

MUUG Meeting

The Manitoba UNIX User Group

Date: Tuesday, January 7th, 2025

Time: 7:30pm

Topic: My Favourite Browser Plugin(s), by Trevor Cordes and Open Source Apps, by Kevin McGregor (In-person/Hybrid Meeting)

This month we return our focus to the desktop by discussing and demonstrating a couple of Trevor Cordes' favourite browser plugins. Trevor personally hates clutter in web pages he frequents. So he'll show you how to clean things up with ABP and uBlock Origin. But we're not just talking ads: nope, you can remove basically any piece of nonsense on any site with a bit of extra work. You'll see the easy "anyone can do it" way plus the "completely insane" complex way – including when sites purposely try to sabotage your blockers. Winning! Trevor may also discuss/demo NoScript, Dark Reader and Video Background Play Fix: all things he cannot possibly live without. If you don't leave wanting to install a few of these then you must be from outer space!

Kevin McGregor will also present an overview of a variety of user-focused, open-source applications, from typical office applications to media editing, games, utilities and more.

The latest meeting details are always at:

<https://muug.ca/meetings/>



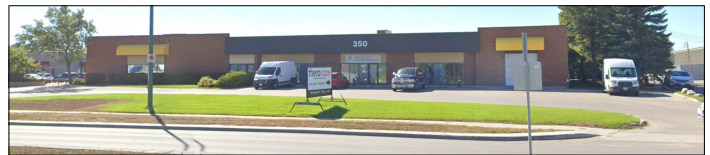
Where to Find the Meeting:

**Fortress Software Inc.
350 Keewatin St – Unit #2**

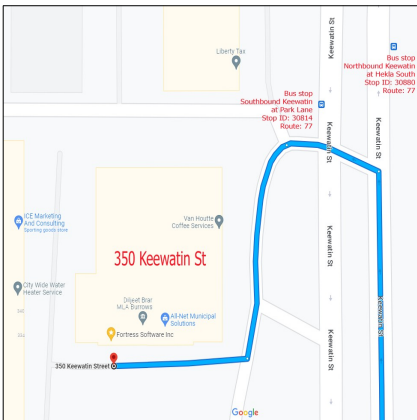


We have a new in-person meeting location now!

Brad Vokey has graciously let us use his work office for our next in-person meeting.



The meeting room will be open by 7:00 pm, with the actual meeting starting at 7:30 pm.



If driving, enter the lot using the most north-eastern entrance (far right in the above picture) and drive around to the south west corner of the building (see route in map detail). You can use any of the free, ample, and safe parking spots that say "reserved" in front of units #1 through #4 before entering unit #2 (the one with the MUUG logo above the door!).

Bus stops #30814 and #30880 (route 77) are only 150 meters away. The last bus leaves for Polo Park at 10:15 pm and for Garden City at 10:31 pm.

Logan Ave. bus routes #19, #26, and #27 are a 600 meter (8 minute) walk to the south.