MAC2 members and friends — Hello to everyone!

Our next meeting is:

December 3rd, 2019 — Tuesday
at Creative Source (location details below)
6:30 PM — Socializing, news and announcements
7:00 PM — Presentations begin

This month’s topic:

PERSONALIZED HOLIDAY GIFTS

How to use the Shutterfly website to create beautiful photo gifts such as calendars, photo books, coffee mugs, and much more to be presented by Rob Ellis

Some of the most appreciated gifts are those custom-made for the recipient, but wait, might that require a lot of time and talent? Not necessarily, and in the case of Shutterfly, definitely not. Just in time for Christmas and other holidays soon to arrive, on Tuesday, Rob will show how to easily create a variety of holiday gifts at home using the Shutterfly website. What new features does Shutterfly offer? How do you upload photos? How do you choose designs and manage your orders? We will look at email updates including links to reorder them directly from Apple Photos, learn how to choose from the exciting array of gift titles, how to use the website or iOS app to design the gifts, how to add text and decorations, how to preview your creation, how to order them, and in a nutshell, how to make truly personal presents that are bound to be more appreciated than fruitcake. Come learn to make gifts ever jolly and bright; merry meeting to all, and to all a good night.

Also, BACK TO BASICS

In this segment, we focus on more fundamental skills, to make life a little easier for those who are trying to learn how to use their Macs and iOS devices. This month:

HOW TO WIN THE RESOLUTIONARY WAR

i.e., how to keep the one New Year’s resolution you nearly always break to be presented by Al Risaliti

One of the most frequently-made New Year’s resolutions is to lose weight, and one of the most frequently-failed New Year’s resolutions is to lose weight. But there are solutions, and on Tuesday, Al will explain some weight loss strategies he has come up with that actually work, using a combination of software such as walk counters and calorie counters, a couple pieces of hardware including the Apple Watch, and more. We will also consider how big or small of a goal to set, and how to not set yourself up for failure. If losing weight is a resolution you’re likely to make, and likely to break, come join us on Tuesday for some help.

About the weather:

In these winter months, if the weather is particularly bad or road conditions are unsafe on the day of one of our monthly meetings, please try to check your email before you leave for the meeting. If a meeting is ever cancelled or postponed due to weather, we will send an email to the members listed on our mailing list.

OUR MEETING LOCATION:

Creative Source
4623 Everhard Rd NW
Canton, OH 44718
330-497-5556

DIRECTIONS:

Creative Source is located in the Belden Village area, in the small plaza at the intersection of Belden Village Street and Everhard Road. Within the plaza, it is to the right of PetPeople. For a map, along with options to get directions from anywhere, please click here.

About Creative Source: Creative Source is a provider of high-quality design, print ads, posters, and impressive large-scale banners, signs, displays and floor decals. For more information, visit their website at http://www.csforideas.com

FOR MEETING HIGHLIGHTS, SCHEDULES AND OTHER INFO, PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE:

http://www.mac2mug.org

On the first day of Christmas my true love gave to me a tutorial on how to use Shutterfly and hence the ability to make gifts with astonishing ease. Have yourself a merry little Christmas, let your heart be light, and please do join us on Tuesday. And feel free to bring a friend. See you there!

— Rob Ellis

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