

SCUM Meeting Minutes

August 3, 2009

The meeting was opened by Geoff Fernald.

The reason that Airport Express did not work last meeting was that it needed to have the power left on after the indicator light started blinking fast in order to reset. It takes about 90 seconds for a full internal reset to occur.

A SCUM mentor is available if someone still needs help with e-mail problems.

July minutes were accepted.

The treasury remains the same as last month.

Notes: A free e-waste and shredder will be available in San Carlos on 8/15

5 visitors/new members introduced themselves

Art Steffes announced new lab hours on Wednesdays from 10 a.m.-noon.

There will be a Mac Users beginners class starting in November. Fred

Offenbach will have a Photoshop Elements class starting in mid-September

The sign-in sheet was explained

Migrating Files To A New Mac

Joe Kimble gave a presentation (see Previous Presentations on the website for a copy) on migrating from an old to new computer:

- First remove any extraneous material from the old computer
- Determine the ports (Firewire 400 or 800) and what cables are needed
(Info about the ports can be found on the internet)
- Position the two computers close together.
- Go to applications - utilities - migration
- Restart the old computer while holding down the T key
- Follow the instructions
- When migration has been completed reconnect the printer, modem, etc

Joe recommends buying a new Mac every three years.

The New World Of Digital TV

A panel discussion regarding digital TV and High-Definition followed. (see Previous Presentations on the website for a copy)

All the pertinent information can be found on the website.

The meeting was closed at 10:35 a.m.