

South Bay Apple MUG Macintosh

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A Monthly CUPFUL for South Bay Apple Mac User Group Members

Wishing you a Healthy and Happy Thanksgiving!

SBAMUG Pizza Party at Lamppost Pizza!

Join us IN PERSON on Wednesday, December 14 at 5:00pm at Lamppost Pizza in Torrance for our annual December pizza party and meeting. The Club will provide pizza, water and soft drinks, and dessert. We'll have our usual Q & A if anyone wants to ask any computer-related questions. Come for the pizza, stay for the fun. Bring a guest if you want...the more, the merrier!

If you're up for it, bring a wrapped white elephant gift and we'll have a gift exchange. And wear an ugly Christmas sweater just for fun!

Lamppost Pizza is located at 2955 Rolling Hills Road, Torrance, CA 90505 (near Crenshaw Blvd.) *RSVP to Nancie at piglet10@cox.net to let me know how many are attending. Thanks!*

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Please vote for Slate of Officers

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Please vote...

On December 1, you will receive an email ballot for the election of club officers.

Please respond to the email with a YES or NO vote for the Slate of Officers.

Only the people who respond to the email will be entered into the drawing to win a \$50 Apple Gift card.

Welcome to the SBAMUG!

(South Bay Apple Mac User Group)

Members, friends and colleagues are invited to attend our monthly meetings, usually held the last Wednesday of the month. Annual membership entitles you to receive this online monthly newsletter, plus more benefits (see website).

\$35 annual membership waived in 2022.
Visit sbamug.com to become a member.
Meetings held virtually via Zoom unless specified.

SBAMUG Virtual Meeting Format:

6:30-7:15 p.m. Question & Answer Session *Everyone welcome, beginners encouraged!*

7:15-8:00 p.m. Announcements & Presentation

Membership Report:

72 Members (as of 11/16/22)

Thank You, Member Renewals:

Andrew Paroczai, Kathleen Spearman, Ellen Tessitore.

Membership-related Information & Questions: Contact CW Mitchell at

cwmitchell@sbamug.com

- for information about membership, dues, and benefits
- if your name is misspelled or the expiration date is incorrect on your membership card

It's EASY To Renew!

Look for renewal letter in the mail. Sign and date the form and return it with payment* using the enclosed self-addressed envelope.

*No payment due for 2022 as club fees have been waived



Virtual Meetings: Online via Zoom Mailing Address: C.W. Mitchell

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Officers & Volunteers:

President: Kent McDonald Vice President: Jim Pernal Secretary: Nancie Silver Treasurer: C.W. Mitchell

Directors at Large: Dave Nathanson, Arnold

Silver, George Wilde, Joan King PD Disk Editor: Jim Pernal Membership: C.W. Mitchell

Member Development: Nancie Silver (publicity). Jim Pernal (website updates)

Programming: Kent McDonald
Server Director: Dave Nathanson

Newsletter: Nancie Silver USPS Liaison: C.W. Mitchell

Other Meetings:

- Tuesday (6 days after last Wednesday) -SBAMUG Core Group, 7:30 p.m. on Zoom.
 Contact CW at cwmitchell@sbamug.com or send email to info@sbamug.com for core group Zoom meeting invite.
- 3rd Thursday every other month InDesign User Group, 7:00 p.m. at various locations in LA area, laidug.com
- Last Saturday each month Northrop Grumman

 Ham Radio & Computer Swap Meet,
 7:00-11:30 a.m. Meet at SE corner of Marine/

 Aviation Blvd, Redondo Beach (visit w6trw.com to see if swap meet is cancelled due to Covid-19)
- Los Angeles Portable Users Group: Mac OS X, iPhone, iPod, MacBook, etc. at lapug.org/

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November/December Shareware

There will be no meeting in November so this is the combined Nov-Dec list for this holiday season. Seven items this month.

Bartender 4.2.12: Organize your menu bar apps. Hide, rearrange, or move to bartender's bar. New version supports Mac OS Ventura. Mac OS 11+ \$16.00 Free. https://www.macbartender.com

coconutBattery 3.9.10: Monitor your laptop battery. Shows number of charging cycles, and current Max capacity. Save current capacity to show health over time.

Mac 10.11+ Free; paid plus version available https://www.coconut-flavour.com/coconutbattery/

Cyberduck 8.5.0: FTP and SFTP browser. Transfer files to websites. MacOS 10.12+ Free. https://cyberduck.io

iMazing 2.16.2: IOS device manager. Scheduled backups. Live browsing of photo library, and file transfers. Mac OS 10.10+ \$34.99 https://imazing.com

SimpleDEMViewer 7.3.3: Specialized viewer for Digital Elevation Model data. Displays color elevation maps with color and shading. Mac OS 10.14+ Free. https://jizoh.jp/english.html

SuperDuper! 3.7: Disk copy and cloner for backups. Updated for Ventura OS. Direct quote: "Ventura compatibility, While the backup will be configured for boot, Apple bugs may cause startup to be unsuccessful (although restoration is still possible). See the blog for the latest information."

Mac OS 10.10+ \$27.95

https://www.shirt-pocket.com/SuperDuper/SuperDuperDescription.html

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Tim 7.0.1: Simple time tracker. Menu bar app. Keyboard shortcuts. Private on your Mac. Charts and export capabilities. Free. Mac OS 11.0+ https://tim.neat.software

See you at the December meeting in person.

Jim Pernal, PD Editor

Here Come The Holidays...

Get a head start on your holiday shopping! Visit the Apple website for gift ideas for family and friends:

https://www.apple.com/newsroom/

https://www.apple.com/newsroom/ 2022/11/apple-celebrates-the-holidayseason/

~ INTERESTING LINKS ~

Thinking about upgrading to Ventura? Ensure Sufficient Free Space before Upgrading to Ventura:

https://tidbits.com/2022/11/15/ensuresufficient-free-space-before-upgrading-toventura/

Interested in Home Automation? Matter Is Here, but Does It Matter Right Now: https://tidbits.com/2022/11/04/matter-is-here-but-does-it-matter-right-now/

Is your Mac slow? How to free up memory (RAM) on a Mac:

https://www.macworld.com/article/673199/ how-to-free-up-memory-ram-on-a-mac.html

Mac not loading some websites? Check your DNS server settings:

https://www.macworld.com/article/1348360/dns-server-settings.html

Organize your photos with Albums and Folders on an iPhone and iPad:

https://www.makeuseof.com/how-to-use-albums-folders-apple-photos-iphone/