The Villages Computer Club will not meet on July 5th or July 12th. The next meeting will be July 19th at La Hacienda.

For information or to sign up to be on the VCC email list, visit the website or email Paul Rabenold at TVCC.Pres@gmail.com

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WARNING!!!
http://www.wftv.com/news/news/local/action-9-investigates-new-id-theft-tactic/nYcz6/

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Applications Run with Win 8

You should run the Compatibility Assistant for Win 8 before upgrading to Win 8 in order to learn which of your old apps will run on Win 8.

According to Microsoft, any software or applications currently working in Windows 7 will transition without upgrade to Windows 8. If you're using an older version of Windows, however, there are no guarantees.

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Classic Start (Win 8)
Do you miss that START icon?
https://ninite.com/

Press CTRL + above link.

Select Classic Start on the Utilities list. Download and RUN

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Desktop Background With Color Only in Win 8

Rightclick the desktop in a blank area and select Personalization.

Click Desktop Background and select the solid color you prefer.

Click Save Changes

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Win 8 Lock Screen Disabled

If you're not familiar with it, the lock screen is enabled after a Windows 8 PC is awoken from sleep mode. The lock screen often displays the current local weather, the time, and the number of emails waiting in your inbox.

To dismiss the lock screen, a user must close it with a click or drag up and away using the touch screen controls (assuming your PC contains touch screen hardware).

Only then will you be presented with a log-in prompt where you can enter your user name and password.

Some users might find the information presented by the lock screen useful, but for others it's just an annoying obstacle that decreases productivity.

<u>Disable Win 8 Lock Screen</u>

From the Windows 8 Start screen, hit the Windows key and 'R' at the same time. A run dialog box will then appear.

In that dialog box, type gpedit.msc and click 'OK.' You will then be presented with the Local Group Policy Editor.

Next, click on 'Computer Configuration,' 'Administrative Tools,' 'Control Panel,' and finally 'Personalization.'

You'll then be presented with a few options related to the lock screen. From this display you can change the lock screen image or completely disable the lock screen.

To disable the lock screen, simply double-click 'Do not display the lock screen.'

One last dialog box will then appear. Once it does, simply select 'Enabled' and then click 'OK.' (Keep in mind the wording here: you're 'enabling' 'Do not display the lock screen.')

Once you've changed these settings, you shouldn't see that annoying lock screen on your Windows 8 computer ever again!

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Win 8 Snipping Tool

Press the Windows key and start typing "Snipping Tool." The option to open the program will be offered to you simply by hitting the Enter key.

With this, you can take a snapshot of the entire screen if you desire. However, there is also the option to capture any "free form" section of the display screen or a simple rectangular area.

Once you've defined the area you want to capture, Snipping Tool saves that portion of the display image, and even lets you direct the image to be saved any folder you wish. (Source: pcadvisor.co.uk)

Here's a quick guide on how to use the Snipping Tool:

- **Choosing Free Form Snip will allow you to drag the cursor to define and capture any irregular part of the screen.**
- **Choosing Rectangular Snip will allow you to drag the cursor to define any size rectangular area to capture.**
- **Choosing Windows Snip will allow you to select any open window, such as a browser window or a dialogue box (instant message, etc.) and capture its contents.**
- **Choosing Full-Screen Snip will allow you to capture the entire screen (same as Print Screen).**

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Microsoft Account Remove Email Account

How do I remove an account?

1. On Start, tap or click Mail.
2. Swipe in from the right edge of the screen, and then tap Settings. (**If you're using a mouse, point to the upper-right corner of the screen, move the mouse pointer down, and then click Settings**.)
3. Tap or click Accounts.
4. Tap or click the account you want to remove.
5. At the bottom, tap or **click Remove account.**
This removes the account from Mail, but doesn't delete the original account or messages. You'll still be able to get to them through a browser or other mail app. If you remove the account you used to set up Mail, that removes all of your accounts from Mail, Calendar, People, and Messaging.

Removing your Microsoft account (the account you use to sign in to Windows) is a different process. That account is required to use Mail, and removing it will remove all of your accounts from Mail, Calendar, Messaging, and People. You might want to stop downloading messages for that one account instead of removing it.

To stop syncing your mail
1. On Start, tap or click Mail.
2. Swipe in from the right edge of the screen, and then tap Settings. (If you're using a mouse, point to the upper-right corner of the screen, move the mouse pointer down, and then click Settings.)
3. Tap or click Accounts.

4. Tap or click the account you want.
5. Under Download new email, tap or click Manual .

AOL Unified INBOX or NEW/OLD View

Click here: AOL Mail
IF you switched to the new Unified Inbox, you can switch back to the New/Old view:

1. Click Keyword and type in MAILBOX SWITCH
2. Click GO
3. Click the Switch to NEW/OLD button.
You will receive a prompt that, "Your mailbox has changed back to New/Old.
4. Sign off AOL, close the AOL program and then Restart AOL and sign online and you should see the list.

Note: Read email in the old view NEW/OLD is kept in the NEW Mail only a limited number of days.

If you switch to the Unified Inbox view, your email will remain in the New Mail even though read, until YOU delete it.
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PEARL HARBOR - interesting What GOD did that day!

Tour boats ferry people out to the USS Arizona Memorial in
  Hawaii every thirty minutes

We just missed a ferry and had to wait thirty minutes..
  I went into a small gift shop to kill time. In the gift shop, I
  purchased a small book entitled, "Reflections on Pearl Harbor
"
  by Admiral Chester Nimitz.

Sunday, December 7th, 1941-- Admiral Chester Nimitz was
  attending a concert in Washington D.C.   He was paged and
told there
was a phone call for him.

When he answered the phone, it was President Franklin Delano
  Roosevelt on the phone. He told Admiral Nimitz that he
(Nimitz) would
  now be the Commander of the Pacific Fleet.

Admiral Nimitz flew to Hawaii to assume command of the
Pacific
  Fleet. He landed at Pearl Harbor on Christmas Eve, 1941.
There
  was such a spirit of despair, dejection and defeat--you would
have thought
  the Japanese had already won the war.

On Christmas Day, 1941, Adm. Nimitz was given a boat tour of
  the destruction wrought on Pearl Harbor by the Japanese..

Big sunken battleships and navy vessels cluttered the waters

every where you looked.

As the tour boat returned to dock, the young helmsman of the
  boat asked, "Well Admiral, what do you think after seeing all
this
  destruction?"

Admiral Nimitz's reply shocked everyone within the sound of
  his voice. Admiral Nimitz said, "The Japanese made three of
the
  biggest mistakes an attack force could ever make, or God was
taking care of
  America . Which do you think it was?"

Shocked and surprised, the young helmsman asked, "What do
  mean by saying the Japanese made the three biggest mistakes
an attack force
  ever made?"

Nimitz explained:

Mistake number one:

the Japanese attacked on Sunday morning. Nine out of
  every ten crewmen of those ships were ashore on leave. If those same
  ships had been lured to sea and been sunk--we would have lost 38,000 men
  instead of 3,800.

Mistake number two:

When the Japanese saw all those battleships lined in a row,
  they got so carried away sinking those battleships, they never once bombed
  our dry docks opposite those ships. If they had destroyed our dry
  docks, we would have had to tow every one of those ships to America to be
  repaired. As it is now, the ships are in shallow water and can be
  raised. One tug can pull them over to the dry docks, and we can have
  them repaired and at sea by the time we could have towed them to
  America . And I already have crews ashore anxious to man

those ships.

Mistake number three:

Every drop of fuel in the Pacific theater of war is in top of
  the ground storage tanks five miles away over that hill. One attack
  plane could have strafed those tanks and destroyed our fuel supply.

That's why I say the Japanese made three of the biggest
  mistakes an attack force could make
or
God was taking care of America ...

I've never forgotten what I read in that little book. It
  is still an inspiration as I reflect upon it.

In jest, I might suggest that because Admiral Nimitz was a
  Texan, born and raised in Fredricksburg , Texas --he was a
born optimist.

But anyway you look at it--Admiral Nimitz was able to see a
  silver lining in a situation and circumstance where everyone

else saw

only despair and defeatism.

President Roosevelt had chosen the right man for the right
  job. We desperately needed a leader that could see silver
linings in
  the midst of the clouds of dejection, despair and defeat.

There is a reason that our national motto is, IN GOD WE TRUST
Why have we forgotten that?
PRAY FOR OUR COUNTRY!

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You have the option for a .pdf or a .rtf file.

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VLGSClassifieds@aol.com. Put SUBSCRIBE in the subject line. To send an Ad,
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4. The Villages Computer Club's web page: Click here: Welcome To The Villages
Computer Club
To add your name to the VCC announcements list, send email to TheVCC-
subscribe@yahoogroups.com

5. Fred Benson's website www.thevillagescomputerbasics.com