

Meeting information from March 16, 2017

Members:

President Mike Johnson welcomed 47 members and guests and announced that our current membership is now 195 members; only 5 to go to hit our high of 200. He noted that Amazon could be a good place to buy your ink cartridges if your printer is past the warranty period.

Sandy McKenny announced there will be a free Genealogy Conference at the LDS Church property at 3780 12th Street all day Saturday, March 18 featuring at least 14 mini-seminars led by experts. Good chance to jump start your research for free listen to some wonderful lectures.

She has also arranged a tour of the Genealogy Department of the Indian River County Library on 16th Avenue on Monday, March 20 at 1:15 pm. This library is considered the 'best small genealogy library in the United States' and this is your chance to get a private tour of what they offer the community in the way of research. All you have to do is show up in that department on the 2nd floor! Sandy will be there as this is her regular research day/time.

Vicky Getz gave us a very in-depth presentation on taming our new AT&T TV connection. She provided a handout of the current AT&T local TV line-up with both standard and high definition channel numbers. The 2nd handout covered the following subjects:

-AT&T TV HelpVideo <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zUae-Z76XFQ>

-Customizing Guide to remove undesirable channelsVideo <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qL5vl3J0W10>

-Creating a Favorites ListVideo <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-vhoG8PyUsE>

-Searching for ProgrammingVideo - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=btsICWphZqU>

-Recording a ShowVideo <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1n3oy4MmF54>

-Setting up your Local Weather on the TVVideo <https://youtu.be/pahYiC2QUnc>

These videos were researched and produced by Vicky for us and represent many hours of work; THANK YOU Vicky!

There are a few printed hand-outs in the Lab, but you can find them at the following location and print them yourself: <http://getzweb.net/vista/att/>.

Vista Royale's Channel list [Channels included in Vista Royale's Bulk Service](#) The grayed out entries on the handout are shopping and the italic are Spanish. Reducing the channel list in your guide by removing the channels you do not want to see takes about 15 minutes. It is easier to do all at once as you have to go back to the beginning of the 887 channels if you stop in the middle.

Instructional Materials [Using AT&T U-verse TV Features](#)

She also answered many questions from members about other aspects of our AT&T experience.

Apparently AT&T channels, instructions and videos are changing every day and what you find today, may not be there tomorrow. However their 'Help' videos are very good, try a couple. Hopefully everything will be settled down by our return in the fall. If you have a problem, it makes sense to call them immediately while they are still troubleshooting in our complex.

This was a comprehensive look at our community media change-over and how we are dealing with it.

This is the AT&T phone number that you should call if you have **any** problems: **1-866-299-6824**; tell them you are in Vista Royale.

From Vicky: This is the WiFi app I would recommend. WiFi analyzer by farproc

This little app is powered by ads. It is great for those of you who want to understand more about how WiFi works, and can help you troubleshoot WiFi interference problems in your condo. It is available for

Android tablets and phones from the Google Play Store. There is nothing equivalent for Apple iPhone and iPads.

As usual you can always check the 'calendar' on our website: www.VRCC.info for speakers/subjects of upcoming presentations. Next week our presenter will be Steve Getz [use VRCC.info to its full potential] and Dick Anderson [his favorite Apple tools & toys].

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