

Retiree Access to IBM Club Websites

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Retirees can be members of local IBM Clubs, but because they are no longer active IBM employees, they do not have access to the Global IBM Club or local IBM Club websites on w3. There is, however, a path for retirees to gain access to the IBM Club websites on w3.

For external (retiree) access to the IBM Club websites, a person must login through IBM.com. To obtain a user ID and password, a registration process is followed. Once registration is complete, the person will be required to logon to access the IBM Club website. This method does not require VPN or direct access to the IBM network.

The Global IBM Club website address is:

[https://www-304.ibm.com/ibm/ibmclub/ibmclub.nsf/v.ExtIBMClubHomeView/\\$first](https://www-304.ibm.com/ibm/ibmclub/ibmclub.nsf/v.ExtIBMClubHomeView/$first)

Following that link, you will first have to login to IBM.com.

The screenshot shows the IBM.com sign-in page. At the top, there is the IBM logo and a search bar. Below the logo, there are navigation links: Home, Solutions, Services, Products, Support & downloads, and My IBM. The main content area is titled "Sign in" and contains the following elements:

- A prompt: "Please enter your IBM ID and Password in the sign in area below. If you are not currently registered with our site please [register now](#)."
- A tip: "Tip: To easily return to your destination, bookmark the page after this page. Do not bookmark the sign in page."
- Input fields for "IBM ID:" and "Password:".
- A "Submit" button.
- A section titled "IBM Intranet Users" with links: "[Login with my w3 Intranet ID](#) (requires IDs to be linked using Central Sign-On)" and "[Link IDs using Central Sign-On](#)".
- A sidebar on the right titled "Additional resources" with links: "[Forgot your IBM ID?](#)", "[Forgot your password?](#)", and "[Change password](#)".

At the bottom of the page, there are links for "About IBM", "Privacy", "Contact", "Terms of use", "Accessibility", "IBM Feeds", and "Jobs".

If already registered with IBM.com, the user would enter their ID and Password and be taken to the IBM Club website. If not registered, the user would click on the “register now” link.

My IBM profile	<h2>My IBM registration</h2>
My IBM registration	Step 1 of 2
Help and FAQ	
Help desk	
<p>The fields indicated with an asterisk (*) are required to complete this transaction; other fields are optional. If you do not want to provide us with the required information, please use the "Back" button on your browser to return to the previous page, or close the window or browser session that is displaying this page.</p>	
Preferred language for profiling: English	
<p>IBM has sold its PC business to Lenovo Group Ltd. To facilitate your ability to browse for information on PC products and services, your ID and password will provide you access to both the IBM and Lenovo web sites. IBM is not responsible for the privacy practices or the content of the Lenovo web site. Learn more about IBM & Lenovo.</p> <p>Remember, you can't change your IBM ID once you've signed up.</p> <p>To learn what is acceptable as a password, see guidelines for IBM IDs and passwords.</p>	
* IBM ID:	<input type="text"/>
	Why do I have to provide an email address as my IBM ID?
* Password: (Minimum 8 characters)	<input type="password"/>
* Verify password:	<input type="password"/>
<p>Please enter a security question that only you can answer. Then, enter the answer to the question. Occasionally, you may be asked to answer this question to confirm your identity. Enter a question that is simple to answer and is easy to remember.</p>	
* Security question:	<input type="text"/>
* Answer to security question:	<input type="text"/>
* Email:	<input type="text"/>
Select the country of your residence to set warranty. Learn more	
* Country/region of residence:	<input type="text" value="Please select country"/>
<p><input type="button" value="Continue"/> <input type="button" value="Cancel"/></p>	

Following registration, the user is brought back to login, and then they will proceed to the IBM Club website page.

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Home Solutions Services Products Support & downloads My IBM Welcome JOHN JACKSON [Not you?] [IBM Sign out]

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Global IBM Club home

Welcome to the IBM Club -- Announcements

IBM club No items found!
Great people. Great company.

Upcoming events

- All events for my clubs
- All events for which I am signed up

Date & Time	Event	Sponsoring club
No events found		

My subscribed clubs

Club name	Interest area	IBM Club location	Edit subscriptions
Cannot find subscribed clubs for IBMuniqueidentifier=27000453V0/cn=people/c=US/l=world			

() = New events added in the last 7 days

Discounts

Discounts for a variety of entertainment venues and merchants are available through most IBM Club locations

Locations with discounts

Canada

Note: When linking to discounts, you will be leaving the IBM Club web site.

Information

- Have you visited Swap 'N' Shop lately
- Discount movie tickets and rentals available

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From the Global IBM Club website, local Club websites can be accessed via the IBM Club Locations link on the left-hand side of the Global IBM Club page. The direct address to a local Club website can be determined from the address of the local Club page. For example, the direct address to the South Carolina Club is:
<https://www-304.ibm.com/ibm/ibmclub/ibmclub.nsf/v.AllClubs/00257038005F24FD00257033005D1F38>