

Hello MUG Members!

I trust that this email finds you all doing well and off to a great start for the new year. This year as I step into the role of MUG President, I am excited to help serve the MUG to my best ability. Should you have any thoughts or comments about how we can make the MUG serve you better, please do not hesitate to share your thoughts and ideas with me.

Being part of the MUG Board has been very rewarding for me as I have had the chance to work with some very knowledgeable people. This year, we have some new people that have stepped up to the plate to help with the board. With that said, I would like to sincerely thank our three departing board members. Each of them have been such a valuable resource to learn from and will be greatly missed on the board.

Matt Hugen will be stepping down as past president as Dave Grebin moves into that role for 2018.

Judi Hansen is stepping down as the Director of Enhancements.

Billy Ellison is stepping down as Webmaster..

With them stepping down, we have three new people for me to introduce and welcome to the MUG Board.

Susan Dabbs from Dexter Solutions has moved into the Vice President Role

Shawn Williams from Premiere Press is taking over the Director of Enhancements

Kevan Meinershagen from Allen Press is stepping into the Webmaster role.

Please join me in welcoming Susan, Shawn and Kevan to the board.

So here are your 2018 MUG Board Members:

President - Michael Harshman (RR Donnelley)

<u>Vice President</u> - Susan Dabbs (Dexter Solutions)

<u>Treasurer</u> - Tom Swan (Bolger)

<u>Secretary</u> - Terri Linker (C&J Forms & Label)

<u>Director of Enhancements</u> - Shawn Williams (Premiere Press)

<u>Webmaster</u> - Kevan Mienershagen (Allen Press)

Past President - Dave Grebin (IWCO)

UPCOMING THINGS

Webinars

2018 Webinars are already being finalized between Susan and EFI. If you have thoughts, requests or ideas on webinar topics, please let Susan know at vicepresident@monarchuser.com

PLEASE NOTE: As was discussed in our User Group Meeting at Connect, we are now working with EFI to move the webinars to a Friday date. To be more specific, they are moving to the 3rd Friday of the month. This is being worked on to help alleviate scheduling conflicts so we can make sure we have the best EFI resources lined up to do the webinars. We will still keep the timing to the 1pm Central time as that seems to help out our west coast members with their schedules.

Our first webinar will be the 2018 EFI Roadmap and should be on Friday, February 16th at 1pm central. Schedules of the remaining webinars will be communicated once they are finalized. Keep an eye out for the Save the Date and Final Reminder emails from Susan as those dates approach.

Fall 2018 MUG Meeting

We also have dates and location confirmed for the 2018 Fall Meeting. Be sure to put October 24th and 25th, 2018 on your calendars! We will be staying at the DoubleTree in Bloomington, MN again.

If you are someone that likes to help coordinate events of any kind, we would love to have

your help with the 2018 Fall MUG Meeting. Please let us know if you have any interest in helping out with this.

Should you have any questions or comments, please send them to President@monarchuser.com

- Michael W. Harshman 2018 MUG President

This is your user group - help us to make it the best by sharing your thoughts, concerns and questions.

