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Manage and download Podcasts direct to the SD card

 [From Anthony Melnat] Hello Sammy, First time poster, but long time reader. I thought I would share with my fellow PA readers a very easy way to manage and download podcasts directly from an SD card. The myPodder software is free and lives and runs entirely on flash memory. It can be accessed via a card reader or directly from a palm device by using the Card Reader or Card Export software. Although the *podcastready.com* portal can be accessed with the web browser of my Treo 650, I recommend managing your podcasts directly from your computer.

Once your subscriptions are set up, you just need to run the myPodder software from your SD card, download your most recent podcasts and go! The podcasts are automatically downloaded into the 'podcast' folder on the card. If you subscribe to videocasts, they will be downloaded into the 'video' folder of your card. The excellent and also free TCPMP program can be used to listen to and/or view your "casts". While traveling, you can even get the latest PA Podcast from any available computer without leaving any programs or files behind. I have included some excerpts from a press release by Podcast Ready below.

A Happy Easter to all!

Podcast Ready Debuts Breakthrough Software and Services Designed to Make Podcasts More Accessible

The *podcastready.com* portal gives podcast users feature-rich and easier-to-use tools for managing podcast subscriptions and content. The myPodder podcast management software available in beta on the *podcastready.com* site allows for complete podcast portability, unlike other podcast enabling technologies that are available only on desktop computers.

Making Podcasting Portable, Easy and Personal

Complete portability and ease of use are essential as podcasting moves from technology-savvy early adopters to a wider consumer audience. Existing podcast services only allow users to manage subscriptions on their computer desktops, tethering subscribers to one computer, and prohibiting the user from updating subscriptions when traveling, at work or via secondary personal computers. Podcast Ready's software and services enhance the experience for podcast listeners by enabling them to:

- * Utilize myPodder, Podcast Ready's podcast player software, directly from the portable device to create true portability
- * Use myPodder with any Internet-enabled device on any operating system
- * Search, select and share both audio and video podcasts easily through the *podcastready.com* portal
- * Receive subscriptions on the fly with patent-pending one-click synchronization to device
- * Manage subscriptions directly with myPodder or on the fly through the *podcastready.com* web site

