

## Bella Vista Computer Club General Meeting

September 11, 2023

The general meeting was held at Highlands Community Center on Monday, September 11, 2023. President Joel Ewing called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. There were 17 people present and 2 on Zoom.

The membership report prepared by Geri Hoerner was reported and is currently at 143.

An introduction to the current Board Members was given which included Joel Ewing, President, Woody Ogden, Vice President, Russ Ogden, Treasurer, Geri Hoerner, Membership Chair, Grace Chang, Education Chair, Julie Storm, Publicity Chair and Board Member Loretta Ostenso. Jill Doll, Education Chair, and Johnny Johnson, Secretary.

The minutes of the July General Meeting were submitted on the website and with seeing no “raised hands”, the minutes were ruled approved by unanimous consent.

Membership Benefits include:

1. Help Clinics - 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday, 9-noon
2. General meetings held the 2<sup>nd</sup> 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:
  - September 19, 2-4 pm, “Basic Computer Security, Part 1” (Justin Sell)
  - September 21, 10-12 pm, “Basic Windows Computing” (Johnny Johnson)
  - September 28, 10-12 pm, “Basic Spreadsheets with Microsoft Excel” (Johnny Johnson)
  - October 5, 10-12 pm, “Basic Word Processing with Microsoft Word” (Johnny Johnson)
  - October 12, 10-12 pm, “Basic Presentations with Microsoft PowerPoint” (Johnny Johnson)
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 August 18 from 1-3 pm and each 3<sup>rd</sup> 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.

The meeting tonight presented “Password Managers” by Joel Ewing.

Respectfully submitted,  
Johnny Johnson, Secretary