Bowie Seniors Computer Club

Meeting Minutes for Meeting of Oct 18, 2018

Attendees: Bob Blum, Carl Bulger, Noel Campbell, Dennis Edgington, Dennis Evans, Margaret Gregory, Dick Henthorn, Berry Hill, Vic Kiviat, James Kozura, Mark Laster, Dan Lee, Bill Long, Bill Macri, Bob Rapczynski, Dan Searing, Ed Shanklin, Doris Smith, George Vincent.

Carl Bulger opened the meeting at 12:15. Carl gave us an update on his wife's pending knee surgery. Carl noted that the meeting for selection of 2019 club officers never happened.

It was a group decision to have our December meeting Christmas luncheon at the Osaka at noon on Dec 6.

The October 18th meeting guest speaker was Mr. Joseph Muniz, a Cisco security architect who spoke with us from an offsite location (airport) utilizing Cisco Webex. Mr. Muniz is the author of 8 books. Webex is the leading enterprise solution for video conferencing & web conferencing. Cisco Webex is a secure software-based platform for video & audio. Coordinating this meeting was James Kozura who found this speaker for us and Bill Macri who is familiar with the Webex program. The use of "CISCO Umbrella" was the highlight of the presentation.

Bob Blum led a discussion on Windows update issues. Bob noted difficulties with Windows Version 1809 computer updates.

Dennis Evans inquired about printing when using a Chromebook.

Ed Shanklin brought to the meeting a Windows desktop computer that has slow startup problem. Bob Blum discussed and demonstrated various ways to expedite startup, including use of Task Manager to disable automatic startup of certain apps on startup, removal of temp files and elimination of third party cookies.

Bob Blum showed how to improve monitor text display using the "ClearType" setting.

Bill Long
Secretary