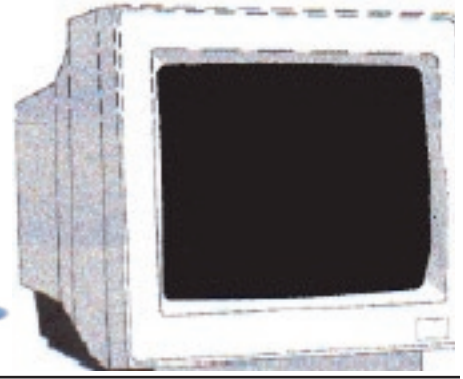


# CVAUG Monitor



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## A Word from the President

For those of you who were present at the January meeting you found out that I had been basically given a free ride to Macworld Expo in San Francisco by my job and the Internet talk show "Your Mac Life". I had a fantastic time. I met a lot of great people. I saw a lot of cool toys. I'll be talking a lot about it at the next meeting so come on down to the next meeting and see.

## Pepsi is Giving Away Music

Pepsi is offering free music downloads to the "tune" of one million songs. Starting in February a promotion will begin where one in three Pepsi bottle caps will have a code under it worth one free song from the [iTunes Music Store](http://iTunes Music Store).

## Apple announces iLife '04

[iLife '04](#) has new versions of iPhoto, iMovie, and iDVD. iTunes is in there too but it is still the same version that was available previously. iTunes is also the only program in the group that is still downloadable. All the other programs are now only available through purchasing the iLife package. One more program joins the iLife group, Garage Band. Garage Band is a music creation program that gives the user 1,000 or so

music loops that can be repeated and stacked on top of each other to create multi-channel music tracks. All of this can be done by a person who does not even know

how to play an instrument. If you do know how to play a piano or guitar you can use it a MIDI keyboard or an electric guitar plugged into the Mac to create original music recordings with a looped melody in the background.

iLife '04 requires

a G3 or better running Mac OS X 10.2.6 or later. Apple is selling it for \$50, or it is included with any Macintosh purchased after February.



Computers make it easier to do a lot of things, but most of the things they make it easier to do don't need to be done.

-- Rooney, Andy