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HEWIE at 1:15; two speakers at 2:15: Passwords & Logins

Sunday, January 11: 1:15pm. Hewie's topics for Sunday's WinSIG meeting include:

- Win7 reaches milestone; prepare for its demise
- Orlando named one of the most hacked cities in America
- Top 25 free tools for every Windows desktop
- How to Roll Back or Uninstall a Problematic Windows Update Complete Guide to Windows 8
- Four Ways to Open the Charms Bar
- How To Close Metro Style Apps
- Create Tile Groups on the Start Screen
- Make System Notifications Less Annoying
- Make Live Tiles Smaller or Larger
- Pin Desktop Items to the Windows 8 Start Screen
- How To Take a Screenshot
- Enable or Disable Startup Programs
- Automatically Log On to Windows 8
- Boot Windows 8 into Safe Mode

If you cannot make the live meeting, you may join us online. Here are the details.

Please join me in the following Adobe Connect Meeting.

Meeting Name: WinSIG15Jan

Invited By: Hewie Poplock

To join the meeting:

<https://cfcs.adobeconnect.com/r5zkbng4yc1/>

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Main meeting at 2:45

At about 2:45, following the Windows SIG, there will be two presenters for the main meeting; The first will be "Protect Your Passwords with Roboform" presented by Dave Gerber. The second will be "The Introduction of SQRL (Squirrel) - Secure Quick Reliable Login" from Steve Gibson.

Earlier on the same day of each presentation, the WINDOWS Special Interest Group (SIG) meeting is held. The WinSIG now meets at 1:15 pm, and is hosted by Hewie Poplock, former president of both CFCS and FACUG, and author of Hewie's Views and Reviews. Hewie, who has led the Central Florida Computer Society WinSIG for over 15 years, will start a little more than an hour before the CFCS General Meeting.

If you use or plan to use Windows, these discussions, demonstrations, and Q&A sessions will be of immense value to you. Geared to intermediate level Windows users, tips, tricks, and information on all versions of Windows are discussed. An e-newsletter is sent periodically with meeting information and links discussed at the meeting. You need not attend both meetings, but many members do. Non members are always welcome. Sign up for the free e-newsletter at cfcs.org.

Hewie's Blog and many useful articles (including the meeting notes below) can be found at <http://hewie.net/>

The CFCS website is at <http://www.cfcs.org>. Be sure to check it out for up-to-date information.

Bring your questions about Windows or any computer questions to be fielded by a room full of computer enthusiasts. The questions will be answered during the Windows SIG or during the "Askit Baskit" portion of the main meeting. We even have a few lurking Mac owners, and when we turn off the lights to better view the presentations, you may notice the glow of numerous iPods in the crowd. CFCS was the first to put the 'YOU' in USER-friendly!

OUR OTHER SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS (SIG)

The ACCESS, MS OFFICE, and SECURITY SIGs meet conjointly on the second Wednesday of each month from 7 to 9 pm at the New Horizons Learning Center at 1221 Lee Rd. Arvin Meyer, a Microsoft MVP (Most Valuable Professional), leads the SIG. <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/cfcs-access> This is a combination of three separate SIGs which now meet conjointly.

The VIRTUAL DIGITAL PHOTO & VIDEO SIG lead has been assumed by Ken Larabee and it meets on the 3rd Wednesday of every month, virtually. To register go to <https://apcug.ilinc.com/perl/ilinc/lms/event.pl> Choose Virtual Photo SIG.

The TECH DISCUSSION SIG meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month from 7 to 9 pm at the World Gourmet Restaurant, 800 E. Altamonte Dr. (436) SIG leader is Vice President Stan Wallner.

This SIG is a non-structured, open conversational group for CFCS members, that has no specific topic or speaker, but is simply a round table discussion. It is not an advanced group, but a place for people to come and discuss various tech subjects, such as new products and technologies, hardware, software, web-related, etc.

Bring in articles from magazines, newsletters, unusual problems/situations that have arisen, questions, etc. Also, new or ailing devices or notebook pc's are welcome, either for "show and tell" or discussion or demo of situations.

A screen and projector are available, but not always there. If you want it to demo something, please E-mail: tech-sig@cfcs.org a day or 2 ahead.

Another feature of this SIG is the Tech-SIG Yahoo Group mail. We now have 64 people communicating through this, with tips and tricks, "Ask-It Basket" type questions, etc. Also, a second, on-line VIRTUAL meeting of the TechSIG is being experimented with on the second Tuesday of each month. Co-hosted by Mike Ungerman and Stan Wallner, it may attract a long distance audience. Stay tuned to the e-Blast for times and details - it is not yet permanently scheduled, but will be announced in the e-BLAST and on the Tech-SIG Yahoo Group mail. If you are not on that list and want to be, please E-mail: tech-sig@cfcs.org

The iSIG meets on the third Monday of each month at 7:00 PM at Florida United Safety Council, 1505 East Colonial Drive, Orlando FL 32803. This building is located across from the Publix on Colonial Drive in the Colonialtown section of downtown Orlando. They have secured WiFi, and vending machines are available. The iSIG meetings cover the products that use the iOS, which includes the iPhone, iPad, and iPod Touch. This is a combined effort of the Central Florida Computer Society <http://www.cfcs.org> and the Florida Macintosh Users Group <http://www.flmug.com>. Other groups are invited to participate. Attendees are consumers, developers, consultants, and publishers, who find common interests and discuss how to handle topics from both the consumer & the developer perspectives. The SIG leader is Sean Kane, Certified Apple Technical Coordinator, long-time Mac and iOS user, and a technologist and consultant to [The Walt Disney Company](#).

FUTURE SUNDAY MEETING SPEAKERS

Your hard working Board of Directors has not obtained a speaker for any of the next three months, so there is no reason to make this newsletter any longer than a few obligatory pages. Please let them know you would like more advance notice of speakers so you can spread the word to your friends and plan to attend some interesting meetings instead of last minute makeshift stopgap ones.

To be fair, there was a speaker, contacted by Hewie months ago, and announced in previous BUSSLINES, but he seems to have disappeared when Hewie phoned and emailed to remind him. So don't blame this on Hewie, who has provided ALL of Sunday's speaker agenda this month.

The board needs to appoint a program chairperson, but so far no one has volunteered to take the position. Perhaps YOU could volunteer for the job. The duties would be to contact potential speakers proposed by any members, and remind said speaker several times before the meeting, so they can prepare and be there at the right time and date. For instance, I was the one who asked Glen Coffield to speak last month, and reminded him several times about the meeting date. I did the same with photographer Michael Cairns last year, and Derek Walker from T Mobile.

Even if you are not able to serve as Chairperson, every member is encouraged and empowered to suggest a speaker, and to ask anyone you happen to meet, to become one. If they seem interested, get their business card or contact info and email such to your CFCS president, who is the de facto acting Program Chairperson until we get an official one.

JANUARY ELECTIONS

As per our CFCS Bylaws, elections are held in January for this year's officers and board members. All of last year's crew have agreed to run again, but if you would like to become a glutton for interesting public service by giving something back to your fellow computer enthusiasts, contact the Election Chairperson at editor@cfcs.org. If you are one of those who sometimes says "Why don't they do it a different way?" here is your once-in-a-lifetime chance. Or when you arrive at Sunday's meeting, just announce that you would accept if people write in your name.

SAMPLE BALLOT:

Slate of Officers for Jan 11, 2015 Meeting Election

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Write In: _____

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The Recycle Bin

by Stan Wallner,
Vice President, CFCS



Stan, a CFCS member since 1984, has served in many offices over the years, and is now Vice President Separately, he is a local IT consultant, "PC Doctors Make House Calls," offering his services on-site, at your office or home, for PC and Laptop Upgrades, WiFi, Networks, Virus & Spyware Removal, and Troubleshooting on both hardware & software, at reasonable rates (with discounts for CFCS members!). You can reach him at smwallner@gmail.com or by phone at 407-862-2669.

This is a MOST important issue regarding our environment, and can't be over-emphasized! It is an area that is changing frequently. It will be on the CFCS Website if it is not in the BUSSLINE. It will be here when there are changes, so please do read carefully.

No new recycle info this month, so please go to cfcs.org to read this column. Ed.

Android SIG

No meeting has been set for the new Android SIG planned by Bob Black. As some of you may know, he is waiting to close on a condo he is buying, and the bank keeps changing the date they will have the papers ready. Now that the holidays are over, perhaps they will get it done, and we will plan a meeting as soon as the closing is complete.

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Members will be requested to renew their membership by paying dues on time. Dues may be paid by cash or check at the meeting, by PayPal at <http://www.cfcs.org/membership/membership.php> or by mailing a check to:

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Address: PO Box 520084,
Longwood, FL 32752

If you do not receive a renewal invoice, lose it or have questions about your dues and or membership status, please inquire at the sign-in table or send an e-mail to: treasurer@cfcs.org.

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CFCS Web site: www.cfcs.org

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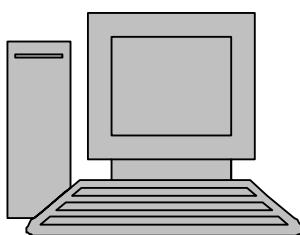
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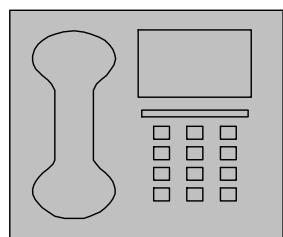
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As a **free** service, you should not be asked to pay for help or be solicited for products or services. If anything to the contrary occurs, please contact the HelpLine coordinator immediately. Their names will be removed from the list.

Additional volunteers are needed in some existing categories and for new categories. If you are interested, please contact the **HelpLine** coordinator at e-mail: helpline@cfcs.org

Please Note - This is a service for CFCS MEMBERS ONLY

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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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25	26	27 Tech-SIG, 7pm. Dennys, Cassel- berry on 436 near 17-92	28 Board of Directors Meeting, Maitland Library 501 S. Maitland Ave., 6:30pm	29	30	31
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15	16 iPhone SIG iPad, iPod (iAnything) 1505 E. Colonial 7pm	17	18 Virtual Photo & Video SIG, 7pm, Details at cfcs.org Meets every 3rd Wednesday.	19	20	21
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