



To Update or Not?

Q: How can I undo a change made by Microsoft Update? Should I continue to install all the Critical Updates, even if I'm not sure I need them?

A. Generally, a Microsoft Update should not harm your system. If you do notice problems after installing a Microsoft Update package, you can always uninstall a specific download, use Device Driver Roll Back to uninstall a specific driver, or use System Restore to return all system and application settings back to their previous state

To uninstall update packages:

1. Click Start, click Control Panel, and click Add or Remove Programs.
2. Click Change or Remove Programs:
3. Click the Update you wish to remove, and then click Change/Remove.

To roll back drivers:

1. Click Start, and then click Control Panel. Click Performance and Maintenance, and then click System. On the Hardware tab, click Device Manager.
2. Double-click the device for which you want to restore the driver.
3. Click the Driver tab, and then click Roll Back Driver.

Note: Before installing update, write down it's name, then if you decide later to uninstall it, you'll know what to look for.

Medical Leave for Steve Jobs

Steve Jobs, (Apple's CEO), used the Jan. 17 Martin Luther King holiday, when stock markets were closed, to announce that he would take "a medical leave of absence so I can focus on my health."

The news raised speculation that Jobs' pancreatic cancer, first diagnosed in 2003, had returned, or that he was suffering complications from a liver transplant he underwent in 2008.

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Moving Woes

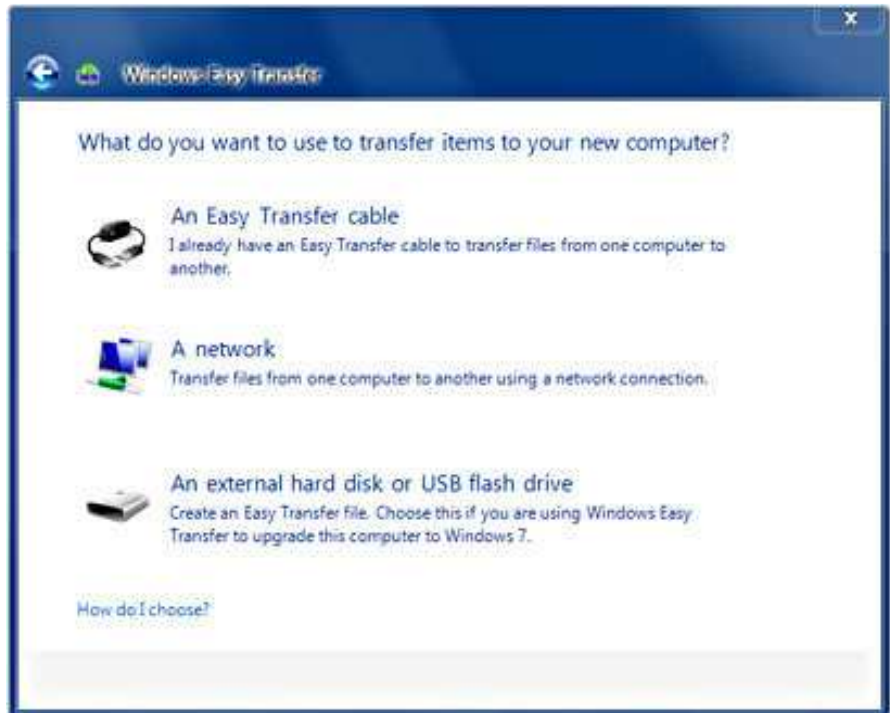
Windows Easy Transfer makes it easier to migrate important files to a new PC

Moving to a new PC or installing a new operating system on the one you have is a lot easier with this tool. **Windows Easy Transfer** will copy your files and settings to an external drive and move them back. (Download XP or Windows 7 version, depending on your system – it's FREE*).

In Windows 7, Windows Easy Transfer lives up to its name. Redesigned to be more reliable and helpful, it takes the hassle out of migrating important files, e-mail, pictures, and settings from your old PC

Windows Easy Transfer now includes a new file explorer so you can easily choose exactly which files to copy to your new PC. And if Windows finds a file or setting it can't work with, your transfer won't hang up—it will finish and give you a full report of anything that didn't migrate. Windows Easy Transfer makes it easier to migrate important files to a new PC, and it's FREE.

(*Type "Windows Easy Transfer" in Google and it will direct you to Easy Transfer download.)



Where Did it Go?

Q. What happened to the WinIPConfig utility to check and set my Internet protocol (IP) address?

A. WinIPConfig has been made part of the individual network connection dialog box, so a separate tool is no longer required. To configure connections, in Control Panel, open Network Connections, double-click the individual connection (or right-click it and click Status), and then click the Support tab. The Repair command performs the same functions as the Release and Renew commands in WinIPConfig. You can also type ipconfig at the Command Prompt, if you prefer to use a command line interface.

Minutes of January 18th Meeting

Submitted by Vice Pres. Lynn Fehr

(Secretary, Dee Hindman was unable to attend)

Open Meeting & Minutes

Bill called the meeting to order at 7:10 PM. Since every member had read the minutes a motion was made by Lynn Fehr to dispense with the reading of the minutes. The motion was seconded and carried by the 8 members present.

Absent Members

We missed the following members who were not in attendance at the January meeting:

Tammy Cooper, Dean & Pat Cumpston, Joe Cavallaro 3rd, Esther Edie, Art Foley, Dee Hindman Roland Lynch, and Lem McIntosh

Treasury Report

Treasurer's Report was given by Mary Alice Fehr showing a balance of \$978.32. Joe mentioned that the figures she announced were less than figures given him earlier for publication in the newsletter. It's possible that Mary Alice may not have reimbursed herself for the Building Use Fee for the Christmas Party. She was to look into this and report any correction.

Drawing & Projector Bulb

We proceeded with the monthly drawing. Joe split \$9.00 with the Treasury. Thanks to Bruce, we now have the new bulb installed in our electronic projector. The Club purchased the new bulb over the Christmas holiday break.

Picnic & Christmas Party Plans

William announced that Mary Alice & Lynn Fehr had reserved the New Horizon Presbyterian Church for the Club Picnic on Saturday June 4 and also for the Christmas Party on Saturday December 3. Everyone keep those dates open so you can attend these events.

Meeting Activity

There was a discussion on copying negatives, slides, and prints using a scanner and loading the pictures on an SD card.

We tested the new Fender Personal Sound System. The unit worked well with a hand-held mike as well as with the club's lapel mike once we got Bill untangled from the mike wire☺. The Club donated the old system to Joe Cavallaro. Thanks Joe for all the things you do and have done for the club. We couldn't get along without you.

Demo and Discussions

With no further business a motion was made to proceed with the night's program offered by President William Pennington on creating a PDF File. Motion was seconded and carried.

Following the demonstration Joe shared with the group the program he uses for creating a PDF file of our club newsletter each month. The program is free but will accept donations, (Shareware). If you are interested in the program it can be downloaded at **Bullzip.com**

Stick-Around Drawing

The meeting closed about 8:30, after 'Lucky Larry' won the 'Stick-Around' drawing for a Gold Dollar. It was a cold night! Thanks to the brave 8 members who attended.



From the Office of the President,

Wm. Pennington

I want to let you know that I will do the demo for this month on how to fill your ink. It is not that hard at all. The only thing is that it can get very messy if you do not watch how you fill it.

You have a black cartridge and a color cartridge. I find that the black is the easiest one to fill. The color is the one that I usually have trouble filling because you have three colors that have to be put into the color cartridge. The colors are magenta, blue, and yellow.

You have to follow the instructions by drilling the holes in the cartridge and put the needle into the proper hole with the right color ink to fill the cartridge up with the right amount of ink. Make sure that you do not over fill. It sure can get really messy. I am speaking from experience! Come and learn how to do this. I know that it is something that many may not know how to do.

Here is a computer quiz for you:

1. What does the term MIME stand for?
 1. Mail Internet Mail Exchange
 2. Mail Interleave Method Exchange
 3. Multipurpose Internet Mail Extensions
 4. Multipurpose Interleave Mail Exchange

2. The Intel Pentium bug/flaw was an issued with the:
 1. Cache
 2. FPU
 3. Socket
 4. There was no bug/flaw

3. What does the term IRQ stand for?
 1. Input Request Que
 2. Interrupt Request Que
 3. Interrupt Request
 4. Input Request

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4. A Cathode Ray Tube is found in what?

1. CPU
2. Printer
3. Monitor
4. Scanner

5. A CPU stands for what?

1. Central Power Unit
2. Certified Public Unit
3. Central Processing Unit
4. Certified Power Unit

6. A Computer Virus cannot be contracted by.

1. Floppy diskette
2. E-mail
3. Scanner
4. Internet Downloads

7. What is degauss?

1. Attachment for CPU
2. Creating magnetic media
3. Erasing magnetic media
4. Medical software

8. What is a cookie?

1. Cooking software
2. Web site
3. Internet information file
4. Hacker file

9. What is downloading?

1. Sending a file on the Internet
2. Retrieving a file on the Internet
3. Moving a file from a floppy
4. Scanning a picture

10. What is the capacity of a standard PC floppy?

1. 2MB
2. 1.44K
3. 1.44MB
4. 120MB

11. Which command lists files in MS-DOS?

1. cd
2. ls
3. dir
4. list

12. Which of the following is not an image file?

1. JPEG
2. GIF
3. TMP
4. BMP

The Answer to these questions:

1. 3 2. 2 3. 3 4. 3
5. 3 6. 3 7. 3 8. 3
9. 2 10. 3 11. 3 12. 3

You can look at this quiz and many more at www.computerhope.com

I sure hope to see you all at the meeting. William Pennington