General Meeting Wednesday, October 6, 2021 via Zoom

The first general meeting after the summer break of the Grand Computers Club was called to order at 2:00 pm via Zoom on Wednesday, October 6, 2021: President Bob Babicke presiding. There were 30 attendees, making a quorum.

The minutes of the May 5, 2021 meeting were approved as posted on the website.

REPORTS

President: Bob Babicke

- Coffee Chat Thursday, October 14, 2021 at 8:30 am via Zoom and in Pima Room
- General Meeting November 3, 2021 at 2 pm via Zoom (topic TBD)

CAM Mask Survey: There are currently no mask or vaccination mandates in SCG and clubs cannot require mandates. However, masks will be required for those attending events in SCG's theatres. CAM will be surveying all clubs' memberships (including GCC's 916 members) to better understand whether members want to wear masks during club activities.

Volunteer/Membership Recognition Event: An open house for all GCC members with special recognition for volunteers will be held November 13th, 2pm to 4pm in the Hopi and Pima rooms. A survey will be emailed soon to the GCC membership to determine attendance.

Treasurer: Debbie Meyer

As of 10/1/2021

 Income :
 \$ 1,143.27

 Expenses:
 \$ 576.09

 Checking Balance:
 \$ 9,055.50

 Account balance:
 \$ 42,314.64

\$25,000 is maintained in reserves.

Membership: Nancy Collins

As of 9/30/2021 there are 916 paid members with 17 new members and 72 renewals. 78 members attended sessions. It is important that SIG leaders report their meeting and session counts if they're not using Zoom.

Education: Marie Frasca

Marie reviewed the fall class schedule dates and said this year instructors will have the opportunity to hold classes in-person (in the classroom), on-line via Zoom and as a hybrid (utilizing both classroom and Zoom). She appealed to the membership for

volunteers to serve as instructors and assistants. She said many instructors are doubling up due to lack of volunteers.

Monitor: Susan Lucas

Currently there are 37 registered monitors with 9 currently active. These monitors covered 21 sessions in September. More monitors are needed. Club hours are 9am to 3:30pm, but there are no monitors for the 9am to 12:30 pm shift. Susan would like to open the club for more hours.

New Technologies: Tom Shepherd per Bob Babicke

Bob reported that Tom will be absent for a couple of months and is unable to lead New Tech. He is looking for a substitute and if one cannot be found the October topic will be canceled. Dan Wallen volunteered to host Zona Wyyerd's presentation on Fiber Optics that will be held November 18th at 3:30 in the Sonora Plaza.

PRESENTATION

Education Director, Marie Frasca, presented "Fall Classes and Education Program."

Meeting adjourned at 4:00 pm.

Secretary

Joan Hendricks