

Monthly Meeting Schedule - July 20, 2024

(Subsequent meeting: August 17, 2024)

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Dedicated to providing computer information and assistance to computer

users, IT professionals and small business owners.

User groups provide an opportunity to network with other computer users and IT professionals. We offer many Special Interest Groups (SIGs) that provide tips, tricks and answers to those elusive questions.

Non-members are always welcome to visit and participate in two monthly meetings without charge.

Meetings are 3rd Saturday of each month

NTPCUG meets at Northaven United
Methodist Church (NUMC)
11211 Preston Road Dallas, TX 75230

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PowerShell 8:00 - 10:00 am

For the PowerShell SIG beginning at 8:00, we will have a general "All Things Related to PowerShell" discussion in an online meeting format. *Join us !!*

This SIG will meet both in-person at NUMC as well as virtually at https://bit.ly/3AMFsUy.

SIG Leaders: Larry Weiss and Josh Miller

Windows Tips & Tricks 8:30 – 10:30 am

In July, longtime members **Tom Sweet** and **Linda Eakle** step in for SIG Leader **Chuck Stark** to address a myriad of topics, including:

- Linda & Tom's recommended MS Edge settings to increase usefulness and decrease annoyances.
- Linda's expanded discussion of Edge Collections
- Sound control panel adjustments for better conferences
- Diagnosing cause of repeated Blue Screen crashes with help from CoPilot

There will be open Q&A, time permitting.

Also, if you have a 'troubled' system (or your system has a troubled user!) please contact Chuck via email to arrange for a 'Live, No Net' troubleshooting session in front of the group.

This SIG meets this month both in-person at NUMC <u>and</u> remotely. If attending remotely, click https://bit.ly/3vEoTK5.

Artificial Intelligence (AI) 9:30 – 10:30 am No Meeting in July

For July, **Howard Harkness** will be unavailable as he recovers from lung surgery, but he hopes to be back for the August SIG.

Special Presentation 10:30 – 11:30 am

In July, **Judy Taylour** of APCUG will be doing a presentation on **Digital Detox**.

Excessive use of electronic devices without breaks can impact our mental and physical health. Being aware of the time we spend in front of screens and making an effort to unplug from them is a great way to remain connected to the 'real' world and recharge our batteries.

BIO: Judy Taylour, President, SCV Computer Club; Member, APCUG Speakers Bureau

Judy is a 35-year member of the Santa Clarita Valley Computer Club, where she serves as President and Webmaster. In addition, she co-facilitated the Southern California Regional User Group Summit (SCRUGS), a group of computer clubs in Southern California that met quarterly for over 20 years to share ideas, presenter information, solve problems, etc.

Judy spent 23 years volunteering with the Southwest Technology Conference held in San Diego for 20 years and three years at Cal Poly Pomona. In addition, Judy served as chair or co-chair for 21 years. Her responsibilities included registration, scheduling speakers, and working with the volunteers.

She is a member of the Los Angeles FBI Senior Scam Working Group. In addition, she is a Pierce College Computer Applications and Hospitality Management Advisory Committee member.

This SIG will meet both in-person at NUMC, and remotely using Zoom (bit.ly/4bQ5XYa)

NTPCUG Business Meeting 11:30
And Pizza !!

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