Making new videos about old computers

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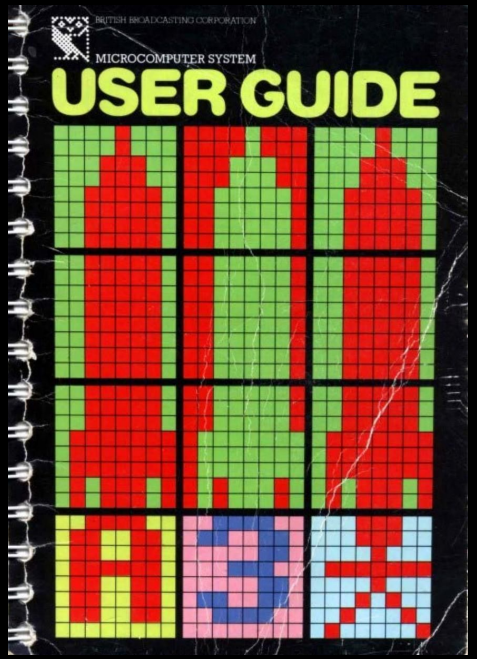
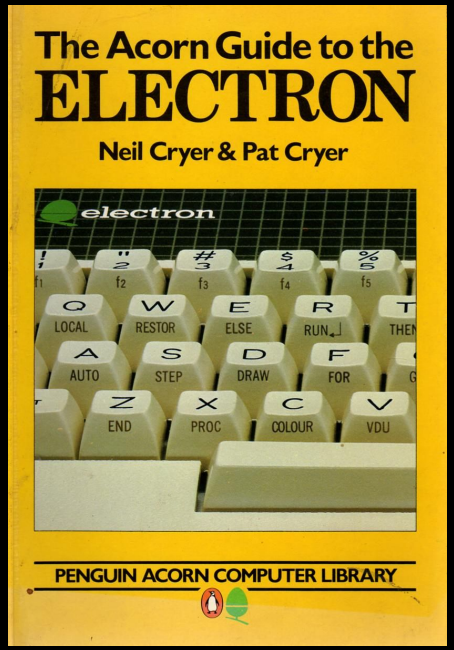
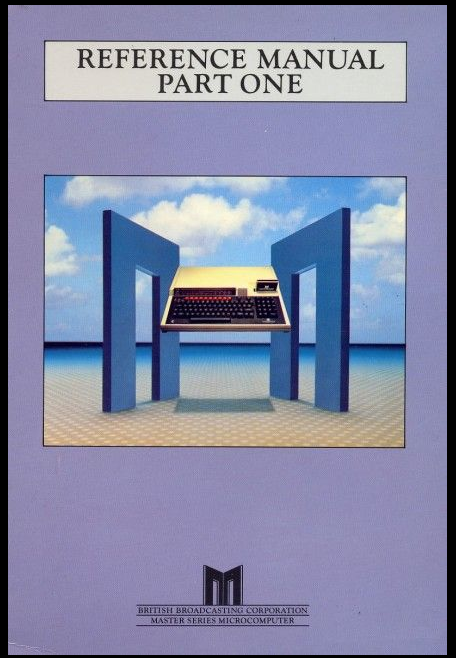
A little about me...

- Grew up around Acorn computers - because of Dad

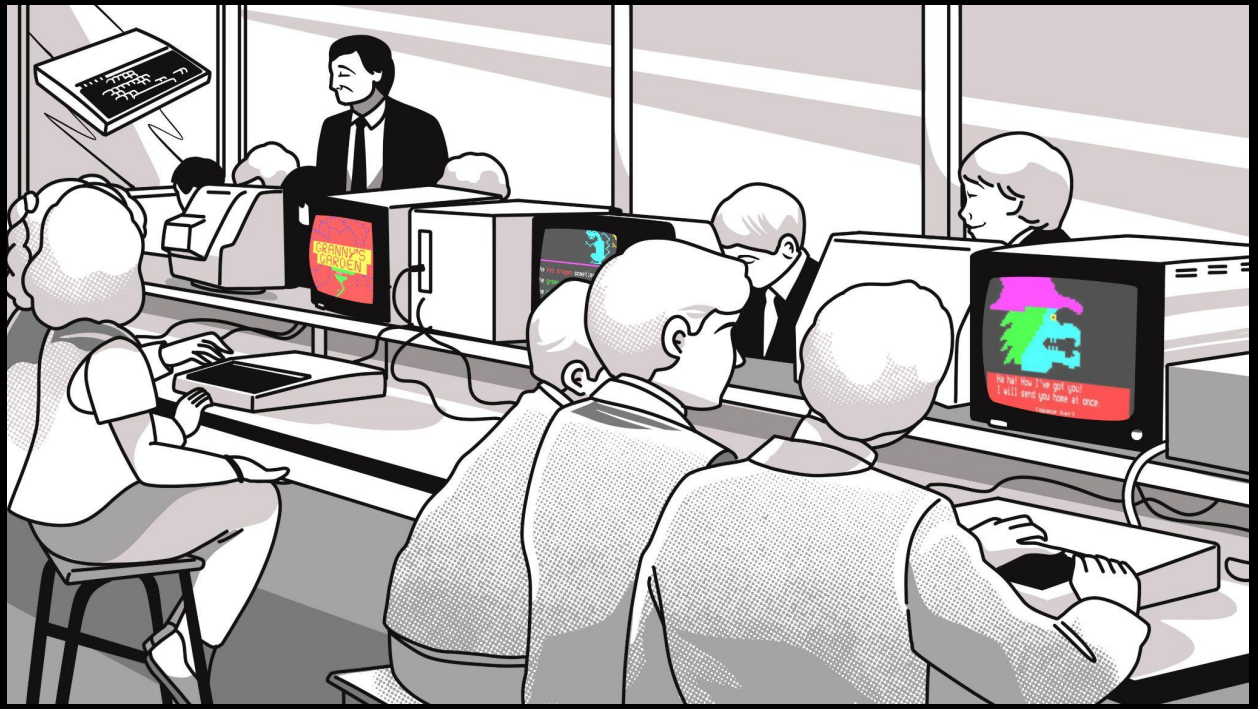






A little about me...

- The BBC Micro had a very long ‘shelf life’ in our school



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- Learnt from an early age how to program... because what else were you going to do with a home micro?

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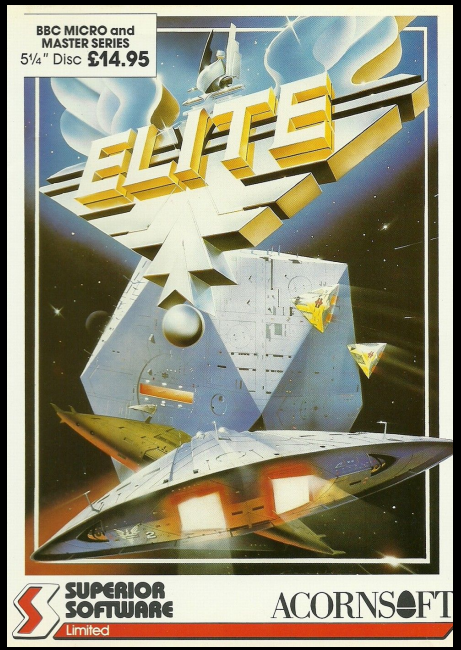
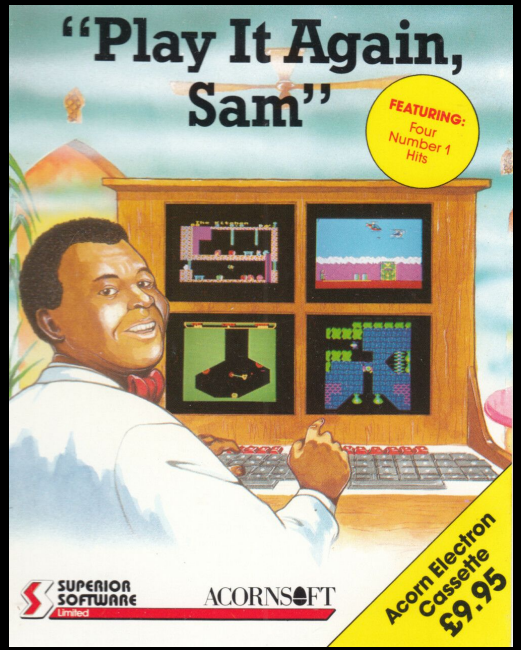
- (Apart from play games on it!)





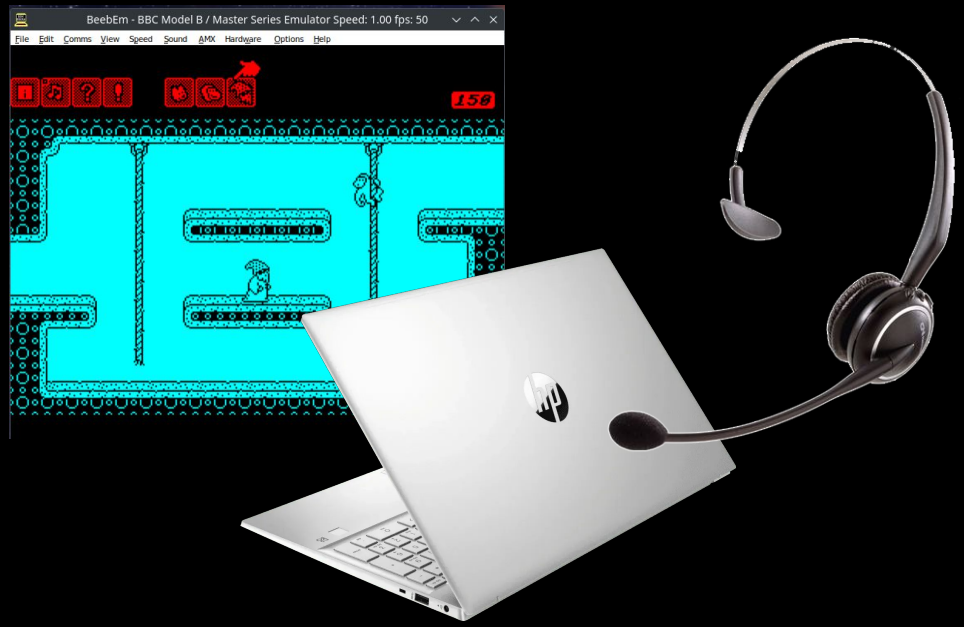
So, why YouTube?

- Started getting back into gaming via emulation
- Realised there were lots of channels out there doing game reviews of old games... but not a lot of love for Acorn!

YouTube

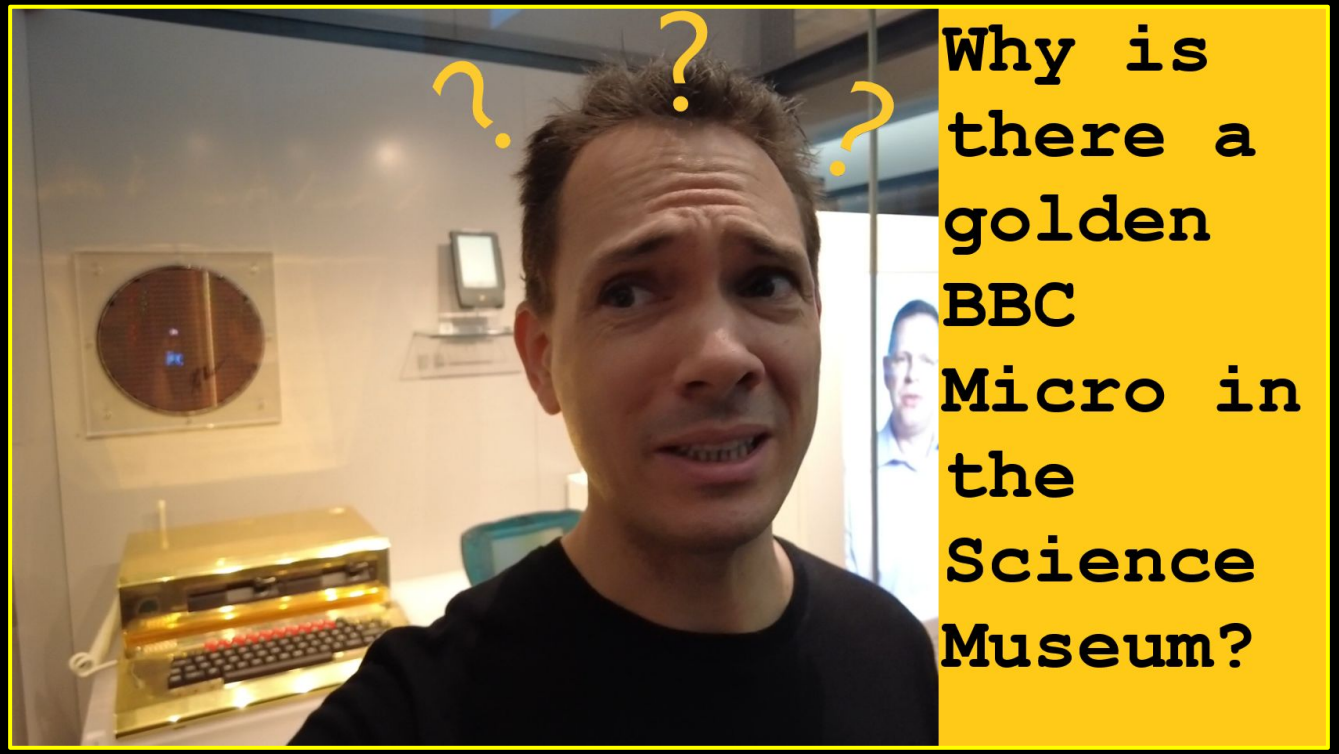
How it started...

- Very, very primitive!



Where it went next...

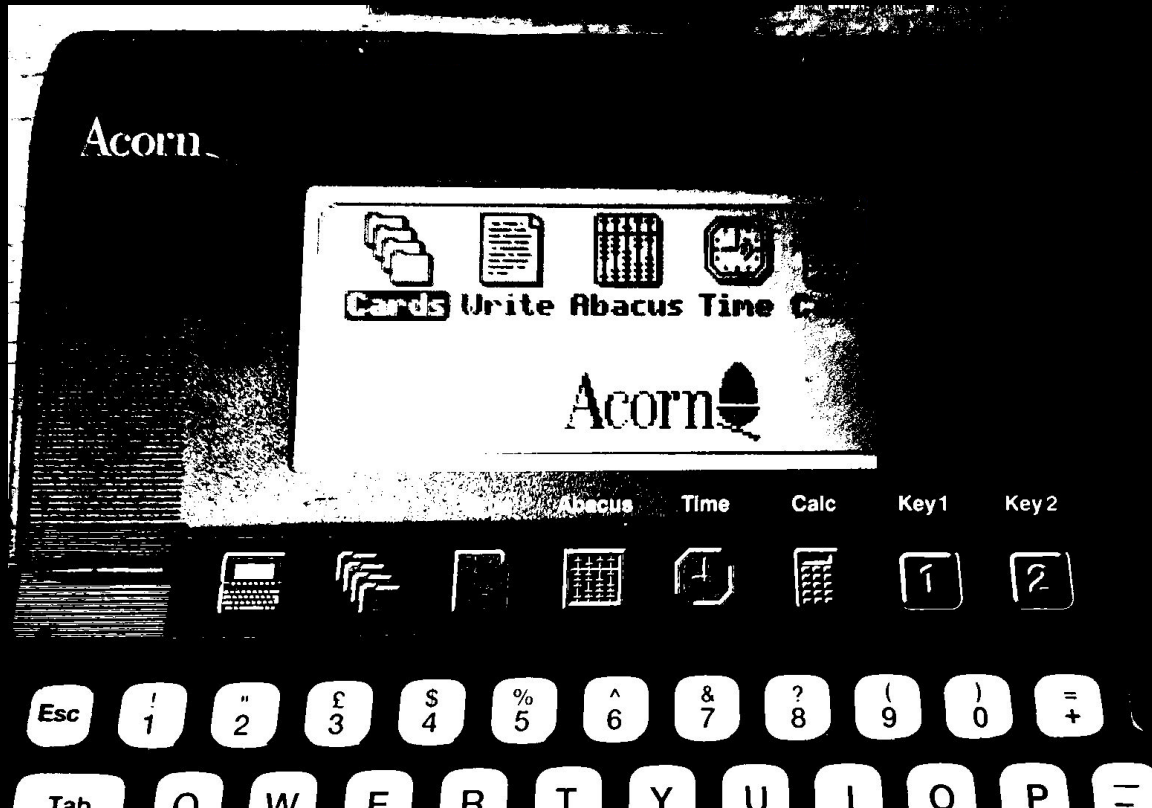
The ‘breakout’ video



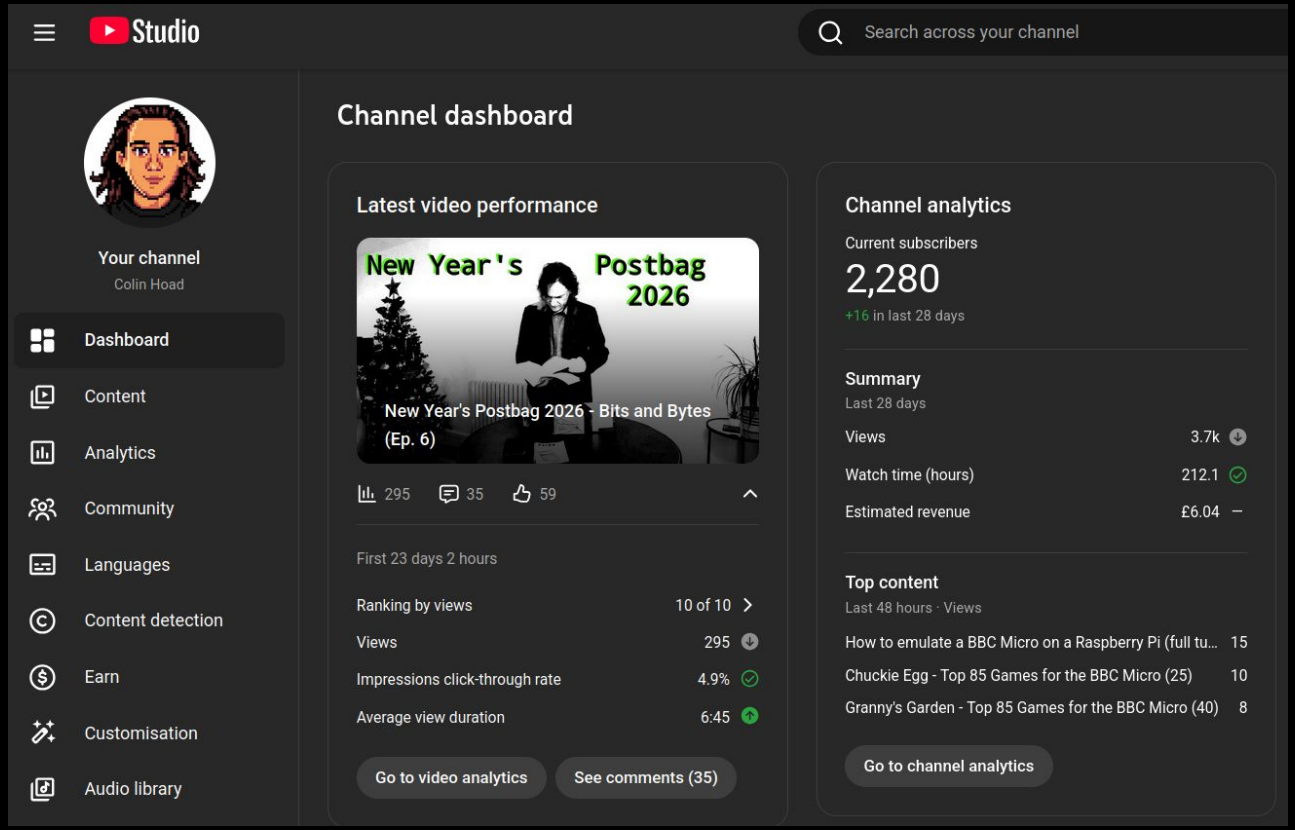
Branching out into new topics

Festive (not so) favourites...

My (ever expanding) portable obsession...



So, how does it all work?



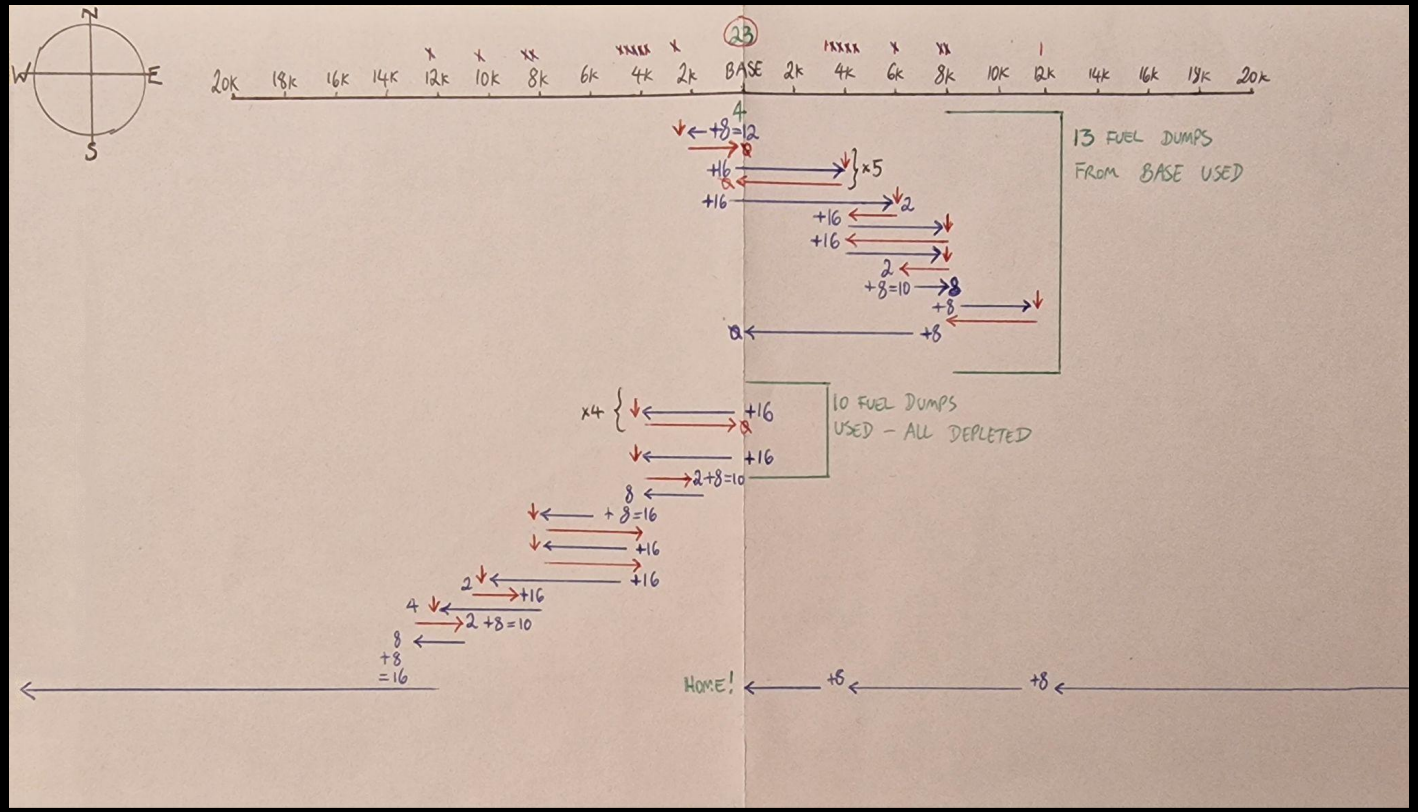
A bright spark: getting ideas

Events, dear boy!

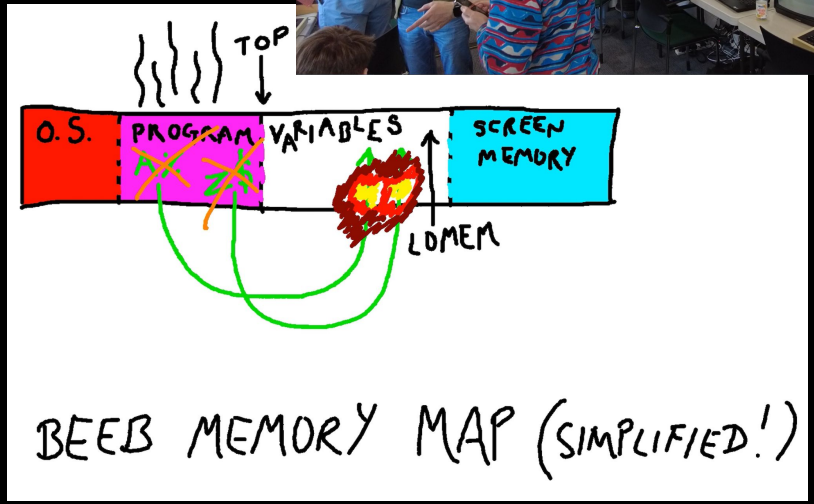
Econet LAN Party 2025!

London RISC OS Show 2024

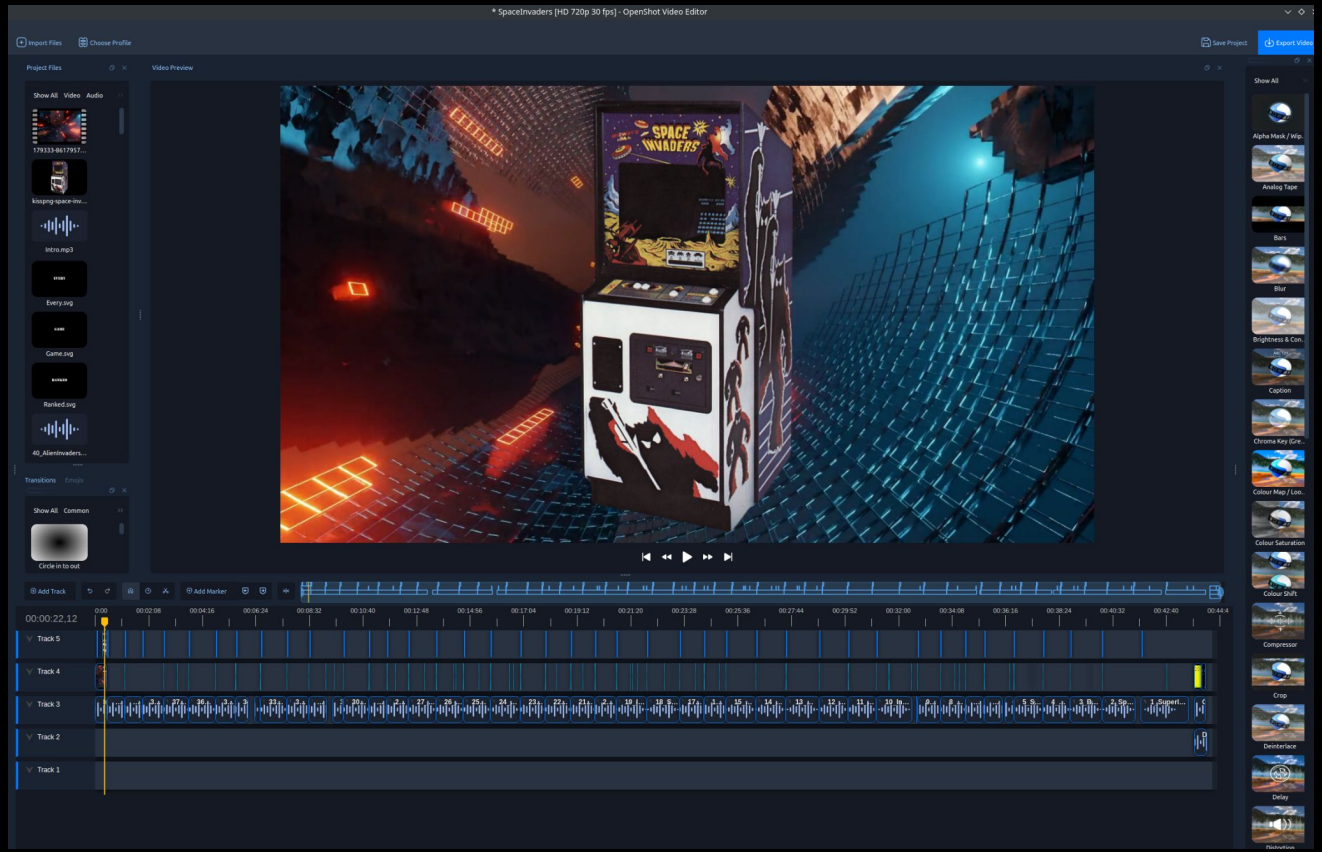
The optional bit: scripting



The not-optional bit: recording

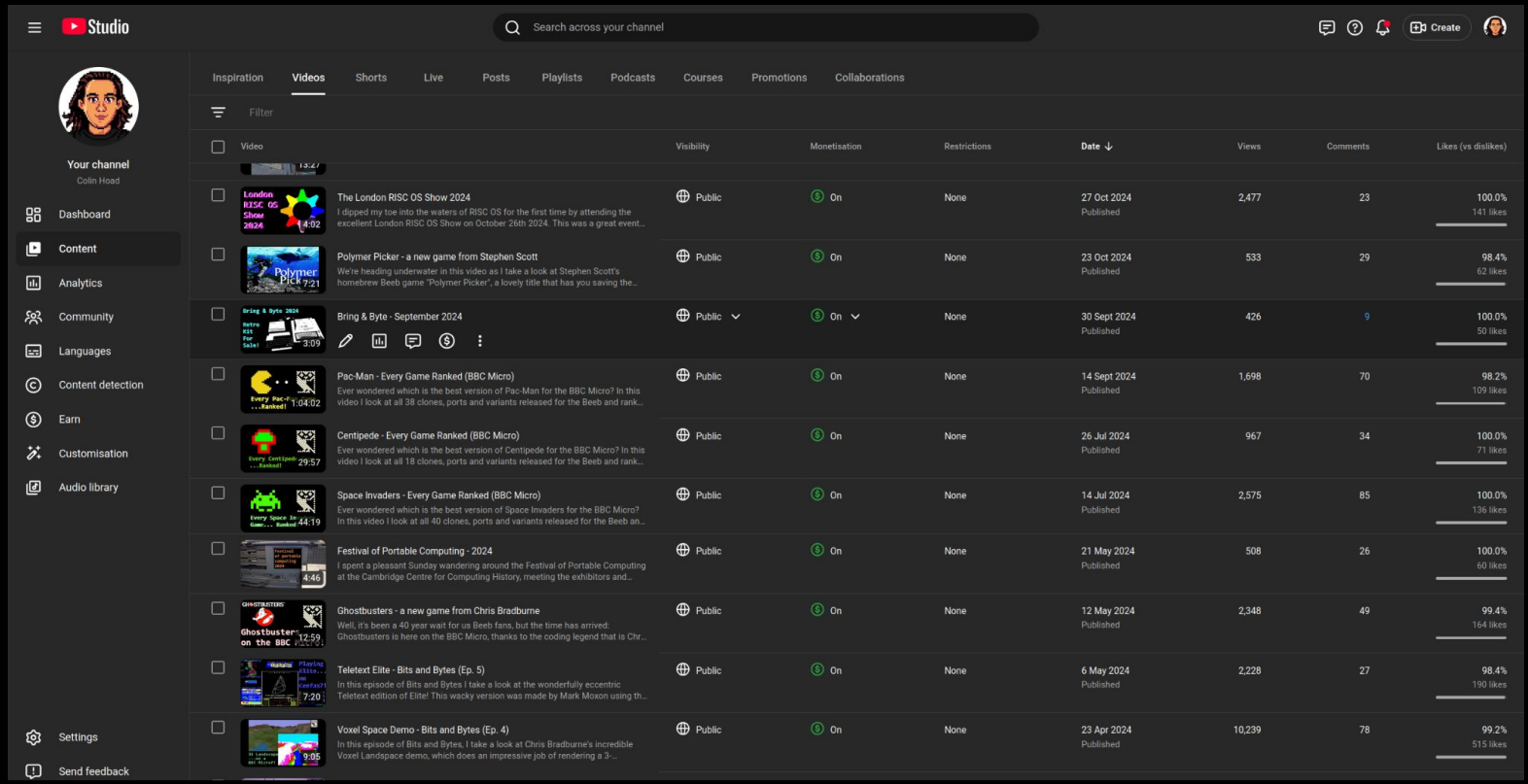


The hard yards: editing!



Light at the end of the tunnel: rendering

Now or never: publishing



Of course, it wouldn't be a YouTube talk if I didn't end it with...