



Endeavour News

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President's Report,

We were lucky that our last month's meeting was rain free, not like the previous Sunday which was a washout.

We started the meeting with a minute's silence out of respect to Jim Jacobs and Bedes wife who had sadly passed away. Those who wish to go to Jims funeral and wake, it will be held on Wednesday 27th March at 10.30am, at the Audley Dancehall in the Royal National Park adjacent to the Audley weir, dress for a colourful celebration.

Last month's guest speaker was Danielle from the Cronulla branch of the organisation - Be Connected, a not-for-profit community based organisation operating since 1965. They provide services that focus on a person's abilities and needs. They were formerly known as Neighbourhood Aid and aim to help those living at home with numerous activities and outings. It is linked with My Aged Care and receives funding to keep costs down for its members.

There are branches at Cronulla, Jannali, Caringbah and Miranda. On their website www.beconnected.org.au near the top of their home page there is an item 'What's on', if you click on it a new page will appear where you can see all the activities available at each branch for the current and next month and their costs.

Walter Skarschewski
-President

The next General Meeting of the Endeavour Seniors Computer Club will be held on **15th APRIL 2019 at 10 a.m.**

At the Sylvania Heights Community Centre
"WHITE HALL"
288 Box Road, Sylvania.



The Club's General Meetings
are held on the **3rd Monday** of
the month, at the
Sylvania Heights
Community & Youth Club,
288 Box Road, Sylvania
10 am Start

\$4 Entry for Members and \$5 Visitors
Coffee and Tea from 9.30am

NOTICE BOARD



Dates for your Diary: APRIL 2019

General Meeting Mon 15th April 10am

Guest speaker: Matthew from MICROSOFT who will highlight new accessibility features in Windows 10 and Office 365 and more.

Please note

If at any time, you are at the Training rooms and notice a problem with electrical cables or anything that could cause a safety problem would you please notify your Tutor or somebody on the committee.

Thank you, as your safety is our first concern.

Dates for your Diary: MAY 2019

General Meeting Mon 20th MAY 10am

Guest speaker: To be announced

18th March 2019 Meeting

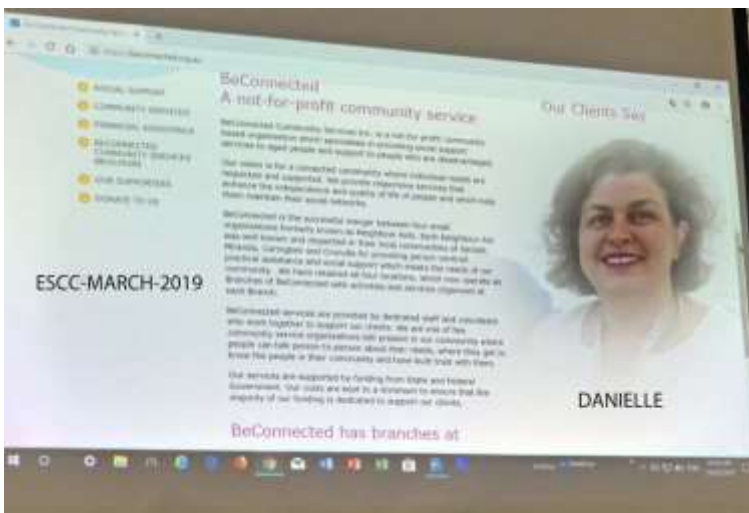
Members attended: 41

Joined at Meeting 0

Visitors: 1

Total at meeting: 42

New Members: 0



REPLAY CONNECTING GENERATIONS WEBCAST by "Be Connected" recorded on 1st March 10am till 12noon (esafety/connecting-generations)

To be replayed at The Club Training room address: Port Hacking Community Centre, 184 Gannons Road, Caringbah South. On Fridays 29th March and 5th April from 10am till 12noon Bring note pad and pen.

This is free to members of the Club. Please have your Club membership number ready when booking with Joseph, 0419462482.

Vale Jim Jacobs

It is with sadness we announce the passing of Jim Jacobs on the 10th March. Jim was a foundation member and past president of the computer club. He greatly contributed to the club over many years.

Should you wish to celebrate Jim's life a commemoration will be held at Audley Dancehall Royal National Park. Dress for a colourful celebration.

10:30am, Wed 27 March. Ceremony then Wake. Picaluna Funerals (02) 9191 5006

You can now pay your ESCC Fees by Bank Transfer.

Acct Name: ESCC

BSB: 032250

Acct: 193446

Ref: Membership Number + Surname

What are your phones IEMI number and why you should know it?

The IEMI also known as **International Mobile Station Equipment Identity** is a unique number given to a mobile phone. The IEMI number can be found inside the phone or alternatively you can view the **IEMI** number by typing in ***#06#** on your mobile phone keypad.

The IEMI number is used to identify if a mobile handset has been stolen. For example, if a mobile phone is stolen the owner can call your network provider and get the phone barred, therefore making it unable to be used.

Finding your IEMI number

- You can find your IEMI number by typing ***#06#** on the keypad of your handset. This will show the IMEI number of the handset you are using.
- Or, on most devices, if you can remove the battery and it will be printed on a label on the handset.
- It may also be displayed within the settings menu.
- On some phones it may be printed on the back.

New Major Microsoft Windows 10 Update

Microsoft is expected to release the next major "feature" update to Windows 10 in April. Microsoft releases two major updates per year – one around March and the other around September.

The version number of the new update will be 1903 (2019, 3rd month) even though the release will be in April.

The update will be a large one and will probably takes a couple of hours (or more) to update and install. The time will depend on your internet download speed and on the speed of your computer.

Based on previous major updates the automated process should be in three parts:

1. Download from the Microsoft server
2. Installation of the update onto your computer
3. Configuration of the update to Windows 10 on your computer

Your computer will probably go through several reboots during this process so don't be concerned if you see a blank screen

You are advised not to turn your computer off during this process. Likewise, if you are updating on a laptop it is advisable to connect to a power source during the process.

The update will be automatically downloaded and installed on your computer.

Microsoft releases these "feature" updates at stages throughout the world. In that way the Microsoft servers will not be overloaded by everybody downloading at once. So, the update, although released in April, may take a month or so until it is downloaded into your computer.

In addition to these two "feature" updates Microsoft regularly releases cumulative updates during the year.



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Computer Lessons available to members of the Club:

WINDOWS 7, 8 and 10:

2x2 hour lessons + notes, Cost \$36.00, Day and time by appointment, Laptops welcome
Telephone Peter Day or Carol Bagshaw

BASIC INTERNET, EMAIL:

2x2 hour lessons. Cost \$32.00, Day and time by appointment, Laptops welcome
Telephone Peter Day, Carol Bagshaw or Val Osborne

DIGITAL IMAGING, SCANNING AND PHOTO ENHANCEMENT:

1x2 hour lesson + CD provided, Cost \$16.00, Tuesday 10am-12pm. Bring your own photos.
Telephone Miriam McAtee

MICROSOFT WORD: Document creation

2x2 hour lessons, Cost \$32.00, Thursday, 10am-12pm, Laptops welcome
Telephone Carol Bagshaw

MICROSOFT EXCEL: Spreadsheets

2x2 hour lessons + notes, Cost \$36.00, Thursday, 10am-12pm, Laptops welcome
Telephone Carol Bagshaw

MICROSOFT POWERPOINT: Presentations

2x2 hour lessons, Cost \$32.00, Thursday, 10am-12pm, Laptops welcome
Telephone Carol Bagshaw

FACEBOOK: Facebook security, How to navigate site, Photo uploads.

1x2 hour lesson, Cost \$16.00, Mondays, time by appointment
Telephone Helen Cantrill

Apple iPad, iPod and iPhones:

1x2 hour lesson, Cost \$16.00, Wednesday, 10am-12pm.
Telephone Ruth Bingham

ANDROID TABLET/PHONES:

1X2 hour lesson, Cost \$16.00, Monday, time by appointment
Telephone Helen Cantrill

FOLDERS & FILES: Learn how to put your photos and other work in order

1X2 hour lesson, Cost \$16.00, Day and time by appointment, Laptop welcome
Telephone Peter Day, Carol Bagshaw or Val Osbourne

COMPUTER MAINTENANCE:

1x2 hour lesson, Cost \$16.00, Day and time by appointment, Laptops welcome
Telephone Peter Day

COMPUTER EXPLORERS GROUP (COMEX): Discuss trends in computers and technology in general

Meets on 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month, Cost - \$5.00.
Telephone Peter Day 9527 4013

Important Note: Would all Trainees please ensure that they have installed all Microsoft Updates on their **Laptops** before bringing them to the Club Training Room for lessons.

TUTOR TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Carol Bagshaw: 9599-5270

Helen Cantrill: 9521-1777

Val Osborne: 9525-2929

Peter Day: 9527-4013 or Email: sozuga@bigpond.com

Ruth Bingham: 9525-1605 between 9am and 5pm or Email: ruth.bingham@gmail.com

Miriam McAtee: 9542-2558 between 9am and 4pm or Email: mcateemim@gmail.com

Services offered by the Club to members:

a) Copy vinyl records to CD

b) Photo slide presentations

Contact Val Osborne to make arrangements. Telephone: 9525-2929

The Club Training room address is: Port Hacking Community Centre

184 Gannons Road, Caringbah South.

Lessons must be paid for within 7 days of booking

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