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Chris Pirillo – Keynote Speaker

After welcoming everyone, Steve Peyrot asked Bob Coppedge to come to the podium to do a little "housekeeping". Bob encouraged everyone to wear their badges in order to be admitted to the various activities during the week. He also said that if anyone had a question, problem or an issue, just "ask Bob!"

Ken Bundy, APCUG President, introduced the members of both the Board of Directors and Board of Advisors, thanking them for all their hard work.

Dave Steward introduced the speaker for the evening, Chris Pirillo, who gave a delightful and amusing presentation. He started off by showing his small Website, "Rent my Chest", which he said that in the space of just a few months he had made \$2,000.00! He also showed his Website, <http://Lockergame.com>, where people can post a question, placing a monetary value on the question, which would be paid to the person who answered the question satisfactorily.

The main part of Chris's presentation was his website/ search engine, <http://gada.be/>. He showed us how easy it was to go to the URL and type in a short term for the information you are searching for and in a flash, whole sheets of information are presented. Chris showed us how gada.be was much faster and less complicated than Google. It is especially more useful if you use RSS (Really Simple Syndication) along with gada.be.



Daily Reports

Tuesday 1/3/06

WELCOME to the 2006 APCUG Annual Conference. We have almost 230 attendees from 88 User Groups, including Canada & Australia. The Regional breakdown is as follows:

- Region 1 - Eight attendees from 3 user groups
- Region 2 - Seven attendees from 5 user groups
- Region 3 - Seventeen attendees from 9 user groups
- Region 4 - Eight attendees from 6 user groups
- Region 5 - Two attendees from 2 user groups
- Region 6 - Eight attendees from 6 user groups
- Region 7 - Five attendees from 3 user groups
- Region 8 - Seven attendees from 3 user groups
- Region 9 - Fifty attendees from 18 user groups
- Region 10 - Twenty-five attendees from 9 user groups
- Region 11 - Forty-three attendees from 16 user groups
- Region 12 - Thirty-nine attendees from 6 user groups
- Region 13 - Six attendees from 1 user group
- Region 14 - Three attendees from 1 user group

Registry / Lost & Found Hours

Tuesday - 7:00 am - 5:30 pm

Wednesday - 9:00 am - 12 noon

Thursday - Closed

Newsletter Exchange Table

Located to the left of the entrance to the Salons

The Weather Forecast for Today

High - 58°F - Mostly Sunny

Rain 10%

Low - 38°F - Clear

Rain 10%

Tuesday Schedule

7:30 - 9:30 am	Breakfast (sponsored by AMD) - Avalon Ballroom
9:45 - 11:00 am	Education Sessions 1 - Salons 1 through 5
11:15 am - 12:30 pm	Education Sessions 2 - Salons 1 through 5
12:45 - 2:45 pm	Lunch (APCUG Regions) - Avalon Ballroom
	Meet YOUR Advisor
	Get to know other attendees from YOUR region
	Newsletter, Website & Membership Contest Awards
3:00 - 4:00 pm	Vendor Forum - Salons 7 through 10
4:10 - 5:10 pm	CompUSA Presentation - Salons 7 through 10
5:20 - 6:00 pm	Annual Meeting - Salons 7 through 10
6:30 - 9:30 pm	Vendor Faire (sponsored by CompUSA) Avalon Ballroom

2006 Spouse / Guest Program Deluxe Las Vegas City and Red Rock Canyon Tour - Tuesday, 9:50 am to 4:30 pm

The tour will visit the famous Strip & downtown Las Vegas, the Ethel M. Chocolate Factory & Botanical Garden as well as the Elvis-A-Rama. After a delicious buffet luncheon at one of LV's historic downtown hotel/casinos, the tour continues through Summerlin and Red Rock Canyon and then proceeds along the 13-mile scenic route of southern Nevada's second most popular sightseeing destination. There will be two opportunities to take photos of the magnificent Red Rock cliffs. On-site reservations are \$50.00, if space is still available. Check in the Registry for more information.

Tuesday Hospitality Suite Schedule

9:30 - 11:00 pm Located by the pool / gymnasium

Dip Contest With a Twist

After partaking of a delicious buffet, Steve Peyrot started the fun and games by asking a gazillion almost impossible trivial questions, giving prizes to those who correctly. At the end of the evening everyone left with something in his or her hands. The whole evening was a fun way to start the week's activities. Thank you Steve, Bob and Julie, Chris, Ken and Dave.

Education Sessions

	SALON 1	SALON 2	SALON 3	SALON 4	SALON 5
9:45 - 11 am	Electronic Crime Scene Investigation Bill Oettinger	Simple Ways to Secure Wireless Computers Jay Ferron	Smart Computing	Getting to Know APCUG Board of Advisors	Windows XP Tablet PC Edition Microsoft
11:15 am - 12:30 pm	Cyber Terrosim Larry Smith	Podcast Your UG Meetings Dan Hanson	Setting Up a Home Network Carey Holtzman	The Future of User Groups - Aaron Coldiron, Chris Pirillo, Ash Nallawalla	Digital Photography: Lee's Rule of Threes Lee Otsubo