

Windows 98 Gets Y2K Bug Fix

Users of Microsoft's Windows 98 operating system should download the free Year 2000 (Y2K) upgrade that will correct infrequent, but annoying, glitches. The Y2K bugs were recently discovered, and Microsoft will notify registered Win98 users via email.

Details at dgl.com/dglinfo/1998/dg981207.html.

Corel Releases WordPerfect 8 for Linux - For Free

Corel will make WordPerfect for Linux available for download free of charge, beginning December 22.

According to Corel, over 60,000 Linux users have already requested notification of the software's availability.

The 23.6MB program will be broken down into seven 3.5MB files to make downloading easier. Multi-language tools for French, Italian, German, Spanish, and Dutch language users are 6.5MB each.

Access Tip

When viewing the database window, click the right mouse button to begin importing a dBASE or ASCII Text file.

Learn tips and tricks like this in our Access, Level 2 class on January 27th.

PowerPoint Tip

Move objects more exactly by holding the [Alt] key; this disables the "snap to grid" functionality.

Learn tips and tricks like this in our PowerPoint, Level 2 class on December 18th.

Upcoming Classes



Here's a short list of our most popular classes. Call Dave or Ann for a list of all our classes.

Windows 95, Lvl 1	1/6
Word, Lvl 1	1/8
Word, Lvl 2	1/22
WordPerfect, Lvl 1	call for dates
Excel, Lvl 1	1/15
Excel, Lvl 2	1/28
Excel, Lvl 3	call for dates
Quattro Pro, Lvl 1	call for dates
PowerPoint, Lvl 1	1/7
PowerPoint, Lvl 2	1/26
Access, Lvl 1	1/12
Access, Lvl 2	1/27
Netscape, Lvl 1	2/1
CyberMarketing	1/25
Website Dev, Lvl 1	1/29
Website Dev, Lvl 2	1/29
PageMaker, Lvl 1	12/29 & 12/30
Act!, Lvl 1	call for dates
Project, Lvl 1	call for dates

Customers Speak Out...

"Perfect flow and perfect class size."

Mike Harris, JHU

"Dave was very informative and kept my attention throughout the class."

Anissa Carter, Spectara

"This class was exceptional. The instructor made the class very personal and incorporated my needs into the training."

Brian Jolles, Jolles Insurance

"Very good instructor."

William Paulsen, W.R. Grace

"Best class I've ever attended!"

Lynn Hall, Spectara

Dell Asks Dudley For Help

This week, Dell Computers unveiled its "Ask Dudley!" service, based on the natural language software pioneered by the Ask Jeeves search engine. Ask Dudley offers website visitors access to over 50,000 pages of customer-support material using simple English questions such as "Where are the Hewlett-Packard drivers?"

But interestingly, questions such as "Who is Michael Dell?" and "Why is Dell better than Gateway?" yielded no answers at all.

Western Digital Outpaces Competition

Western Digital, using IBM's production technology, will begin shipping ultra-high performance hard drives with a 20% price premium, putting it in the cat bird's seat relative to profitability.

Western Digital's new 7,200-rotation-per-minute drive, the WD Expert, will replace the company's older Caviar drive for high-performance PCs, relegating the 5,400-rpm Caviar to mainstream and low-end PCs.

The new drives will be perfect for file servers and high-performance workstations. They will transfer data at 66MB/second, about twice as fast as current top-line drives.

New MS Word Virus

A new virus that infects Microsoft Word 97 documents and spreads quickly across computer networks has been discovered. Details online at dgl.com/dglinfo/1998/dg981220.html

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