

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

**February 13, 2023**

The general meeting was held at Highlands Community Center on Monday, February 13, 2023. President Joel Ewing called the meeting to order at 7:06 p.m. There were 31 people present and 7 online.

The membership report prepared by Geri Hoerner was reported and is currently at 131.

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, Grace Chang, Education Chair, and Board Members Loretta Ostenso and Russ Ogden.

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

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 - maximum of 8 people in the Training Center - advance sign up is required:
  - February 21, 2-4 pm, "Basic Computer Security, Part 1" (Justin Sell)
  - March 21, 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.
7. 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.

Amazon Smile program is being terminated by Amazon on February 20, 2023.

The Computer Club held its' raffle for a Dell OptiPlex 5060 computer. The winner was Lisa Sanders.

The meeting tonight presented "Windows 11 Overview" by Jim Prince.

Respectfully submitted,

Lori Obrenovich, Secretary