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Velocita Technology, Inc. is proud to present to you our "Technology Interactive Monthly" newsletter. We hope that you will find the information contained within to be useful and informative. We will provide you

with the latest hardware and software innovations that the computer industry has to offer, as well as information on business technology that you will be able to use. If you have any ideas for future articles please contact us at help@velocitatechnology.com or by calling (815)744-9595.

Tech Tips for the Basic Computer User

"One of these days, I'm going to write a book called, 'The Basics.' It's going to be a compendium of the essential tech bits that I have learned over the last 23 years."

Just look at some of these great tips. They will surely increase your production in the workplace as well as at home:

- You can double-click a word to highlight it in any document, e-mail or Web page.
- You can hide all windows, revealing only what's on the computer desktop, with one keystroke: hit the Windows key and "D" simultaneously in Windows, or press F11 on Macs (on recent Mac laptops, Command+F3; Command is the key with the cloverleaf logo). That's great when you want to examine or delete something you've just downloaded to the desktop, for example. Press the keystroke again to return to what you were doing.
- You can enlarge the text on any Web page. In Windows, press Ctrl and the plus or minus keys (for bigger or smaller fonts); on the Mac, it's the Command key and plus or minus.



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Windows XP, Windows Vista ... Windows 7?

Microsoft wasn't quite ready to comment when rumors about yet another reprieve for Windows XP first started circulating late last week. That seems to have changed, with a spokesperson for the company reportedly confirming in an email to InformationWeek that Microsoft is indeed pushing the cut-off date back six months, to July 31st, 2009. According to the spokesperson, that's being done to ensure that customers moving to Vista are "making that transition with confidence and that it is as smooth as possible," adding that, "providing downgrade media for a few more months is part of that commitment." Could it be possible that some people don't want to move to Vista at all. A number of Velocita Technology's clients have elected to skip Windows Vista and wait for Windows 7. Originally codenamed "Blackcomb" at Microsoft, Windows 7 is the next version of Windows for PC's. Industry experts are estimating early ship dates of Windows 7 to some manufacturers will possibly be as soon as July 2009. It will not be available to the mainstream consumer until the end of 2009. If you are interested in getting a sneak peek of Windows 7, stop by the Velocita showroom at 50 Barney Drive and check it out ... we have it available for demonstration now!

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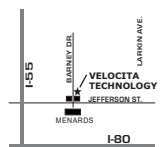


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More Tech Tips & Tricks

• You can enlarge the entire Web page or document by pressing the Control key as you turn the wheel on top of your mouse. On the Mac, this enlarges the entire screen image.

• The number of megapixels does not determine a camera's picture quality; that's a marketing myth. The sensor size is far more important. Use Google to find it. For example, search for "sensor size Canon PowerShot A1000."

• Forcing the camera's flash to go off prevents silhouetted, dark faces when you're outdoors.

• You can tap the Space Bar to scroll down on a Web page one full screen. Add the Shift key to scroll back up.

• You can use Google to do math for you. Just type the equation, such as $23*7+15/3=$, and hit Enter.



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Challenge

1. What do the letters "MS" in MSNBC stand for?
2. What company was born when IBM sold its printer division?
3. Ethernet is a registered trademark of what company?
4. What does the letter "A" in RAM stand for?
5. Which computer company was first to develop a mouse?

Video Security in our Schools

With the memories of a rash of school shootings still fresh in the minds of students and educators, schools have brought security to the forefront of their hot-button issues. Although technology can't eliminate violence at schools, it can play an integral role in curbing the frequency with which violent incidents occur--especially when combined with other proactive safety measures.

One of the many technology-based tools that school leaders have at their disposal is video surveillance, which gives campus safety officials an extra set of eyes to watch for signs of trouble. Today's video surveillance technology has improved greatly from the old analog-based, closed-circuit TV cameras. Digital, IP-based surveillance systems can operate on a school's network, allowing authorized personnel to view images and control cameras remotely from any networked computer.

Velocita Technology, Inc. is proud to have earned the Solution Gold Partner dealer status (only 38 other dealers that have earned this high honor) with the largest digital IP based camera manufacturer, the Cadillac in the digital camera industry, Axis Communications. Velocita Technology, Inc. has also partnered with the digital video software manufacturer Verint who manufactures the award winning video recording and review system, Nextiva. Most US major airports, including Chicago's Midway and O'Hare, Walmart, Home Depot and many more of the worlds largest corporations have chosen to use Verint for their video surveillance needs. Velocita Technology, Inc. provides the ultimate solution by combining the best surveillance software with the highest quality cameras currently available. By partnering with the best, Velocita Technology, Inc. can provide you the best of the best. Call your Velocita Technology account manager today to setup your video surveillance demonstration.

Wireless networks are everywhere. You most likely have one within your business today ... maybe even at home as well. Many comments and service requests that Velocita Technology, Inc. receives from our clients pertain to signal strength, or more specifically the lack of signal strength. After receiving many customer requests to create a solution to this problem, Velocita Technology, Inc. engineers have found the perfect solution: The Bountiful Wifi - The Most Powerful Wireless Router



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The Bountiful Router's wireless signal reaches a level of nearly 1,000 milliwatts - just below the maximum allowed by the FCC. This router consistently provides 2 to 4 times more range than other routers. You will find that most Linksys, Netgear, Belkin, and Cisco router's wireless signal is only 200 - 350 milliwatts. Signal strength triples by using the Bountiful Wifi Wireless Router.

Experience this performance improvement without replacing the wireless cards in your PCs. This wireless router delivers enhanced performance by utilizing time proven radio frequency techniques used in sophisticated military radio systems. Specifically, low noise signals, maximum output power and receive signal amplifiers make up part of the patent pending enhancements to standard Wifi technology that improve network performance in all environments and at much greater ranges than previously available. Contact your Velocita account manager to receive your Free wireless assessment.

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- How Important Is It To Have A Clean Computer?
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