



**QCMUG Meeting Minutes  
November 16, 2010  
Bettendorf Public Library**

**Attendance**

A total of 13 members were present at the meeting. Dean Arney, Jim Boland, Bill Burns, Keith Claussen, Lee Claussen, Jim Hall, Wilma Hauser, Harry Healey, Jim Holifield, Dave Ochs, Arnold Olson, Don Patridge, and Kathy Schroeder. Our guests were Paul Bailey, Don Brooke, and Stan Furlong.

**Business Meeting**

- The meeting was called to order at 6:36 pm.
- The Treasurer reported a balance of \$2,488.45.
- Don Patridge noted the Des Moines MUG is barely meeting these days, pretty much when they feel the need to have one.
- When asking a question on the email list, Keith asked that you start a new email with the proper address ([qcmug@googlegroups.com](mailto:qcmug@googlegroups.com)) or change the SUBJECT line when replying to an existing email. Asking questions within unrelated threads could get your email unnoticed.
- Paul Bailey is here from ECS to take orders on new Macs. They are running a special right now until further notice. So if you are in the market for a new Mac, please see Paul.
- Officers for 2011 were chosen. Everyone (Don Patridge, Brian Dobbins, Dave Ochs, Sue Berger & Keith Claussen) were re-elected for next year!
- We're getting some materials from the Apple Sales Web (ASW) for iLife '11. So keep an eye out as we will likely have a program on this sometime in 2011.

## Program

Apple TV by Brian Dobbins.

Brief overview: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6EvALjG1EeU> & <http://www.apple.com/appletv/>

The new Apple TV has undergone a complete redesign. Gone are the white, base station like looks, the hard drive, and analog outputs. The new device features a compact design, sleek black looks, HDMI video output, and Apple's own A4 processor under the hood.

**Rentals** – rent TV shows and movies from the iTunes store (built in). Once you begin viewing the program though, you have 24 hours to finish before it's no longer available to you.

**Streaming** – The new Apple TV is all about streaming content. Netflix, YouTube, iTunes, and AirPlay. You can also view your photo library too.

**Remote App** – When installed on an iOS device, this can be used to control the Apple TV from anywhere your network will reach. Stream your iTunes library from your Mac or videos from your iOS device to the Apple TV. No syncing or copying files around!



## Open Forum

Q: Kathy Schroeder stated she tried the firmware update for her MacBook, but got the beach ball when trying to download.

A: We suggested trying to download the update from support.apple.com & follow the directions given. The particular update she's looking at getting isn't a huge deal, at least right now, it's for the new style magsafe power adapters.

Q: Jim Hall has heard of some issues with the G4 donated to the refugee family. It's not sleeping or booting properly.

A: Suggestions from Brian Dobbins were reset the PRAM (holding Option Command P R at boot until you hear the 2nd chime), the PMU reset (button located on the Logic Board), and replacing the battery (also on the Logic Board).

Meeting was adjourned about 7:40 p.m.

## Next Month's Meeting:

The next meeting will be Tuesday, November 16.

*Respectfully submitted by Keith Claussen, QCMUG Secretary*

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