

From Jessica:

I officially am voicing a complaint in my name to be read aloud at the next board of directors meeting against what I feel was overpayment to the organisers of the past arduino workshop. I attended said event and learned more from some of the attendees than said instructors (who ran away at my question, said they didn't know the answer and then went to see if they could help someone else when no one was beckoning them over). There was time wasted downloading software before they even began to teach anything after their breif overview that time could have been used to actually teach. For a two hour workshop where I payed \$20, I only spent 1/2 hour or so with an arduino that worked. The posters could have been more informative in regards to what actually would have been happening that day. If I'd known to download software onto my laptop, that would have saved time. They also didn't bring enough arduinos or have enough things on hand to really teach their capabilities (not everything they provided was useful or functional). It was a quickly slapped together workshop, was overcharged and they got paid too much in my opinion. I would have been happier knowing that more of the entry money was going to the lab.