

## Lincoln Historical Society Showing of *Digital\_Man/Digital\_World* in Lincoln MA on Sunday, January 29th

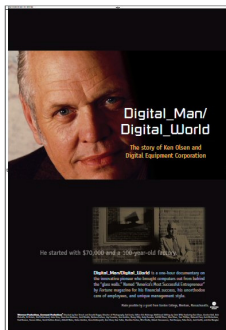
Hi DEC Connection friends,

We'd like to call your attention to a pre-release showing of the PBS documentary, *Digital\_Man/Digital\_World*, about Ken Olsen and Digital, this Sunday, January 29 at 2 PM in Lincoln MA. It will be followed by a panel discussion featuring Win Hindle, Dan Tymann (Gordon College), and Lincoln historian Jack MacLean.

Location is Bemis Hall at 15 Bedford Road in Lincoln. Directions are well described here: <http://www.bemislectures.com/directions.htm>

[Here is the link to click on for details.](#)

We have not yet received instructions about how to order your own copy of the DVD or when the 57-minute documentary will air on PBS stations. Stay tuned.



## Upcoming Events

- **Southeast Florida (LACR/snowbirds) - Sunday, 12 Feb., 4-8 PM** - Get-together with old and new DEC friends, enjoy pot luck dinner and see *Digital\_Man/Digital\_World* at Ava's clubhouse in Delray Beach FL. Email [webmaster@deconnection.org](mailto:webmaster@deconnection.org) to attend.
- **Colorado Springs (CXO)** announced its 10th Spring Reunion for Friday, April 27, 2012 at the Embassy Suites. Contact [TMCDordova@comcast.net](mailto:TMCDordova@comcast.net) to attend. [Link to complete invite on website.](#)
- **2012 Maynard Area Events** - Are YOU a musician or singer? If so - please participate in DEC Connection happenings during 2012!



One of the events of DEC Connection during 2012 may be an informal get-together in the Maynard, MA area that features some Digital employees whose hobbies are music. This includes folks that play instruments, sing, etc. We would like to get some Digital music hobbyists that are willing to play for a small crowd in a cafe style atmosphere. If you are one of them or know who we might invite, please send us an Email at [webmaster@deconnection.org](mailto:webmaster@deconnection.org)



## H-P Annual Meeting sponsored by the DEC Connection

The DEC Connection sponsored a local session of the HP Corporate Briefing on January 12 at the HP facility in Andover MA. Over 200 ex-Digital, HP and Compaq employees registered to attend and enjoyed the social hour and watching the PBS documentary *Digital\_Man/Digital\_World*.

The HP Touch Smart 610 computer giveaway was won by our own Bob Moore, DEC Connection treasurer. Congratulations, Bob!



Replay of the short HP messages will be posted in February at: [www.hp.com/retiree](http://www.hp.com/retiree)

## DEC Connection Membership News:

### It's January: time to renew your DEC Connection

**membership!** Email reminders and instructions will be sent to members who have contributed since 2009, who are registered in our Member Service Center. [Go to this link](#) and enter your email address used by DEC Connection. You can pay dues renewal online (3rd link at top, above your info) without having to re-enter your addresses and phone numbers. (For help, email [webmaster@deconnection.org](mailto:webmaster@deconnection.org))

If you prefer not to pay online, you can still send a personal check made out to The DEC Connection to c/o Bob Moore, 28 Fernglade Rd., Burlington MA 01803. \$25 for 3 years, \$10 for 1 year.

If you haven't supported us in the past, please consider doing so now - you can join online at [www.deconnection.org/join.htm](http://www.deconnection.org/join.htm)

## Welcome New and Returning Members!

**Renewing Members:** Anker Berg-Sonne, Donna Charlap, Betty Connor, Bill DeSimone, Phil Dube, Bill Dubie, Royce Fuller, Marilyn Goodrich, Dave Goodwin, Lou Greer, Larry Harris, V. Bradford Lawson, Daniel Lewis, George MacDonald, Bill Meserve, Aline Migrants, Bob Morrison, Dick Parks, Carol Phillips, Terry Sarandrea, Sanford Schulman, Susan Sparks, Stephen Trudel, Ned Vrablik, Betty Winberg

**New Members:** Reesa Abrams, John Hopkins, Vartkes Hovsepien, Sylvia Stagg-Giuliano, Berthold Langer, Kathy Uek

## About DEC Connection Local Chapters

Many of you might not realize that our local chapters are started by member volunteers. If you are interested in meeting other ex-DECcies nearby, consider calling an informal meeting at the local library or pub to see if there is sufficient interest - it doesn't have to be ambitious; an occasional meeting is fun, and you might meet new friends who share your values. Email [webmaster@deconnection.org](mailto:webmaster@deconnection.org) - Ava can help you get started and perhaps find a co-conspirator near you.

## DEC Connection Member NewsBytes: send yours to

[webmaster@deconnection.org](mailto:webmaster@deconnection.org). [See our new NewsByte archive page.](#)

- From **Sylvia Stagg-Giuliano**: I live and work in Boston's Seaport Innovation District where I operate my own photography studio specializing in lifestyle portrait and fine art photography. [sylviaastagg@gmail.com](mailto:sylviaastagg@gmail.com)
- From **Vartkes Hovsepien**: After many years in hi-tech, even after working for DEC, I made a career change into consultative selling. I recently began a sales position with a payroll solutions company called Symphony. I am thoroughly enjoying working for a small company whose culture mirrors my values. Glad to be part of the Digital family again through DEC Connection. [yergeenk@yahoo.com](mailto:yergeenk@yahoo.com)
- From **Lou Greer**: The City of Greenville, SC has asked me to chair the host committee of the 2012 Men's Collegiate Lacrosse Association ([www.mcla.us](http://www.mcla.us)) championship tournament. We beat out San Diego and Denver to become the host city for the event that will take place here on May 14th through the 19th. The MCLA includes club lacrosse teams from 212 colleges and universities from across the country. The Division I champion in 2011 was Brigham Young; they beat Arizona State in the final. [lougreer797@cs.com](mailto:lougreer797@cs.com)

**DEC Stories** - send yours to [webmaster@deconnection.org](mailto:webmaster@deconnection.org)

## Sad News Department:

We are sorry to report the death of former Digital Engineering manager, Carlton Davenport, in December. Our condolences to Carlton's wife June, and their family and friends. There will be a memorial service at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Worcester on February 4th at 1:00 p.m.

Also, (LeRoy F.) Lee Kearns of Amherst NH passed away on January 6. Lee worked at Digital in Littleton MA for over 20 years. Condolences to Geri Kearns (Florida) and their sons Ethan and Seth. You can email Geri at [geri@gerikearns.com](mailto:geri@gerikearns.com).

[Details on the Memorials page](#)

## Website Updates:

- [NewsByte Archive](#) will have member notes posted on a cumulative basis.
- Use your [MEMBER SERVICE CENTER!](#) Use the gold Member Login button if you have paid dues since 2009. There are queries to find members in your area, and forms to submit to update your

profile, send your news, DEC stories, and business listings for our public online yellow pages. You can check your dues status and renew your membership online. You can email a small photo for your profile, access or request membership in our LinkedIn Group, and send info for articles such as Featured Entrepreneur.



- [DEC Stories](#) submitted by our members and readers - We are still collecting your unusual, humorous or just favorite DEC stories. Email them to [webmaster@deconnection.org](mailto:webmaster@deconnection.org). They should be one page or less and be entertaining to our members. [Click on this link](#) to enjoy the ones submitted so far.
- [Our Featured Entrepreneur](#) - Would you like to be a Featured Member Entrepreneur? Email webmaster with details - 2-3 paragraphs about your business and your photo.
- If you are a member you are entitled to join our Linked In DECconnection Group. Request from within LinkedIn to be added or [email webmaster](#).
- [Ken Olsen Memorials](#) submitted by our members and readers - we are still adding to this page, send yours! Gordon College's Memorial Service for Ken is posted on our [About Ken Olsen](#) page. Download time is 10-60 min. before it plays - files are 75, 260 and 800 MB - so please be patient.
- [Product and Services Page](#) has videos and photos. Please submit suggestions and content, such as presentations or documents that describe product families, to [webmaster@deconnection.org](mailto:webmaster@deconnection.org).