



“Hey, Computer Mann!” Monthly Newsletter

Remembering Our Heros

Featuring our Company News, Tech Hints, Service Spotlight, and More.



by **Joel Mann** on May 2017

I can't believe it's already May! This year seems to be flying by. May is always a special month to me. The weather is usually finally becoming more spring-like. The birds are back and we as Americans remember those who served our nation bravely to protect our freedom. In my own family, my father served in the navy during the Vietnam War. My grandpa Mann served in the army during WWII and my uncle served in the army during the Vietnam War. All three of them survived and were able to come home. I will be forever grateful for their service as well as all the brave men and women in uniform who served and are serving. It is because of them, that I have had the freedom and opportunity to pursue my dream of making Mann Technologies into a reality.

A few years back, we wanted to show our appreciation and thanks to those who have fought and died as well as those currently serving. We founded the Williston Flags committee, whom purchases, maintains and puts up American flags along State Route 579 here in Williston during patriotic holidays. The community found out about our project and generous donations followed. If you ever have the opportunity to drive through Williston during one of our patriotic holidays, please do. The flags look beautiful! Special thanks need to go out to John and Maria Beamer, Paul Beamer, Carole Beamer, Linda Schlievert, and my parents, Mike and Ann Mann for making this project a success.

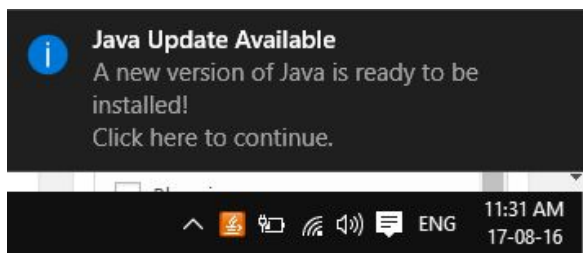


Another way to show our appreciation to those who served or are currently serving is by offering military discounts to our customers. All you need to do is mention that you have served or are currently serving in any branch of the US Military to your sales representative and we will apply your discount to your service ticket. We Thank You for your service to our country!



There are messages bugging me to update down by my clock. Should I update them?

This question has been asked many times over the years and our answer is always YES!



The main apps that usually ask to be updated are **Adobe Reader** and **Java**. Both apps are highly vulnerable to hacking and the updates are to help keep you computer safe.

Some other apps that should be updated regularly is your antivirus software and malware removal programs. As always, if you are unsure if you should update, please contact our store.

Q: What about Windows? Should I update Windows?

A: YES! When Microsoft releases an update for Windows, it's usually because they found a bug or security risk. Always update Windows if asked.



Technology Classroom

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After many years of requests from our customers, we decided to bring back our computer/technology classes. We have dedicated an area in our showroom just for our technology classroom. We currently offer three classes, Computers 101, Learn iPhone, and Amazing Android.

Our classes are designed for small groups of 2-4 students with hands-on learning. Each class is instructed by one of our knowledgeable staff members who have been in the IT field for many years. We want to make sure our students are comfortable and don't feel intimidated by technology.

Tech Classroom FAQs:

Q: Do I need to bring my own computer?

A: For computers 101, no. However, for smartphone classes, we request that you bring your own device to class with you.

Q: Can I bring a friend?

A: Sure! However, your friend will need to register and pay the fee as well.*

*Group and couple discounts available. Ask your sales representative for details.

