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Poster Maker Announced!

■ St. Paul, MN

Ed Johnson, the author of *Page Pro 99* and numerous fairware and commercial *Page Pro 99* enhancement utilities has announced the eminent release of *Page Pro Poster Maker*.

This sophisticated all-assembly language program is the simplest yet most capable sign-maker available for the TI-99/4A or the Myarc Geneve 9640. It allows you to take a full *Page Pro* page and double it to 17"x22", quadruple it to 34"x44", or make it eight times larger at 68"x88" (over 5 by 7 feet!). The *Poster Maker* prints out the page in vertical strips (of 2, 4 or 8 pages). All you have to do is remove the tractor-feed holes and tape the strips together to form a large, easy-to-read sign perfect for clubs, organizations, schools or businesses. *Page Pro Poster Maker* posters are excellent for presentations or announcements of any kind.

Page Pro Poster Maker supports all the printing modes of *Page Pro 99* itself - including the high-quality "hi-res" mode. If you intend to make several copies of your poster you could print out one copy in the "hi-res" mode, tape the sheets together, take the results to any architectural copy shop and reproduce the poster onto a single piece of paper as many times as needed.

Because of *Page Pro 99*'s "what-you-see-is-what-you-get" design, as well as its high-resolution (up to 480x792 pixels), designing an excellent quality sign or poster couldn't be easier. Simply design your page as you normally would and then print the results with this program. Because there are so many pixels on a page to begin with, the pixels are

still small even doubled or quadrupled in size. Even at an 8-times blow-up the poster is still easily readable within a few feet. Other poster making programs, because they start out with a much smaller picture, create results that quickly become unreadable and too-blocky at sizes as small as 17"x22". *Page Pro Poster Maker* can produce much larger posters than that that look much nicer.

Finally, *Page Pro Poster Maker* has been designed from scratch to make use of the *Asgard Mouse* (which is optional - keys can be used as well). It can perhaps be viewed as a look at what a future version of *Page Pro 99* itself might look like. This program requires *Page Pro 99*. The *Asgard Mouse*, again, is optional. The suggested retail price is \$12.95. ♦

More Templates Released

■ Tucson, AZ

The *Page Pro Templates* disks announced in the previous issue of *Page Pro Times* have been very popular. Accordingly, we'd like to extend the series with three new volumes, all by prolific card designer Virginia Davis.

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Headline Maker & Fonts Available

■ Troy, MI

Asgard Software has announced the release and immediate availability of *Page Pro Headline Maker* and one volume of *Page Pro Headline Fonts* - both by Paul Scheidemantle (author of *Page Pro Utilities*, *Sports Pics* and *Page Pro Fonts* #1-3).

Page Pro Headline Maker was originally released as *Page Pro Large Fonts* in the previous issue of this newsletter. The name was changed because it tended to confuse people more than enlighten them. This utility, as described in the previous issue, allows you to create large titling suitable for newsletters, posters, flyers or ads and stored in picture files. It utilizes the new "Headline format" font files - of which 12 are included with the package. Another collection of 18 more is found in the *Page Pro Headline Fonts Volume #1*.

This new format, by using pictures, allows you to get around the limitations of *Page Pro 99* regarding font sizes. The *Page Pro Headline Maker* allows you to select the font desired, enter the text of the title, and then it creates a picture file with the title entered in the font selected. When creating your page(s) simply load in the title picture as you would any other, and add other text as desired.

The *Page Pro Headline Maker*, a two disk package, is available for \$9.95 plus

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Volume #10 - Assorted Cards 3

This new 3-disk package contains 8 different cards in a variety of subjects (announcements, "cheer-up" cards, etc.) and 24 new pictures that can be re-used again and again in your own work.

Volume #11 - Invitations 2

Tupperware and Amway distributors have made #1 in this series very popular. This three-disk volumes contains 8 more invitations for weddings, parties and business use, as well as 24 new pictures. Some of these cards are some of the most beautiful Virginia has ever made (particularly the wedding cards).

Volume #12 - Christmas Cards 1

All of those people who send out their Christmas cards months early will appreciate the summer release of this 3-disk package. Containing 8 cards and 25 pictures, this volume contains both religious and secular cards.

Each volume in this series has a suggested retail price of \$6.95. Any 3 can be purchased for \$17.95 - an exceptional value considering the number of disks and pictures many of these volumes contain.



From Page Pro Pictures #12 - Educational



Page Pro Picture Series Extended

■ Rockville, MD

Asgard Software is pleased to announce 5 new volumes of *Page Pro Pictures*.

Volume #10 - Hebrew

This single disk package contains a variety of Jewish religious symbols, as well as a complete Hebrew large font (hence the name). This is the only volume of *Page Pro Pictures* that includes a *Page Pro* font with it. The font was designed in the soon-to-be-released *Page Pro Font Editor*, that makes producing fonts relatively simple.

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S&H. The *Page Pro Headline Fonts* #1, also two disks, can be purchased for \$7.95. Both can be purchased as a set for \$15.95 - a 10% savings.

Volume #11 - Americana

This 2 disk (DS/SD format) package of over 60 pictures contains over 1400 sectors of artwork covering every aspect of the American experience - from pictures of popular artists to inventions to patriotic images. This collection has to be seen to be appreciated for its depth.

Volume #12 - Education

This 2 disk (DS/SD format) collection contains over 50 pictures of educational topics - from pictures of students, diplomas and schools to pictures of teachers and logos for various areas of study. Excellent for the teacher or student alike.

Volume #13 - Nautical

A 2-disk (DS/SD format) collection of nautical pictures. This volume celebrates the sea with seagulls, ships of all types, beach scenes and more. A beautiful collection.

Volume #14 - Publishing Tools 3

Another volume in our *Publishing Tools* series of ornaments, splashes and bursts to highlight any newsletter, flyer or ad. This package contains 2 disks in DS/SD format.

Each volume in this series is available for \$6.95. To obtain volumes 8, 9, 11-14 in SS/SD disk format, please add \$3.00. Any three volumes can be purchased for \$17.95.

Page Pro Support Products Price List

Item	Cost	Description	Item	Cost	Description
Pix Pro	\$14.95	Conversion utility	Page Pro Fonts #1&2	\$14.95	All 50 fonts!
Sports Pics	\$9.95	Sport pictures	Bonus Disk	\$3.00	Misc. stuff
Page Pro Utilities	\$14.95	Enlarge/shrink flip pics.	Page Pro Titles #1-2	\$6.95 each	Two disks in each volume
Page Pro Borders#1-2	\$7.95	Dozens of nice borders	Page Pro Titles #1&2	\$11.95	The whole set!
Page Pro Pics #1-14	\$6.95 each	Ready-to-use pictures	Page Pro Templates #1-12	\$6.95 each	Envelopes, cards, much more!
Any three Pro Pics	\$17.95	Over 600 pictures	Page Pro Templates (any 3 vols)	\$17.95	Any 3 vols. of templates
Page Pro Headline Maker	\$9.95	Create titling for newsletters, etc.	MacPaint pictures (10 vols)	\$3.00 each	Clipart for use with Pix Pro
Page Pro Headline Fonts #1	\$7.95	18 More fonts For the Headline Maker.	Page Pro Poster Maker	\$12.95	Make signs, posters out of page files.
Page Pro Fonts #1-3	\$7.95 each	25 fonts in each package for Page Pro 99	Page Pro Line Fonts	\$7.95	Dozens of new fonts!

Freeware For Page Pro 99

Freeware authors have been becoming busier and busier lately producing Page Pro add-ons. In the last few months we've seen the following items appear in the Page Pro section of GENie:

The Nagel Collection: This package, by Jesse Slicer, is a comprehensive collection of famous works by Nagel - noted artist and illustrator and whose works sell for thousands of dollars today. Occupying over four disks, these pictures are beautiful, and reduce well for use in other works. For information write to Jesse Slicer, 1101 Purdom Str., Olathe, KS 66061.

Medical Clipart: A mammoth collection of medical and related clipart for use with Page Pro. This package contains one of the most complete groupings of anatomical clipart ever, as well as collections of medical symbols, etc. Excellent for a doctor, medical or biology student. Requires 4 DS/DD disks! Send disks plus \$10.00 to Chris Bobbitt, 111 Moore Ave. SW, Vienna, VA 22180.

More new fairware items will be discussed in the next issue.

Make Page Pro 24-Pin Printer Compatible

There is some good news for those users who are running V1.6 with a 24-pin printer. Ed Johnson discovered a simple patch to Page Pro 99 that makes it print 66 lines on an 11 inch page. Full 24 pin support will be installed into the next version of Page Pro.

With your favorite sector editor and the UTIL1 file from Page Pro 99 V1.6. At byte 176 of the second sector you should find the hex data:

031B 4108 0000

change it to:

051B 4108 1B32

Please note that this may not work with all 24-pin printers.

Page Pro Contest

Asgard Software is pleased to announce a contest for the best page created with Page Pro 99. This contest is open to all Page Pro 99 users except for employees and contracting authors of Asgard Software/Asgard Publishing.

Prizes

- 1st Prize \$100 in Page Pro Support Products
- 2nd Prize \$50 in Page Pro Support Products
- 3rd Prize \$25 in Page Pro Support Products

All prize winners also receive a complementary subscription to *Reflections*, and will have their winning entry reprinted in a future issue of *Page Pro Times*.

Rules

1. The page can be on any topic - newsletter, flyer, ad, greeting card, etc. The pages will be judged on their design merit and imagination, and not the topic or subject matter.
2. The designer may use any graphics product in creating the page as long as the final product is composed with Page Pro 99.
3. Each entry should be sent on paper or on disk (with all support pictures and fonts). A contestant may enter as often as he/she wishes.
4. The contest closes on Dec. 31, 1990. All judging will be done by Jan. 15th by a panel of 3 judges. Winners will be notified by mail. Winning entries will be published in the first available issue of this newsletter after that date.
5. All entries become the property of Asgard Software and may be re-used by Asgard with due credit in any manner.

Send all entries to:

Asgard Software
Best Page Contest
P.O. Box 10306
Rockville, MD 20849

Line Fonts Released

■ Olathe, KS

Asgard is pleased to announce the release of an extensive collection of *Line Fonts* for use with Page Pro 99 and designed by Shirley Slicer.

This package contains 23 new line fonts for Page Pro 99, including: 2 pattern fonts that can be combined to create hundreds of different patterns; 2 line element fonts with standard line and graphics elements for use in forms, flyers, etc.; and 19 line graphic fonts that contain foreign language and special characters (math symbols, fractions, etc.) for the small fonts in the Page Pro Fonts #1-2 series of fonts.

The disk in this package also contains a 10 page reference sheet containing all the patterns that can be created with the pattern reference fonts. A good generic collection of artwork with hundreds of uses - this disk could become one of your most often used Page Pro support packages. Suggested retail \$7.95 plus S&H.

Page Pro Borders #2 Announced

■ Olathe, KS

Asgard is please to announce the 2nd volume of the *Page Pro Borders* series by Shirley Slicer.

This volume consists of 12 new borders stored in picture format. Highly detailed - many are suitable for use in signs, flyers, certificates, and other such works. The first volume of Page Pro Borders consists of over 30 borders stored as Large Fonts. Borders stored as pictures can be more detailed while those stored as fonts can be more easily created.

Each volume is available for \$7.95 plus S&H.

Order Form

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