICON's activities by becoming part of our world-wide community of members. The benefits of ICON membership include:

Ahs

Our quarterly newsletter, *Ahs* (rhymes with Oz), is written by Tom Weishaar, ICON's executive director, and will keep you up-to-date with ICON's activities and the larger world of computing. It's small enough that you'll actually have time to read it.

Back Issue Library Discounts

ICON members can get disks from our back issue library for just \$3 each, 40 per cent less than the non-member price of \$5 each.

Volunteer Opportunities

ICON members have many opportunities to provide important and meaningful help to the public and other members through our *Help ICON* volunteer program, our online activities, our summer conference, and our monthly and special-interest group disks.

System Software Upgrades

ICON members can get system software upgrades for just \$3 a disk under the provisions of our user-group license with Apple Computer:

		# disks	price
IC-004	Apple II: ProDOS 8 v4.0.2	2	\$6.00
IC-005	Apple II: GS/OS v5.0.4	2	\$6.00
IC-006	Apple II: GS/OS v6.0.1	6	\$18.00
IC-106	Macintosh: System 6.0.8	4 800K	\$12.00
IC-107	Macintosh: System 7.01	8 1.4M	\$24.00

How to join us

Membership fees are included in the price of monthly and special-interest disk subscriptions. Subscription payments are ICON's primary source of financial support.

Disk subscriptions

The standard rate for ICON's monthly disks is just \$5 each (\$59.95 a year). The price includes airmail delivery world-wide. Or you can save \$10 each year by selecting ICON's special auto-renewal rate (\$49.95). When you ask for auto-renewal, you pay by credit card — a few days before we send your last issue, ICON will renew your subscription for you and charge the renewal to your credit card. ICON's monthly disks include:

For Apple II users: A2-Central
For Macintosh users: Macrocosm
For Windows users: Solid Windows
For MS-DOS users: Config.sys

Special-Interest Disk subscriptions

The standard rate for ICON's special-interest disks is \$49.95 a year (\$39.95 under the auto-renewal program). Again, the price includes airmail delivery world-wide and ICON membership. We are looking for individuals who would like to start and manage additional special-interest disks. At this time, ICON's special interest disks include:

Apple II
For AppleWorks users: TimeOut-Central
For HyperCard IIgs users: Script-Central
Macintosh & Apple II
For HyperStudio users: Studio City

Otherwise...

If you aren't interested in any of ICON's disk subscriptions, you can join for just \$8 per year and receive *Ahs* and all the other benefits of membership.

The Best of What's Hot...

Monthly Disks

A2-Central

12 Issues Per Year
One 800K 3.5" disk per issue
\$59.95 a year (\$5/disk)
\$49.95 auto renew (\$4.17/disk)

Config.sys

12 Issues Per Year
One 1.4 Meg 3.5" disk per issue
\$59.95 a year (\$5/disk)
\$49.95 auto renew (\$4.17/disk)

Macrocosm

12 Issues Per Year
One 1.4 Meg 3.5" disk per issue
\$59.95 a year (\$5/disk)
\$49.95 auto renew (\$4.17/disk)

Solid Windows

12 Issues Per Year
One 1.4 Meg 3.5" disk per issue
\$59.95 a year (\$5/disk)
\$49.95 auto renew (\$4.17/disk)

Special Interest

Script-Central

6 Issues Per Year
Two 800K 3.5" disks per issue
\$49.95 a year (\$4.17/disk)
\$39.95 auto renew (\$3.33/disk)

Studio City (IIgs)

6 Issues Per Year
Two 800K 3.5" disks per issue
\$49.95 a year (\$4.17/disk)
\$39.95 auto renew (\$3.33/disk)

Studio City (Mac)

6 Issues Per Year
One 1.4 Meg 3.5" disk per issue
\$49.95 a year (\$8.32/disk)
\$39.95 auto renew (\$6.66/disk)

TimeOut-Central

6 Issues Per Year
One 800K 3.5" disk per issue
\$49.95 a year (\$8.32/disk)
\$39.95 auto renew (\$6.66/disk)

Apple II

MS-DOS

Macintosh

Windows

HyperCard IIgs

HyperStudio

HyperStudio

AppleWorks

...and the lowest
price possible...

Join today and
learn!

There's no less expensive way to learn about and stay current with the quickly changing universe of computer technology than ICON's on-disk publications. Not only do you get full-text articles and tutorials like traditional computer publications, you also get actual software you can use to learn by doing.

But best of all, you become a part of our world-wide network of computer users. Now you'll have friends to rely on (and who will rely on you) for help with those ticklish situations.

Subscriptions to ICON's disk publications are its primary means of financial support. By subscribing you not only give yourself access to great disks for your computer, you become a member of ICON at no additional cost. Help us and help yourself — subscribe to one of our disk publications today!

For exact descriptions of what kind of material is in each publication, see the back issue library listings on the next three pages. Since **Config.sys** and **Solid Windows** are new publications, they are unlisted, but the content will resemble that of **A2-Central** and **Macrocosm**.

About Auto-Renewal

ICON doesn't have multi-year subscription rates for any of its publications. You choose whether to pay the standard 1-year rate or, if you prefer, pay by credit card and ask to be in ICON's automatic renewal program. A few days before we send the last issue of your initial subscription, we'll renew your subscription for you and charge the renewal to your card. *You'll have no renewal junk mail, no need to buy stamps or make phone calls, no double payments, no missed issues, you'll pay just one year at a time, and you'll get our best subscription rate. And you can cancel at any time and get a refund on outstanding issues.*