MAC2 members and friends — Hello to everyone!

Our next meeting is:
May 7th, 2019 — Tuesday
at Creative Source (location details below)
6:30 PM — Socializing, news and announcements
7:00 PM — Presentations begin

This month’s topic:

PRODUCING YOUR OWN HOME VIDEOS IN IMOVIE

How to use iMovie (which is already on your Mac) to create spectacular-looking movies

to be presented by Roger Owens

Lights! Camera! Action! Macintosh! If you have forever wanted to make your own motion pictures, Tuesday’s meeting is for you. Whether or not your masterpiece leads to your becoming a household name with Scarlett Johansson and Leonardo DiCaprio at the Golden Globes — exactly, the journey is bound to be rewarding. On Tuesday, Roger will share how you can make it (as if, for example, you’d like to create simple music videos, document your kid’s parties or your vacation, or pitch your product. We will not cover how to import videos from various sources such as cameras, phones and pads, how to import clip art from Photos or Paint, and how to use special effects, transitions, titles and tracks. We will focus on how you can use iMovie to create YouTube videos, create simple music videos, document your kid’s parties or your vacations, create presentations, and share all this with friends. Armed with barely more than a Mac and perhaps an optional webcam or headset, all you need could turn your own everyday shooting hobby past, “Lights! Mr. DeMille, I’m ready for my close-up.” Even if you have not yet cast the hero, plotted that perfect chase scene or booked the helicopters, please do at least come gaze with us at the silver screen, i.e., the big white wall in our meeting room. And after making good use of what you have learned, we hope you can still see our best Regards to Scarlett and Leo.

Also,

BACK TO MAC 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. This month:

HOW TO DESIGN AND PRINT YOUR OWN CD / DVD LABELS

to be presented by Annette Davis

If you have music, memories, or movies (see above) which you burn to discs, you can make those discs look very good indeed. On Tuesday, Annette will share here all the online version of Avery Design & Print to create gorgeous disc labels, and covers for their jewel cases. Vivid designs, custom text, a variety of sizes, and Avery’s own line of disc labels will be featured. And Annette will show how to apply those gorgeous labels onto your CDs and DVDs, perfectly centered and without a wrinkle, using a very simple gizmo called CD Stomper.

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 Drive 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

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http://www.mac2mug.org

Whether it be vacation memories, a thriller, a romance, or a documentary about those tiny green men who your neighbor is convinced recently landed in his back yard, you can make your own motion pictures, and sink less time and work into making them than you might have guessed. Please join us on Tuesday to learn all about making movies on your Mac. And please feel free to bring a friend. See you there!

— Rob Ellis
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