

# Not Your Usual TPUG Newsletter

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## Welcome!

Another month, another newsletter. Let's see how long we can keep this up. Again, I would encourage you to contact [newsletter@tpug.ca](mailto:newsletter@tpug.ca) if you have any ideas for articles or if you've written an article you'd like to submit for publication. We also welcome submissions for the Links of Interest section and if you have any Commodore-related questions, send them along and we'll do our best to answer them. If you do not want to receive this newsletter, please send a message to [newsletter@tpug.ca](mailto:newsletter@tpug.ca) and we'll unsubscribe you.

## Monthly TPUG Meeting:

Our next meeting will be held on: March 21, 2019 @ 7:30pm Alderwood United Church (downstairs) located at 44 Delma Drive, Toronto, ON See <https://www.tpug.ca/meetings/> for a map to the meeting.

## TPUG Resources:

We invite all members to join the Toronto CBM Mailing List by visiting <https://www.freelists.org/list/torontocbm>. The list is devoted to the discussion of anything Commodore related and is a great way to connect with others who share your interests. (Please note that you can only post to the list if you are a registered member and only from your registered email address.)

TPUG also maintains a Discord server you can join by visiting <https://discord.gg/V5DHgR3>. Discord is a free, real-time, multimedia chat system accessible through the Discord website or with free clients which are available for Windows, macOS, Linux, iOS, and Android. Feel free to drop by for some Commodore chit-chat.

## News:

There has been a flurry of Amiga-related news lately. Unfortunately most of it relates to legal battles over who owns what bits and pieces of Commodore's intellectual property. Cloanto IT srl of Italy feels that they own pretty much everything and Hyperion Entertainment CVBA of Belgium begs to differ.

At this point, there really isn't a lot of money to be made from the Amiga but the aforementioned companies seem ready to battle it out for the last dollar.

The two are set to square off in court over the coming months. I suspect that when it's all over, the only winners will be the lawyers.

One sad byproduct of the bickering is that Jens Schönfeld, owner of Individual Computers, appears to be ready to throw in the towel. Individual Computers was one of the few companies to continue supporting the Amiga long after Commodore was gone and it would be a shame to see them exit the market. You can read Jens' thoughts here: <https://amigalove.com/viewtopic.php?f=5&t=972>. A sad story indeed.

But not every day is a rainy day for Commodore computer users which brings me to our next section...

### **Links of Interest:**

Turbo Chameleon V2 (for 64) now available:

Website: [https://icomp.de/shop-icomp/en/shop/product/Turbo\\_Chameleon\\_64.html](https://icomp.de/shop-icomp/en/shop/product/Turbo_Chameleon_64.html)

C64 online emulator:

Website: <https://virtualconsoles.com/online-emulators/c64/>

Bruce Lee - Return Of Fury (for 64):

Website: <https://megastyle.itch.io/bruce-lee-return-of-fury>

Doc Cosmos (for 64):

Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=opStrA3KxoU>  
Website: <https://shallan64.itch.io/doc-cosmos>

Tenebra Macabre (for 64):

Website: <https://majikeyric.itch.io/tenebra-macabre>

Best WB (for Amiga) Released:

Download: <http://lilliput.amiga-projects.net/BestWB.htm>

Celtic Heart (for Amiga):

Discussion: <http://eab.abime.net/showthread.php?p=1308709>  
Download: <http://server.owl.de/~frank/CelticHeart.adf>

AMIner (for Amiga)

Discussion: <http://eab.abime.net/showthread.php?t=94956>  
Download: <https://1drv.ms/f/s!AqTLsqkSgXdn1kKKQ3yKKWXAbDc->

Trap Runner (for Amiga):

Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1wUDTTE5tgg>

Download: <https://www.retroguru.com/trap-runner/>

Indiegogo Campaign for new Amiga keycaps:

Website: <https://www.indiegogo.com/projects/new-compatible-keycaps-for-amiga-classics-2#/>

Important update to AmiSSL (thanks to Robert Miranda for the tip!)

Download: <http://aminet.net/package/util/libs/AmiSSL-4.3>

That's all we have for this month. Until next month, keep enjoying your Commodore computers!