Things to Ponder:
Do twins ever realise that one of them is unplanned?
What if my dog only brings back my ball because he thinks I like throwing it?
Every time you clean something, you make something else look dirty.
100 years ago everyone owned a horse and only the rich had cars. Today everyone has cars and only the rich own horses.
The doctor who told Stephen Hawkings he had only two years to live probably died long before he did.
If you replace "W" with "T" in "What, Where and When", you get the answer to each of them.

MONTHLY MEETINGS
25 October at 2 pm: A talk on the NBN
22 November: Christmas Lunch for members at 12 noon
It is essential to book in for this luncheon - Please contact:
Margaret Ball on m2ball@iprimus.com.au or 9487 2679
or the Club phone: 9983 0774

Please make a note of these dates in your diary

COMPUTER HELP SESSIONS: These are normally held on the second Thursday of each month, 2 – 4 pm. Due to the demand for assistance at these sessions, the club is holding another session each month on the 4th Tuesday from 2 – 4 pm. If you have a specific question you would like to ask please contact any committee members so as some thought can be put into helping you. The next help sessions will be on Thursday 11 October, Tuesday 23 October, Thursday 8 November and Tuesday 27 November.

CREATIVE WRITING GROUP:
The creative writing group meets at the club rooms at 2.00 pm on the second Monday of each month.   The next one is on Monday 8 October. We have interesting discussions following you epistles (just up to two A4 pages). Why not come and join us? For details of the topic for the month please contact Margaret Ball on: 9487 2679, m2ball@iprimus.com.au.

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

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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 ring 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

✴ W10 – advanced, ✴ Phone, ✴ iPad, ✴ Basic Computing, ✴ Desktop Publishing, ✴ Excel. ✴ How to manage your photos, ✴ Creative Writing, ✴ Apple Mac, ✴ Android phones and tablets.

Nilo and Erich provide a very 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 Erich Schuller on 9488 8418 or Email: eschull5@outlook.com   or Nilo Filipetto on   9416 5345 or email: nlfilipetto@optusnet.com.au

ASCCA CONFERENCE: Wednesday 30th and Thursday 31 October.
This two-day conference is held at Rydges Hotel, Pitt St, Sydney. There is a program of interesting speakers, covering numerous topics. To find the details and registration form please go to the ASCCA website: www.ascca.org.au

How long will Microsoft support Windows 7?
Microsoft will end regular security updates for your Windows 7 on January 14, 2020. Windows 7 will continue to run after that date but will only receive emergency security updates. If you are a Windows 7 user you should think of upgrading to Windows 10, or to a new PC before 2020. Free upgrades to Windows 10 are still possible. Contact the club if your machine is not too ancient and you are interested. We might also add that an option is to purchase a new unit with W10 installed. It is Microsoft's practice to support a Windows version for at least 10 years after release. Windows 7 was released on 22 July 2009 . Windows 8.1 was released in 2013 and has an end of life in 2023. Windows XP was supported for 12 years.

A Little History - The mouse

It is 50 years ago this December that the first public demonstration was given of the computer mouse and on screen editing. In December 1968 Doug Engelbart of the Stanford Research Institution gave a 90 minute presentation as part of a major computer conference, used a mouse to move around the screen, highlight text, and resize windows. This was the first time that an integrated system for manipulating text on screen was presented publicly. The presentation essentially demonstrated almost all the fundamental elements of modern personal computing: windows, hypertext, graphics, video conferencing, the computer mouse and word processing. Engelbart's presentation was the first to publicly demonstrate all of these elements in a single system. It led to further work at Xerox, with the Alto and Star range of personal computers in the 1970s and early 1980s. At $20,000 each these were limited to law firms or government departments. Once computer hardware became cheap enough for home computers you had the Apple Lisa/Macintosh and Microsoft Windows. https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Mother_of_All_Demos

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Some unusual signs in America
If attacked by a mob of clowns go for the juggler
The first five days after the weekend are the hardest
Ban shredded cheese, make America grate again
Practice safe eating, always use condiments
If your car is running, I am voting for it.

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