

# The Bytes of Las Vegas

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Our editor is on vacation so this Bytes is for information that you might be interested in. For club details please see last month's issue.

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## **UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS**

### **SIGs (Special Meeting Groups)**

**Saturday Jan. 3, 10am to 4pm**

Helping Hands and How-to SIGs

Location: Las Vegas JC Park - Clubhouse,

5805 W. Harmon Ave, Las Vegas 89103.

Parking is available on both sides of clubhouse.

Nearest major intersection: Flamingo/Jones.

**Saturday, Jan. 10, 1pm to 4pm**

Novice SIG and

Software & Product Review SIG

Location: ITT Technical Institute, 3825 W.

Cheyenne Ave., North Las Vegas 89032

(between Decatur & Simmons).

You might be interested in free books.

<http://www.komando.com/downloads/2051/largest-collection-of-free-full-length-books-from-microsoft/all>

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Why can't I see pictures on websites

[Why can't I see pictures on websites? - Windows Help](#)

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*Why are pictures not showing in email?*

[https://askleo.com/why\\_dont\\_pictures\\_show\\_up\\_in\\_the\\_emails\\_i\\_send\\_or\\_receive/?awt\\_l=KGloZ&awt\\_m=lcRP5ZZ9KJdfbL](https://askleo.com/why_dont_pictures_show_up_in_the_emails_i_send_or_receive/?awt_l=KGloZ&awt_m=lcRP5ZZ9KJdfbL)

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How to remove Yahoo as Firefox's default search engine

[http://www.cnet.com/how-to/how-to-remove-yahoo-as-firefoxs-default-search-engine/?tag=nl.e214&s\\_cid=e214&ttag=e214&ftag=CAD3c77551](http://www.cnet.com/how-to/how-to-remove-yahoo-as-firefoxs-default-search-engine/?tag=nl.e214&s_cid=e214&ttag=e214&ftag=CAD3c77551)

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Does your computer have malware ?

[http://www.pcworld.com/article/2853703/does-your-computer-have-malware-here-are-the-telltale-signs.html#tk.nl\\_today](http://www.pcworld.com/article/2853703/does-your-computer-have-malware-here-are-the-telltale-signs.html#tk.nl_today)

ESET Online Scanner

<http://www.eset.com/us/online-scanner/>

House call

<http://housecall.trendmicro.com/?ClickID=bddylnnkdgImfgz1edssv6l1fuskenvmqvq>

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Do you need Windows 8 Pro ?

<http://www.howtogeek.com/131975/htg-explains-do-you-need-the-professional-edition-of-windows-8/>

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The Best Free Antivirus for 2015

[http://www.pcmag.com/article2/0,2817,2388652,00.asp?mailingID=2972E259281317304CCB00F8678E1668?mailing\\_id=1131188](http://www.pcmag.com/article2/0,2817,2388652,00.asp?mailingID=2972E259281317304CCB00F8678E1668?mailing_id=1131188)

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Smartphone Location Tracking: How to Turn (Some of) It Off

<https://www.yahoo.com/tech/smartphone-location-tracking-how-to-turn-some-105913909519.html><https://www.yahoo.com/tech/smartphone-location-tracking-how-to-turn-some-105913909519.html>

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Do I need everything installed by Microsoft Update

[https://askleo.com/need-everything-installed-microsoft-update/?awt\\_l=KGloZ&awt\\_m=lcRP5ZZ9KJdfbL](https://askleo.com/need-everything-installed-microsoft-update/?awt_l=KGloZ&awt_m=lcRP5ZZ9KJdfbL)

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Malware; should I get a new computer

[https://askleo.com/my\\_machines\\_full\\_of\\_malware\\_should\\_i\\_get\\_a\\_new\\_computer/?awt\\_l=KGloZ&awt\\_m=lcRP5ZZ9KJdfbL](https://askleo.com/my_machines_full_of_malware_should_i_get_a_new_computer/?awt_l=KGloZ&awt_m=lcRP5ZZ9KJdfbL)

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How to See Who's Connected to Your Wi-Fi Network

<http://www.howtogeek.com/204057/how-to-see-who%E2%80%99s-connected-to-your-wi-fi-network/>

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## Should You Reset Your Web Browser

[http://askbobrankin.com/should\\_you\\_reset\\_your\\_web\\_browser.html?awt\\_l=84Lg7&awt\\_m=IyJfXeCEWuP6SL](http://askbobrankin.com/should_you_reset_your_web_browser.html?awt_l=84Lg7&awt_m=IyJfXeCEWuP6SL)

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### **How-to workshop review Dec 6 2014**

We had a discussion about the following topics.

1. How to access the internet on a computer using the hot spot on a cell phone.
2. How to create a shortcut to go directly to your E-mail.
3. Can not install Service pack 1 on Windows 7.
4. Downloading movies.
5. How to send a draft while on a tablet.
6. How to move files and photos.
7. The use of malware programs like Malwarebytes.
8. Pop ups.
9. Keeping Java up to date if you use it.
10. Uninstall viewer.

### **Novice SIG review Dec 13 2014**

We had a discussion about the following topics.

1. Favorites, how to add one.
2. Internet options
  - a. delete history.
  - b. set history quantity.
  - c. days to a low number.
3. Run antivirus from a CD/DVD.
4. Use of Microsoft Safety Scanner.
5. Use of ESET online, antivirus, scanner