

# THE SOONER TUNER

Newsletter of The Oklahoma Chapter 731 of the Piano Technicians Guild, Inc.

**JUNE 2007**

## COMING EVENTS

JUNE – Due to the convention being held in Kansas City this month, there will be no local meeting of the PTG. The next meeting will be held in July.

JULY – The July meeting will be held Thursday, July 19th 8:30 AM. The technical to be announced.

AUGUST – Watch for details for the August Cookout and Lake Fest at the home of David and Barbara Bonham.

Yeh Baby!.... BAM!!!

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## **OFFICERS FOR 2006/2007 YEAR:**

Election of officers for the new year took place at the May meeting. The officers are as follows:

President – Bob Scheer  
Vice President – David Bonham  
Secretary – Jordan Bruce  
Treasurer – Gary Bruce  
Newsletter Editor - Blane Morris

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## **2007 Annual Piano Technicians Guild Convention and Technical Institute, Kansas City:**

It's not too Late to register! Wow this lineup of classes and events is awesome. Check it out (913) 432-9975 to register or register online at <http://www.ptg.org/conv/reg>. We will have comment from participants in the July Newsletter.

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**Investing in one's chosen path shall always be rewarded.**

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## **Message from the President:**

An old bachelor fishing partner of my father once told me that, financial success could be simply stated as; having enough money to buy the best fishing tackle available, and having enough time to wear it out. Of course he didn't have a wife to keep him happy, or kids to feed and educate, but even so, I think he had a good point. If one has the money to buy a nice fishing rod but no time to use it, then it is a worthless piece of clutter gathering dust in a closet.

Likewise, if one has lots of time but no money to buy tackle, then why go fishing. Either way no fish are being caught! I think the point he was trying to make to me was, there needs to be a sense of balance in our lives.

One of the great advantages of being self employed piano technicians is the ability to control our own work load. Although I'm sure that at times we all feel enslaved to our wrist watch, every once in a while, it's nice to shout out at the world... I AM THE BOSS OF MY TIME!! Even if it isn't true.

It's summertime! The ponds are full! Slow down and go fishing once in a while!

I'll see you in Kansas City!

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**Request for technical support:**

Dear technical support:

Last year I upgraded from Girlfriend 7.0 to wife 1.0. I soon noticed that the new program began unexpected child processing that took up a lot of space and valuable resources. In addition, Wife 1.0 installed itself into all other programs and now monitors all other system activity. Applications such as Poker Night 10.3, Football 5.0, Hunting and Fishing 7.5 and Golfing 3.6.

I can't seem to keep Wife 1.0 in the background while attempting to run my favorite applications. I'm thinking about going back to Girlfriend 7.0 , but the uninstall doesn't work on Wife 1.0. PLEASE HELP!

Reply:

Dear troubled user; This is a very common problem. Many people upgrade from Girlfriend 7.0 to wife 1.0 thinking it is just a Utilities! And Entertainment program. Wife 1.0 is an OPERATING SYSTEM and is designed by it's creator to run EVERYTHING!!! It is impossible to delete Wife 1.0 and return to Girlfriend 7.0. It is impossible to uninstall, or purge from programs once installed.

You cannot go back to G 7.0 because W 1.0 is designed not to allow this. Look in the manual under Warnings-Alimony /Child Support. We recommend that you keep W 1.0 and work on improving the situation. We suggest installing the program, "Yes Dear" to alleviate software augmentation.

The best course of action is to enter the command C:APOLOGIZE! Because You will have to give the APOLOGIZE command for the application to return to normal.

W1.0 is a great program but high maintenance. W1.0 comes with support programs such as, Clean and Sweep 3.0, Cook It 1.5 and Do Bills 4.2. Be careful how you use these programs however. Improper use will cause system launch Nag Nag 9.5. Once this happens the only way to improve W 1.0 is to purchase additional software, we suggest Flowers 2.1 and Diamonds 5.0.

WARNING!!! DO NOT under any circumstances install Secretary With Short Skirt 3.3. This app is not supported by W1.0 and will cause irreversible damage to the operating system! Good Luck, Tech Support.

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**Difficult week?**

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