

# COMPUTER PALS FOR SENIORS, TURRAMURRA INC.

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## SIGNS OF THE TIMES

At a shoe repair shop: "We will heel you, we will save your sole, we will even dye for you"

At an Optometrists: "If you don't see what you are looking for, you have come to the right place"

On a plumber's truck: "Don't sleep with a drip, call your plumber"

In the front yard of a Funeral Home: "Drive carefully, we will wait"

# **MONTHLY MEETINGS @ 2 pm:**

Thursdays 26 April (AGM – see later in newsletter), 24 May and 21 June Topics will be advised later.

#### **MAYORAL AWARDS 2018:**





In conjunction with Seniors Week, the Mayoral Awards were presented on the 20<sup>th</sup> March. Computer Pals were delighted that Dean Simes was awarded a Certificate of Appreciation for his work with our club (very well deserved). The club itself was presented with the groups' winning award recognizing our contribution to the community, which means 'a big thank you' to all, especially to those who have contributed to the club's efforts with teaching computing literacy to our members over many years.

COMPUTER HELP SESSIONS: These are normally held on the second Thursday of each month, 2-4 pm. There will not be a help session in April (OPEN DAY, but will be held on Thursdays 10 May and 14 June. Why not make use of these times to pick the brains of some of the tutors who make their time available for you.

### **CREATIVE WRITING GROUP:**

The creative writing group meets at the club rooms at 2.00 pm on the first Monday of each month. The next one is on Monday 9 April (2 April is Easter Monday). The topic for that day is "Fairs, Fetes, Market Days and Garage Sales" We have interesting discussions following out epistles (just up to two A4 pages). Why not come and join us? - we follow on with some exotic refreshments. For further information please contact Margaret Ball on <a href="mailto:m2ball@iprimus.com.au">m2ball@iprimus.com.au</a>. Tel: 9487 2679,

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING:** This will be held on Thursday 26 April, 2 pm at the club rooms. All positions on the committee will be declared vacant, with nominations to be made to the meeting. Our current committee members are available for re-election. There will be more details in the Notice of the AGM to be sent out shortly. If you have some time to spare, and the inclination to help with the running of our club, please contact any of the present committee detailed on the back of this newsletter. After the AGM there will be a presentation on travel and trivia.

**SENIORS WEEK – CLUB 'OPEN DAY':** The club will be open to the public on Thursday 12 April, 10 am – 2 pm. Our John Cameron will be demonstrating Google Maps and street view, and Mick Watts on how to manage your digital photos. Please tell you friends and family of this event, so as to show them the valuable help we give to seniors in the Upper North Shore area with their computing devices. CPST – 2018 Winner – Mayoral Group Award for outstanding contributions to our community.

The following group sessions are available to members – The tuition at Wahroonga is in the community room at Woniora, Woniora St, Wahroonga, and tuition at East Lindfield is at the premises of Ku-ring-gai Computer Pals, Wellington St, Lindfield.

Time	Where	What	Who
10 am Monday	Wahroonga	iPad / iPhone	Peter Edwards
11 am Tuesday	East Lindfield	Android tablets & phones / Windows	John Cameron
2 pm Tuesday	Turramurra	Apple Mac	Dorothy Soper
2 pm Tuesday	East Lindfield	iPad / iPhone	Assunta
2 pm Wednesday	Turramurra	iPad / iPhone	Anne Worsley
11 am Thursday	Turramurra	Android tablet or phone	Dorothy Soper
10 am Friday	Turramurra	iPad	Anne Timmins

The other courses that the club has always provided tuition in are still continuing. To take advantage of any tuition at Computer Pals at Turramurra please contact: Sue Black on 9989 8062 between 10 am and 4 pm, or email her on <a href="mailto:susanjblack15@gmail.com">susanjblack15@gmail.com</a>, or phone the club directly on 9983 0774. If you would like tuition at East Lindfield or Wahroonga please contact the Ku-Ring-Gai Club on 9416 9049

- Basic word processing in each operating system, creating folders and saving documents; formatting text; text and page borders; WordArt, inserting pictures into text, etc. etc.
- Internet/Email, internet banking/shopping on line, arranging travel, surfing the web, etc.
- W10, class 1 introduction and familiarisation.
- W10, class 2 some settings and applications.
- W10, class 3 care and security
- W10, class 4 backing up
- W10, class 5 some other matters and recap
- Desktop publishing and greeting cards using MS Word.
- Excel spreadsheets for keeping home accounts etc.
- Digital photographs, camera to computer, and then how to use the photographs.
- Basic use of the Apple computing system.
- Smart phones and tablets

Nilo and Erich are continuing their valuable service of converting transparencies and photos to digital form onto a CD. They are now able to scan negatives on to a CD, or you may bring your own memory stick. Please contact Nilo Filipetto on 9416 5345 or Email: <a href="mailto:nlfilipetto@optusnet.com.au">nlfilipetto@optusnet.com.au</a>, or Erich Schuller on 9488 8418 or Email: <a href="mailto:eschull5@outlook.com">eschull5@outlook.com</a>.

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Lenny tells his psychiatrist "Every time I get into bed, I think there's someone under it". "Come to me three times a week for two years, and I'll cure your fears" says his shrink - I will charge you only \$200 a visit".

Lenny says he will think about it.

Six months later he runs into the doctor who asks why he never came back. "For \$200 a visit?" says Lenny. "A bartender cured me for \$10. "Is that so! How?" "He told me to cut the legs off the bed."

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