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CLUB BYTES



"friends helping friends"

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How many people encounter scams at least weekly via:

Email: 65% Phone: 53% SMS 50% **Social Media** 47% Messaging 40% **Buying / Selling** 36% FYI, "Emily from Glassdoor" is a scam!

Ad related malware is

pervasive!

62% of the people in the **US** have experienced ad related malware.

Membership

The Club has 301 households with 511 individual members. New members since the last newsletter are:

Ora Pitts Jean Varney Daniel Bramos Janan Moussa **Larry Rogers Marilyn Aldrich Tim Powell**

Current Software

Windows 10 22H2 build .6456 Windows 11 25H2 build .6901 MAC OS Sequoia 16.1 Mac OS Tahoe 26.0.1 iPhone iOS 26.0.1 iPad OS 26.0.1 **iWatch OS 26.0.2**

November 11th meeting

Our guest speaker will be Fillmore Bowen who will discuss cyber / internet / phone / device security! Fillmore has joined us before and always gives a very interesting presentation.

Later, we will be voting on a few bylaw changes. Among those changes will be one to shorten the term for board members to one year (it had been 3 years). Then we will elect and install the new board members for 2026.

October 14th **Meeting Recap**

Larry Java showed some very convincing videos on scamming, ransomware, identifying scam emails, texts, and social media. How to identify a scam and avoid them.

Larry provided copies with his presentation and sent it out to all members. Take time to watch the videos if you were unable to attend the meeting.

December 9th Holiday Meeting! Lots of Food, **Prizes and Some Auctions!**

This holiday celebration will again be filled with good food, door prizes, silent auctions!

Bring a Dish to Share!

Then we will have a video from Ask Leo!

Get an extra year of Windows 10 support for free!

- Make sure your PC is up to date.
- Make sure you are using an administrator account. (You can check under **Settings > Your Info.)**
- 3. Verify that your PC is not eligible to upgrade to Windows 11.
- **Enroll in Extended Security** Updates (Sign up for ESU by selecting Update and **Security from the settings** menu. Click the "Enroll Now" sign-up link.

If you have any questions contact the shop.