Microsoft Expands their Immersive Reader

Microsoft continues to expand the presence and features of it's Immersive Reader tool.

Watch this video for a quick run down of the latest features: https://youtu.be/wHJJCLV-DNg

Where is it available?	OneNote				Word				Outlook		Other					
	Online	Desktop	Windows 10	iPad	Online	Office 365	Mac	iPad	Online	Office 365	Edge	Teams	Forms	Flipgrid	Minecraft	Office Lens
Read Aloud	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Spacing and Font Size	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Syllables	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Parts of Speech	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Dictate	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓				✓						
Line Focus	✓		✓	✓	✓				✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	
Picture Dictionary	✓		✓	✓	✓				✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	
Translation	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	
Math Equation support	✓		✓		✓	✓			✓							

(From: https://education.microsoft.com/en-us/resource/9b010288)

While this is mostly focused on the education sector, it can be quite helpful for the elderly and in some cases, learning a new language. View the video link above to see how.

Stretch out the Windows 10 Start Menu

In Windows 10, I've never understood why the Start menu only takes up a sliver of the screen by default. Give yourself more room to place your favorite app shortcuts by clicking the right edge of the Start menu, then dragging it out to the right. You can also make the Start menu taller by clicking and dragging up on the top edge.

If, after doing this, you want to cram more apps into each section of the Start menu—or add some more visual separation between sections—just head to *Settings > Personalization > Start* and enable "Show more tiles on Start." This gives each section four columns instead of the usual three.

(From: https://www.pcworld.com/article/3611208/windows-10-change-cursor-expand-start-menu.html)

Be Safe! Social Distance! Wear a mask when near others just in case! The shot only makes it so YOU don't die – not others! Love each other and appreciate the wonderful things that each person brings to the world. God Bless us all!

Presidents Corner

Hello fellow club members,

Due to the current COVID-19 issues going on world-wide and locally with restrictions on gatherings:

We will also not be having the April 2021 meeting.

Please check back often at
https://www.mapcc.com
For updates as we have them for when we will have our next club meeting.

Thank you for your support.

~~Meetings - January-November~~
~~Apple Barrel (at Sapp Bros.)~~
~~2608 S. 24th St.~~
~~Council Bluffs, Iowa~~
~~MEETING BEGINS: 7 PM~~ ~~(NOT in December)~~

Minutes of Meeting…

Meeting was called off due to the continued health concerns of having crowds of people, etc.

First Drawing

The $10 drawing was won by N/A.

Minutes and Treasury Report

Minutes and treasury report will be read at next meeting. (we hope)

Old Business

No old business due to no meeting.

New Business

No new business due to no meeting.

Demo

The "demo" was not shown, but hopefully we will be able to sometime in mid-late 22021.

Stick-Around Drawing

The stick around drawing ($0.00) was not done due to not meeting.

Adjourned

No meeting!

Minutes recorded by Bruce 03/16/2021

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Meetings:

3rd Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. (*WHEN ALLOWED TO*)

Apple Barrel (party room)

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President: David Ladd

Vice President: Kevin Holloway

Secretary: Bruce

Treasurer: Kevin Holloway

Appointed Officers:

Newsletter Editor: Bruce

Annual Membership Dues:

Individual: $15.00 Family: $20.00

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