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### **NEW TECHNOLOGIES SIG --- NEW IDEA!**

It's imperative that we keep our "New Technologies" SIG alive! We are SCG's technology resource and we must stay on top of new technologies, as they come along. If this appears too daunting a task for one person, let's split it up and have a team of people who will each put together one presentation, for one month. If we can get seven people on this team, then we can have presentations every month from October through April and no one needs to worry about doing

anymore than one presentation per year. Easy enough?

Let's have some volunteers come forward. Send an email to [president@grandcomputers.org](mailto:president@grandcomputers.org) with a simple little statement like: "I'll do New Tech for one month." We must succeed at this because we don't want the New Tech SIG to die. There's no reviving a SIG that has died. You have to start from scratch to form a new SIG and the requirements from CAM are more difficult than they were in the past. So, we don't want to go there. We need to keep it alive and we can do it, one month at a time. Email me your willingness to accept responsibility for the New Technologies SIG for one month. Do it now, while you're thinking of it.



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**We're on Facebook!** If you're on Facebook, you should come join us on our group page. You will find lots of useful information there. You can ask questions for which you will get answers. There's much that you can do on our group page. If you think outside the box, you may surprise us all with the uses you will find with our FB Group page. Here is the URL (website address):  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/GrandComputersClub>

Come join us. You'll be glad you did!

**ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK-----**

Monday, November 30, 1:00-2:00pm, **LITTLE BYTES LIVE**,  
Join in the fun conversations we have. It's not only about this  
E-Blast named Little Bytes. It's about becoming friends as we get to  
know each other better through conversation.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88237079666?pwd=bUNEc2pVM2l2eUliMTh3TGk5T01SUT09>

Meeting ID: 882 3707 9666  
Passcode: 349195

Monday, November 30, 6:00-8:00pm, **DIGITAL SCRAPBOOKING**, Our group's  
purpose is to share techniques and information concerning Digital  
Scrapbooking.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89990910568?pwd=VVl2cG9MZWFJMTVjVTRjUmx6T0djUT09>

Meeting ID: 899 9091 0568  
Passcode: DigSB

Tuesday, December 1, 12:30pm - ? (3:30pm max), **TECH HELP**, Fill out the  
form at the following link to request attendance. Be prepared to describe your  
device and problem. Form must be submitted no later than 11am on  
Monday. Sometime later that same day, you will receive an email invitation with  
a link to join the meeting Tuesday at 12:30pm.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScXXIioshz8UuzX6DHGYG5DfdqWstEHAS2JQdbURuokNi1Yag/viewform>

If you don't know how to connect to Zoom, please indicate on the form that you

would like someone to show you how to connect to Zoom. We will call you prior to Tech Help to guide you.

Tuesday, December 1, 1:00-3:00pm, **COMPOSE YOURSELF SIG**, Use computers to write your memoirs and stories and share your writings with other members.

<https://zoom.us/j/95491568615?pwd=Q3F2N01va0JJUkJXYmNSd2tFbHpsUT09>

Meeting ID: 954 9156 8615

Passcode: 957972

Wednesday, December 2, 2:00 - 3:30pm, **GENERAL MEETING**, Presentation will be on The In's and Out's of TWITTER. Here is your link to attend on Wednesday:

<https://zoom.us/j/98764682183?pwd=ajAyODFQbUplWDFQM2x3M2hmTWxzdZ09>

Meeting ID: 987 6468 2183

Passcode: 511723

Thursday, December 3, 9am - 10:30am, **CHAT WITH DAN & FRIENDS**, Ask any technical questions pertaining to computers or devices and get answers from Dan or one of his friends. On ZOOM. Here is the link:

<https://zoom.us/j/96202293634?pwd=emRLcW5LY1MyTHBrMm5jN2FkV0NTZz09>

Meeting ID: 962 0229 3634

Passcode: 207075

Thursday, December 3, 3:30-5:00pm, **GENEALOGY SIG**, Topic: The DNA Workshop will focus on the sometimes-confusing results we get back from the DNA testing companies concerning our ethnicity estimates. How many of us have gotten our results back and we end up saying something like: **I'm 5% Moroccan?!**

If you'd like to have help during the meeting with understanding some of your ethnicity results, contact Scott Wallick at [scott\\_wallick@hotmail.com](mailto:scott_wallick@hotmail.com).

If you have your DNA results readily available on your computer during the meeting, we may be able to help you share your screen and work on some of your questions together. We may all learn something.

<https://zoom.us/j/97203749394?pwd=QWdRa09EQjZBc1V4M0NJRdluWTRmdz09>

Meeting ID: 972 0374 9394

Passcode: 603393

## **MISCELLANEOUS-----**

### **WE NEED MONITORS TO KEEP THE CLUB OPEN**

If you are a monitor, please sign up for one day next week. We NEED you to keep the club open.

Just a reminder: the procedure for signing up is to log into <https://grandcomputers.org>, View and Schedule Monitor Sessions. Thanks to all of you who respond to this need.

### **EDUCATION – ONLINE VIA ZOOM**

Check out the classes that are available on this page:

[https://grandcomputers.org/Member/class\\_schedule.php](https://grandcomputers.org/Member/class_schedule.php)

Registration has already begun.

Classes are in session.

So get ready to register by looking through the class schedule and choosing your course.

To

keep our members safe from Covid 19, payment of classes is being accepted only by credit or debit card on our website. No checks or cash will be accepted at the computer club by a monitor.

## **FREE ONE-ON-ONE HELP TO GET YOU STARTED WITH ZOOM**

If you don't know how to get on Zoom, we've made it easy for you to learn how. We offer free one-on-one help. Use this link to fill out a form and someone will contact you to help you.

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdRQV\\_bx\\_1dimNT4SngW6bXuVsRKslRhcm-MOccndzV9Nnzyw/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdRQV_bx_1dimNT4SngW6bXuVsRKslRhcm-MOccndzV9Nnzyw/viewform)

## **COMPUTERS FOR SCHOOLKIDS**

WANTED – Older laptop computers (PCs or MACs) and tablets (iPads or Androids)! Please help out by donating your older laptop or tablet to Jim Geffre. Jim repairs them, updates them, and donates them to schools. He would like the laptops to have Windows 7, Windows 8 or already be upgraded to Windows 10. Please include the power cord with the computer and the charger

for a tablet. Jim wipes the hard drives or puts new ones in if you were to leave yours out. If needed, Jim adds memory to at least 4GB and adds Microsoft Office.

Please contact Jim by phone (623-544-3394) or by email ([geffre1949@yahoo.com](mailto:geffre1949@yahoo.com)) to arrange for a drop-off at Jim's home. Email is preferred. Jim will email you back his physical address. You can then leave the computer outside his house. Please be sure to include the password to unlock your computer or tablet and your email address with the computer and Jim will email you a tax form for taking a deduction on your tax return. (You can deduct up to \$150.00 per laptop).

## ***TECH ARTICLES -----***

### **12 incredibly useful Gmail settings you didn't know you needed**

<https://www.fastcompany.com/90576550/useful-gmail-settings-tips-ios-android>

### **6 Android Apps That Really Clean Up Your Device (No Placebos!)**

[https://www.makeuseof.com/tag/5-apps-really-clean-android-device-arent-placebos/?utm\\_source=MUO-NL-RP&utm\\_medium=newsletter](https://www.makeuseof.com/tag/5-apps-really-clean-android-device-arent-placebos/?utm_source=MUO-NL-RP&utm_medium=newsletter)

### **What Is Android Auto? Here's What You Need to Know**

<https://www.makeuseof.com/tag/what-is-android-auto-how-you-can-get-it/>

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