

Vista Royale Computer Club
Meeting Minutes April 12, 2018

Members: President Mike Johnson welcomed 26 members and guests this last week who enjoyed the coffee and donuts provided. He ran a slide show of quirky computer related cartoons to start the meeting. The random give-away of 2 AARP insulated lunch bags went to Joyce White and Pat Otis.

He then proceeded with the official election for President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary for the 2018-2019 season starting in October 2018.

Mike Johnson, President
David Kimball, Vice President
Susan Fortino, Treasurer
Sandra McKenny, Secretary

Announcements:

One of our members, Kay Landino, is having trouble finding a condo to rent next season for 3 months, Feb-April. If you have a suggestion, reply to vrcomputerclub@gmail.com and I will pass the information on to her. Our complex is so popular now that rentals are getting scarce.

The **free** Indian River Genealogy Conference is 9am Saturday at 3980 12th Street at the LDS Center and there will be over 20 excellent seminars. Find the information here www.facebook.com/irgconf and the handouts are here: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1mEI8l5frlgiH6DnT_VpNjin-aUueTM7tC If you plan on the full day, you can take your own lunch. This is a great opportunity to hear some wonderful speakers; the price is right.

Mike thanked all the monitors and volunteers for their contribution to the club this past year. We could not be successful if we did not have such loyal members willing to help their fellow residents.

Mike showed us many of the facets of www.Everplan.com a site that helps to focus in on the things that you should record so that your estate is easy for your heirs to handle. This site offers you dozens of forms, including state-by-state advance directive forms, digital estate laws, organ donation registries, probate information, and more. A trial is free, time was not mentioned. Eventually it is \$75 a year. HOWEVER..... You can do this on your own computer or on paper by finding similar forms at AARP, etc. if you do not want to post this information online. Make sure whatever you do, that your loved ones get your information and preferences.

These are the links for some of the items that Mike showed which were quite amusing:
Cell Phone addition <https://www.boredpanda.com/cartoon-smartphone-cellphone-addiction/>
Garage https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rw_tGPVyKYI
Tree Carving <http://www.flixxy.com/enchanting-tree-carving.htm>
iPad 3 chopping <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AVGM7kH7Hjw>
iPad Magic <http://www.flixxy.com/amazing-ipad-magic-on-the-ellen-show.htm>

Mike also had homework for all of us for the summer of 2018:

- 1 Check our website www.vrcc.info regularlyplus the Vista Royale one too
- 2 Go back and read our minutes to refresh your memory of the great tips we had this past season.

3 Change your 'default printer' back to your Northern one when you get home.

4 AVOID SCAMS -don't answer phone calls or pop-up messages on your computer..... play safe!

5 Consider presenting next year on a favorite subject or site; suggestions are good also.

We will pack up the Lab for hurricane season Tuesday morning at 9am; closing out the year with 150 club members. Have a safe trip North and we will see you by November first.

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