DPRG RBNV Chat Record – January 3, 2023

Carl Ott 7:46 PM ~7:45pm- Ray presented on the MaixSense-A010 - 100x100 pixel Time Of Flight device, that comes with a 240x135 pixel LCD to preview the depth map in real time Carl Ott 7:50 PM As John G mentioned - Donna from Seattle Robotics Society will present on 21 Jan 2023 On the topic of: "Finite State Machines Demystified for Robotics" The regular SRS meeting runs from 10am until (roughly) Noon on the 21st (Pacific time). Presentation should start @ approx. 11am (Pacific). Scroll down the page at https://seattlerobotics.org/ and look for (right hand section of page) the "Next Meeting" announcement section. Carl Ott 8:10 PM ~8:08pm- John K showed a handful of interesting finds - e.g., a robotic wall painter, And a Robot Car that can be 2-d printed **David Steele** 8:15 PM https://www.adafruit.com/product/3317?gclid=CiwKCAiAwcdBhA7EiwAxPRyIAIXLPTABOWaOqT6N96rt437uipmYvh47QFvYkeQV7v1ZJq8pm6BARoCpJkQAvD_BwE Adafruit VL53L0X Time of Flight Distance Sensor - ~30 to 1000mm Ray 8:20 PM https://www.aliexpress.us/item/3256804805521009.html?gatewayAdapt=glo2usa4itemAdapt&_randl_shipto=US \$27.10 + free shipping Carl Ott 8:27 PM ~8:18pm- recent joiner Jim Westhoff introduced himself & showed a robot he's built -Quite a history from work and hobbies to get into hobby robotics... Carl Ott 8:29 PM ~8:28pm - showed progress towards a rubrics cube solver Carl Ott 8:41 PM ~8:38pm - showed a robot he's built - a TI/Pololu joint project TI-RSLKmax https://university.ti.com/programs/RSLK/ found that it comes with excellent training modules Carl Ott 8:46 PM ~8:46pm - plans to start on Docker / ROS2, RoboClaw... You 8:53 PM The Robotics Back-End: tutorials on Rpi, ROS, ROS2, Arduino, ... https://roboticsbackend.com Carl Ott 8:59 PM ~8:57pm- Doug gave an update on his Raspberry Pi case - passive dissipation results comparing 2 different cases... Harold Pulcher 9:20 PM since you can't hear me Those Microcenter cheap sd cards are like "seconds". Usually the 128 GB I get are really only good to 126GB Pat Caron 9:21 PM Quality or write time?? Harold Pulcher 9:21 PM and Samsung EVOs have never let me down on those SD cards probably both.... This is also a guess. Harold Pulcher 9:22 PM

I figure the average person that doesn't look under the covers (which is no one in this channel) probably will not ever notice. Carl Ott 9:27 PM

~9:25pm - Pat showed his score for the week - 10" snow blower tires for a total of \$0.00!

Carl Ott 9:39 PM

~9:39pm - John G showed HTOP on his license plate reader - showing that it's pegging CPU utilization on a Pi 4