

Bella Vista Computer Club General Meeting (Rev 1)

June 12, 2023

The general meeting was held at Highlands Community Center on Monday, June 12, 2023. President Joel Ewing called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. There were 11 people present, and Marjorie Arnsdorff and Marilyn Russell were present on Zoom.

The membership report prepared by Geri Hoerner was reported and is currently at 139.

An introduction to the Board Members was given which included Joel Ewing, President, Woody Ogden, Vice President, Dean Larsen, Treasurer, Geri Hoerner, Membership Chair, Grace Chang, Education Chair, Julie Storm, Publicity Chair and Board Members Russ Ogden and Loretta Ostenso. Attending members were made aware that there will be open officer positions that need to be filled in the upcoming elections in August.

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

Membership Benefits include:

1. Help Clinics - 1st Saturday and 3rd Wednesday, 9-noon
2. General meetings held the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00 pm open to the general public which is also being simulcast on Zoom
3. Remote Help which may be requested on the website, the preferred method of contact. Use Remote Help facility rather than calling Help Clinic people directly so that one person does not have to handle all the requests.
4. Classes - Held in the Training Center - advance sign up is required:
 - June 20th, 2-4 pm, "Basic Computer Security, Part 1" (Justin Sell)
 - June 28th, 9-12 pm, "Using MS Windows" (Joel Ewing)
 - July 18th, 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. The Genealogy special interest group will be meeting on June 16th from 1-3 pm and each 3rd Friday of the month.
7. 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.
8. BVCC is part of Wal-Mart's Round-Up program where BVCC can be a selected charity for a small donation when online purchases are made from Wal-Mart.

Members were requested to fill out the membership survey at <https://bvcomputerclub.org/survey.php> to indicate positions at BVCC in which they might be willing to serve.

The meeting tonight presented "Cloud Storage Revisted" by Joel Ewing and an APCUG video.

Respectfully submitted,
Lori Obrenovich, Secretary