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## *Prez Says:*

**Gerald Smith**

Welcome to November, the month we celebrate Veterans Day and Thanksgiving! Thank you, Veterans, for your service. And on Thanksgiving Day, let us all remember the things for which we are most grateful. The North Bellevue Community Center continues to be closed for evenings.

On November 8<sup>th</sup>, our General Meeting program will be "Safety for Seniors" presented by Lt. Kim Lopez. This presentation is for senior adults who may not be able to protect themselves, yet it is applicable for all ages as violent crime occurs every 24.6 seconds. You will learn why you should have a plan, what plan you should have, and the tools to carry out that plan; how to avoid becoming a financial victim; the most common human response to violent crime; and it will answer questions like which purse to carry, which purse NOT TO EVER CARRY, how men should carry wallets, and why parking lots are so dangerous. You will know which method is the safest, and why you should always get a shopping cart and never push it through the checkout line! Please join us via Zoom for this important presentation.

We always need more members, so please let others know about the informative Zoom meetings we have monthly and all of the free help we offer.



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To keep up with technology visit <https://www.techforsenior.com> to learn about their Monday morning meetings (9:00 AM PT), their Newsletter, and their Facebook page.

Plan to attend an ACPUG workshop or conference online. All KEGS Members are notified via email about these events. If you would like to attend a Zoom meeting of a computer club in another city, go to <https://apcug2.org/group-sharing-meetings/>.

We are getting lots of questions about Windows 11. If your current computer is not able to upgrade to Windows 11, keep in mind that Windows 10 will be supported until October 14, 2025. If you are able to upgrade to Windows 11 or are planning to purchase a new computer, we offer lots of support and there will be classes available after the Holidays.

Stay Safe

*Gerald Smith — President*

# KEGS GENERAL MEETING AND ASSOCIATED SIGS

## KEGS T-shirts/Vests/Caps

Remember, you score extra KEGABUCK\$ when you wear your KEGS shirt/vest/cap to SIG and the General meetings! (NOTE: This extra credit is not honored at the PIG SIG.)

We still have a few left of various sizes. So why wait? Pick yours up at the next general meeting.

KEGS General Meetings are held at  
the **North Bellevue Community / Senior Center - 4063 148th Ave NE, Bellevue, WA**  
On the second Monday of every month  
(see the last page for driving instructions)

Our Pig SIG is held off site—please see the address below

| Day of Month | Time              | Location   | SIG / Email contact   | SIG Leader                       |
|--------------|-------------------|--|---|----------------------------------|
| 2nd Monday   | 6 PM - 7 PM       | Conf. room D   | Technology Corner<br><a href="mailto:betacode@hotmail.com">betacode@hotmail.com</a> | Steve Fondren                    |
| 2nd Monday   | 7 PM - 9 PM       | Conf. room D   | KEGS General Meeting  |                                  |
| 2nd Monday   | 9:30 PM - ?<br>PM | <a href="#">Red Robin, 2390 148th Ave NE, Redmond WA 98052</a> | Pig SIG<br><a href="mailto:sallyannmowrey@msn.com">sallyannmowrey@msn.com</a>       | Sally Ann Mowrey<br>206-816-9216 |

Please check our KEGS calendar [\(CLICK HERE\)](#) for actual dates AND POSSIBLE CANCELLATIONS of the upcoming meeting that you want to attend.

# KEGS SIG MEETINGS:

## NEW SIG CHART

Notice that this SIG chart does not list actual dates. Please check our KEGS calendar ([CLICK HERE](#)) for actual dates AND POSSIBLE CANCELLATIONS of the upcoming meeting that you want to attend.

Contact the SIG leaders to find out what presentations that they have planned for their upcoming meetings.

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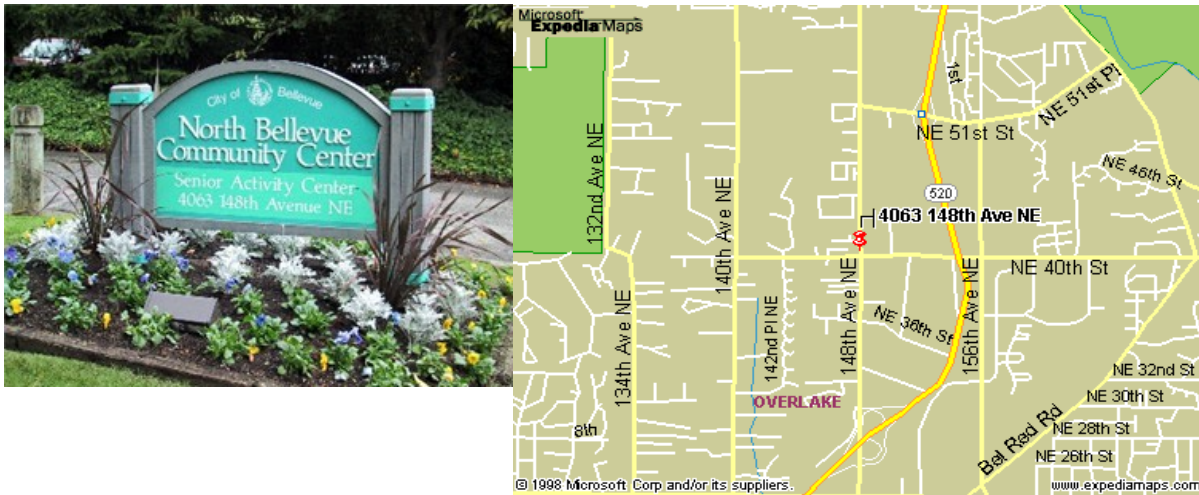
| Day of Month  | Time        | Location     | SIG / Email contact   | SIG Leader                       |
|---------------|-------------|--------------|---|----------------------------------|
| 1st Tuesday   | 7 PM - 9 PM | Pool Room    | Computer Support SIG - N. Bellevue<br><a href="mailto:endeavor@frontier.com">endeavor@frontier.com</a><br>(Computer repair & maintenance) | Jon Mercer                       |
| 1st Wednesday | 7 PM - 9 PM | Conf. room D | Seattle Internet User Group (SEASIGI)<br><a href="mailto:stmpowell@comcast.net">stmpowell@comcast.net</a>                                 | Steve Powell<br>206-437-4469     |
| 2nd Wednesday | 7 PM - 9 PM | Conf. room D | Computer Use and Optimization<br><a href="mailto:r_cowger@prodigy.net">r_cowger@prodigy.net</a>   | Ron Cowger                       |
| 4th Tuesday   | 7 PM - 9 PM | Conf. room D | Digital Imaging SIG<br><a href="mailto:sallyannmowrey@msn.com">sallyannmowrey@msn.com</a>   | Sally Ann Mowrey<br>206-816-9216 |
| 4th Wednesday | 7 PM - 9 PM | Conf. room D | KEGS Board Meeting<br><a href="mailto:President@kegs.org">President@kegs.org</a>  | Gerald Smith                     |

## KEGS MEETING LOCATION

All KEGS Meetings are currently held at the **North Bellevue Community / Senior Center**  
All KEGS meetings (including our Board meeting) are public and open to anyone who wants to attend.

**Finding KEGS primary meeting location**  
**North Bellevue Community / Senior Center - 4063 148th Ave NE, Bellevue, WA**

**DRIVING INSTRUCTIONS:** Thanks to the improvements to SR 520, you may now use the new NE 40th St exit. If you are driving towards Redmond, exit and turn left to go over the overpass. If you are coming from Redmond, exit and turn right. Go to 148th Ave NE, and turn right. In very short order, you will see the North Bellevue Community / Senior Center sign on the left side of the roadway.



## HISTORY & CONTACT INFO:

KEGS was formed in late 1996 to meet the needs of personal computer users in the Greater Seattle Area. KEGS is a nonprofit organization that holds its general meetings on the second Monday of each month.

In addition, KEGS sponsors a number of special interest groups (SIGs) that meet regularly to share common interests, learn new techniques, and resolve questions about the use of personal computer hardware, accessories, or software.

For a detailed listing of our SIG's, updated information about KEGS activities, and more, please see our web site at:

<http://www.kegs.org>.

Contact us at: Email: [board@kegs.org](mailto:board@kegs.org)

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