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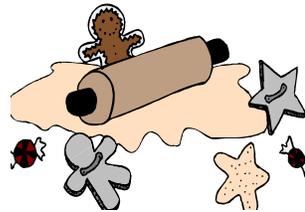
December 2017

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YOUR C.U.G.R. PRESENTS

December 19! Christmas Party!

Merry
Christmas



Bring family and friends and bring a goodie to share!

Computing For Seniors

Weekly Classes, Tues. 12:30 - 3 PM
Jane Quinn SIG Leader
Learn today's technology including smartphones, tablets, eReaders, and both Windows 8 and 10.

See back page for more information.

Classes will be ended on December 12 and will return on January 9.



CUGR Calendar

CUGR Meeting
Meeting Dec 19, at Redding Library in the Community Meeting Room.

Sign in at the Greeting Table and pick up your name tag and please leave it in the Tag Box when you leave. Also please stay and help reset the tables to the Library's original arrangement.

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GENERAL MEETINGS
at the Redding Library
1100 Parkview Ave, off Cypress
OFFICIAL WEBSITE IS:
<http://cugr.apcug.org/>
For more information call a member listed on Page 2.

\$\$\$ 50/50 Cash Raffle! \$\$\$ CUGR Drawing in December 19, 2017

The "50/50" stands for whatever cash is raised will be split between two ticket holders.

Tickets sell for \$5 each, or 3 tickets for \$10. **And you need not be present to win.** Be certain to print your name and phone number on

the part of the ticket(s) that Jane will use for the drawing. And be sure to keep the stub for proof if your ticket is pulled.

Tickets may be bought during all meetings up to time of drawing, or during any of Jane Quinn's

classes, or by mailing a check to Jane. If you mail the money to her, Jane will assign ticket or tickets with your name and hold them for you until the drawing on **December 19, 2017.**

jqquinn7427@gmail.com, phone: 365-0825
(By the way, the Quinns are not participating in the drawing.)
There are no door prizes during the Christmas Party.

Good Luck to all!

Club Information

Club Website: <http://cugr.apcug.org/>

Club Mentors & Sponsors

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New Users, Free Library PC Classes,.....
Spread Sheets.....

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Help With Refreshments

The club is providing cookies and coffee at our meetings, but we need volunteers to pick up these items at the store on their way to the library. The club will pre-pay the person on duty for the following month. Jane Quinn, 365-0825.

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Requirements are:

1. Advertiser must be a member.
2. The item must be computer-related.
3. The ad must be received by editor J. Ball by the *monthly date of the board meeting*. Sorry, no exceptions.

Other terms must be approved by the club's Board of Officers and Directors.

Article Submissions: All articles and reviews must be submitted to J. Ball by the **Monday of the monthly Board meeting** (see Page 1 for date.) Sorry, no exceptions.

Motherboard Editor reserves the right to make corrections and deletions in all articles in the interest of grammar, style, and space.

President's Message

It's your club. Your input is of value to it.

Frank's presentation was so much fun. He brought devices for us to examine, including a drone, a pocket size 360% camera, and even a digital phonograph player. It gave us an insight as to how things have changed so much in the past few years. This phonograph player can be controlled by an App from a smartphone. Plus, a USB can be inserted to capture the music files. Wow. So much simpler. (Judi Ball said she did most of her music with her USB phonograph.)

We did discuss the services Crown Camera can provide in addition to the great deals that are ongoing through this holiday season. Take a look at the savings in reduced prices. The D7200 wi-fi ready Nikon with a Dual Zoom lens and a lens kit, including a travel case, plus a class on "fundamentals of photography" is \$999.95, an instant \$550 savings. This is just one item that caught my eye.

Crown Camera also produces personalized Christmas Cards. So, shop there for this year's holiday gifts. Again, we learned a lot from Frank, and are grateful he supports our club, even though he was not feeling up to par.

While waiting for Frank to arrive, we had a workshop of sorts. It was great. All brought out their different smart phones and together we troubleshooted problems. A simple example: where to find forward on a text message using a T-mobile smartphone? It's on the top line, along with the other icon tools, but this is simply an Arrow. Unlike a PC, there's no option to float your mouse across the icon for a description of it. However, TOGETHER, we will overcome this new generation of devices. I am determined to share and teach what I know and continue to learn.

See you all the Christmas Party! I'm already getting hungry thinking back to last year's spread.

Jane Quinn

Editor's Corner

This month our meeting is on the 19th, therefore I do not have time to complete a full newsletter, so I hope this will be okay for all members this month.

Be safe traveling. Merry Christmas and hope to see you at the party!

Judi Ball

November Meeting



Congratulations To Our Winners!



*Jerry Hurley
won the
Selfie-Stick!*



*Fred Skill
won the
Character
Mouse!*

**General CUGR
2017 & 2018
Library Community Rm.
Meeting Schedule
3 to 5 PM**

**Dec 19. 3pm - 5 pm
Jan 23, 3 pm – 5 pm
Feb 26, 3 pm – 5 pm**

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Why Join A Computer Group?

1. Benefit from a common interest in a personal (and costly) investment: Your business or personal computer.
2. Enjoy more of that investment by learning more about it.
3. Share tips and tricks, as well as new and old ideas.
4. Become exposed to a variety of new hardware and software without sales pressure.
5. Receive an informative monthly newsletter.
6. Have access to various club functions and all Special Interest Groups (SIGs).
7. Find out that no one needs to be alone and helpless with today's computer technology.

4th Tuesday Monthly Meetings Are At The Redding Library



1100 Parkview Ave.

**off Cypress and to the right of City Hall.
We will be in the Community Room,
which is inside to the left of the main
library door.**

Computing For Seniors SIG

December, 2017

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at the Anderson Sr Center, 2081 Frontier Trail, 365 3254.**

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still work with photos and videos. There's always a question and answer period. If we can't come up with the answer, we will find it together. I say "we" because we do work as a unit, expanding our knowledge and helping each other. It's a walk-in format. I remain in the room after class to help anyone with their project or answer questions.

