

Sun City Summerlin Computer Club

Saturday Windows ***“5 of Bill’s Best”***

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Agenda



- SCSCCBKK.org Website
 - <https://scsccbkk.org/>
 - Over 1000 topics
- Today we'll look at 5 of Bill Wilkinson's most comprehensive articles:
 - [The Taskbar in Windows 11](#)
 - [The Desktop in Windows 11](#)
 - [File Explorer in Windows 11](#)
 - [The Start Menu in Windows 11](#)
 - [Task Manager in Windows 11](#)
- We'll be using Windows 11 24H2 for our demos.

Windows 11 Taskbar

- The Taskbar in Windows 11
- **Changed from Windows 10**
 - Icons in center by default
 - Right click menu is different
 - Variety of new Taskbar settings
 - Can modify the Search icon/window
- **Let's view and demo Bill's Taskbar document**

Windows 11 Desktop

- The Desktop in Windows 11
- The Desktop in Windows 11 is similar to that in Windows 10
 - Icons are re-styled
 - Right click menu has some different options
 - Right-click menu also has a “More options” choice
(You can open this directly with Shift+Right click)
- Let's view and demo Bill's Desktop document

Windows 11 File Explorer

- File Explorer in Windows 11
- Windows 11 File Explorer looks different than Windows 10 version
 - Big new feature is support for multiple tabs
 - Each tab works like a separate File Explorer
 - Can add / remove tabs.
 - Can copy / move files between tabs.
 - Windows 10's Quick Access is called Home in Windows 11
 - Navigation pane has been reworked.
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Windows 11 Start Menu

- The Start Menu in Windows 11
- The Windows 11 Start Menu is quite different than Windows 10's
 - 3 rows of 6 icons shown; can scroll up or down to see more.
 - “All apps” button displays an alphabetical list of all installed apps.
 - You can pin or unpin apps from the “pinned” set.
 - Also has a “recommended area” for recent or new items.
 - You can also pin favorite folders.
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Windows 11 Task Manager

- Task Manager in Windows 11
- Windows 11 Task Manager is similar to that in Windows 10.
 - MS made it “simpler”, but result is it can be harder to use.
 - No longer a “simplified” view; now only have “full details” view.
 - Uses a navigation pane with icons instead of a tabbed view.
(No captions on the icons; hard to know what they do.)
- Let's view and demo Bill's Task Manager document.

Windows 11 Web Links

- Tech Republic Article: What's New in Windows 11 24H2
<https://www.techrepublic.com/article/microsoft-windows-11-2024-update-24h2/>
- TechRadar Article: Windows 11 – Everything You Need to Know
<https://www.techradar.com/news/windows-11-home-and-pro>
- Microsoft's Windows Site:
<http://windows.com>
- ZD-Net - Windows 11 Area: [Windows 11 | ZDNet](#)
- ZD-Net - Make Windows 11 More Like Windows 10
 - <https://www.zdnet.com/article/hate-windows-11-heres-how-to-make-it-work-more-like-windows-10/>

Questions And Answers