

SCUM Meeting Minutes

March 2, 2009

About 50 were in attendance.

Walt opened the meeting. The 2009 officers were installed by Joe Kimble.

Joyce Friedlander took over presiding.

Numbers were pulled to distribute door prizes.

Three guests introduced themselves.

Announcements

Use the computer lab as much as possible, in order to insure that we can keep that space in the Center. When using the lab please sign in the available clipboard. Help in the lab is available every Wed. morning from 11 a.m. to noon. It was proposed that the lab be available for use immediately following first Monday meeting.

Dan told us that the [SCUM website](#) has been used extensively. He suggested that we go beyond the home page to find a great deal of information.

There are many useful links - if one goes to What's New you can find a presentation article about Google.

Your computer items for sale or giveaway can be displayed on the Name Tag Table at the meeting and announced at the meeting. If there are no takers you must recycle the item yourself

Presentation on the 25th anniversary of the Mac was made by Joe Kimble

- The first personal computer was introduced in 1973
- In 1979 it was studied by Steve Jobs
- 25 years ago - 1984 the first compact Mac was introduced along with the mouse which controlled the cursor electronically. ([Watch the original 1984 commercial.](#))
- 1989 first laptop
- 1993 first color
- This year is the 15th Anniversary of SCUM (San Carlos Users of Mac)

New and ongoing officers were thanked.

Mentor Program - presented by [Edd Dundas](#). He stated that 13 mentors are available. Information about the mentor program is on the website. Contact Edd Dundas to set up an appointment.

Books regarding computer information are available from the SCUM Library.

There were equipment setup problems again this morning. Joyce suggested that a committee come to the meeting early (8:30 a.m.) to set up. To make setup easier the projector will be placed on a table.

Art Steffes presented a new program he purchased and recommends. It is [ColorMunki](#) which insures that the color which is seen on the monitor is the same color that comes out of the printer.

411 Problems

- Robin lost Dashboard. It was suggested that he check the Spotlight settings in System Preferences to make sure that “applications” is checked as of the areas to be searched.
- Walt can't open Calendar. It was suggested that he take it off the dock and replace it.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted Betty Torrez, secretary