

# The Interface

**March 2018**

## **President's Message By Tom Telford**

HELLO TO ALL.

Thanks to Diahanne VanGulick, the director of Mruk Education Center on Family Aging, for her presentation at the February meeting on, "Searching the Web for Health Issues".

Reservations for the March Tutor session are all filled. If you have something you would like to learn, please contact me by email to reserve your spot at a later meeting. If members have a laptop, they should bring it fully charged. We will also have laptops available to demonstrate issues for desk top users. The previous sessions have been very beneficial in helping those members understand computer tasks, that they were having difficulty with. If you might have an interest in helping tutor basic computer skills, please contact me. Our current pool of Tutors are not available every month and we could certainly use some temporary help, for the benefit of other members.

We continue to request that someone volunteer for the Program Director position, which is currently vacant. This obligation will not be dumped on any one individual the entire board will help with this endeavor. If anyone has suggestions for meeting speakers and/or topics, pass these on to a Board member.

In addition, Barb Skeffington has asked to be relieved of her duties as TLCUG Treasurer, due to personal issues. It is imperative that someone come forward and fill this position which is not all that difficult or time consuming. The November-December membership renewal period is the most active for this Officer.

Please be aware of the meeting and help desk items and schedules, which appear in other sections of the newsletter.

## Program Schedule

**March 2018:** Jennifer from the Library will explain using eBooks and audiobooks

**April 2018:** Open

TLCUG meets on the 1st Thursday of each month at 2 P.M. at the Donald W. Reynolds Library at 300 Library Hill, located on Highway 201 South in Mountain Home, across from the ASUMH campus. The Help Desk will open around 1:00 p.m. Guests and visitors are welcome to attend.

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## February General Meeting Minutes By Sue Seils, TLCUG Secretary

### 1) CALL TO ORDER:

The group meeting began at 2:00 PM.

### 2) ATTENDANCE:

Total attendance was 50 people, with two new members and our speaker.

### 3) ANNOUNCEMENTS:

President Tom welcomed the members and gave the treasurer's report.

Tom reminded the members that unpaid memberships will be dropped as of February 15th.

He also mentioned that the tutoring sessions for members met again today before the TLCUG meeting. The four members who came for the sessions seemed to learn a lot. Tom mentioned that he has four tutors, Kip, Chuck, Hart and Theresa. Next month has 3 of the 4 slots filled.

It was noted that the Board has gold name badges. Members wanting a gold badge can join the Board.

Tom introduced our speakers for today's meeting.

#### 4) PROGRAM:

Today's program was given by Diahanne Van Gulick, the director of Mruk Education Center on Family Aging. Her topic was "Searching the Web for Health Issues". She passed out copies of her slide presentation at the meeting. Her talk included how to find reliable websites. There is lots of information on the internet, but we do need to watch for sites that are biased. She also encouraged us not to use the web information as our doctor, but to use this information to partner with your doctor. Diahanne was available after the meeting for additional questions.

#### 5) ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Tom introduced our new members, Judy B and Ann Jo P.

Tom also put the TLCUG website on the screen and reviewed what can be found there. Many had looked at the site after the last 'meeting reminder' e-mail. Tom also mentioned that the photo gallery will be taken down to start a new one.

He announced that the Bomber Robotics Squad will reveal and demo their project on February 26 at the Shied Center.

The newest Windows 10 update is an automatic update and is coming soon.

There was also a brief discussion about recycling used ink cartridges.

#### 6) DRAWINGS:

The winner of the monthly drawing for a certificate to the Bookworms Café was Beth V.

#### 7) ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 2:50 PM.

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## Members Photo Gallery



Click on the Camera

## From the Help Desk By Ann Neuenschwander

If you have a question that is not or cannot be adequately addressed at our regular Help Desk meeting, you may email questions to the Webmaster (contact info is on the Officers page of our Website), or write it down and bring it to the Help Desk at our regular meeting.

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**HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY TO YA'**

