

Computer Team
2/7/13

Need other Quickbooks license keys.
Exchange
Valley
Montreal
Registration info too.
All except Montreal, Front should be registered the same.

Exchange computers are going to be moved to the community room.
Internet connection should be moved to first floor. A different router and antenna might work as well.

Wilson needs new keyboard.

Front:
Computer with bad hard drive will be sent back.

Dunedin:
Issues with Quickbooks computer. Computer is very slow.
Possible wonky DVD drive on new computer.

Neill:
Need monitor.
Seal has an extra one. Eileen will pick up.

Hamline:
Melissa will check to see if their new computer is installed.

Additional funding request is up in the air. Mike Winston will be making the final decision.
It would be good to have that \$7400 (I think) for new computers and equipment.)

New router:
ASUS N66. Would boost coverage where needed. Accepts external antennas.
More Deep Freeze licenses would also be good.
4 Deep Freeze activations failed. That might mean those can't be reused. That is unclear right now.
Deep Freeze is also registered to Montreal Hi-Rise. That might need to be changed.
Jonathan will check into that.

Ross Grant Coordinators:
Two new Coordinators have been hired. Troy Parkinson and Aaron Smothers. They will be responsible for IT technology and training. (Digital Literacy.)
The computer team needs to sit down with them and talk about our goals and visions.

Ideas:
Remote access would be good for computer management and troubleshooting. We could perhaps use a program like Teamviewer.

Domain setup

Training for computer managers.

Easy way to transfer Quickbooks company files

Wireless infrastructure

User access control system. Possibly setting up a RFID system using residents' keycards.

Users would swipe cards to get access to the computers. There could be a blacklist for those that aren't allowed to use the computers.

Use time could be controlled that way as well.

This system wouldn't prevent someone giving their guest their card but it would keep people off the street from using the computers. That is an issue at several sites. (Ravoux, Exchange)