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New User Meeting
May 5th
7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Projects With Your Photos

General Meeting
3RD SUNDAY
April 15th
3:00 - 5:00 p.m.
In The Clouds

Meeting Locations
The New User & General Meetings are typically held at the Lakewood Public Library
Located at the southwest corner of Gravelly Lake Drive and Wildaire Road.
<http://www.nwappickers.org>



Jim Schaefer NWAP'S NEW TREASURER

As you can imagine, I'm currently in the fear stage about being treasurer. Believe it or not, I have not used spread sheet software, other than filling in one at work regarding the status of score of ATMs.

My entire career has been as an electronic technician. I graduated high school in Des Plaines, IL in 1962. Then attended DeVry tech in Chicago. I was fortunate to serve in the Army Security Agency in Vietnam 1966-67. After the service I moved from Illinois to Oregon City where I lived with an aunt and uncle. I attended Oregon Tech in Klamath Falls, OR.

In 1973 I was fortunate to start on the ground floor of the ATM industry in Portland. Portland and Seattle were

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Word Wrap For May 2016 by Bob Moffat

Four decades ago our Nation was celebrating the two hundredth anniversary of its birth. Events throughout the year reminded us of what had been achieved since the colonies declared their independence.

Of course, NWAP members have noted that Apple Computer was formed on April 1, 1976. Microsoft came into existence a few months later on the day after Thanksgiving.

For one thing, 1976 was a presidential election year. Democrat Jimmy Carter won the Iowa caucus in January and defeated Republican Gerald Ford in November. American citizens were

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Since your entire email will be posted as a PDF file, please keep the "for sale" items and the "wanted" items in their own appropriate email.

Tacoma Area PC User Group

NWAP and TAPCUG, a PC user group, are two organizations working together to support the Macintosh and PC platforms in the Greater Tacoma/Pierce County area.

TAPCUG meets the second Saturday of each month. Send inquiries to: 6824 19th Street West PMB #170, University Place WA 98466.

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Red Chip

Buy your tickets, build the jackpot.
May starts at \$16:00



Word Wrap For May 2016 by Bob Moffat

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trying to make sense of Watergate and Viet Nam.

The Bicentennial celebrations on July 4th around the country were spectacular. The tall ships in New York Harbor for a brief moment recaptured scene from the past. Fireworks dazzled and galas amazed.

Technology was advancing on many fronts. The last K&E slide rule was produced a week or two before NASA's Viking I lander touched down on Mars and a couple of months before Viking 2 landed.

It was a year filled with other breakthrough, too: the VHS cassette was introduced to compete with Betamax and the IBM introduced the first laser printer.

On the other hand, we still had telephones that were wired to the wall—mobile phones had been demonstrated but the first cell system was years off in the future. Drivers were getting used to unleaded gas, cumbersome emissions equipment and catalytic converters. The OPEC Oil crisis in 1973 had shaken American drivers.

The world in 1976 welcomed Peyton Manning, Brock Huard, and Reese Witherspoon and said farewell to Howard Hughes, Werner Heisenberg, and Agatha Christie. At the movies we watched Rocky and Network as well as A Star is Born and Taxi Driver. We listened to Natalie Cole, Paul Simon, Judy Collins, and Ray Charles. Remember *Convoy*, *50 Ways to Leave Your Lover*, and *Take it to the Limit*? And the Muppet Show broadcast for the first time.

Western Washington was beginning to recover from the massive Boeing layoffs five years earlier, but unemployment issues and a sluggish economy still lingered. However, the Trans-Alaska Pipeline construction was drawing lots of workers north.

The Seattle Seahawks played their first game that August a month after the Summer Olympics were held in Montreal. The New York Yankees lost the World Series to Cincinnati Reds in October. And, of course, the Seattle Supersonics were building momentum for a championship in the near future. The Steelers won Super Bowl X over the Cowboys.

In four decades our daily lives have been transformed. The United States population has grown by more than 100 million to an estimated 323 million. The products we buy are manufactured in factories or grown in all parts the world. Personal computers

and mobile devices connect us to a world wide communications net 24/7. The amount of information we can access is mind boggling.

Automation made possible by computer technology is gradually reducing the number of human beings required to create goods and deliver services. Driverless automobiles are a scary possibility (perhaps less scary than vehicles driven by texting fiends or mobile phonies behind the wheel.)

Forty year of pluses and minuses. Better living through amazing developments facilitated by silicon. No more rotary dial phones. No more analog CRT TVs. No more typewriter ribbons. No more slide rules.

What is this world coming to?

Jim Schaefer

NWAP'S NEW TREASURER

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the first two U.S. cities to install automatic teller machines. I recently retired from 39 years as an ATM technician. Fourteen of those years were spent living and working in Hawaii beginning in 1975. As you can imagine the years working in Hawaii were indeed wonderful, got to travel to all the islands for original installations and on going service calls. I learned to love over-water-landings. :_)

I worked for the original ATM company Docutel, (hdquarters Dallas) (no one has heard of Docutel today). Then worked for Diebold, then for Sea First Bank, then for Bank of America, and the last six years of career I worked for the local Columbia Bank. Entire career was a wonderful experience working with wonderful people.

I never married. My dad was the youngest of ten brother and sisters. As you can imagine I have lots of cousins and second cousins, most of whom made the visit to Hawaii while I was there.

I purchased my first Mac in Hawaii in 1984. I still have that orig Mac. (it still works) I was among the original "Mac evangelists".

I have not traveled as much as I originally thought I would after retirement. Am happy to stay in the astonishing Pacific Northwest.

I forgot to include that for the past several years I have been a member of the local American Legion, Post 187 in Lakewood. 9315 Gravelly Lake Drive, in the Peoples Plaza Building. There are two monthly meetings, and the group helps raise money for Veterans.

My hobby is astronomy. When I was ten my dad build a telescope, including grinding his own reflection mirror. My first look through that, and I was hooked. Since the Hubble telescope, the average person can learn endless information about the universe.

Election results:

NWAP 2016-17 Officers

Hooray! We have conducted an election and are set for another year!

Peter Winderling, President
Bob Moffat, Vice President
Jim Schaefer, Treasurer
Judy Sloan, Secretary
Francette Beeler, Membership
Fred Battié, Director
Mary Fleck, Director
Jim Beeler, Director.

Many thanks to Eldon Estep, our retiring Treasurer for serving in this capacity for more than a decade.

Thanks also to those who serve our members:
Loretta Chamberland, Club Info Director
David Putman, Newsletter Editor
Erick Camp, Webmaster
Dawn Aho, Mortvedt Session Sponsor
Jim Schaefer, Meeting Room Reservations

NWAP Board Minutes

April 10, 2016

Present: Peter Winderling, Bob Moffat, Eldon Estep, Judy Sloan, Jim and Francette Beeler, Mary Fleck.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Peter Winderling at 2:15 PM.

The treasurer's report was accepted as emailed.

There are 48 paid members and there was discussion of those few who are overdue. Also, discussion of the financial "break even" number of members needed. At this time the group is financially stable.

There was a member suggestion for fewer meetings in the summer. The membership will be questioned and also asked for suggestions for programs for the last half of the year.

No new business.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:50.

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Links to Interesting articles on the Internet ~ May. 2016

Courtesy Of Uncle Bob

Security and Privacy Issues

<http://www.macworld.com/article/3036102/legal/apple-versus-fbi-faq-explainer.html>

<http://ped30.com/2016/04/15/encryption-explained-apple-fbi/>

<http://www.macworld.com/article/3059627/security/this-tool-can-block-ransomware-on-mac-os-x-for-now.html>

Photos and Photos Management

<http://www.macworld.com/article/3056643/photography/what-happens-when-you-cant-control-the-album-sort-order-in-photos-when-synced.html>

<http://www.macworld.com/article/3036508/software/how-to-calculate-print-size-for-your-photos.html>

Tips on using the Finder

<http://www.macworld.com/article/3056182/mac/how-to-sort-folders-in-the-finder.html>

<http://www.macworld.com/article/3048284/mac/how-to-use-the-finder-window-toolbar-to-save-time.html>

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<https://sixcolors.com/post/2016/03/quick-tip-finding-apps-running-down-your-ios-devices-battery/>

<http://www.apple.com/support/icloud/>

http://blog.macsales.com/35738-online-backup-services-cloud-based-insurance-for-your-data?Source=RYW16_Apr15

<http://www.macworld.com/article/3033807/mac/what-happens-when-your-time-machine-drive-icon-changes.html>

<https://www.powermax.com/article?tag=Spotlight>

New User Report

By Bob Moffat

Our April session looked at several features that word processing applications offer. We also looked at different (but pretty much the same) ways Pages, LibreOffice, TextEdit, and InDesign control those functions, with a short side trip to look at the similarity between Pages, Numbers, and Keynote interfaces.

Our May meeting will feature a guest who has spent a lot of time working with the Photos.app and can share some of the options and projects he has explored.

Please join us on **Thursday, May 5th, from 7 to 9 p.m.** at the Lakewood Library.

Contact: Bob Moffat, 253-845-5233 or
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Mortvedt Session

By Bob Moffat

We meet the second Friday each month at the Tacoma Lutheran Retirement Community's Mortvedt Recreation Center. Meetings are open to everyone, whether or not they live at TLRC.

Coaches from NorthWest Apple Pickers are available to answer questions – about Macs, iPads, and iPhones – for novice and veteran users. Attendees are encouraged to bring their own Macs, iPhones, and iPads if they wish to work on issues with their own machines.

Join us on Friday, **13th, from 10 a.m. to Noon.**
Mortvedt Recreation Center
1707 N. Vassault St.
Tacoma 98406

Contact: Bob Moffat, 253-845-5233 or
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General Meeting Report

By Bob Moffat

In addition to electing officers to serve for the next year, our presentation in April featured a look at Adobe Acrobat Reader by Eldon Estep.

The Cloud. It still mystifies some of us (or is that mist-ifies?) We will explore some more of the ways to use –or avoid using– storage and services in the sky at our May General Meeting. As more companies offer remote storage and cloud-based applications, will we be able to throw out all that installed software and just log on to do all our computing tasks? Hmmmmm.

NOTE: We meet a week later in May, one week after Mother's Day.

Please join us on **Sunday, May 15th, from 3 to 5 p.m.** at the Lakewood Library.

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South Sound

Adobe Users Group

**THE DOORS WERE CLOSED DUE TO
LACK OF INTEREST.**

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**WILL THIS BE THE FATE OF THE  
NORTH WEST APPLE PICKERS.**

**WE HAVE A NEW TREASURER  
THANKS Jim Schaefer**

**BUT**

**WE WILL NEED A WEBMASTER  
JAN 1ST, 2017  
TIME TO START PLANNING NOW**

# Membership Report For April 2016

By **Francette Beeler**  
As Of 4/13/2016

**Active Memberships:** 48

**Membership Renewals:** John R. Walters, Lee Peden, Loretta Chamberland, Doug Dahlgren, Peter Winderling, Helen Ellingson, Jack Ellingson, Doug McDonald,

**New Members:**

**Memberships Needing Renewal:**

**Due in Mar:** Jill Langdon

**Due in Apr:** Kathryn "KaCe" Whitacre Chuck Hayden

**Due in May:** Jim Schaefer, Dick & Pat Lynch

**Meeting Attendance:**

**New User Group** on 2016-04-07 had 12 members attend.

**Mortvedt Center** on 2016-04-08 had 10 members attend. **Visitor(s):** Sherrill Maiura:

**Board Meeting** on 2016-04-10 had 7 members attend.

**General Meeting** on 2016-04-10 had 18 members attend. **Visitor(s):** Fred Schmidt: Carla Pemberton

# NWAP Board Minutes April 10, 2016

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**The Annual meeting was briefly reconvened at 3:08 for the purpose of elections. The regular Annual meeting did not have a quorum.**

**Great News:** Jim Schaeffer has volunteered to be the new treasurer and has therefore saved the group!

**Thank you, Jim!**

It was MSP to close the nominations.

It was next MSP to elect the slate of officers and directors as presented.

**President: Peter Winderling**

**Vice President: Bob Moffat**

**Secretary: Judy Sloan**

**Treasurer: Jim Schaeffer**

**Directors: Mary Fleck, Francette Beeler, (Membership) Jim Beeler, Fred Battie'**

Annual meeting was adjourned at 3:20

The regular meeting reconvened at 3:20.

It was MSP to cancel the July general meeting as that month is usually for vacations. The membership thought it reasonable to delay suggesting programs for Sept. through Dec. until a future meeting.

Meeting was adjourned at 3:45 and the program on Adobe Acrobat Reader was given by Eldon Estep.

There were other general discussions.

Respectfully Submitted, Judy Sloan, Secretary

## NWAP paid advertisement section

NorthWest Apple Pickers offers advertising in our newsletter, *Apple Pickin's*, for business cards at \$6 per month or \$30 for six months.

**Send** a copy of your business card to the Editor, David Putman, at davidcee59@gmail.com . Please note deadlines for upcoming issues.

**Mail** or deliver your check to the Treasurer, Eldon Estep, Northwest Apple Pickers, P.O. Box 98203, Lakewood WA 98496



# May 2015

# June 2015

| Sun                                                         | Mon                | Tue | Wed | Thu                                      | Fri                                              | Sat                                         | Sun                                                         | Mon                 | Tue | Wed | Thu                                      | Fri                                              | Sat                                         |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----|-----|------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-----|-----|------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| 1                                                           | 2                  | 3   | 4   | 5<br>New User Group 7 pm<br>Lakewood Lib | 6                                                | 7                                           |                                                             |                     |     | 1   | 2<br>New User Group 7 pm<br>Lakewood Lib | 3                                                | 4                                           |
| 8<br>Mother's Day                                           | 9                  | 10  | 11  | 12                                       | 13<br>Mortvedt Session 10 - noon<br>Mortvedt Rec | 14<br>TAPCUG 9:30 am<br>Lakewood Senior Ctr | 5                                                           | 6                   | 7   | 8   | 9                                        | 10<br>Mortvedt Session 10 - noon<br>Mortvedt Rec | 11<br>TAPCUG 9:30 am<br>Lakewood Senior Ctr |
| 15<br>Board Mtg 2:15 pm<br>General Mtg 3 pm<br>Lakewood Lib | 16                 | 17  | 18  | 19                                       | 20                                               | 21<br>Armed Forces Day                      | 12<br>Board Mtg 2:15 pm<br>General Mtg 3 pm<br>Lakewood Lib | 13                  | 14  | 15  | 16                                       | 17                                               | 18                                          |
| 22                                                          | 23                 | 24  | 25  | 26                                       | 27                                               | 28                                          | 19<br>Father's Day                                          | 20<br>Summer Begins | 21  | 22  | 23                                       | 24                                               | 25                                          |
| 29                                                          | 30<br>Memorial Day | 31  |     |                                          |                                                  |                                             | 26                                                          | 27                  | 28  | 29  | 30                                       | July 1                                           | 2                                           |
|                                                             |                    |     |     |                                          |                                                  |                                             | 3<br>Independence Day                                       | 4                   | 5   | 6   | 7<br>New User Group 7 pm<br>Lakewood Lib | 8                                                | 9                                           |

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