San Francisco Bay Area — Where It All Started — Has Its First Home Computing Convention

7,000 to 10,000 People
100 Conference Presentations
200 Commercial & Homebrew Exhibits
Two Banquets with Outstanding Speakers
Special-Interest Social Centers
Publication of Proceedings Being Planned

In Northern California’s Largest Convention Facility, San Francisco’s Civic Auditorium

CONFERENCE SECTIONS ON HOME COMPUTING

- Computer Graphics on Home Computers
- Computer-Driven & Computer-Assisted Music Systems
- Speech Synthesis Using Home Computers
- Computers & Amateur Radio
- Computer Games: Alphanumeric & Graphic
- Personal Computers for the Physically Handicapped
- Computers & Systems for Small Businesses
- Tutorials for Hardware Novices & Software Novices

— AND MUCH MORE —

PRESENT-WORLD & FUTURE-WORLD BANQUET SPEAKERS

Banquets to be Held in San Francisco’s St. Francis Hotel
Fascinating Speakers will Discuss the Past, Present, & Future

- Frederik Pohl, Science Fiction Writer;
  Lecturer to NASA, American Astronautical
  Society, New York Academy of Sciences,
  World Future Society, etc.
  Robots You Can Make for Fun & Profit

- John Whitney, Pioneer Computer Film Maker,
  Computer graphics experimenter under grants
  from NEA, Guggenheim Foundation, & IBM
  Digital Pyrotechnics: The Computer in Visual Arts

- Henry Tropp, Mathematician, and Principal
  Investigator for History of Computers
  Project jointly sponsored by the
  Smithsonian Institution & AFIPS
  The 1940’s: The FIRST Personal Computing Era

- Ted Nelson, Author & Fantast, Director of the
  Xanadu Electronic Literary Network,
  Lecturer at Swarthmore College
  Those Unforgettable Next Two Years

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- Details of the programs & speakers
- Information about the banquet's arrangements
- Accommodations information, & registration forms for the St Francis Hotel (Faire Headquarters Hotel), & the other three Computer Faire hotels
- Pre-registration details for the Faire (reduced admission for those who pre-register)
- Details of the Proceedings expected to be published
- Articles about the homebrew exhibits
- Weather information, & tourist trivia regarding San Francisco
- Listings of the commercial exhibitors
- AND, just to make it interesting:
  - "Hot news", & raging rumors from "Silicon Valley" (the San Francisco Bay Area)
  - Product announcements, equipment descriptions, hardware & software news, etc.

CO-SPONSORS INCLUDE AMATEUR, PROFESSIONAL, & EDUCATIONAL GROUPS

- The two largest amateur computer groups:
  - Homebrew Computer Club
  - Southern California Computer Society (SCCS)
- Both Bay Area Chapters of the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)
  - San Francisco Peninsula Chapter
  - Golden Gate Chapter
- IEEE Computer Society's Santa Clara Valley Chapter
- California Mathematics Council
- Stanford University's Electrical Engineering Dept.
- University of California's Lawrence Hall of Science
- People's Computer Company (PCC)
- Community Computer Center
- Bay Area Microcomputer Users Group (BAMUG)
- Professional & Technical Consultants Assn (PATCA)
- Amateur Research Center

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