

Computer Team Meeting

5/27/21

Attendees: Melissa Pappas, Diane Anastos, Keri Levin, Youa Thao, Dan Thompson, Gary Laskowski, Terry Hogan, Richard Castonguay

PHA updates

Our Faronics license needs renewal. We still need to get a quote for the cost. Resident Initiatives will pay some of the costs. We need to find out what happens if we don't renew it.

Going back to just Deepfreeze is another option.

The Faronics we have now is a suite of programs that includes antivirus and access controls. Stand-alone Deepfreeze just prevents users from making permanent changes to the computer systems.

Please continue to fill out your monthly log sheet. Give the log sheet to the board at the Residents Council meeting each month. (Give it to the Treasurer in the summer.)

Wipes are available if you need them. If you haven't gotten your at your site you should check in your Council office.

Sign in sheets should also be used again. The sheets are helpful to keep track of computer usage numbers.

Keeping the sign in sheets in a binder is a good idea.

All COVID restrictions will be lifted June 1st. Community Rooms and Computer Rooms will be open to 10:00p.m. Each day. Please continue cleaning and sanitizing the computer area regularly. Masks aren't required but it is encouraged to keep wearing one in common areas of the hi-rise. Social distancing should still be followed.

There should be no eating or drinking by the computers. Computer admins can talk to people they catch eating or drinking by the computers. (Don't confront anyone if you don't feel comfortable doing it. You can also make a note of the date and time and let the manager know.)

Computer rep updates

The Neill off ice computer still needs to be reformatted. Their other computers are working fine.

Wilson is having an Internet issue. It might be a cabling problem. (Their TV won't connect to the Internet.)

The Ravoux computer room will be open June 1st. Andrew will get the computers ready for that.

Seal's computers are working fine. No problems.

Montreal's computers are running fine. No issues.

Gary now has the key for the council office. Hamline's computers are running fine.

Hamline is thinking of getting faster Internet.

The family site labs are still closed. They need to be cleaned before they are reopened.

Cleveland's computers are working fine.

Dunedin doesn't have any issues. Richard still needs to be trained.

Dunedin is still having an issue with a resident viewing adult content on social media sites. The blocking software doesn't block Facebook and Twitter. (This issue has been going on for a number of years.)

Next Meeting: June 24th by Zoom