



Orcas Island Library

Tech Made Simple

Free Classes for the Non-Tech Savvy

Every Tuesday, 10am-noon

August Class Schedule

Using the Internet with Web Browsers **August 8, 10am to noon**

This class will provide an understanding of how the internet works when you access it with your web browser, be it Safari, Chrome, IE or Firefox. Learn how to get the most out of your browser software to improve your surfing experience. We will discuss how to make the best use of it including stop pop-ups, use tabs, favorites, bookmarks and clear history. And we will touch on all sorts of wizardry in the technical world including terminology, websites, URLs, extensions and so forth. Offered for free at the Library, everyone is welcome. Presented by RockTech Trainers, these interactive classes designed for the 'non-tech savvy' are fun and informative! No sign up required.

Online Security and Password **Aug 15, 10am to noon**

This class will focus on forming good online habits which includes how to easily manage all those darn passwords. Learn how to create secure passwords and get tips on how to organize them. We will also discuss what to avoid online, how to spot security issues you may run across and how to secure yourself and your family from attacks. Malicious Software that tries to steal your computer and data, known as Malware, is on the rise. We will discuss malware prevention and response if you see something that does not look right. Offered for free, no sign up required, just come to the Library, everyone is welcome. Presented by RockTech Trainers, these interactive classes are fun and informative for the 'non-tech savvy'.

The Cloud and Back Ups **Aug. 22, 10am-noon)**

We hear about it every day, but what does it really mean and is the information I'm storing secure? This class will review the benefits and drawbacks of using cloud storage like iCloud or Google Drive. How much does it cost and is it worth it to me? We will look at ways to identify your needs so that you can use cloud storage effectively. We will also look at various data back up techniques including automatic "cloud" options. Offered for free, no sign up required, just come to the Library, everyone is welcome. Presented by RockTech Trainers, these interactive classes are fun and informative for the 'non-tech savvy'.

Streaming, Smart TVs and Remote Controls
Aug 28, 10am to noon

Do you have a Smart TV with a very complicated set of remote controls? In this class we will cover the basics of how to use that Smart TV to connect to the internet and 'stream' movies from a "content provider" like Netflix. All these confusing words will be demystified in this fun class to get the most out of your TV beyond cable and local news. Everyone is welcome. . Offered for free at the Library, no sign up required, just "come on down!" Presented by RockTech Trainers, these interactive classes designed for the 'non-tech savvy' are fun and informative.