

SEMINARS at Raleigh SeniorNet

BUYING A COMPUTER – Is your current computer tired, running slow? Are you ready for the latest and greatest? Do you need to know what the latest and greatest might be? Not sure if you need 80GB or 120 GB? Do you even know what a GB is? Laptops, desktops, DVDs, CDs, Flash Drives, USB ports – none of it makes sense. Answers to these questions and more – Attend this seminar and go home with a wealth of computer buying information.

TRAVEL PLANNING USING THE INTERNET – Ready to get out of town? Ready to see a little of this country or the rest of the world? Let your fingers help find the best places to visit, the best places to stay, the best ways to get there, and most importantly, the best prices for the entire trip. Use the keyboard and the Internet to plan your trip. This seminar will help you plan your trip and you can do it right from home.

SAFE COMPUTING – Learn how to keep your computer system clean. Get rid of SPAM, Viruses and Spyware. Clear out all those old, unused files and stuff that clutters your system. Learn how to keep your computer system secure. Do you have a Firewall? Is your virus software up-to-date? Is all your valuable information backed-up? Will I get my pictures back if they are deleted? This seminar will help you understand safe computing and get those questions answered.

SOCIAL NETWORKING - Not too long ago people kept up with their families and friends on the front porch, over the fence in the backyard, or by "snail mail". Families usually lived close by. Today life is very different. The need to stay close to people has not gone away. One of the newest ways to keep track is using Social Networking applications on the Internet. Applications like FACEBOOK allows you to keep up with all the people you care about as well as photos and videos of your children and grandchildren. Many people have linked up with long lost friends. This seminar will teach you methods to find those friends from high school and college days and connect with them.

ABC's of DIGITAL CAMERAS – You want a new digital camera and are not sure what to buy. Maybe you have a digital camera and not sure how to use all the new features. Or maybe you just want to make sure you take the best possible picture to preserve those special moments. This seminar will help in all those areas.

SKYPE - Now you can see those grand kids while you talk to them. Not only talk to them, but see those special little and big faces light up with joy when they can also see your face as you talk. Learn how to set up a live video phone connection from your computer to another computer with a video camera (a webcam and Skype free software).

MAKING GREETING CARDS on YOUR COMPUTER – One of the joys is to receive a personalized greeting card from a friend or loved one. One made just for you. You can make those special cards for the special people in your life. Attend this seminar and learn how. You will be surprised how easy it can be.

BUYING & SELLING – E-Bay / CraigsList - A lot of real deals can be available buying and selling on the Internet. What is the best way to do this? What pitfall should you be aware of? How to get the best deal safely? Come to this seminar – you will learn a lot about buying and selling on the Internet.