

## **Bella Vista Computer Club General Meeting**

**October 10, 2022**

The October general meeting was held in-person in the Community Room of the Highlands Crossing Center. President Joel Ewing called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. There were 16 in-person participants and 6 participants that joined the meeting via Zoom.

The membership report prepared by Geri Hoerner was reported and is currently at 117.

An introduction to the Board Members was given which included Joel Ewing, President, Woody Ogden, Vice President, Dean Larsen, Treasurer, Lori Obrenovich, Secretary, Geri Hoerner, Membership Chairman, Julie Storm, Publicity Chairman, and Board Members Loretta Ostenso and Russ Ogden.

The minutes of the September General Meeting were submitted on the website and with no corrections, the minutes were ruled approved as published.

Amazon Smile gives back a percentage of individual's purchases to the Bella Vista Computer Club. The website to use is [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com).

Membership Benefits include:

1. Monthly General Meeting which is held in person as well as being simulcast on Zoom
2. Help Clinics - 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday, 9-noon
3. Remote Help which may be requested on the website, the preferred method of contact
4. Classes - maximum of 8 people in the Training Center - advance sign up is required:
  - o October 18, 2-4 pm, "Basic Computer Security, Part 1" (Justin Sell)
  - o October 26, 9-11 am, "Building a Password Manager Using Excel" (Opland)
  - o November 15, 2-4 pm, "Basic Computer Security, Part 2" (Justin Sell)
5. Bella Vista Computer Club website - contains announcements, the monthly newsletter entitled Bits & Bytes, a schedule for upcoming classes, membership renewal, and monthly meeting minutes.
6. Members of the Club have access to APCUG (Association of PC Users Group) remote conference sessions via zoom. These sessions are free and you must register in advance.

The meeting tonight presented "Q & A" by Woody Ogden and Pete Opland.

Respectfully submitted,

Lori Obrenovich, Secretary