

# Riverside Raspberry Pi

03/12/18 meeting

## IEPUG intro

- -who we are
- -don't feel you need to stay the whole time





#### Sponsors:

Thanks to Riversidel/O & Excite for hosting our meetings

http://www.riverside.io/en: co-working space in downtown Riverside

https://exciteriverside.org/: a unique tech business acceleration program: created in

collaboration between business leaders, the City and County of Riverside, and the

University of California Riverside

### Event review:

Riverside Raspberry Jam (Saturday 3/3/18)

#### Tweets:

- https://twitter.com/BaynesHeidi/status/970052029216210945
- https://twitter.com/EdCoachSarah/status/970115987906248704

#### Thanks:

- to all who came out to Pi Jam event and RivRPi's booth
- -and a special thanks to members Skip, ?? and (especially) Sam for bring projects and/or member-ing the RivRPi booth.

#### Photos:

https://www.meetup.com/Riverside-Raspberry/photos/28651132/469007806/



### Events:



ARCADE EXPO 4.0 – MARCH 16-18, 2018

http://www.museumofpinball.org/events/arcade-expo-4-0-march-16-18-2018/

## Chat Room:

Raspberry PI now has a chat room on gitter.

Come hang out and talk to us about your

PI project or make suggestions for meeting topics.

https://qitter.im/RiversideRaspberry/Lobby

## Publications:

MagPi: Issue #67 available:

https://www.raspberrypi.org/magpi-issues/MagPi67.pd

**Retro Computing** 

All issues available here:

https://www.raspberrypi.org/magpi-issues/



## Publications:

HackSpace issue #4 available:

https://hackspace.raspberrypi.org/



## Publications:



Hello World

The computing and digital making magazine for educators

https://helloworld.raspberrypi.org/

## Pi related items:



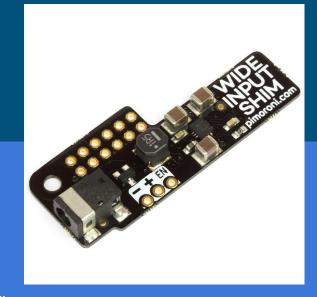
#### Flexible Grayscale Display \$50

The OLED display is 1.81" long with 160x32 4-bit grayscale pixels.

The interface is 3-wire SPI and each pixel requires 4 bits.

https://www.sparkfun.com/products/14543

## Pi related items:



### Wide Input SHIM \$12

Power your Pi with a wide range of input voltages from 3 to 16V! 5V / up to 2A output

https://shop.pimoroni.com/products/wide-input-shim

## Pi related items:

#### Pimoroni Picade HAT \$16

4-way digital joystick inputs

6 x game button inputs

4 x utility button inputs

Safe power on/off system

Micro-USB connector for power (back-powers your Pi)

1 x soft power switch inputI2S audio DAC with 3W amplifier (mono) for great quality sound

Breakout pins for other GPIO features

https://www.adafruit.com/product/3402



## Riverside Raspberry Pi business:

#### Slide deck availability:

- -now posted as a linked PDF instead of MeetUp notes
- -has anyone had any problems using it?

#### Example:

Last month's meeting (2/12/18):

https://github.com/RiversideRaspberry/MeetingSlides/blob/master/RivRPi%20meeting%2020180212.pdf

## Riverside Raspberry Pi business:



#### RivRPi business cards:

- Currently one-sided
- Thoughts on two-sided w/RivRPi on one side and IEPUG on the other?

## Discussion topic notes from meeting:

- During a discussion/talk/primer on 3D printers, members Ray and Randy had a lot of practical information on getting started in 3D printing
- Holding the meeting at Vocademy, do we had cards/poster thereto promote the group?
- A member asked about setting up a personal makerspace at home and we had a lively discussion on how to start and what to include, some items being:
  - Work with what you have until you get an idea of what you need
  - Thrift shops/99 cent stores are a good/cheap place to general supplies.
  - 6 foot folding table (non-plastic)
  - Ice-cube trays make a good sorting trays for small parts
- Possible field trip to monthly TRW swap meet in Redondo Beach
- Swapmeet message to post member's surplus items
- <u>www.CalAuction.com</u>: some of their auctions have surplus computer related items

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