

# Silicium newsletter

## 2000 recap

Like every year and for the first time in english, we wish you our best wishes for year 2002. This letter will present you the recap of 2001 and the goals we have for the organization for 2002. We thank all the people that are supproting us.

### **No more stock !**

The eviction of Silicium from his stock was a major problem this summer. It happended just when the stock was fully tied up. Moving was a long task that lasted three month, many members were involved.

### **Exhibitions in 2001**

Vieumikro, the convention for old computers and videogames enthusiasts, has a great success. This exhibition in Toulouse will be now be scheduled yearly. This year, we have also participated to three meetings & conventions. For them, we have created a stand-alone exhibition system, made of show cases, posters and interactives terminals. People seem to like it much. We will go on for more exhibitions.

### **Silicium.org**

Our website, now 7 years old, has been totaly revamped in a portal style. At first page, all news are shown, with constant updates. English based part has been greatly expanded. With many hits and some press award, Silicium.org is a success.

For year 2002, many other enhancements are scheduled.



## Perspectives

# 2002

### More aperture

Silicium has created an active community around old machines. Members are in contact for many projects and future exhibitions. The organization wish to federate enthusiasts through the world.

The Website is a place to share information dedicated to the community. If you're interested and wish to share our goals, join us !

### Exhibitions

Like every year, we have scheduled Vieumikro for May or June. We will participate to some other exhibitions.

### New stock

Our main objective is to find a new place to stock the fund. We're also in search of a permanent exhibition place. If you know any sponsors , contact us !



### A nice giving : Sorcerer from Exidy

We wish to thank Michel Bardin for this nice machine. The Sorcerer is an ephemeral forerunner from the seventies. Only few machines have been imported to France. Sorcerer is one of the first system that uses a cartridge port. This machine had some problems but we have repaired it. It was build in 1978, has a Z80 under CP/M 1.4. His 16Kb memory has been enhanced to an amazing 64Kb !

Our  
new  
address !

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