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New VAX systems, storage products announced for large-scale distributed applications

Digital has introduced the VAX 6300 systems and a complementary new line of high-performance storage products. The VAX 6300 systems are a major enhancement to the VAX 6200 line, Digital's most popular VAX systems.

With easy upgrades from VAX 6200 systems, the new VAX 6300 systems deliver up to 35% higher performance, with twice the expansion range, for only five percent additional cost. The new systems, with innovative investment protection built in, are now Digital's most powerful and most expandable VAX systems in a single cabinet.

The new products include:

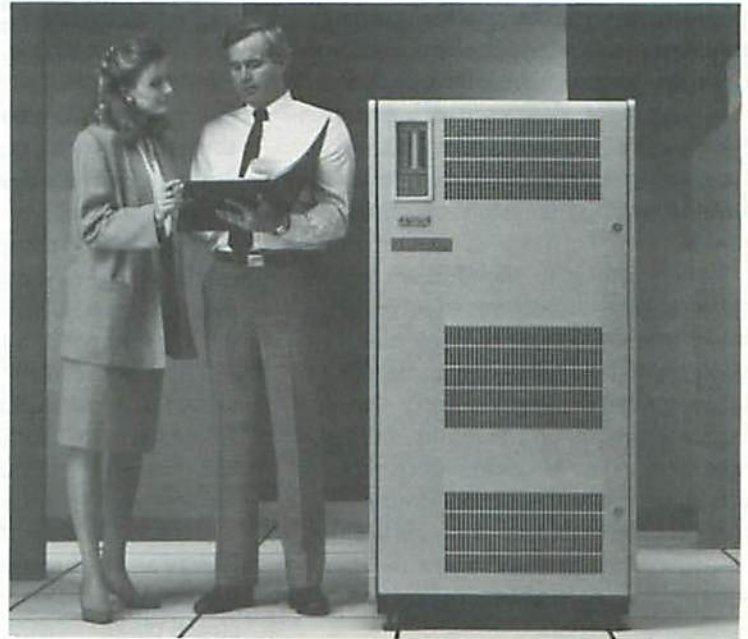
- the VAX 6300 systems — six new VAX 6000 series systems that offer increased performance and unprecedented growth in one computer family. These new systems continue Digital's commitment to accelerating price/performance improvements for the VAX family;
- high-capacity, high-performance storage offerings — including the new SA550 and SA650 storage arrays; an IBM-compatible cartridge tape drive, the TA90, and an optional disk drive, the RV64 — that provide balanced performance in large-scale distributed commercial and technical applications; and
- six special-purpose systems, including two fileserver systems for demanding work group applications, entry-level and high-end VAXcluster systems, and two development systems for transaction processing applications.

Broad range of applications

VAX 6300 systems support enterprise-wide, departmental, and work group environments — meeting customer needs to distribute data and applications to users when and where they are needed, and to integrate desktop devices.

"Digital is committed to delivering leadership distributed solutions to the desktop and beyond to the data center," said Bill Demmer, vice president, Mid-range Systems. "The new VAX 6300 systems can integrate multiple and diverse desktops, cost-effectively offload applications from a centralized mainframe, and act as enterprise-wide resources themselves through VAXcluster systems and distributed networks. People who invest in VAX systems get the most complete distributed enterprise computing solutions in the industry."

The top-of-the-line VAX 6360 system can support up to 600 ALL-IN-1 subscribers for office applications, or deliver over 30 debit/credit TPS (transactions per second) for transaction processing applications. The VAX 6300 systems meet many of the



Digital's most expandable and powerful VAX systems, the VAX 6300 systems provide leadership solutions for large-scale distributed applications.

I/O intensive, multi-user computing needs of financial service enterprises, including funds transfer, trade services processing, claims processing, and accounting and document production. They support the VMS operating system on all models; the ULTRIX-32 operating system is available on the VAX 6310 and 6320 systems.

All VAX 6000 series systems, including the VAX 6200 systems and the VAX 6300 systems, have been designed to use the same cabinet, controllers, peripherals, and software — allowing upgrades not only within the VAX 6300 line, but also from VAX 6200 systems to VAX 6300 systems. This innovative design approach, with modular processor, memory, and I/O expansion, permits fast field upgrades. Customers can upgrade from the entry VAX 6310 system to the high-end VAX 6360 system in the same cabinet simply by inserting additional boards as applications grow over time.

High-performance file servers

The VAX Fileserver 6310 and 6320 systems, based on VAX 6310 and VAX 6320 systems, offer simultaneous support for VMS, ULTRIX, and MS-DOS® desktops and provide central-

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Encouraging tomorrow's engineers: Digital participates in Science by Mail program

Science class has come a long way from the simple experiments of days past, such as rubbing your feet against a carpet on a cold, dry day to create static electricity — then zapping one of your classmates with a tiny electric shock. Or blending vinegar and baking soda together to show what happens when an acid and a base mix.

Kids are still carrying out these experiments, plus more sophisticated ones, as part of the Science by Mail program sponsored by the Boston Museum of Science. A number of companies, including Digital, participates in the program, which is intended to encourage students to pursue careers in science and technology. Jeff Gilman and Joe Weaver, two engineers who work in Digital's Andover facility, are among the scientists and engineers who review the youngsters' experiment results.

Each month or so, the Museum sends out a package of problems to solve for students in grades four through nine. Working individually or as teams, the students solve the problems that interest them most, write up the results, and return them to the Museum, which then distributes them to the participating scientists and engineers. They review the results, explaining what's right and what's not-so-right about the way the problem was solved.

Says Jeff, "The bottom line is getting these kids to work with people who are used to working with the scientific method. They're learning an approach to problem-solving as much as how to solve the problems themselves."

Some of those solutions border on the outrageous. One problem concerned solid-waste disposal in a spaceship. An-



Joe Weaver (left) and Jeff Gilman are among the scientists and engineers who participate in the Boston Museum of Science's "Science by Mail" program. The program is open to students in grades four through nine.

swers ranged from burning it to sending the garbage back to earth in a rocket ship. "Obviously," Jeff deadpans, "reality hasn't cramped their style."

Regardless of the solution, Joe says, "we're positive. We do see good ideas, practical ideas, and we emphasize them when we respond to the kids."

The purpose of the problem, Jeff adds, was to help the students realize that in a "closed system," such as a spaceship or our own planet, resources — and potential solutions — are limited.

Jeff and Joe agree that the students' energy and enthusiasm come through loud and clear. The youngsters have enclosed photos of themselves and their experiments, letters, videotapes, and audio tapes. And by encouraging them, both engineers have become a little more aware of their own approach to problem-solving.

"People tend to get stuck on facts a lot," says Joe. And Jeff adds, "One has to assume some things and accept facts based on the best information available.

"Not all of these kids are going into engineering or science," he continues. "But what they're learning here can apply to many problems in life: be careful when you make assumptions, and be careful about what you accept as facts. This is one of the things we hope they will learn from this program."

"You have to challenge the facts," Joe agrees. "Newton's theories of physics held for 200 years before Einstein came along. Einstein's view conflicted with Newton's, but that doesn't negate the work that Newton did."

Jeff also hopes that the kids will learn persistence — "just plain hanging in there," as he puts it. "Some of the problems that Joe and I deal with are darn near unsolvable. We don't solve them all. They're vague, horrifically detailed, painful — one has to approach them using the scientific method. You have to ask, 'What do I want to know?' As a rule, one doesn't get the right answer on the first pass." ●



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Digital in 'Black Enterprise's' top 50

Digital has been named one of "The 50 Best Places for Blacks to Work" by "Black Enterprise" magazine. The monthly business magazine honored Digital for "programs that ... enable

blacks and others to become productive members of the Digital team," and for the strength of its commitment to equal employment opportunity. ●

GEEP enrollment deadline nears

The deadline for applications to the Graduate Engineering Education Program (GEEP) is Wednesday, Feb. 15. For further information, contact Lee Peterson, GEEP office, MLO1-3/U51, DTN 223-6366.

Tax-saving option for employees with dependent care expenses

Enroll by March 24

On April 1, Digital will introduce a program that will help some employees who have dependent care expenses that are necessary to allow them and (if married) their spouse to work to save on their federal taxes. This could include child care, elderly care or care for other individuals who live with you. You may be able to set aside a portion of your income (pre-tax) in an account earmarked for payment of such expenses.

Federal tax law allows people to place up to \$5,000 per calendar year into a Dependent Care Account. Those who are married filing a separate tax return are entitled to a maximum of \$2,500.

Benefit period dates and contribution guidelines

In 1989, the plan will be effective from May 14 through Dec. 31, which is the initial benefit period. Subsequent benefit periods will be from Jan. 1 through Dec. 31.

During the 1989 benefit period, employees can contribute no less than \$10 and no more than \$151 per week to their accounts. The maximum weekly contribution is based on the annual amount al-

lowed by federal law divided by the number of pay days in benefit periods. Your annual contribution is also limited to the amount of you or your spouse's earned income, whichever is less.

At the beginning of the benefit period, employees who participate will decide how much money to put into their indi-



vidual accounts each week through payroll deduction. This amount will be deducted before federal income and FICA (Social Security), and in some localities, state and local taxes are calculated and withheld. As employees pay for dependent care, they will submit copies of their receipts with reimbursement forms to the John Hancock Insurance Co., which will administer the plan. Reimbursement

checks will be issued by the 10th of each month.

This benefit can only be used to pay for dependent care and related household services that are necessary because you (or, if married, both you and your spouse) work or because one of you works and the other attends school full time (at least five months per year). You can only be reimbursed for services incurred during the benefit period.

Do your dependents qualify?

Expenses for care under this program must be for dependents who:

- live with you, and
- receive half support from you, and
- are under age 13 and qualify as your dependent for exemption on your federal tax return; or
- are age 13 or over and physically or mentally incapable of caring for themselves and qualify as a dependent for exemption on your federal tax return (ignoring any income restriction on qualification).

Also, a disabled spouse living with you who is physically or mentally incapable of

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Changes announced in Field organization

Several changes have been announced in the Field organization. Dave Grainger has been named vice president, U.S. Sales and Services, reporting to Jack Shields, senior vice president. Don Zereski has been named vice president, Field Service, also reporting to Jack. Rich Nortz has been named U.S. Field Service vice president, reporting to both Dave and Don.

In his new position, Dave will be responsible for the achievement of the financial and customer satisfaction goals within the United States.

Said Jack, "To further the significant growth and customer acceptance of Digital, it is critical that we continue to improve integration across the functions. Dave will ensure that this integration simplifies our ability to deal with each other and with customers and achieves our profitability goals."

The U.S. Management Team will report to Dave, in addition to their respective functional reporting relationships.

Dave has been with Digital since 1969, and became a vice president in 1984. He has been regional manager, Northern Eu-

rope; regional manager, Mid-Atlantic States; and U.S. Field Service manager. Most recently, he was vice president, Field Service. Dave is a graduate of Eastern Ontario Institute of Tech-

nology in Ottawa and the Harvard Business School Program for Management Development.

Don Zereski will be responsible for managing the worldwide Field Service organization. He joined Digital in 1962 and became a vice president in 1986. He served as manager of U.S. Field Service and Field Service Europe. Prior to that, he spent 10 years as manager, GIA Field Service, managing numerous subsidiary field service start-up operations while directing this international field service organization. From 1968 to 1974, Don was responsible for Digital's worldwide mid-range systems support.

He has completed the Program for



Dave Grainger



Rich Nortz



Don Zereski

Management Development at Harvard Business School and the School of Industrial Management at Worcester Polytechnic Institute.

Rich Nortz will be responsible for total Field Service business in the United States. He joined Digital in 1973 as a field engineer. He held several management positions in Field Service before being appointed U.S. Field Service Business Support group manager in 1985. Most recently, he was vice president, Field Service Corporate Accounts. Rich is a graduate of the University of Pittsburgh Management Program for Executives. ●

The Marketplace

How 'The Marketplace' works

"The Marketplace" is a free service provided by *Digital This Week* for Digital employees in the Greater Maynard Area. Ads are printed on a first-come, first-served basis, as space allows, regardless of category. If your ad is time-sensitive, keep in mind that ad volume is heavy, so you should allow four to six weeks for your ad to appear in print.

1. When submitting an ad, please include your full name, mailstop, and internal telephone number (DTN).
2. Please submit only one ad at a time. Multiple submissions will not be accepted. Ads will appear only once.
3. Ads must be submitted in writing (hard copy) and sent to Marketplace, CFO2-3/K23.
4. DTW does not print ads for services (babysitting, snow-plowing, etc.) or profit-making enterprises. Ads must be worded clearly, typewritten or printed, and in good taste. DTW reserves the right to edit for space.
5. Ads can be cancelled simply by calling the Marketplace office. If an item has been sold, please cancel the ad so that space can be opened for another listing. If you have any questions about the Marketplace guidelines, call the DTW office at DTN 251-1308.

Seasonal Rentals

LOON MTN, 4bdr twnhse, slps 12, pool, jacuzzi, more, 3 nite mid-wk, \$350, Bob, 223-1684

WHITE MTNS, Loon area, slp 6, 2bdr, 2ba, avail wk/wknds, full equip, hiking, skiing, Bill, 249-1390

N CONWAY, Linderhof chalet, 3bdr, full equip, slps 8, mod kit/ba, Michael, 232-2665

BRADENTON FL, 1bdr, condo, on golf crs, pls, tns, 3 mo min rnt, \$800 + util, Barbara, 223-7597

WATERVILLE VALLEY, condo, 2bdr, full equip, avail wk/wknd, reasonable, Bettylou, 296-3809

OHCO RIOS JAMAICA, condo, 2bdr, pool, beach, jacuzzi, maid serv, \$550/2wk, Shelton, 297-2998

CANCUN, 2/18-25 vac wk, 5-star resort, bchfrnt, 2bdr condo for family, \$1200, John, 291-0467

ALTON BAY NH, 10 min/Gunstock, 2bdr, 1.75 ba, avail thru mid March, wknd/\$250, wk/\$500, Arlene, 279-3068

WHITE MTNS, new luxury chalet, 3bdr, close to major ski areas, slps 8, Dave, 223-7390

GASPARILLA IS FL, condo, 2bdr, 2ba, on gulf, pl, tns, marina on premises, \$495-\$1050/wk, Denis, 223-0927

LOON MTN, condo, slps 8, fpic, pool, jacuzzi, ski shuttle, \$450/wknd, \$650/wk, Dick, 223-9695

LACONIA, Feb vac wk 2/17-2/24, 1bdr, 1ba, equip kit, slp 6, pl, ski on site, nr Gunstock, Robin, 282-1333

CONWAY NH, condo, 2bdr, 2ba, nr all Mt Wash ski areas wk/wknd, Kathy, 223-5997

LOON MTN, twnhse, 2bdr slp 6-8, fpic, pool, jacuzzi, shucl, \$350/wknd, \$650/wk, George, 223-8713

WHISTLER BC, ski condo, 2bdr, 1/5ba, slps 6, wk to lifts/village, fpic, pool, Mike, 224-7126

WRITVLE VALY, condo, Feb vac wk, 2/17-2/24, slp 8, fpic jacuzzi, ski shuttle, \$850, Phil, 287-3557

KEY LARGO FL, ocean front, 2bdr, 2ba, full equip, slp 6, min from attractions, Dave, 234-4631

LOON/CANNON, condo, 2bdr, slp 4, full equip, wk/wknd rates, Bill, 268-3167

WHITE MTN, condo, 3bdr, slp 6-8, 2ba, cable, fpic, linens, Doug, 296-6777

N CONWAY area, nr major ski areas, slp 7, wood stv, all appl, mtn view, \$175/wknd, Cornel, 226-5501

LOON MTN, condo, 2bdr, 2ba, slps 6, fpic, jacuzzi, cable tv, bus serv, wk/wknd rates, Leslie, 251-1228

ASCUTNY/SUNAPEE area, ski lodge, slp 6, nr Crescent lk, \$225/wknd, \$400/wk, Gail, 262-8380

VERMONT, ski house, 2bdr, 10 min to Stratton/Bromley/Magic, x-cntry, \$250/wknd, Mary, 234-5249

SUGARBUSH, condo, 1bdr, on ski trail, cable, health club, \$350/wknd, Mary, 234-5249

LOON MTN, condo, 2bdr, slp 6, 2 yr old, major amenit, wk/wknd rental, Joyce, 279-3173

LAKE WINNI, ski, skate, fish, yr rnd wtrfrnt hse, avail wknds/wk, Carole, 263-6167

MYRTLE BEACH, condo, on golf crs, 2bdr, 2ba, pool, ten, jacuzzi, beach nearby, daily/wkly, Ron, 293-5992

LOON MTN, studio condo, slp 4, pool, whrpl, sauna, shut bus, nr shops/rest, \$190/wknd, Lori, 296-4305

WHITE MTNS, nr Loon/Cannon/Wtr Vly, condo, 3bdr, slp 9, fpic, health club, \$450/wk, Jerry, 264-1916

LOON MTN, ski condo, pool, jacuzzi, shuttle, teen ctr, 2bdr/loft, fpic, linen srv, view, Peggy, 223-8796

WATERVILLE VALLEY, condo, at Black Bear Lodge, slp 6, full equip, pool, sauna, wk/wknd, Alex, 234-5157

N CONWAY, new 3bdr condo, jacuzzi, near slopes, spectacular view, Mike, 297-5940

PUNTA GARDA FL, waterfront condo, 2bdr, 2ba, full equip, pool, tennis, marina, Jean, 251-1243

SAINT LUCIA, 2bdr, ocean view, full furn, maid serv, winter \$495/wk, summer \$395/wk, Alex, 296-5025

ST MAARTEN, condo, 1bdr, slp 4, on ocean, at Royal Islander Club, Mar 11-18, \$700/neg, Cynthia, 223-3275

YORK BEACH, bch frnt, eff condo, slp 4, beau vac spot \$395/wk, \$250/wk off sea, Mike, 272-7327

ALTON BAY, 2bdr, 1.75ba, 1 mi to bch/boatramp, spec view, \$500/wk, Jim, 244-6204

S YARMOUTH, 5 min to ocean, 2bdr, enc prch, bar-b-q, fpic, no pets, \$590/wk, Roger, 274-6470

MARION, full summer season/monthly, slp 5, super location, Lee, 223-7083

VINEYARD, 6/9-16, +8/4-11, 2bdr hse, w/w, enc sun rm, prv bch, nr twns, Len, 296-3798

VINEYARD, Edgartown, 3bdr/loft, slp 8, full appl, no pets, July \$900, Aug \$1000, off seas, Tom, 234-4043

VINEYARD, 3bdr hse, ocean view, some choice summer wks left, off seas, Donna, 297-2046

CAPE COD SUMMER SWAP, lvk, 3bdr, bch cot for bch hse in VA or Carolina's, Keith, 293-5264

DENNISPORT, ranch, slp 6, inside/outside showers, wk to bch, \$525/wk, Ram, 221-5443

W YARMOUTH, cot, 2bdr, 1/2 mi to bch, cable, tennis, July/Aug \$450/wk, Jn-Sept rte avail, Steve, 225-4686

RANGLEY ME, cottage, middleback lake, 2bdr, nr bch, fish, ten, avail May-Sept, \$450/wk, Mark, 297-2349

CAPE COD CONDO, wk Apr 15-22, 2bdr, full equip, slp 6, ind pl, ten, nr bch/shpng, \$400, Kevin 251-1025

E FALMOUTH, 4bdr, cape, slps 7, 5 min walk to inlet beach, mooring available, \$495/wk, Jack, 229-7905

Appliances

REFRIGERATOR, Westinghouse, approx 5 yrs old, brown, \$200, Gary, 223-9760

FREEZER, upright, holds up to 4 mos food, 1 yr old, perf cond, \$750/BO, Janey, 297-6847

GAS STOVE, Sears Kenmore, good condition, \$75/BO, Robin, 244-6239

MICROWAVE, Litton w/autocook, 1.6cu w/shelf, 600w, \$195/BO, Iris, 276-8505

TELEVISION, color console, works, \$50, Lauren, 291-8710

MICROWAVE, Kenmore, auto recipe 300, 1.4cu ft, like new, \$275, Ann, 244-6215

Cars

*87 ISUZU TROOPER/DLX, 4dr, 4 whl dr, ac, rfrck, 4spkr ster, exc cond 30k mi, \$10.1k, Jennifer, 251-1303

*79 OLDS DELTA 88, no rust, runs well, good second car, \$1500, Jeanne, 283-6224

*87 BUICK SKYHAWK, red, snrf, am/fm/cass, rear defog, grnd trng suspen, 26k mi, \$8500, Mary, 234-5249

*82 FORD ESCORT, standard, 4spd, a/c, rear defog, new tires, 88k mi, \$1200/BO, Roy, 223-3019

*84 CADILLAC COUPE de VILLE, 41k mi, exc cond, well maint, \$10.5k/BO, Ann, 279-3091

*86 DODGE DAYTONA, am/fm, tilt, 5spd, rear defog, new tires, exc cond, \$5500, Debbie, 223-8474

*85 CHEV CAVALIER, type 10, maroon, 2dr hb, snrf, 60k mi, ps/pb, am/fm, 4spd, \$2800/BO, Mike, 291-8915

*84 VOLVO 242 GL TURBO, lea int, snrf, a/c, loaded, sales exec car, 131k mi, \$5650, Janice, 268-3523

*86 FORD ESCORT, New England option pkg, 1 owner, 80k mi, exc cond, \$2.5k, Cindy, 237-2924

*81 CHEVETTE, std, runs exc, new clutch/brakes/frnt shocks/muffler/tailpipe, \$975, Bob, 568-1582

*82 SAAB, 3spd auto, a/c, SAA-guard alarm, exc cond, \$2500/BO, George, 223-2964

*87 NISSAN PULSAR SE, red, 5spd, 26k, exc cond, 99000/BO, Kraya, 223-5748

*74 CADILLAC SEDAN de VILLE, loaded, nice shape, new tires/exhaust/alt/bat, \$1500/BO, Ken, 297-6767

*79 VW SUPER BEETLE, convert, yellow/black top, mint cond, am/fm/cass, 79k mi, \$3500, Susanne, 276-9191

*81 MERCURY LINX, wagon, 4dr, 4spd, well maint, new head/radiator/exhaust, \$1000, Ken, 223-2667

*87 BUICK SOMERSET CUSTOM, black/red stripe, auto, am/fm, a/c, rear defog, exc cond, Lynda, 234-4018

*87 TOYOTA SUPRA, new cond, 14k mi, loaded, \$14k, Lisa, 234-4486

*81 AMC CONCORDE, auto, 2 dr, 4cyl, 53k mi, \$650, Vartkes, 235-8501

*84 OLDS TORONADO BROUGHAM, 41kmi, new brakes/tires bat/shocks, cruise, loaded, \$8950, Dan, 234-4855

*87 OLDS CUTLASS CIERA, auto, 4cyl, a/c, am/fm, rear defog, gold, low mi, 6/60 warr, \$8900, Bernie, 268-3154

*79 JEEP WAGONER, auto, 8cyl, a/c, ps/pb, 4wd, brown, \$2500, Mike, 223-1779

*84 CHEVY C10, pickup, ps/pb, auto, am/fm, 8ft bd, 84k mi, exc cond, \$4800, Cindy, 291-8899

*86 CHEVY CAVALIER Z-24, coupe, 62k hwy mi, am/fm/cass, ps/pb, 4spd, a/c, \$5500/BO, Ed, 283-7468

*74 CORVETTE 350, 4spd, t-tops, silver/black, 78k mi, many new parts, exc body, \$8000, Mario, 225-4629

*85 PLYMOUTH RELIANT, 2dr sedan, no rust, rear defog cruise, ps/pb, a/c, \$4000/BO, Carol, 223-7551

*83 HONDA PRELUDE, good cond, 5spd, a/c, new brakes, hl miles, \$3000, Cathy, 292-2116

*86 TOYOTA CAMRY, lftcbk, auto, a/c, am/fm/cass, pw/drs, 53k mi, \$8500, Renee, 226-5143

*86 BUICK GR NAT'L, t-top, touch climate, tilt, pw/pd, 34k mi, mint, \$15k, Joanne, 297-5789

*84 NISSAN PULSAR, maroon, 5spd, snrf, am/fm ster, well maint, \$4000, Janet, 291-0336

*82 FORD 3100 ECONOLINE, runs grt, new brakes/muf/radiator/htr core, hl hwy mi, \$3000, Barry, 226-6093

*88 PONTIAC LEMANS, aerocoupe, 2500mi, auto, a/c, cass, like new, \$6795, Emil, 268-3153

*61 CHEVY IMPALA HT, rblt 283/trans, ps, solid body, west coast car, \$2800/BO, Diane, 273-5399

*87 SAAB 900S, 3dr, 5spd, 41k mi, perfect cond, exp maint, \$13.5k, Diane, 274-6940

Furniture

LIVING ROOM SET, sofa/loveseat, chair, \$400; MARBLE TABLES, \$250/\$300; RECLINER, \$150, Cherif, 276-8751

DINING ROOM SET, maple col, oval table, 4leaves, pads, 6 chairs, good shape, \$200/BO, 297-6767

CHEST OF DRAWERS, KIT TABLE, DESK, SOPABED, END TABLES, KITCHEN CHEST, Shirley, 223-3116

Miscellaneous

TICKETS, Boston ballet, 2 pr, 2/23, great seats, 2nd row, ctr balcony, \$30/ea, Paul, 281-5782

2 BIKES, 1 male's, 1 female's, red, like new, used once, \$150/pr, Denise, 291-0232

2 SNOW TIRES, Kleber 185/70R13, Toyota Corolla, steel whls, 3/8" tread, \$80, ed 276-9058

GUITAR, Harmony, 6-string, electric, case, exc cond, \$75, Elena, 293-5051

SNOW TIRES, P215/75 D14, m/s, white wall, exc cond, \$25/pr, Dennis, 223-8424

2 PICKUP TRUCK TIRES, 8.75 x 16.5, Chevy wheels, good tread, \$30, Bob, 273-5968

MODULAR MUSIC SYNTHESIZER, PAIA 2720, extra modules, cables, manuals, \$100, Paul, 283-7659

ASHLEY WOOD STOVE, used one season, \$275 w/load of seasoned wood, Stan, 234-4643

WEDDING GOWN, chantilly lace, sz 8, fitted bodice, full skt w/train, headcap, \$250/80, Cheri, 276-8751

COAL STOVE, Surdick Gotha, heats 3-4 bdr hse, used less than 5 seas, \$650/80, Mike, 223-3532

COMMODORE 64, MPS 801 printer, 1541 disk drive, WPS, plenty of games, \$150/80, Boris, 235-8108

MINK COAT, full length, drk brn nat ranch, large sz-16+, wrap style, \$1200/80, Hollis, 234-4517

CAMERA, Pentax Program "A", 50mm lens, 70-210mm f4.0 macro-zoom, flash, tripod, \$275, Scot, 223-6789

POOL TABLE KIT, 8' x 1" slate, felt, rubber pockets, nry assembl, never used, \$800, Denis, 381-1179

RAINBOW, rarely used, 5mb disk, extra mem, LA50, VR210, \$1200/80, Russ, 247-2590

COMPUTER CONTROLLER STEREO RECEIVER, JVC R-X400B, 70 watts, equalizer, \$125/80, Linda, 292-2143

KEYBOARD SYNTHESIZER, Casio HT-3000, 40 upper/20 lower voices, 20rhy, \$450, George, 223-4590

GUITAR, Grand Prix 6 string, electric, royal blue, exc cond, \$80/80, Elaine, 223-4409

KEROSENE HEATER, Sanyo, used one season, \$85, Mark, 227-3510

CLARINET, Bundy, case, very good cond, \$150/80, Pete, 276-9304

ANSEL ADAMS PRINTS, matted, framed, 14"x16", selling collection, \$25/ea, Eleanor, 268-3130

BASKETBALL CARDS, 78/79, 79/80, 80/81, 81/82, 87/88, 88/89, Roger, 247-2005

2 SNOW TIRES, steelbeltd radial, P195/75 R14 m/s, new last winter, \$150, Diana, 292-2086

Motorcycles

'83 HONDA SHADOW 500, very nice, \$1500, Bob, 284-1101

'88 KAWASAKI NINJA 600R, 1000 mi, red, 2 full face helmets, must sell, Denny, 283-6361

'81 DUCATI 500 PANTAH, 12k, very nice, \$3k; '88 750 DUCATI PASO, 11m ed, white, \$5.9k, Mike, 225-4295

Real Estate

BREWSTER, condo, Ocean Edge Resort, 2bdr, 2ba, \$149.9K, Mitch, 223-7671

NASHUA, NH, townhse, 2bdr, 1.5ba, appl, gar, storage, deck, \$91.5K, Jeanette, 272-3175

HUDSON, MA, townhse, end unit, 3bdr, 1.5ba, gar, fam rm, ctrl AC, \$160K, Sally, 221-5445

KISSIMMEE FL, timeshare, wk 16, next to Disneyworld, slps 6, \$10,000, Nancy, 223-5344

CROTCHED MTN, ski slope condo, furnished studio, full kit, frplc, skt to lift, \$69.5K, Traci, 264-9312

LOON MTN VILLAGE, land for 4 season condo, buildabl 1990, exc view, must sell, \$54,995, Ken, 291-9988

WORCESTER, condo, 2bdr, 2ba, sliders, balcony, appl kit, \$82.9k, Bud, 297-4339

WESTFORD, 9rm house, 6yr old, exc loc, lg kit, multi lvl deck, cntrl vac, ac, \$294.9k, Shashi, 291-9538

ATHOL, 3bdr split, new constr, cntrl vac/air, 1 acre, deck, \$105k, Ed, 241-4985

FRANKLIN, condo, 2yr old, 2bdr, w/w, air, d/d, ten, pool, low util, nr 495, \$110k, Jennifer, 297-4660

ACTON, spacious, lbrdr unit at Woodvale, 2pkgng spcs, pool, tennis, strg area, \$104.9k, Frita, 235-8416

HUDSON, 3bdr Garr, 2 zone HWH, 1.5ba, 2frplc, fam rm, scr porch, att gar, \$169.9k/fr, Anne, 223-4274

WINCHENDON, Sunset Lake, 3bdr, 2ba, custm contemp, dbl lot, twn wtr, pvt bch rts, \$177.5k, Barb, 279-3100

HUDSON, duplex hse, income producing, unit #1-5rms, 2-6rms, nr HLO, \$179.9k, Bill, 223-6787

FALMOUTH HEIGHTS, 3 season hm, ocean view, furnished 4bdr, hdwd flrs, frplc, \$230k/80, Bill, 223-0430

WESTBORO, co-op, lbrdr, ful appl, w/w, pool, tennis, nr major rts, \$72.5k, Dean, 297-4346

SOUTHBRIDGE, 110 yr old rstrd col, 7rm, 3bdr, 1.5ba, deck, nr pike, \$144.9., Bill, 234-4824

SHIRLEY, new townhse, 6lg rms, 1.5ba, 2decks, skylit loft, fl bsmt, \$116k, Theresa, 291-8629

WINNHAM NH, townhse, 2bdms, loft, 2.5ba, 2dcks, gar, wlk-out bsmt, immac, must sell, \$152k, Nancy, 273-5908

NASHUA, contemp townhse, multi-lvl, 2bdr, 3ba, scr prch 3decks, frplc, gar, golf, ten, \$265k, Michele, 240-6012

WORCESTER, townhse, 1.5rms old, 2bdr, 1.5ba, frplc, gar, deck, no fee, nr 290/Pike, \$123.9k, Donna, 276-9539

LEOMINSTER, 3 lvl townhse, 1.5ba, eat-in kit, fl bsmt, nr 2/190, pool, tennis, Susan, 223-6735 x 190

ACTON, studio condo, 3rms, \$57.9k, Rick, 275-2358

WESTFORD, 4bdr split, finished basement, 2bath, lg fam rm, 3 season porch, \$198k, Ray, 261-3649

CLINTON, 2family, apt #1, 4rooms, apt #2 6rooms, coal stove, alider, large deck, \$124k, Sonja, 235-8178

WORCESTER, townhse, 2bdr, 1.5ba, appl kit, deck, full bsmt, pool, tennis, \$87.9k, Dick, 297-4195

PEPPERELL, gambrel, 3-4 bdr, 2ba, new deck, 2 car gar, exc cond, \$219.9k, Dave, 223-5039

WORCESTER, house lot, 65 x 150, level, city water/sewer, \$45k, Tom, 237-2426

NASHUA, condo, 1st fl, 2bdr, 1.5ba, 2bal, appl kit, w/w, pool, \$89.9k/80, Rob, 297-7520

LONDONDERRY, 2bdr deluxe condo, \$73.5k, Walt, 275-3507

JAMAICA PLAIN, 720 sq ft condo, nr Forest Hills, 2bdr, \$95k, Ann, 251-1772

Recreational Vehicles

'87 PETERBOROUGH, 26', 260 mercruiser 1/o, galley, head, am/fm/cass, trim tabs, mint, \$25k, Dave, 223-9614

27' ALBIN VEGA, all electronics, 6 sails, 12hp inboard, lots more, \$15.9k, George, 297-6234

Rentals

N. BILLERICA, lbrdr apt, clean, quiet, parking, \$650 incl util, Grace, 287-3340

LEOMINSTER, townhse, 2bdr, 1.5ba, loft, patio, appl kit, AC, \$750+util, Andy, 237-3390

FRAMINGHAM, 2bdr condo, nr 135/126, 3rd fl, tennis, swim, avail 2/1, \$675+util, Yung, 287-3371

BOXBORO, condo, lbrdr, lg prv deck, w/w, a/c, lndry, nw dec, nonsmkr, no pets, \$600/mo, Joan, 223-5250

STOW, lovely 7 rm ranch, 2acres, prv, abts apl orch, 2ba, e/i kit, bsmt, gar, \$1200/mo, Jerry, 244-6583

LEOMINSTER, townhse, 2.5bdr, 1.5 ba, ac, dshwr, w/w, patio, pool, tennis, \$725+util, Carl, 291-7193

MERRIMACK, penthouse condo, spacious, scenic, cable, full socials, \$675+util, Art, 275-2157

ACTON, condo, lbrdr, quiet, w/w, ac, dshwr, lndry, pool, ten, \$645/mo incl ht hwtr, Judy, 225-6678

MENDON, 2rms, kit priv, nonsmkr, nr 495/9/90, \$475/mo incl util, Winni, 223-7134

LEOMINSTER, townhse, 2bdr, 1.5ba, a/c, dshwr, patio, tennis, pool, nr 2/190, \$725/mo, Boris, 235-8108

MAYNARD, male, across from PK01, furnished rm, sep kit/lvrm, \$45/wk util incl, Richard, 226-6157

WESTMINSTER, new duplex, 5rm, 2bdr, 1.5ba, fl bsmt, nr 140/2, no pets, \$750+util, Pam, 296-4042

MAYNARD, oversized 2rm studio, \$425, incl util, Diane, 223-5933

LEOMINSTER, townhse, 2bdr, 1.5ba, loft, patio, pool, tennis, avail 2/1, \$750+util, Cheryl, 272-7153

LEOMINSTER, 5rm apt, 2bdr, 2nd fl, stove, refrig, \$550/mo+util, Dave, 225-6896

CLINTON, 2bdr apt, 1st fl, lg liv rm/kit, new modern ba, \$650 incl util, avail 2/1, Sonja, 235-8178

LEOMINSTER, 5 rm apt, 2nd fl, exc location, \$600/mo + util, Melissa, 229-7014

NORTHBORO, lg studio apt, cntry setting, ac, w/w, sm1 pet ok, nonsmkr prefer, avail 2/1, Delores, 223-9295

BOXBORO, new remod lbrdr apt, in cntry home, sep ent, parking, \$600/mo incl util, Norell, 223-2242

BOXBORO, Harvard Ridge, 2bdr apt, top fl corner, nr 495/111, \$750/mo+elec, Toni, 225-5923/235-8179

HUDSON, house, 3bdr, newly renovated bath/kitchen, nice yard, gar, \$1050/mo, Mary, 297-3085

ACTON, townhse, Nagog Woods, 2-3 bdr, 2.5ba, apl kit, a/c, dck, wsh/dryer, pool, ten, \$1200/mo, Jan, 276-8059

WORCESTER, apt, 1st fl, lbrdr, wsh/dry hookp, off str pkgng, nr 290, \$468+util, Liz, 225-4511

BOXBORO, 2bdr, apl kit, ac, w/w, pool, tennis, \$725 + util nr BXB1, Gary, 296-3453

Roommates

METHUEN, 2people, m/f, shr 8 rm hse, \$250-\$300/mo, util incl, Tim, 284-1005

ACTON, f, shr antique farmhouse, lg lot, w/sngl f parent, like child/pets, \$450+1/3 util, Ken, 223-1211

WESTBORO, shr 2bdr condo, \$350/mo + 1/2 util, nr 495/9/90, Mark, 234-5321

SUDBURY, f, nonsmkr, shr 3bdr hse w/lf, 2.5ba, 2 car gar, w/d, \$400/mo+1/2 util, Shelly, 223-8229

NATICK, f, nonsmkr, shr hse, avail 3/1, \$316/mo + 1/3 util, Celeste, 225-5244

BILLERICA, nonsmkr, shr hse on Concord River, 1 min from Rt 3/495, \$345, Ken, 264-4617

NASHUA, prof, nonsmkr, shr 3bdr condo, priv ba, wsh/dry, \$425/mo incl util, Wayne, 296-3250

MARLBORO, f, shr 3bdr condo, prv ba, on rt 20, \$400/mo + 1/3 util, mo lease, avail 3/1, Debra, 291-0353

TEWKSBURY, f, nonsmkr, shr 3bdr hse, w/2 other f, \$400/mo+1/3 util, Amy, 247-2103

STOW, f, nonsmkr, shr 4bdr hm, classical music, \$450/mo+util, Bobbin, 225-5026

f, nonsmkr, shr 3bdr apt, tennis, pool, laun fac, \$375/neg + elec, Judy, 223-6888

ACTON, f, nonsmkr, 35+ shr 4 rm apt, micro, pool, tennis, nr Nagog, \$335/mo+1/2 util, Pat, 276-8502

TEWKSBURY, shr 2bdr townhse, pool, tennis, wsh/dryer, cent air, \$475/mo + util, Elaine, 223-1570

Sporting Goods

WOMAN'S BIKE, Puch Meteor, 10 spd, blk/gold, used once, beautiful cond, \$115, Jean, 223-2678

FOOTBALL HELMET, boys, AHI-IV, sz 6.5-7, ages 6-14, adjst, NOC-SAE appr, use 1 seas, \$50, Howard, 297-2138

EXERCISE CYCLE, Sears delux, 12 lb flywheel, 6yrs old, \$25, Steve, 223-8879

SKIS/BOOTS/POLES, gd starter set, sz 10.5 boots, \$50, Dave 234-4828

SCUBA GEAR, Sherwood Freedom, B.C. vests, men's med, used twice, \$245, Rene, 284-1230

ROWING SHELL, 1988 Laser recreational model, new cond, \$1375, Dave, 275-3216

SCUBA GEAR, ladies wet suit, navy, sz m, buoyance vest, both for \$400, Anna, 223-5344

SKIS/BOOTS, Rossignol 185's, San Marco Ladies sz 61/2, bndngs, Look 99, \$175, rack, \$15, Diane, 279-3067

SKIS, Dynastar Omeglass slalom, 190cm, Look N77 bindings, \$45, Lauren, 291-8710

SKIS, Dynastar Omeglass slalom, 195cm, Salomon 727 bindings, \$75, Lauren, 291-8410

ROW MACHINE, multiple exerciser, exc cond, \$75, will deliver, Mona, 287-3661

Wanted

HALLMARK ORNAMENT, cinnamon bear number 1, issued in 1983, Dave, 287-3739

CEDAR CHEST, any size, Vicki, 297-3059

ROOMMATE, Worcester/Leicester line, 3bdr, 1.5ba, \$460/mo + util, Holly, 297-7846

BABY FURNITURE, for newborn, Debra, 276-9439

SOFABED, queensize, must be in good cond, Anita, 241-3478

Organizational changes announced in DIS

Bel Cross, Corporate manager, Digital Information Systems (DIS), announced organizational changes at the recent DIS State of the Function meeting. These changes reflect a clearer alignment of DIS to current Digital business needs.

"Information — and the systems that provide the information — are essential to the corporation. They are what makes Digital run, from Engineering to Manufacturing, to Sales and Order Processing," Bel said. "How well information is transferred, how easy we make it to transfer information, and how well we can standardize the processes are all critical to the corporation. We feel that Digital as a whole will benefit from these organizational changes."

Bel announced that three strategic groups will provide the direction for DIS. These groups will report to him, Bel explains. They will determine what has to be done (Business Systems Analysis group, which will define DIS' strategic direction), how it will be done (Strategic Technologies group), and who will implement it (Information Management and Technology Management Committee).

Peter Brown, Strategic Technologies manager, and his group will provide worldwide business solutions to the corporation through the development, integration and application of information and telecommunications technologies. The group, which includes Planning, DSTAR (DIS Strategy, Technology, and Architecture), Digital Telecommunications, and Distributed Systems Management, recognizes that the technologies

driving computing and telecommunications are very similar.

The Information Management and Technology Management Committee will implement DIS' strategic direction and reflect Digital's organization along the three dimensions of geography, function, and PBUs (Product Business Units).

When the BSA group confirms the strategic direction and the STG group determines how to achieve it, "DIS will have a major impact on how we integrate our systems architectures to support the business architectures that are outlined by the Systems Steering Committee," Bel says.

In addition, several IS groups were recently realigned into Corporate Information Services (CIS), managed by Mike Connor. CIS is working toward integrating three principal architectures — Corporate Purchasing, Human Resources, and Technology (computers and networks) — to support John Sims' and Win Hindle's organizations, respectively.

Mike is also responsible for the Information Systems Tools Portfolio, a portfolio of tools that increases both IS and application productivity and provides single, worldwide focal points for some of the tools.

Bel said, "Our challenge here is to influence how we build our applications, to influence how the specs are built by the business, and to influence the user knowledge-level to effectively use this technology. In fact, it is our challenge to influence the way Digital does business." ●

Dependent care ...

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caring for him-or herself will qualify.

Care can be provided by an outside agency or individual who comes to your home. You cannot use this account to pay a dependent of yours or a child of yours under the age of 19 to perform babysitting or other dependent care services for you.

You can get reimbursement for services or care outside the home only if the dependent spends at least eight hours per day in your household. Also, if the dependent care is provided through a facility which cares for more than six people, that facility must have a state license.

Before you sign up ...

Before signing up, make sure that the care you want to pay for qualifies for this tax treatment. Otherwise, you could make a costly mistake. According to Internal Revenue regulations, unused funds in such an account will be forfeited at the end of the year. Forfeited money will be used for the overall benefit of plan participants in a manner to be determined after each benefit period.

Please note that you can only enroll, change your contribution level or terminate your membership during the annual Open Enrollment period (this year from Feb. 27 to March 24), or within 31 days of your hire date, a change in employment status or a change in family status as identified by the Internal Revenue Code.

Also, before starting a Dependent Care Account, consider your other tax alternatives. Currently, federal law allows you to reduce your taxes by a percent of your covered dependent care expenses. The maximum qualified expense on which the credit is based is \$2,400 for one child and \$4,800 for two or more.

The Dependent Care Reimbursement Account Program will be effective May 14, 1989, with the first payroll deduction on May 18.

This program was announced to employees together with a number of significant medical plan changes. If you have not already enrolled in one of Digital's two medical plans or for a Health Maintenance organization (HMO), you need to do so by March 24. If you have any questions about Dependent Care Reimbursement or your medical choices, please see your Personnel representative. ●

Correction



These people were incorrectly identified in the Jan. 23 issue of "Digital This Week." From left are members of the GEEP Review Board: Dick Crosby, group Engineering manager, Networks and Communications Engineering; Terry Potter, New Ventures manager for Professional Services; Vic Aramati, manager, Quality and Reliability group, SCO; Dick Farrahar, vice president, M/E/M Personnel; Bob Glorioso, vice president, High Performance Systems; and Shirley Stahl, program manager. Not pictured are Board members Jim Cudmore, Don Gaubatz, Mike Taylor, Don Metzger, Charlotte Frederick, Pam Johnson, Tom Marmen, Cathy Learoyd and Sue Gault.

DTW regrets the error.



Deadlines for 'Digital This Week'

Deadlines for "Digital This Week" have been established to help employees plan events and publicity around certain editions. **Deadlines do not pertain to Marketplace, which is first-come, first-served.** The next three issues and deadlines for DTW are:

- Feb. 27 issue — Feb. 15 deadline
- March 13 issue — March 1 deadline
- April 3 issue — March 22 deadline

Here's the pitch

The Maynard Softball League is now accepting applications for the 1989 season. The league is made up of three divisions, A, B and C, with A being the most competitive. League competition will begin in early May on playing fields in the Greater Maynard Area.

Those who are interested in playing on an existing team should send a check for \$20 and their name, mail-stop, badge number, node, and preferred division to Tom Pitman at MLO5-2/B6. Checks should be made payable to "Maynard Softball League."

To enter a new team, send your name to Tom Pitman at the address above. A lottery will be held on March 1 to select the team or teams that will be added to the league. If your team is selected, you will have until March 15 to pay dues to the league for your entire team. Teams must have a minimum of 18 players on the roster. New teams enter the league in the C division.

Questions should be referred to Tom Pitman (JACOB::PITMAN), or Dave Calderan (TRITON::CALDERAN).

DECCA to celebrate Chinese New Year

The Digital Chinese Association (DECCA) will hold its annual Chinese New Year banquet on Saturday, Feb. 18 from 6:30-11:30 p.m. at the Lin Garden Restaurant in Dracut, Mass. The evening will include a 10-course Chinese banquet and dancing. Deadline for ordering tickets is Feb. 13. For more information, contact either Jean Wong (ASABET::YEE_WONG) or Vivian Yuan (CSS::YUAN).

Business Analysis workshop

"Business Analysis: An Architectural Approach," a three-day workshop, will be offered by Digital Management Education (DME) March 14-16 and June 13-15.

To enroll, please contact the DME registrar at DTN 249-1880, -1881 or -1882. The outside number is (617) 276- plus the four-digit extension.

New lacrosse club forming

On Feb. 17, an "Introduction to Digital Lacrosse" meeting will be held in Hudson. This meeting will familiarize members and newcomers with Digital's new co-ed lacrosse club, its officers, the upcoming season, and club rules. Club rules will be posted in the Digital lacrosse notes file, MGOBLU::LAX. For more details, contact Elliott Scott at DTN 247-2686 (DELI::SCOTT); Ken Symonds, DTN 223-3415 (JACOB::SYMONDS); or Jeff Robertson, DTN 249-1500 (CECVO3::ROBERTSON).

DVN pilot, sales training to air this month

Corporate Employee Communication will sponsor "Employee Connection," a DECtop informational program to air on the Digital Video Network on Feb. 16 from noon-12:30 p.m., Eastern Time. It will be rebroadcast from 12:30-1 p.m. "Employee Connection," a DVN pilot, is an employee-oriented discussion of company directions.

What does our portfolio of desktop devices consist of? And how much closer are we to realizing the vision of the corporation? For Digital employees and managers who did not participate in DECtop University, this program will describe the DECtop strategy and present an overview of the new desktop products — the integrated set of hardware and software for our customers that no other vendor can offer.

"Network Hardware Update Training," Monday, Feb. 13, 1-3 p.m. Eastern Time.

This interactive broadcast is the opportunity for Network Site Services personnel and people in all related functions to gain an overview of Digital's newest networking hardware, including the DECconnect family of products which provide office wiring solutions. Contact the DVN site manager in your area for viewing confirmation and registration.

Metpay offices closed

Metpay offices will be closed on Monday, Feb. 20, in observance of Presidents' Day. For assistance, call the Policyholder Services Unit at (1-800) 422-4272. For claims, call (1-800) 638-3444.

On the move

U.S. Cash Operations and A/R Administration are moving from CFO1 to PKO3. The new mailstop will be PKO3-2/J29, and the new telephone number is DTN 223-4108.

Digital Press titles of interest

The following books and monographs are available from Digital Press. See below for ordering information.

Computer Programming and Architecture: The VAX, second edition, by Henry M. Levy and Richard H. Eckhouse (Part No. EY-6740E-DP)

This book is both a textbook and a reference for students and computer professionals. Using the VAX as an example, the book's first half is suitable for a complete course in assembly language programming. The book's second half describes higher-level systems issues in computer architecture.

Related Digital Press titles include: **A Beginner's Guide to VAX/VMS Utilities and Applications (Part No. EY-6738E-DP)**

The VAX Architecture Reference Manual (Part No. EY-3459E-DP)

VAX/VMS Internals and Data Structures V4.4 (Part No. EY-8264E-DP)

Capability-Based Computer Systems (Part No. EY-00011-DP)

The Digital Dictionary, 2nd Edition (Part No. EY-3433E-DP)

Digital Technical Journal No. 1 (Part No. EY-3435E-DP)

Digital Technical Journal No. 4 (Part No. EY-6711E-DP)

Digital Technical Journal No. 7 (Part No. EY-6742E-DP)

X Window System: C Library and Protocol Reference, by Scheifler, Gettys, and Newman (Part No. EY-6737E-DP)

A Beginner's Guide to VAX/VMS Utilities and Applications by Ronald M. Sawey and Troy T. Stokes (Part No. EY-6738E-DP)

Digital employees may order these books through an internal charge to cost centers. Address your VAXmail memo to CECVO3::MAILPO or your ALL-IN-1 memo to MAILPO @BKO. Include your name, badge number, cost center, full facility address including mail stop, title, quantity, and part number.

X Window System is a trademark of Massachusetts Institute of Technology. ●

Calendar of events for Black History Month

Following is a partial listing of Black History Month events. For complete information, consult LIVE WIRE, Digital's electronic news system.

Feb. 6

6-7 p.m., Shrewsbury (SHR) Cafeteria. God's Messengers (gospel concert).

Feb. 7-8

Noon, Ward Conference Room/SHR Personnel area. "Black History — Lost, Strayed or Stolen," film narrated by Bill Cosby.

Feb. 9-10

Same time and place. "Great Americans: Martin Luther King Jr." Film traces Dr. King's non-violent actions as he commits his life to civil rights and shows his impact on the movement. Includes remembrances by Coretta Scott King.

For more information on these events, contact Rebecca Kneeland, DTN 237-2904.

In addition, the African-American Cultural Awareness Group at the Virginia Road facility in Concord plans an extensive program and numerous events. The theme is "Rediscovering Africans and Their Descendants in Science and Technology," which will highlight some significant contributions made by ancient Africans (3400 to 1090 B.C.) and African-Americans from 1700 to current times. Contact Norman Shakespeare @VRO (DTN 271-5333) for more information. All Digital employees and their families are welcome to attend these events. ●

VAX 6300 systems announced ...

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ized system management, backup, and data sharing for large groups of workstations and personal computers. All VAX 6000 series fileserver systems include network and data management software.

For users who require high availability, shared resources and data, and expansion flexibility, Digital also announced two new VAXcluster systems, the VAX 6312 and the VAX 6333 systems. Both include processors, storage controllers and peripherals, giving users the ability to build upon their initial system investment as their needs change and expand.

Complete TP development system packages

For the burgeoning distributed transac-

tion processing marketplace, Digital introduced two complete starter systems for applications development. The DECtp 3000 and DECtp 6000 systems are fully configured with appropriate storage, memory, and VMS software, DECnet networking, and DECtp development software licenses. System users will have immediate development capability for a wide variety of transaction processing applications, especially those designed to take advantage of Digital's network technology and distributed computing abilities.

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Employee Kudos



Steve Haberman, a financial manager in Chelmsford, has been named Big Brother of the Year by the Jewish Big Brother & Big Sister Association of Greater Boston. Steve was honored for his volunteer service to his "Little Brother," with whom

he has been paired since 1982, for his participation in JBB&BSA activities, and for his membership on the agency's Board of Directors.

Employees of the Franklin plant recently collected over 100 cans of fruit juice and boxes of cold cereal — a full day's supply — to benefit the Pine Street Inn. Throughout the year, Franklin employees also collect clothes, canned goods, and cash for both the Inn and St. Francis House, a day care shelter. The money donated is used to buy perishable items. ●