

After our opening fun video, Colin showed us a video titled “Seven ipad settings to turn off now”. This was on saving battery and data usage. The advice was to switch off many sharing options such as analytics and my location, unnecessary system services, background app refresh and change push mail to fetch. An interesting video worth watching again.

Peter then showed a Macmost video from Gary on iphone camera tips. This included the vital grid to make all of us better photographers. Gary also showed the use of long exposure on a live video. This gives a mist effect on the moving water rolling into the shore on the photo he demonstrated. He was using the iphone 11 which has 3 photo lenses. Peter also went through the ios13 updates to the photos app showing the photo categories of Years, Months, days and all photos. The removal of screenshots and documents from the Years, Months and days photos (still available in all photos) makes for a smooth presentation of your photographs through time.

Sandra showed us how to use magnifier to act like a telescope in photos bring greater magnification to objects further away. She also showed how to find a song title when you only know some of the lyrics. In itunes store type the lyrics you know into the search field. itunes will offer songs fitting your lyrics and you can play a portion of the song.

Colin finished the meeting with a quiz. Teams were formed and named and he showed 24 different ipad icons for the teams to name. The “clever clogs” won closely followed by “the front row” Prizes were awarded to the clever clogs with all other participants receiving chocolate fish.

Trish made a wonderful cream cake to complete the last meeting for 2019.

Peter Beaumont, 15 November 2019