



The Lake-Sumter Computer Society

A Quick Overview

Introduction: The Lake-Sumter Computer Society (LSCS) is a volunteer, not for profit Computer User Group established in the fall of 1989 in concert with the Lake-Sumter State College's Leesburg Campus. It has continually met at the College since then.

Since 1996, our dues have contributed over \$25,700 in scholarships to 42 Lake-Sumter State College Computer Technology students!

Visitors: Visitors are always welcome to come to 2 meetings to see if our program meets your needs. After 2 visits, you are strongly encouraged to become a member of the Lake-Sumter Computer Society.

Membership: Membership is on a calendar year basis. We have Individual, Family and Corporate Memberships. Our calendar year Individual membership dues are recommended by the Executive Committee and voted by the membership. Family or household memberships are one and a half times the individual membership. Full time LSSC students, faculty and staff pay no dues.

Current Individual dues are \$24. Corporate membership is on an annual basis from the month of becoming a Corporate Member. There are three levels of Corporate Membership: Bronze at \$50, Gold at \$100, and Platinum at \$200.

Regular Weekly Meeting Programs: We normally meet the first and third Thursday in room LA -8 on the Leesburg Campus of the Lake-Sumter State College, 9501 U.S. Highway 441. Directions to LSSC buildings in Leesburg can be found at: <http://www.lscs.us/directions.htm>

Our regular meetings begin at 2:15 p.m. and may last until about 4:30 p.m. Our program subject matter varies with the desires of the members and the availability of presenters; meeting schedules are available at the Programs Button on our web site, <http://www.lscs.us/programs.php>

Newsletter: Members receive a color copy of the quarterly NewsBytes, the official Society newsletter, by email.

Our Web Site (www.lscs.us): It includes membership information, future program schedules, handouts for future and past presentations, newsletters, a list of members willing to assist on various software programs and other materials. However, the full capability of the website is only available to members in good standing.

Computer Classes: Because of our unique arrangement with the State College, we do not teach computer classes but rather assist each other through seminar types of presentations.