

Computer Club Spring 2025 Presentations

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	Date	Topics	Presenter	Q & A	Break	Topics	Presenter	Q & A	Opt Q & A
13	04/02/25	Turn a PowerPoint into a YouTube video	Sandy			Plus, creating Google My Maps	Sandy	ends at 3:30	to 4 pm max.
14	04/16/25	How to take AI to a more creative or useful level	Ed Heller			How to take AI to a more creative or useful level	Ed Heller	ends at 3:30	to 4 pm max.
15	05/07/25	SharePoint review	Dave			Understanding Social Media--Instagram, YouTube, TikTok, X	Roberta	ends at 3:30	to 4 pm max.
16	05/21/25	All things Sam--a potpourri of useful things	Sam			And including, How to download video from the internet	Sam	ends at 3:30	to 4 pm max.

Turn a PowerPoint into a YouTube Video

The spring season kicks off with a session on transforming static presentations into dynamic videos. Members learn how to enhance their PowerPoint slides with animations, insert YouTube videos, music and morph transitions, then convert them into YouTube-ready videos—an essential skill for educators, businesses, and content creators alike. Presented by Sandy Troy Pennington, Apr 2.

Creating Google My Maps

Next, the club ventures into the world of custom mapping with Google My Maps. Attendees discover how to create personalized maps for carpooling, travel, business locations, or historical documentation, adding layers, markers, and routes to visualize their data in new and interactive ways. Presented by Sandy Troy Pennington, Apr 2.

How to Take AI to a More Creative or Useful Level

With AI becoming an indispensable tool, this session focused on harnessing its power beyond simple queries. Members explore ways to use AI for creative projects like writing, design, music, and automation, as well as practical applications for boosting productivity and organization. Presented by Ed Heller, both sessions, Apr 16.

SharePoint Review

Returning to the fundamentals of collaboration, the Club took a dive into SharePoint. Members revisit its document management capabilities, learn about features, and explore best practices for team collaboration. Presented by Dave Henderson, May 7.

Understanding Social Media—Instagram, YouTube, TikTok, X

In today's digital age, social media literacy is essential. This session provides an overview of popular platforms—Instagram, YouTube, TikTok, and X (formerly Twitter)—teaching members how to navigate, engage, and create content while staying mindful of privacy and security settings. Presented by Roberta Atkinson, May 7

All Things Sam—A Potpourri of Useful Things

A highlight of the season was an eclectic session led by club favorite, Sam. Covering a wide array of tech tips, shortcuts, and hidden gems, this presentation became a treasure trove of useful information, ensuring everyone left with something new to explore. Presented by Sam DuPont, May 21.

How to Download Video from the Internet

The season wraps up with a practical session on downloading videos from the web. Members learn about legal and ethical considerations, explore tools for saving online content, and discover ways to store and organize their video collections for offline use.