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"Founded for the purpose of increasing the knowledge of Macintosh users in the use of their computers and software"

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Meeting:

Tuesday, NOVEMBER 9th

Arnold Firehouse
EPFD Station 1 on Blagen Road in Arnold

The street address is 1037 Blagen Road in Arnold. It is between the Post Office and the Library on Blagen. To reach it you come up (or down) Hwy #4 into Arnold. When you reach the Chevron Station on the left hand side (coming up), you make a gentle left turn onto Blagen Road, which will take you past Ace Hardware and the Post Office. The Station is on the left hand side and is the big building full of Fire Engines if they are not out on a call. To park, drive to the right hand side of the building and into the parking area in the back. If all the spaces are full in the black top area use the gravel area to the right after you pass by the building. The building we use is in the back, with an entrance with a door--it's a classroom.

Here's Bob Reagan's release about our meeting:

LATEST NEWS FROM APPLE SUBJECT
OF SMUG NOVEMBER 9 MEETING

Apple's innovations are constantly making exciting news with new gadgets and software as will be evident during the next meeting of the Sierra Macintosh Users Group (SMUG) to be held Tuesday, November 9 beginning at 7 p.m. in the assembly room of the Ebbetts Pass Fire District, 1037 Blagen Rd., just off Highway 4.

Brian Thomas, Technology Specialist and Trainer for the Calaveras County Office of Education will be making the presentation and leading the discussion. He will explore some of Apple's latest products and share some of the coolest features of iLife '11 and conduct a comprehensive demonstration of iPhoto '11. As is always the case with these meetings, there will be subjects covered and questions answered that are not on the agenda.

SMUG meetings are open to everyone and there is no charge to attend. The organization exists to keep Mac users abreast of the latest developments and to address the nagging questions that arise from time to time. Its goal is to take the mystery out of computers and to enable members to take advantage of all the features their Macs possess.

SMUG was founded in 1995 and is a non-profit organization run completely by volunteers. Annual dues are $15. For more information visit the SMUG website at www.SierraMacintoshUsersGroup.org or call 795-3798.

Other News, Tools and Tips

From Dick Cross:

This may have already been discussed, but please remember that **Versiontracker** has been replaced by **CNET Downloads** (http://download.cnet.com/mac/?tag=hdr;snav) In the past we have referred many folks to Versiontracker.

From Phill Hoxie:

iUseMac.com today is pleased to announce their free pre-bundle promotion for Running Application, the complete version of Altomac's popular launching utility for Mac OS X. One of Running Applications most prolific features allows you to create "applications sets" which allow you to simultaneously action. To participate in this offer, simply

join the site newsletter. Signing up to the newsletter helps stay up-to-date with the upcoming iUseMac Bundle. http://www.iusemac.com/

Running Applications is an application launching utility for Mac OS X that conveniently lists all running applications in a handy menu in the menubar. With a focus on ease-of-use, Running Applications has a very small footprint, and was developed specifically to accommodate those users who switch between many different applications on a daily basis. A single click brings an application, including all its opened windows, to the front, facilitating switching among apps a breeze.

(This special offer is to bring about awareness to iUseMac, and allow Mac users to receive notifications on great software and the coming iUseMac Bundle. iUseMac is a site devoted exclusively to bringing special offers on the most popular software applications to Mac users around the world. Signing up to the newsletter helps stay up-to-date with the latest iUseMac news and Mac deals.)

From MacWorld November, page 92:

To find a folder you need, rather than drilling through nested folders, use the Finder's Go > Go To Folder. You don't even have to enter the full folder name. If you are manually entering a name in the go-to folder dialogue box, press tab to autocomplete the name.
Go To Folder is especially useful for surfacing hidden folders.

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