

Some Gifts for the Computer Person...

For this week's column I would like to blatantly suggest some great gifts for the computer person in your life.

Desktop Copy Holder

- Perfect for holding important documents for easy reading and transcribing.
Cost \$10-25

Pack of Blank CDs

- These make great stocking stuffers and are useful for everything from backups to music.
Cost \$19.95 for a pack of 25

Speakers

- The Yamaha model YST-MS201 speakers are a three-piece set that consists of two small satellite speakers that sit on top of the desk and a large sub-woofer that sits on the floor under the desk.
Cost \$89

WebCam

- Use a webcam to see video over the Internet. Every Internet junkie wants a webcam.
Cost \$55

Deluxe Computer Case

- For the real "nerd" in the house. We have in stock an all-aluminum case of the utmost quality. It looks cool and actually helps keep things inside cool with its four standard fans.
Cost \$259

Printer

- A new printer is a sure fire hit when it comes to gift giving. Printers start at \$89 and range up to about \$300. All of the new printers will provide excellent quality when used with the appropriate photo paper.

Gamepads, joysticks and racing wheels

- These range in price and quality but...my favorite this month is a racing wheel priced at just \$29. We have four in stock as I write this.

Video Card

- Another "nerd" gift because it will require installation in the computer. A new video card is great for anyone who plays games on their computer. It speeds up the "frame rate" of all games making for a less "choppy" feel to the game and can improve your score because of the faster reaction time.

Video cards start at \$69 and range up to about \$300. A “good” video card will cost about \$169.

Software

- Software is good for practically anyone because it comes in so many different interests. In particular “educational” software makes a terrific gift for the young person in your life. Come down to Software Emporium Inc. and check out the huge selection of educational software titles in stock and at great prices too.