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Welcome to the
website of the
Sun City Texas
Computer Club.

Phone ~ Cyber Center: 512-868-9780

Lab Hours:

Saturday ~ 9 a.m. - noon

Monday through Friday ~ 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Help Center Hours:

The Help Center is now open each Tuesday
from noon to 3 p.m. and each Friday from 9 a.m.
to noon.

We provide the following resources for our
members:

- Computer Lab (Win and Mac)
- Free Wi-Fi
- Training courses (Win, Mac and beyond)
- Special Interest Groups (SIGs)
- Media conversion instruction
- Weekly newsletters
- New member orientation
- Fax transmissions
- Video editing

Computer Club / Photography Club Cooperation

Sun City meeting space
availability diminishes every
year. In the spirit of neighborly
cooperation, and to maximize
the use of the facilities
allocated to the Computer
Club, the Board has welcomed
the Photography Club for
periodic classes and meetings
in our facilities.

Contact
clubofficial@scctxcompclub.org
for more information.

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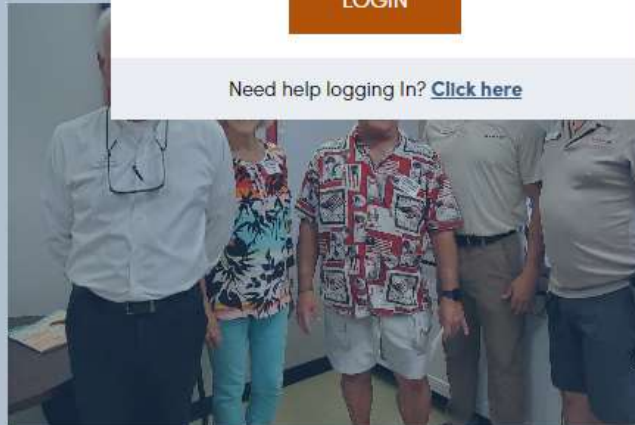
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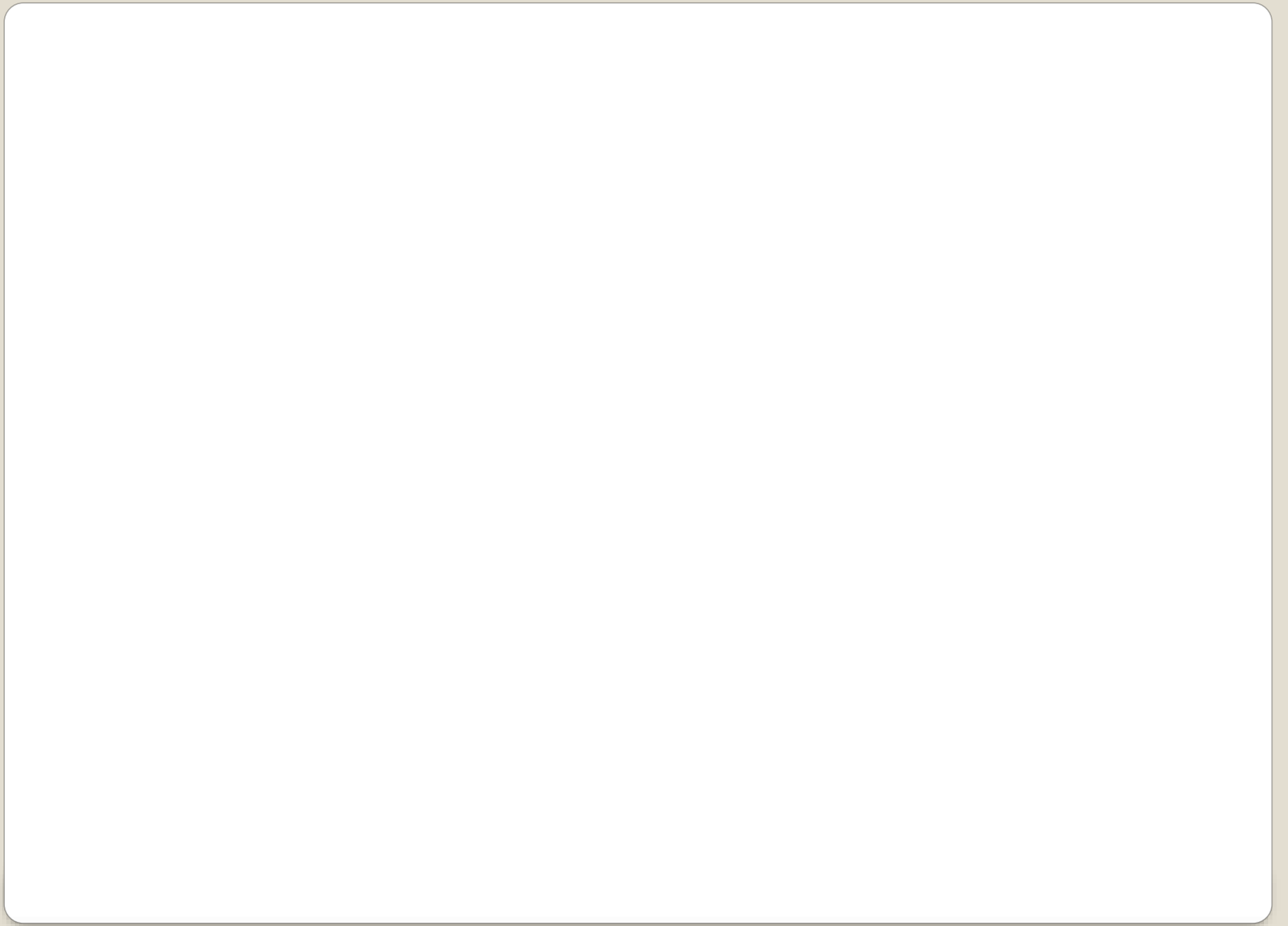
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- Celebrating Veteran's at the Internet Cafe!
- Share your Technology Knowledge!
- Apple Releases Security Updates for Multiple Products!
- September Classes!
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- + 505 Mac - Intro

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- + 551 MS Excel Ranges Tables Charts
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JOIN THE CODING SIG!



Learn another "Language"!

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WELCOME!



The Computer Club is the largest chartered club in Sun City, Texas. Club membership provides access to a variety of computer related programs (e.g. help center, computer lab [Mac and Win], Special Interest Groups, media conversion, free Wi-Fi, presentations, socials, etc.).

Membership in the Computer Club is available to all Sun City residents. Dues are \$10.00 per person and can be paid via the Sun City Community Association ticketing system.

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COMPUTER CLUB INTERNET CAFE

Phone: 512-868-9780

Internet Cafe Hours: Monday through Friday ~ 9 am to noon

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COMPUTER CLUB LAB

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Lab Hours: Monday through Friday ~ 9 am to noon

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HELP CENTER

Phone: 512-948-7675

By Appointment Only:

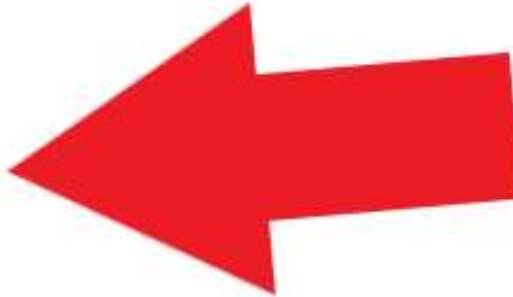
Tuesday - 12pm and Friday - 9am

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28	29	30 12 pm - 3 pm Help Center - Annex	31	September 1 8:30 am - 12 pm Reserved - Annex 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm Pres. CC Board Meeting - Annex 3 pm - 4 pm User Security SIG - Annex	2 9 am - 12 pm Help Center - Annex	3
4	5 Labor Day	6 12 pm - 3 pm Help Center - Annex	7	8 10 am - 11 am Internet of Things - SIG - Annex 2:30 pm - 5 pm Prostate Support - Annex	9 9 am - 12 pm Help Center - Annex 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm Device SIG - Alumni	10
11	12 9 am - 11 am CC Board Meeting - Annex	13 9 am - 11 am BLC Meeting - Annex 12 pm - 3 pm Help Center - Annex 3 pm - 4 pm Win SIG 1 - Annex	14 9 am - 1:30 pm Genealogy - DNA SIG - Annex 1:30 pm - 3 pm Activities & Events - Annex	15 10 am - 11:30 am Regular Genealogy SIG Meeting - Alumni 3 pm - 4 pm User Security SIG - Annex	16 9 am - 12 pm Help Center - Annex	17
18	19	20 12 pm - 3 pm Help Center - Annex	21 3 pm - 4 pm Coders Sig - Annex	22 10 am - 11:30 am Genealogy - FTM SIG - Annex	23 9 am - 12 pm Help Center - Annex	24
25	26	27 12 pm - 3 pm Help Center - Annex	28 3 pm - 4 pm MUGS (Mac Users Group) - Annex	29	30 9 am - 12 pm Help Center - Annex	1

Do Not Schedule ANY Meetings within 30 minutes of Another

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JOIN THE MAC USERS GROUP SIG



Siri says: find out the latest tips, tricks, and info about your Mac by joining the MAC Users Group (MUG) SIG!

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Wednesday, August 24, 2022

Mozilla releases update to Firefox, Firefox ESR, and Thunderbird

Mozilla has released security updates to address vulnerabilities in Firefox, Firefox ESR, and Thunderbird. An attacker could exploit some of these vulnerabilities to take control of an affected system.

August 24, 2022

Posted by John DeMott on 8/24/22 | No comments | 

Thursday, August 18, 2022

WARNING!! That free Microsoft Office USB drive that arrived in the mail is bad for you to load.

People are getting a USB drive delivered by mail that appears to be a installation for Microsoft Office.

USB is engraved, has a product code, looks more line a Microsoft product than a Microsoft product.

But is not from Microsoft. If you attempt to install it you will be in contact with Microsoft BUT not in a good way. You may be attempting to get your PC working again.

Very tempting BUT please no.



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The Sun City Texas Computer Club is run by volunteers. We are ALWAYS looking for assistance from members who have special skills, love to teach, or just want to contribute more to our Club.

Here are just some of the positions where extra help would be welcomed:

Instructors - If you have experience using any software program, operating system, smart phone, electronic device, website builder, etc. and want to impart your knowledge, we can set up a class so you can share your insights! [Click here to see what types of classes have been taught in the past.](#)

Special Interest Group (SIG) - If you want to get together with other like-minded people to share knowledge about a particular subject (e.g., business software, photo editing, operating systems, etc.) on a routine basis, we need SIG leaders/assistant leaders. [Click here to see our existing SIGs.](#)

Help Center - If you are adept at repairing malfunctioning computers and printers, hunting down and removing viruses, solving email issues, or upgrading operating systems, the Help Center would love to have you join our group of collegial technicians. [Click here for more info about our Help Center.](#)

Monitors - The Computer Club Lab can always use additional Lab Monitors. The Lab cannot be open without a Monitor present. No computer knowledge is required, you just need a friendly attitude and a willingness to help people find what they need in the Lab. [Click here for more info about Computer Club Lab monitors.](#)

Board/Director "Shadow" - If you are interested in a future Computer Club Board or Director position, all positions are accepting "shadow" assistants to learn the ropes before running for election. [Click here to see the positions available.](#)

Program/Speaker Coordinator - We are looking for people to coordinate presentations of general interest to the Computer Club membership. This includes new technologies, network security, virus prevention, etc.

Social Activities - We always need volunteers to help with event decorations, entertainment assistance, refreshments, and check-in.

If you are interested in any of these positions, send an email to clubofficial@sctxcompclub.org

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2022 Computer Club Close Dates

TBD	Garage Sale
Monday May 30, 2022	Memorial Day
Monday July 4, 2022	Independence Day
July 1-13, 2022 (approx)	Internet Cafe Construction
August TBD	Floor Waxing
Monday September 5, 2022	Labor Day
Friday November 11, 2022	Veterans Day
Thursday November 24, 2022	Thanksgiving
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SIG SIGNUP

The Computer Club has many groups that meet each month to discuss topics of interest. To add your name to the SIG mailing list, click on Resident home from the Sun City website, then click on "My Memberships". From the My Memberships page, under the Computer Club, check the box of the SIG you want to join. You will be added to that mailing list.

See: [JOININGASPECIALINTERESTGROUP003.PDF \(sctexas.org\)](#)

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This page will allow you to access the feedback forms for you to fill out. Tell us how you think we're doing in one or more of the following areas. Your help is appreciated.

LAB:

[Click on this link](#) to provide feedback for the lab.

HELP CENTER:

[Click on this link](#) to provide feedback for the Help Center.

EDUCATION:

[Click on this link](#) to provide info on classes you'd like to see offered.

SIGS (SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS):

[Click on this link](#) to provide feedback for the SIGS

WEBSITE:

[Click on this link](#) to provide feedback for the SCTX Computer Club website

COMPUTER CLUB:

[Click on this link](#) to take a survey about the Computer Club.

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2022 EXECUTIVE BOARD

- [President](#) - Sue Comer
- [Vice President](#) - Jan Vromant
- [Secretary](#) - Stephanie Matlock
- [Treasurer](#) - Robin Hooper
- [Past President](#) - Iris Chauffe
- [Communications Director](#) - Bob Kissner
- [Technology Director](#) - Chick Gladwin
- [Help Center Director](#) - Alan Gavron
- [Special Interest Groups Director](#) - Ginger Rutherford
- [Education Director \(Acting\)](#) - Jan Vromant
- [Webmaster](#) - Pat Maher

STAFF

- [Monitor Coordinator](#) - Sue Morgan
- [Social Coordinator](#) -
- Assistant Webmaster - Deb Jones
- Meeting Calendar Coordinator - Doug Steinke
- DocuWiki Coordinator - Philip Lahman

[Click here](#) to contact any Club official by email. Please include the intended receiver's name or title in the Subject line.

Position Descriptions are available by clicking on the job title.

Training Instructors for currently scheduled classes are shown on the monthly Training Class Calendar (under Training in the navigation bar above) and also on the Class Schedule sheets located on the counter in the Computer Club Lab.

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THE PURPOSE OF POLICIES

Having policies helps to clarify:

- The guiding principles for the way the Club works, and who and what it values
- What members can and cannot do to ensure their inclusion, satisfaction, comfort and enjoyment (and, in turn, what the Club will do)
- How everyone will be treated – fairly, equally and respectfully

While developing policies can seem like a daunting task, they save enormous time and energy in the long run and help keep everyone in the Club involved and included.

Providing a fair, professional and organized environment helps the members feel that the Club knows what it is doing and respects and appreciates its members.

A LISTING OF COMPUTER CLUB POLICIES

Policy #	Policy Title
2016-000	<u>General Statement of Policy</u>
2016-001	<u>Code of Conduct</u>
2016-002	<u>Record Retention</u>
2016-003	<u>Personal Information of Members</u>
2016-004	<u>Members' Personal Data in Club Communications</u>
2016-005	<u>General Email Notifications to Club Members</u>
2016-006	<u>Acceptable Topics for the Monday Presentations</u>
2016-007	<u>Promotion of Businesses or Products</u>
2016-008	<u>Speakers/Instructors/Presenters</u>
2016-009	<u>Use of CyberCenter Facilities</u>
2016-010	Rescinded Nov2017
2016-011	<u>Auditing Classes</u>
2016-012	Rescinded Nov2017
2016-013	<u>Reimbursement for Expenses</u>
2016-014	<u>Access to the CyberCenter</u>
2020-015	<u>Help Center</u>
2020-016	<u>Use of Zoom Accounts</u>
2020-017	<u>Use of LinkedIn Learning</u>
2020-018	<u>Use of Annex</u>
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The Computer Club offers a great variety of classes. Contact the [Education Director](#) if you have questions.

CLICK "[ONLINE REGISTRATION CALENDAR](#)" (LEFT SIDE NAVIGATION MENU, UNDER EDUCATION):

- to register for a class
- to find exact dates when a class will be offered
- to check if class seats are available

WHAT CLASSES ARE AVAILABLE FOR ME TO TAKE?

We offer a wide variety of classes. Click on "[Class Descriptions](#)" in the navigation menu to the left to see a list of those classes.

IN WHAT ORDER SHOULD I TAKE CLASSES?

For classes you might be interested in, read the course description (under Class Descriptions) to see if the class you want carries a pre-requisite. If it doesn't, sign up for the class you want. If it does, sign up for the pre-requisite and then you'll be ready for the class you want.

WHAT CLASSES ARE OFFERED RIGHT NOW?

Be sure to log in and then check the "[Online Registration Calendar](#)" for all classes being offered in a particular month. Classes are usually scheduled 6 weeks in advance.

BE A LIFELONG LEARNER – TAKE A CLASS!

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- (1) [522-Data Storage in the Cloud](#)(1) [511-Facebook](#)

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	1:30p 548 Power Register	2:30p 569 Mac - Register	3p 555 MS Word Register	2:30p 569 Mac -		
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SIGNING UP FOR A CLASS:

From the Computer Club Education Class Calendar, verify the class you wish to register for is not closed and then click register.

From the class pop-up screen, verify information, and then click register.

From the headcount pop-up screen, click Save Registration.

Pop-up message. "Registration not confirmed until payment has been made. Please use the Pay Now button ..."

Payment is only accepted for these Credit Cards: Discover, MasterCard or VISA.

Payment is NOT available by American Express or other credit cards, nor is payment available by check or cash.

On the pop-up, click [Done] to continue registration, then click [PAY NOW] which will show the choice of Credit Card payment.

Click on "Pay with Credit Card" to continue the process.

Fill out Credit Card info and submit. This is the secure payment system used by Sun City Community Association. Enter the data requested. The PAY bar will remain grey until all data is entered.

Once the bar turns blue, click the bar to send the info to the credit card company.

If credit info was entered correctly, you will receive a Payment Successfully Processed! message and you will be registered for the class.

You will also receive an email within a few minutes:

Subject: Order Confirmation

From: SUN CITY TEXAS CLUB MEMBERSHIP <noreply@elavon.com>

Contents: Your payment has been approved, amount of payment, class name and other details.

NOTE: The Computer Club Lab monitors can assist you.

CLASS ATTENDANCE (ONLINE CLASS REGISTRATION)

Please bring a copy of your emailed receipt to class.

CANCELLATIONS

IF A CLASS IS CANCELLED BY THE COMPUTER CLUB:

- The Computer Club will request Refunds from Sun City CA Accounting.
- The Computer Club will send an email to the class registrant informing that the cancellation has been initiated via email.

IF THE STUDENT NEEDS TO CANCEL A CLASS:

- Send an email to the [Education Director](mailto:educationdirector@sctxcompclub.org) at educationdirector@sctxcompclub.org. Provide the class name and date.
- The Computer Club will request Refunds from Sun City CA Accounting.
- The Computer Club will send an email to the class registrant informing that the cancellation has been initiated via email.

HELP CENTER

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COMPUTER CLUB HELP CENTER

The Computer Club Help Center (HC) was established to provide courteous, professional, **free** computer repair service to Computer Club members. Club members must sign up for a repair appointment and then come to the Help Center and register for any repair service.

(Members Only - Click on "Help Center Sign Up" below the Help Center main heading in the left navigation panel to sign up for repair service (Note: If using a mobile device, the left navigation panel can be found under "Member Facilities"))

Member clients can then bring **Microsoft** desktop computers (**power cord, keyboard and mouse are not required**) or **laptop computers with power cord**, to the Help Center for repair.

Please bring power cords for **Apple devices**, and keyboard and mouse for apple desktop devices. We do have android device technicians in the HC that can help with a variety of issues.

If a club member cannot physically bring their computer equipment to the HC (e.g., device too heavy, modem or printer issues), they must still use our Signup Genius Program to make an appointment for help, and then come to the HC **to register and schedule a home repair visit.**

If you are physically unable to come to the HC, please call the Computer Club Lab during regular HC hours (512 868 9780) and ask to speak to the HC Director or technician to make a request for a home visit. Please be ready to provide your CA number, name, telephone number to expedite the process.

If you are knowledgeable, we recommend that you back up your computer files to an external hard drive or USB prior to coming in for repair service. This will protect you from data loss and reduce repair time, especially if you want to upgrade your device from Windows 7 to Windows 10.

The HC is located in the Computer Club Annex meeting room in the Activities Center at 1 Texas Drive. Help Center appointments are Tuesdays 12 P.M. and Fridays 9 A.M. and will be closed for designated holidays. All appointments are scheduled at the beginning of each session, using our Sign Up Genius Program, to ensure we have enough time to work all of your issues.

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Help Center

Help Center

Please review the available slots below and click on the button to sign up. **You will be helped on a first come, first served basis.**

You must provide us with your CA Member ID when you sign in at the Help Center.

Created by: SCTX Computer Club

Already signed up? You can [change your sign up](#).

AUG 2022

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HELP CENTER OPERATION

PURPOSE

The SCTX Computer Club's (Club) goal for the Help Center (HC) is to provide courteous and skilled technical support to Club members in good standing regarding the general operation, maintenance, and security of home-based, non-business computers and related devices. Where practical, all such technical services are to be provided in the Annex of the Computer Club.

PERSONNEL MATTERS

1. The Help Center Director will act as liaison between the Board and the Help Center, attend Board meetings, and present matters for Board action.
2. HC volunteers must digitally agree to a Non-Disclosure Agreement annually.
3. HC volunteers must wear the HC badge, visible to the client, when in the HC or on house calls.
4. HC Volunteers are expected to volunteer an average of at least 1 session a week.

HC OPERATION

1. Services are provided for PC, Apple, and some Android devices and include new computer set up, virus removal, solving e-mail, operating/network issues, and where needed, hardware and software installation.
2. Services shall only be provided for personal-use hardware and software.
3. The HC shall be open and staffed by HC volunteers during posted hours of operation.
4. All HC email communications shall be routed through an approved address: helpcenter@sctxcompclub.org.
5. The HC does not support third party repairs.

SERVICE MATTERS

1. Member clients must come to the HC to register, and digitally agree to the Liability Release Form on our sign in computer, prior to receiving repair service.
2. Only licensed software shall be installed and only with the client's permission.
3. If new parts are necessary, they must be ordered and paid for directly by the client.
4. Client's device will be serviced during regular HC hours; when necessary and with the client's permission, their device may be transported to the home of a HC technician for completion of repairs. To keep track of clients' devices, taken home for repair, HC technicians must fill in client information on the Take Home XL spread sheet located on the HC sign in computer.
5. House calls are permitted when required after a Work Ticket has been issued and the Liability Release Form has been digitally agreed to.
6. If a HC volunteer makes a house call without a WorkTicket, they must explain to the client that they are not representing the Club.

LOCATION

The Computer Club Lab is located in the Activities Center, 1 Texas Drive, across Texas Drive from the Social Center.

EQUIPMENT

12 Windows PCs, 2 Macs, printer, scanner, fax, and media conversion equipment.

LAB USAGE

Club members may use the Lab equipment during Lab hours. Popular software is loaded on the Lab computers for your use. If you need to use a software program that you do not have on your home PC, check the Lab; it may be available on our computers. Internet and e-mail access via a broadband connection is available at all computer workstations.

COMPUTER CLUB LAB GENERAL RULES

- Lab hours: Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. to noon.
- A qualified Monitor / Instructor must be present for use of Lab equipment.
- Non-member residents will be allowed to visit the open Computer Club Lab a total of 3 times to evaluate the facilities before being required to join the Computer Club.
- Non-member residents are defined as: Members in good standing of the Sun City Texas Community Association; have been issued a CA Member Card; and have not yet joined the Sun City Texas Computer Club.
- Petitions for exceptions to the above procedures will be considered by the Executive Board.

PRINTER USE AND SUGGESTED COST RECOVERY CONTRIBUTIONS

The Lab is equipped with a Color Laserjet All-in-One printer.

It can be used to print, copy, scan, and fax.

Our printers and copiers are intended for our members non-business purposes.

All pages, color or black and white, are \$0.10 per page. (\$0.20 for double sided).

Copy and print services for multiple pages, greeting cards, etc. can be found at the Postal Annex near Wriggley's Pub.

MEDIA

CD's, DVD's, and USB drives are available for Lab users. The cost varies. A Monitor can assist with the purchase.

Lab Information

MEDIA CONVERSION OVERVIEW

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The Media Conversion Project provides a forum for the exchange of information and experience on the hardware and software used for the conversion of various types of media to USB, DVD or CD formats. There are five subgroups: 35mm slides, 8mm movie film, VHS tapes, photo, and audio which includes several tape and record formats.

This project will develop procedures for members to use to convert media. It will also recommend conversion equipment for purchase by the Club and supervise or instruct conversion sessions.

THE PROJECT

The Media Conversion Project will focus on providing the hardware, software and training needed for Club members to convert their old analog media to a digital format. Included are both audio (LPs, cassette tape, reel to reel tape) and visual (photo prints, slides, 8 mm movie film, video tape) media. The objective is for members to do the conversion work themselves, once trained, using equipment that has been provided by the Club.

OUR TRAINING PROGRAM

The training for media conversion equipment is provided by hands-on workshops for small groups of members (up to 3). The instructor will demonstrate the procedures and then allow participants to practice on the equipment. Handouts are provided as well.

To sign up for a workshop, go to the Computer Club website after logging into the CA website. All media conversion information is listed in the left pane under "Media Conversion". Workshops are free for club members.

Media Conversion

MEDIA CONVERSION

Media Conversion
Instructions

Media Conversion

- VHS and Camcorder tape
- Audio

AUDIO CONVERSION
Procedure May 13, 2020

HARDWARE

Dell (Lab number L14)
Marantz Tape Deck PMD-300CP
Audio Technica Turntable AT-LP120
Reel-Reel Player on shelf in workroom
Headphones

SOFTWARE

Windows 10 File Explorer
Acoustica 6.0
CDBurnerXP

Media Conversion

- Photos
- 35mm slides
- 8mm video film

Media Conversion

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS (SIGS)

Coding

Cybersecurity

DNA SIG

Genealogy

iDevices

Internet of Things

Mac Users Group

VectorVest

Windows SIG

Special Interest Groups (SIGs)

COMPUTER CLUB SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS (SIGS)

The Computer Club has many groups that meet each month to discuss topics of interest. Computer Club members, click on the SIG name below for description and meeting schedule. To add your name to the SIG mailing list, click on Resident home from the Sun City website, then click on "My Memberships". From the My Memberships page, under the Computer Club, check the box of the SIG you want to join.

CODING

For those who are interested in coding, this SIG provides a place where discussion and information can be exchanged.

CYBERSECURITY

This special interest group deals with CyberSecurity in all forms.

DNA SIG

The DNA SIG is a subset of the Genealogy SIG (listed below) and provides a forum to learn about DNA tests for genealogy research.

GENEALOGY

The Genealogy SIG provides a forum for the exchange of information and experience about the use of computer programs and the many resources found on the web for genealogical research.

IDEVICES

The iDevices SIG provides opportunity for sharing of experiences and knowledge about iPhones, iPads, Apple watches, iTunes & Applications.

INTERNET OF THINGS (IOT)

A forum for the informal exchange of information and to educate and guide one another on how to experiment, design, and implement the microprocessors, micro-controllers, sensors, and activators associated with the Internet of Things.

MAC USERS GROUP

The MAC Users Group invites any and everyone to share and contribute any and all things related to Apple's Macintosh systems.

VECTORVEST

The VectorVest & Beyond (VVB) Special Interest Group (SIG) provides a forum for the exchange of information and experience about investing software for curious members at beginning and intermediate levels. The goal is to learn more about using tools found within VectorVest.com and other software such as AMI.com, FinViz.com, Morningstar.com, and StockCharts.com.

WINDOWS

The Windows SIG is dedicated to the understanding and proficiency of the Microsoft Windows operating systems.



CODING

CODING SIG

Mission & Purpose of the Coders Special Interest Group

Provide a venue for Computer Club members to exchange knowledge of programming languages and platforms, and to present both completed and "stuck" personal projects for group discussion and advice.

POC: [Paul Schmidt](#)

MEETINGS

The Coding Sig meets the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 3:00 pm in the Annex

Coding SIG

OVERVIEW

Current news articles are given in the [Cyber Security News Archive](#) link.

Tutorials on computer topics are given in the [Seminars](#) link

Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness

Any or all of these basic human rights can be taken by our current cyber environment, our home network, and/or our Internet connected devices.

Life *low risk* implanted medical devices, health records.

Liberty *medium risk* use of your network or device by criminals to attack others. Unwarranted surveillance.

Pursuit of happiness *high risk* fraud via your network or devices.

The Cyber Security SIG mission: To help preserve these rights by raising awareness, preparedness, and understanding of the threats and techniques that attack these rights.

The SIG is scheduled to meet on the first and third Thursday of each month at 3 p.m. in the Annex or via zoom.

Topics for the SIG meetings are chosen by the SIG membership.

Contact the SIG at SCCCCyber@gmail.com

Cyber Security SIG

CYBERSECURITY

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Cyber Security SIG

Wednesday, August 24, 2022

Mozilla releases update to Firefox, Firefox ESR, and Thunderbird

Mozilla has released security updates to address vulnerabilities in Firefox, Firefox ESR, and Thunderbird. An attacker could exploit some of these vulnerabilities to take control of an affected system.

August 24, 2022

Posted by John Jankowski at 8:34AM No comments: 

Thursday, August 16, 2022

WARNING!! That free Microsoft Office USB drive that arrived in the mail is bad for you to load.

People are getting a USB drive delivered by mail that appears to be a installation for Microsoft Office.

USB is engraved, has a product code, looks more like a Microsoft product than a Microsoft product.

But is not from Microsoft. If you attempt to install it you will be in contact with Microsoft BUT not in a good way. You may be attempting to get your PC working again.

Very tempting BUT please no.



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Zoom Manual update for macOS

Malicious Apps to find and remove from your MAC

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Cyber Security SIG Meeting Notes

Sun City Computer Club

Cyber Security SIG

August 18, 2022

**Questions, Comments, Suggestions welcomed at
any time**

Even Now

- [Audio recording of this session as MP4 file](#)
- Audio recording available at link shown above

Audio Recording In Progress

**SIG attendees are required to be members of the chartered club sponsoring that SIG.
Sun City Community Association By-law**



Sun City Computer Club Cyber Security SIG 08182022 audio.mp4

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Cyber Security SIG Seminars



Genealogy SIG

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Testing Information

[Three Types of DNA Tests](#) is a one-page summary about the tests for genealogy that can be viewed online and/or saved and printed as a reference.

Links to Testing Companies

[FamilyTreeDNA](#) - Family Finder (company name for autosomal DNA), Y-DNA and mtDNA tests

[Ancestry](#) - autosomal DNA test only

[23andme](#) - autosomal DNA test only

[MyHeritage](#) - autosomal DNA test only

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[23 and me](#) - autosomal DNA test only

[MyHeritage](#) - autosomal DNA test only

INSTRUCTIONS

DOWNLOADING RAW DATA (TEST RESULTS)

[Instructions for downloading](#) from Ancestry, 23 and me, and Family Tree DNA are included in this document.

GEDCOM FILES



[software](#)

Instructions for creating a gedcom file [from Ancestry.com](#)

THE LEEDS METHOD

Instructions for creating color clusters from [Dana Leeds' website](#)

DNA Painter [Shared Centimorgans Tool](#)

Free Webinar - [An Introduction to DNA Painter](#) - by Johnny Perl

DNA PAINTER - WHAT ARE THE ODDS?

[Free Webinar by Johnny Perl](#). Instructions on the [DNA Painter website](#). This tool is designed to help you work out how one person, the target, is related to a family group of people who have taken DNA tests.

FREE WEBSITES FOR DNA

TOOLS FOR ANALYSIS AND COMPARISON OF YOUR AUTOSOMAL RESULTS

Register for a free account and follow the instructions on each website to upload your raw data.

gedmatch.com allows people who tested with Ancestry, FTDNA, and 23andme to upload their raw data. The site provides utilities for comparing and analyzing your results with others who tested with any of the three companies.

dnaged.com is currently for FTDNA and 23andme only. This site provides a graph by chromosome of your results to those who tested with the same company you used.

Y-DNA Sites

[Projects](#) – Surname, geographical, and other groups on Family Tree DNA (mainly for Y-test results)

BLOGS WITH DNA INFORMATION

These are just a few. There are many more.

[DNA eXplained](#)

[Genetic Genealogist](#)

[Legal Genealogist](#)

[Your Genetic Genealogist](#)

CHARTS

[Relationship Chart](#) - This free download from Family Tree Magazine is used to help identify the most recent common ancestor of two individuals.

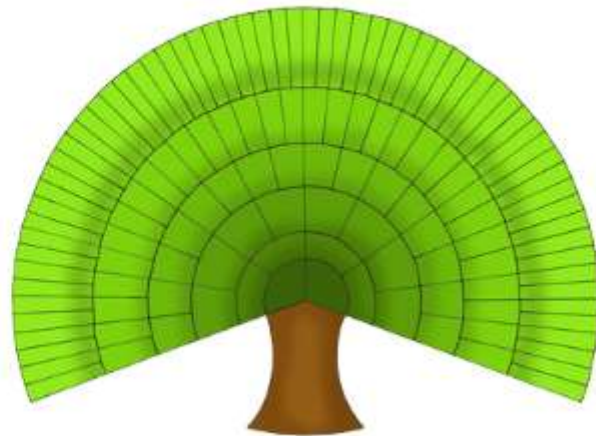
[Identical By What](#) - This chart was included on Roberta Estes' [blog article](#).

The free X-DNA Inheritance Charts below by Debbie Parker Wayne are pdf files. Other formats are available on her blog, [Deb's Delvings in Genealogy](#). These will help narrow down which ancestors might contribute segments to a person's X chromosome(s).

[X-DNA inheritance chart for male](#)

[X-DNA inheritance chart for female](#)

[Charting Companion software](#) by Progeny -This software has many kinds of charts that can be filled in on the computer rather than by hand.



EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

SUN CITY

The Genealogy SIG teaches members basic and intermediate research skills. Each meeting has a speaker covering a specific topic.....these subjects vary greatly. We teach various classes which are held in the CC classroom or the CC Annex meeting room. They range from one or two hours to four days (2 hours each day).

We hold an Open House periodically which allows for one-on-one help. We mentor and also make house calls sometimes when necessary.

In addition, the Sun City Computer Club has many classes available to members which can help you (like PhotoShop, media conversion). There are two computers in the lab which contain a genealogy folder containing software to try along with other applications to use in the lab.

We maintain a small library of items-----some of which can be checked out to use at home.

Check the [Training Program page](#) for details.

GENEALOGY SOFTWARE

PC

[Family Tree Maker V 2019](#)

[Legacy \(Deluxe\) V 9](#) (There are some Legacy CD's you can check out in the lab.)

[Roots Magic V 8](#)

Sample versions of all three of these software programs are available in the computer lab.

Legacy and Roots Magic have free versions. We recommend that you try these and then buy the deluxe/full version.

MAC

[Reunion V 10](#)

[Family Tree Maker for MAC v 2019](#)

[Roots Magic V 8](#)

USER GROUPS

Sun City Genealogy SIG has user groups for Family Tree Maker.

The members come together monthly to share ideas, answer questions, support each other, along with learning how to use specific parts of the software.

All of these software programs have user groups on Facebook. The Legacy group is very active.

LEGACY

[Legacy - Climbing Your Brick Walls](#)

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[Legacy - Sharing Genealogy Work at Christmas](#)

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[Legacy - Sources](#)

[View](#) | [Download](#)

To view, you will need [Adobe Acrobat Reader](#).

LOCAL MEETINGS

The CA has stated that we are fully open, but that is subject to change. Be sure that you are on the email list.

SUN CITY

Genealogy SIG meets the third Thursday of the month **10-11:30 a.m.** in the Atrium. (No meeting in June or December). No meeting in July 2022. The August 2022 meeting will be different, watch your email for details.

DNA Interest Group meets the second Wednesday of the month 9 a.m. for beginners and 10-11:30 a.m. for regulars in the Annex.

Family Tree Maker Users Group meets the fourth Thursday of the month 10-11:30 a.m. in the Annex. No meetings in November or December. There is no meeting in July 2022.

Round Rock

[Williamson County Genealogical Society](#) meets the third Thursday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the Round Rock Public Library.

AUSTIN

[Austin Genealogical Society](#) meets the fourth Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. in the Highland Park Baptist Church.

[Austin Legacy Users Group](#) meets the third Saturday of the month at 1 - 3 p.m. in Querencia in the Bee Cave area.

ONLINE RESOURCES

GENERAL

[Ancestry](#) (subscription or free at public library or family history center)

[Billion Graves](#)

[Cyndi's List](#) (Links to tons of information)

[Death Indexes and Records](#) (by state)

[Ellis Island](#) (Immigration center - New York - free but you should register)

[Family Search](#) (free, you must register)

[Find A Grave](#)

Heritage Quest (Access through your library card)

[NARA](#) (National Archives and Records Administration)

1950 Census:

[1950 Census Enumerator Instructions](#)

[1950 Indexing Information](#)

[1950 census forms](#)

[RootsWeb](#) (Databases, bulletin boards and other)

[Stephen P. Morse's web site](#) (One step search engine - passenger arrivals and more)

[USGenWeb Project](#) (Volunteer driven by state)

RESOURCES

LOCAL AREA

[Georgetown Public Library](#) is now an affiliate library with Family Search.

[Round Rock Public Library](#) is now an affiliate library with Family Search.

Family History Center (go to [FamilySearch](#) for details about each location)

Regardless of location call to learn hours due to Covid since days and times are constantly changing.

Georgetown 218 Serenada Lane, Georgetown, 78628 (512-863-8221)

Round Rock 8140 Racine Trail, Austin 78717 (512-388-1160)

Austin 1000 Rutherford Lane, Austin (512-837-3626)

AUSTIN

[Texas State Library & Archives](#)

[Texas Land Office](#)

[Texas Department of State Health Services \(Vital Statistics\)](#)

[University of Texas at Austin Library](#) (Major map collection)

[Lyndon Baines Johnson Library and Museum](#) (Major collection of Texas newspapers)

[Bullock Texas History Museum](#)

DAY TRIP RESOURCES

Out of Area

Dallas Public Library

Houston Public Library, Clayton Library

National Archives (Fort Worth)

Texas Ranger Museum (Waco)

Texas Heritage Museum (Hillsboro) Confederate Research Center

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INTRO



The iDevices SIG meets monthly for an hour presentation on iPhones, iPads, ɔ Watches, ɔ TVs, HomePods and the software and apps which run on these devices.

The lectures provide helpful information so members can better utilize the amazing potential of this technology.

There is always an opportunity for shared experiences among the members and for general questions and answers.

The meetings are normally recorded and the video of the meeting and session slides are posted on this website in the Monthly Meeting Notes.

Visitors are always welcome, but you must join the Computer Club and the iDevices SIG to attend regularly.

You can join the iDevices SIG through the My Memberships option in the Resident Home sidebar.

UPCOMING EVENTS

SEP 9 FRI

iDevices SIG meeting

OCT 14 FRI

iDevices SIG meeting

iDevices SIG

MEETING TIMES

We meet the second Friday of most months at 1:30 p.m. in the Activities Center Atrium, 1 Texas Drive.

There are no meetings in June, July, August or December.

Check the calendar in the sidebar to verify the meeting schedule.

SIG members receive email reminders of the upcoming meetings.

For information contact:

[Phillip Pensabene](#)

MONTHLY MEETING NOTES



[Click here to see the Monthly SIG Meeting Notes](#)

iDevices SIG

IDEVICES MEETING NOTES

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April 2022 SIG Video - Files App - HAAS and Apple Maps	View Download
April 2022 SIG Slides - Files App - HAAS and Apple Maps	View Download
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March 2022 SIG Slides - iOS15.4 Features - Text Replacement	View Download
January 2022 SIG Video - Create Digital Legacy Contact	View Download
January 2022 SIG Slides - Create Digital Legacy Contact	View Download

2021

November 2021 SIG Video on YouTube - iPadOS 15 - Split Screen	View Download
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iDevices SIG



iPhone - iPad - Apple Watch - Apple TV
iPod - AirPods - HomePod
App and iTunes

May 2022



Modern Life

Why are iPhone
chargers not called
Apple Juice?

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The banner features two blue Apple logos on a white background. Between them is the text "iDevices SIG" in large blue font, followed by "iPhone - iPad - Apple Watch - Apple TV" and "iPod - AirPods - HomePod" in smaller blue font. Below this is "App and iTunes" and "May 2022". The lower half of the banner has a blue background with images of various Apple products: a stack of iPhones, a cluster of Apple Watches, a pair of AirPods in their case, an Apple TV box with its remote, a stack of HomePods, and an iPad displaying the iOS home screen.

iDevices SIG

iPhone - iPad - Apple Watch - Apple TV
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Rumors

Apple iPhone 14 *Pro* Models

- 48MP main camera
 - 21% larger sensor
 - Larger lens / camera bump

8K video recording



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INTERNET OF THINGS (IOT)

What is the Internet of Things (IoT)

To borrow the definition from Wikipedia:

The Internet of Things (**IoT**) is the network of physical objects or "things" embedded with electronics, software, sensors and network connectivity, which enables these objects to collect and exchange data. The Internet of Things allows objects to be sensed and controlled remotely across existing network infrastructure, creating opportunities for more direct integration between the physical world and computer-based systems, and resulting in improved efficiency, accuracy and economic benefit. Each thing is uniquely identifiable through its embedded computing system but is able to interoperate within the existing Internet infrastructure. Experts estimate that the IoT will consist of almost 50 billion objects by 2020.

Internet of Things

Mission & Purpose of the IoT Special Interest Group

Provide a venue for Computer Club members to informally exchange information and to educate and guide one another on how to experiment, design, and implement the microprocessors, micro-controllers, sensors and activators associated with the Internet of Things. It is expected that this knowledge sharing will include programming, minor electronics and networking.

The IoT SIG will increase the member's knowledge of home automation and monitoring components and implementations and provide a venue for the exchange of IoT information.

MEETINGS

We meet the second Thursday of each month at 10 a.m. in the Annex.

Open to all Computer Club Members.

Email [IoT SIG](#) for more information.

RASPBERRY PI



The Raspberry Pi is credit card sized fully functioning computer that commonly runs the Debian Linux operating system. The latest \$45 model 2 is shown above. The Raspberry Pis were developed in the UK by the Raspberry Pi Foundation. The model 2 has a powerful quad-core 900 Million hertz (900 MHz) processor, 1 Billion Byte (1 GB) of memory, built-in provision for a micro-SD card for storage, multiple connections for keyboard, mouse, camera, and 40 pins for connecting to hobby equipment. Although it could easily be used in place of a desktop computer it is normally used without a keyboard or mouse as a:

- web or file server
- home automation
- media server (turn a "dumb" TV into a smart TV)

There are significant resources available on the Internet in both written and video formats (do a search on [YouTube](#)) on setting up and using this small inexpensive computer. There is a world wide community of experimenters, including some here in Sun City, making use of this computer in their home automation projects. Suggest that you start with the Raspian build that you can download from the Raspberry Pi Foundation site below and once installed generally use the Synaptics package manager to install other components.

The Arduino is a series of open design (not patented) micro-controllers. The Arduino UNO model shown above costs \$10 to 20. Micro-controllers have limited function compared to micro-computers and are widely used for the control of input and output devices. Because of the open design of the Arduino, they are manufactured around the world and are available in many models that differ in size, processing speed, memory, and cost.

First introduced in 2005, it has developed into a inexpensive and easy platform for novices and professionals to build controllers for sensors and actuators. An Arduino is usually programmed in the Python language scripts that are loaded from program development tools that run on PCs or MACs. The basic Arduino does not come with built-in networking. Networking modules called shields are normally stacked on top of the Arduino.

There is a very active worldwide community of Arduino users. Start your search at the [Arduino Foundation](#).

For more information:

- [What is the Arduino](#)
- [An Introduction to the Arduino](#) (somewhat dated as from 2012)

ESP8266

The first ESP8266 (the -01 model shown on right) came on the market in August 2014 as a product from the Chinese manufacturer Espressif. The very low priced (now starting at \$1.50) micro-controller also includes built-in Wi-Fi and two general purpose input output ports. Initially the board came with firmware for attaching this board to others (often the Arduino) so that the other board would have simple TCP/IP access.



Shortly after the C language software development kit was released by Espressif in late 2014, open-source developers rewrote the firmware to support the small footprint scripting language called [Lua](#). Subsequently others released Javascript for the device. The ESP8266 is frequently operated as a very small battery powered remote "computer" that accepts commands and sends status over the Wi-Fi network using sensors and actuators.

TECHNOLOGIES CURRENTLY IN USE

Category	Brand	Member(s)
LED Lights	Philips HUE	Phil Pensabene, Tom McBride
Web Camera	Canary Complete Security System	Tom McBride
	iSpyConnect Software	John Scott
Voice Response	Siri Controlled	Phil Pensabene
	Amazon Echo / Dot	Tom McBride, John Scott
Smart Controllers	Wink Hub	Tom McBride
	SmartThings Hub	
	Philips Hub	Phil Pensabene, Tom McBride
	HaBridge Software (emulates Philips Hub)	Tom McBride
Universal Remote Controls	Logitech Harmony Home Control	Tom McBride, Phil Pensabene, John Scott
Drones		Phil Pensabene, John Scott
Light / Power Switch	WeMo, Wink	Tom McBride
Smart Plug	TP-Link HS100	Tom McBride
	Sonoff	Tom McBride
Smart Temperature Controllers	Nest	Tom McBride, John Scott
Microcomputer	Raspberry Pi	Tom McBride, John Scott, Al Gaskell, Harvey Brydon
Microcontroller	Atmel	John Scott
	Arduino	John Scott
	ESP8266	John Scott, Tom McBride
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IoT past presentations of Interest

MAC USERS GROUP

MEETINGS

Meetings
Fourth 4th Wednesday
of each month
3:00 pm

Zoom

MISSION

A forum for the sharing of knowledge, experiences, discoveries, and questions concerning the Apple Macintosh systems.

Contact: scccmug@gmail.com

Mac Users Group (MUG)

MAC USERS GROUP

2022

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VECTORVEST

VECTORVEST SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP

The VectorVest & Beyond (VVB) Special Interest Group (SIG) provides a forum for the exchange of information and experience about investing software for curious members at beginning and intermediate levels. The goal is to learn more about using tools found within VectorVest.com and other software such as AAll.com, FinViz.com, Morningstar.com, and StockCharts.com.

The VVB SIG will start with a presentation which includes open discussion from members at any time. Our beginning focus will be on VectorVest construct and use for the curious beginning user.

For more information contact Howard 'Bud' Dorholt.

MEETINGS

Second Wednesday of the month

6:30 – 8 p.m. at the Annex

No meetings in July, August and December

VECTORVEST

WINDOWS SIG

MEETINGS

Note: All meetings are now audio recorded

OVERVIEW

Mission Dedicated to the understanding and proficiency of the Microsoft Windows operating systems.

Cost Free to Members of the Sun City Computer Club.

Information & Questions send an email to scccwindows@gmail.com

Meetings

Second Tuesday

of each month

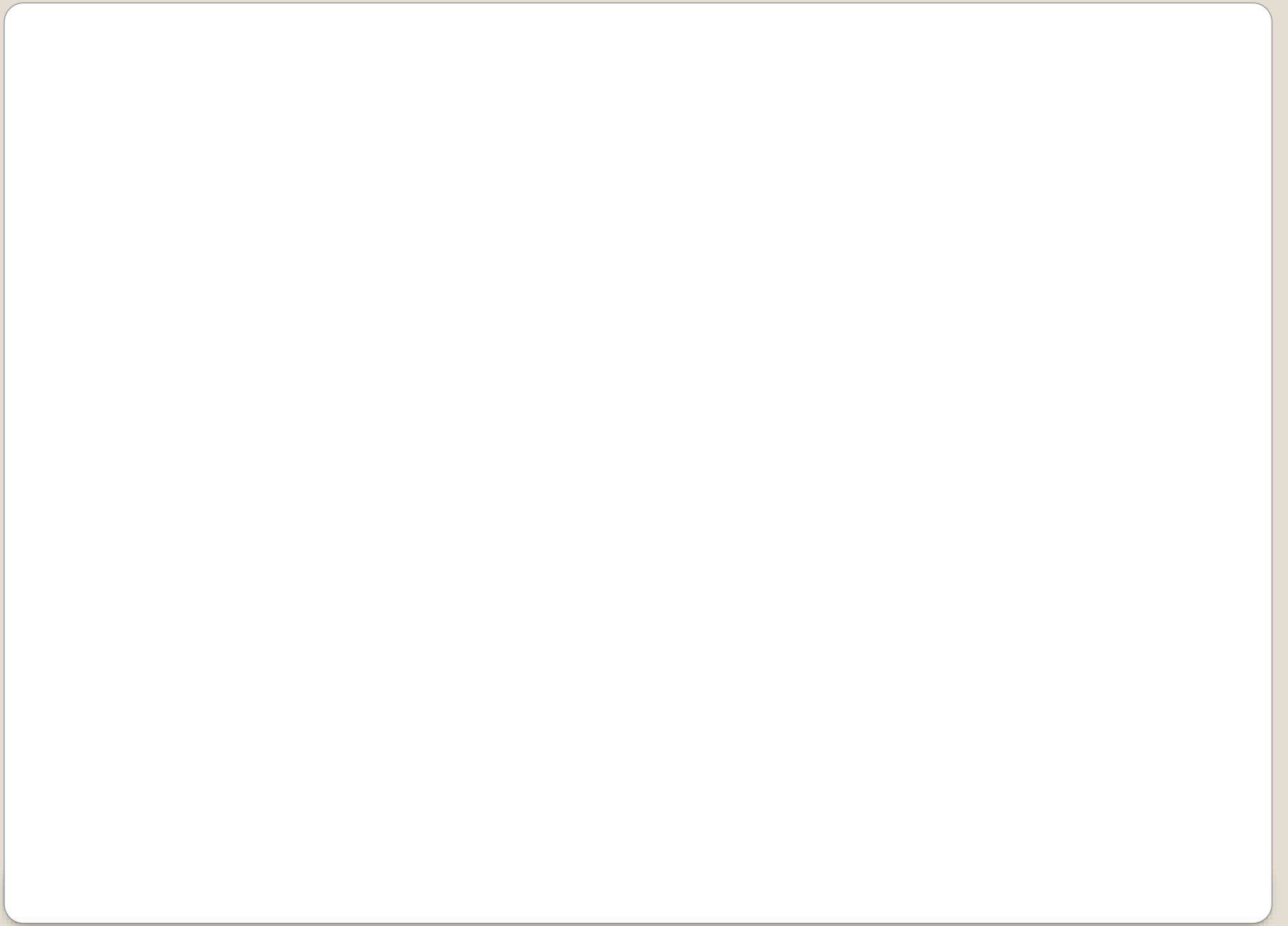
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What is the Computer Club Help Center?

The Help Center is a service provided by Sun City residents to members of the Computer Club. The volunteers of the Help Center offer assistance with computer "problems".

What is a computer problem?

The help center volunteers, attempt to provide assistance for many computer devices. There are volunteers that are willing to help with cell phones, tablets, PC's, Apple products, printers and network equipment. Assistance with phones or tablets is typically a software or "operator" issue. Assistance with PC's or Apple's can involve software, hardware, networking or the "operator". It is probable that one of the Help Center volunteers can help resolve or define the problem. If a problem is not resolved, we hope to define solutions that can be provided by local commercial services.

How to get help

The Help Center provides help in the Computer Club Annex or in your home. Bringing your device to the Help Center is preferred? Why? The Help Center typically has multiple volunteers. Volunteers are able to consult with other volunteers in the Help Center. Networking and printer problems frequently require a home visit. For home support it is necessary to come to the Help Center to register the support request. This wiki contains information that might lead you to a solution. ***If you can read this page you might try asking a question or describing your problem in the "discussion" section at the bottom of this page .***

What you should bring to the Help Center

If your problem is with a portable device (laptop, tablet, phone) or an all-in-one, bring the device and its power supply. For a desktop PC, the Help Center can provide a power cord, monitor, keyboard and mouse.

Satisfaction is not guaranteed, but....

The goal of the volunteers is to provide assistance that resolves your problem or leads to the eventual solution. Most of the time, the volunteers are successful. When we are not, please remember: The Help Center is staffed by Sun City volunteers who are sharing their time and knowledge with the intent of helping a neighbor.

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