

**Dear God, We pray that You will guide someone to find a cure for cancer in 2012 . In Jesus Name, Amen**

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**The Villages Computer Club** will meet at 1 p.m. Friday Jan 13th 2012 at Lake Miona Recreation Center. There will be a presentation by Paul Rabenold on How to set-up and use Skype to Call and See family and friends (all free).

Following the presentation will be refreshments, 50/50, door prizes and a problem solving session. If you have a computer problem you can't resolve, fill out the problem report form found at [thevillagescomputerclub.com](http://thevillagescomputerclub.com) and bring it to the meeting.

We will start to collect VCC membership dues this week. It will go quickly but to help bring a \$5 bill and your Villages ID card. This will help speed things up, however we will accommodate whatever currency you have.

We are looking forward to another year of great presentations, giving you excellent technical solutions and good fellowship.

There will be a short survey so we can get some feedback from the membership about the club. See [survey example](#) .

If you have any questions, email TVCC.Pres@gmail.com.

Last week's meeting at La Hacienda was our first meeting of 2012 and we have a large crowd. We had lots of interest in Skype. There were lots of questions so many we could not get to all of them. So if you did not get your question answered last week come to this week's meeting and ask it. We will try to leave more time since this seems to be a popular subject.

We will also have a special announcement about our auction that will take place on Jan 20th.

See you at the Lake Miona meeting on Friday. Paul

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**The Villages Computer Club - Special Meeting on iPad, iPhone, IOS**

**Monday Feb 13, 2012, 1 PM. At Laurel Manor in the Washington/Jefferson Rooms.**

**We will be discussing iPad Basics, iTunes, iPhone, IOS and apps. A few of you have sent me apps, but I need more to pass on at the meeting. Please email me a few of your favorite apps to pass on. If you have any questions, let me know.**

**Thanks,  
Art Fenn [emptyvcc@gmail.com](mailto:emptyvcc@gmail.com)**

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#### **Connect to an Available Wireless Network**

**When you connect your computer to a network by using an Ethernet cable, Win 7 automatically creates the network connection. To connect to a wireless network for the first time, YOU need to make the connection.**

#### **Connect to an Available Wireless Network**

**1. In the notification area look for either a single monitor screen or a stack of reeds toy. This will be the icon for the wireless connection. Click that icon to open the wireless network box where there will be a list of wireless networks that are available. If the network says Secured, it means you must enter a wep or wpa code before you can connect.**

**2. There may also be a box to click to show Available Wireless Networks. you should recognize your own wireless network since you set it up.**

**3. Click the wireless network to which you wish to connect, then click the Connect button. If necessary enter the WEP or WPA password.**

**4. In Win 7 each network profile includes these settings:**

**a. Network discovery - can the computer see and be seen by other computers connected to the same network.**

**b. File and printer sharing - shows if network users can access files and printers you have shared.**

**c. Public folder sharing - shows if network users can access files stored in the Public folders in your computer.**

**d. Media streaming - shows if network users can access music, videos and pictures stored in your media library.**

**e. File sharing - shows the security requirements for devices that connect to your computer's file sharing connections.**

**f. Password-protected sharing - shows if files are available to any network user or only to users with user accounts in your computer.**

**g. HomeGroup connections - shows if only those with User Accounts can be joined to your homegroup.**

**Note: Network connection types and homegroups may not be available on a computer running an earlier version of Windows.**

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### **Copy and Paste Does not Work**

**When you highlight and select a document in MSWord or other word processor and then attempt to paste that to a different program such as Word Pad or an email, it just won't paste. It doesn't even copy it to the computers clipboard. What can you do?**

**Solution:**

**Restart your computer.**

**There are all kinds of 'fixes' listed in Google but try the simplest first.**

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### **Kindle Fire**

**I received a Kindle Fire for Christmas from Charlie. Since there has been much teaching about the i things, but nothing so far about the Kindle. I'll be including some 'tips' as I learn about Kindle Fire. One caution...I'm sending out a few tips today on the Kindle, one of which is a link to the Video training for the Kindle...don't send me questions about the Kindle Fire until you've watched all of that video!!!!**

### **Kindle Support**

**[Click here: Amazon.com Help: Kindle Fire Support Videos](#)**

This is the very first thing you want to do with your kindle. The kindle even has a carousel similar to the AOL Carousel bar, except the Kindle's carousel doesn't look like the AOL carousel. It works about the same and that's a real plus for this device.Jmax

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# Eligibility to Redeem a Kindle Book Gift

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How to give and receive Kindle books as a gift.

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# Kindle Fire Connecting with Wi-Fi

To connect to Wi-Fi follow these simple steps:

1. Tap the Quick Settings icon in the top right hand corner of the Home screen.
2. Select Wi-Fi.
3. Ensure Wireless Networking switch is in the on position.

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**A little late for Christmas...but it made me think of all the many, many Troopers and Policemen who work to keep us safe. Their's is not often a pleasant job to do.**

**Please enjoy this short video clip of an Ohio State Trooper's Christmas ... very touching!!**

**This reminds us ... that Everything We Do has an affect on our fellow man!!**

**[View Video Clip Here!!](#)**

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### **STUDENT WHO OBTAINED 0% ON AN EXAM**

**I would have given him 100%**

Q1. In which battle did Napoleon die?

**\* his last battle**

Q2. Where was the Declaration of Independence signed?

**\* at the bottom of the page**

Q3. River Ravi flows in which state?

**\* liquid**

Q4. What is the main reason for divorce?

**\* marriage**

Q5. What is the main reason for failure?

\* **exams**

Q6. What can you never eat for breakfast?

\* **Lunch & dinner**

Q7. What looks like half an apple?

\* **The other half**

Q8. If you throw a red stone into the blue sea what it will become?

\* **It will simply become wet**

Q9. How can a man go eight days without sleeping ?

\* **No problem, he sleeps at night.**

Q10. How can you lift an elephant with one hand?

\* **You will never find an elephant that has only one hand..**

Q11. If you had three apples and four oranges in one hand and four apples and three oranges in other hand, how many fruits do you have ?

\* **Very large hands**

Q12. If it took eight men ten hours to build a wall, how long would it take four men to build it?

\* **No time at all, the wall is already built.**

Q13. How can you drop a raw egg onto a concrete floor without cracking it?

\* **Any way you want, concrete floors are very hard to crack.**

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[http://www.youtube.com/watch\\_popup?v=Hzgzim5m7oU&vq=medium](http://www.youtube.com/watch_popup?v=Hzgzim5m7oU&vq=medium)

A short video but it makes you truly appreciate what you have that others don't have.

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Remember Martha Raye

**Most of the old time entertainers were made out of a lot sterner stuff than today's crop of activists and whiners. The following is from an Army Aviator friend who takes another trip down memory lane:**

**It was just before Thanksgiving '67 and we were ferrying dead and wounded from a large GRF west of Pleiku , Vietnam . We had run out of body bags by noon, so the Hook (*CH-47 CHINOOK*) was pretty rough in the back. All of a sudden, we heard a 'take-charge' woman's voice in the rear.**

**There was the singer and actress, Martha Raye, with a Special Forces beret and jungle fatigues, with subdued markings, helping the wounded into the Chinook, and carrying the dead aboard. 'Maggie' had been visiting her Special Forces 'heroes'.**

**We took off, short of fuel, and headed to the USAF hospital pad at Pleiku. As we all started unloading our sad pax's, a 'Smart-Ass' USAF Captain said to Martha.... Ms. Raye, with all these dead and wounded to process, there won't be time for your show!**

**To all of our surprise, she pulled on her right collar and said.....Captain, see this eagle? I am a full 'Bird' Colonel in the US Army Reserve and on this is a 'Caduceus' which means I am a Nurse, with a surgical specialty. Now take me to your wounded.**

**He said, yes ma'am.... Follow me.**

**Several times at the Army Field Hospital in Pleiku, she would cover a surgical shift, giving a nurse a well-deserved break.**

**Martha is the only woman buried in the Special Forces cemetery at Ft. Bragg .**

**Hand Salute!**