

CALNDR.ZIP (Version 2.0)

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NOTICE

All rights reserved. This macro may not be distributed if ANY charge is involved. Otherwise, it is free. But, if you like it, PLEASE drop one of us a note. Version 1 was written by Steve Conrad. For v.2, almost all the error-checking code was introduced by John Filshie, who kindly accepted co-authorship status to make this whole file more professional! It was he who got the macro to place all the calendars in one file. Thanks for some error code goes to Kenneth D. Chestek whose SAVER.WPM was a model for some error-checking code we employ.

INTRODUCTION

This macro creates a set of 12 calendars of the size found in the "Month-At-A-Glance" Planners sold in stationery stores. Each calendar is about 6 inches square, and each date cell is about 0.9" by 0.9". If you expand or reduce the rt/left margins of CAL.TBL, the calendar dimensions will change.

Each month produced has a built-in STYLE you can use to write notes in the calendar. The note will print on the two bottom lines of the date cell, and should not be too long. To print such a note, use Alt-F8 (Styles) O (on) and type your short note. It can be two "lines" long. But, to get the second line, you'll have to do a HRT at the end of the first line of your note and then press Shift-F6 (Center) for the bottom line. Then, cursor right and you'll be "out" of the style. If you want to use ONLY 1-line notes, I suggest that you EDIT the style by adding an additional [HRT] code in the style definition. Another possibility is to remove all the HRT's in the STYLE except one. Then, the notes will print towards the top of the date cells, and you can get up to 4 lines of notes in each cell – just by using up to 3 more HRT's.

The default font used is Helvetica, since most people with a laser printer have that font. You may change it, but, after trying several different fonts, I found this to be the best—and that surprised me! It may be that the size of the calendar is a factor in needing a darker font than one I would have otherwise preferred. If you have ANY trouble printing, remove the FIXED height of the day cells or modify the font to another one. The month is set to print EXTRA LARGE. Some printers have strange AFC's: if the months don't print properly, change the font.

HOW TO USE THIS MACRO

Place the file CAL.TBL in the C:\WP51

directory. If it is placed elsewhere you will have to edit the macro. Place CAL.WPM in your c:\wp51\macros directory as defined in Setup (Shift F1, Location of Files). If you've not defined a location, put it in c:\wp51 (I guess).

When invoking the macro (Use Alt-F10, CAL, Enter), just give ANY year after 1582 to get 12 calendars in the file YEARxxxx.CAL in your default directory. Print these and, if you want, edit the months to contain any notes you wish. There is no user input required except the year. The macro will calculate EVERYTHING, including the placement of days on the calendar. Have fun!