

Bowie Seniors Computer Club

Meeting Minutes

Date: May 7, 2020

Location: Zoom Meeting Online

Attendees: Bob Blum, Dennis Edgington, Dennis Evans, Ken Godstrey, Dave Hackenberg, Barry Hammond, Eric Hein, Victor Kiviat, James Kozura, Steve Krulik, Mark Laster, Dan Lee, Bob Rapczynski, Irv Salzberg, Dan Searing, George Vincent (not counting three members who appeared twice)

Official Actions: None

Presentations:

Bob Blum hosted the BSCC Zoom meeting and gave a brief introduction to Zoom. Several of the 16 members present had not much experience with Zoom.

Eric Hein gave a presentation on “Streaming Devices, Part 1½. Part 1 was a description & demonstration of three streaming devices that was presented in the November 7, 2019 BSCC meeting: Amazon Firestick, Roku, and Chromecast.

Part 1½ was a presentation of Eric’s Plex Media Server and the various libraries hosted on his server. Plex is a client-server software provider and user verification authority for the Plex libraries which are hosted by users.

Plex is a client–server media player system plus an ancillary software suite. The Plex Media Server desktop application runs on Windows, macOS, and Linux. See [“Plex” in Wikipedia](#). The Plex Website is [“plex.tv”](http://plex.tv).

Part 2 of the presentation will be at a future date, about setting up a host server on your own computer.

Minutes by Dennis Evans