

attendees: Kent, Jim, Joan, Arnold, George, Pete

## 1. Upcoming Presentations

July 25 - Allison & Pat on Password Managers

Aug 29 - Home Pod: Will use Don McAllister's 33 min video plus Kent will talk about other smart speaker options (Consumer Report has an article on this); AirDrop: this is an optional topic if we need something to fill out the allotted time for the meeting (Arnold can do demo?)

future:

- Apple Watch has many uses, latest model can be used as phone; is there widespread interest? is there a video available?
- iPad Pro/Apple Pencil - Patrick Despres teaches a class on digital imaging, Pete will contact him
- MacLife & MacWorld have useful articles, Kent will think about how they could be used as a presentation
- Mesh networks are new technology for home Wifi; topic for future?
- Video surveillance techniques - discussed in beginners, would take a lot of work to present all options
- Mac Sparky has instruction videos - similar to D McAllister's? Kent will investigate

2. Presentation via Skype - we have not figured out how to do this; San Diego users group does it

- Need capability to do have Q&A between audience and remote presenter, can this be accomplished with 2 Macs?
- Jim has question on Skype via AirPlay
- VFW wi-fi bandwidth may not be sufficient; I ran [speedof.me](http://speedof.me) and got 8 Mbps down, 1 Mbps up - how does this compare to Skype requirements?
- Do we need premium Skype to do conference call?
- Use 4G instead of wi-fi?
- Kent will try out Skype at a meeting in the future

- Other options include Go To Meeting, Google Hangout, FaceTime (new version)

3. Square - was going to delete this item, but George thinks it is worth a look; \$30 one-time cost, cost per transaction is similar to PayPal; Pete will mention PayPal option in newsletter

4. Financial, membership, other - we have 2 new members