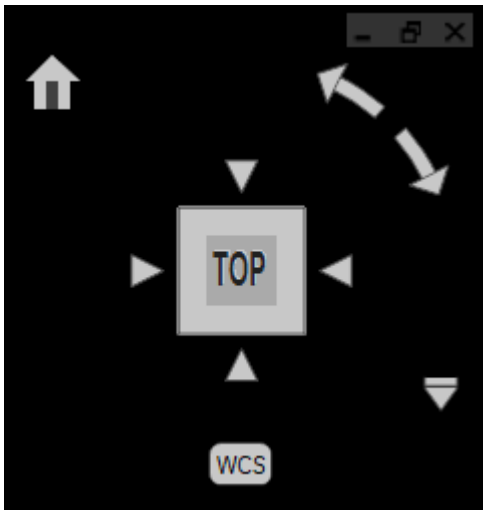
Managing your View Cube in Carlson 2024 with IntelliCAD

When I first launched Carlson 2024 with IntelliCAD, my first reaction was, “What’s that cube-thingy doing in my drawing screen?? And how do I turn it off?”. The formal name for the “cube-thingy” is a **VIEW CUBE** and, as I learned, turning it off wasn’t as easy as I thought.



Here is what Carlson’s IntelliCAD manual explains about the VIEW CUBE:

> *The view cube is a navigation tool that indicates the current viewing direction and allows you to switch between preset views and custom viewing directions. You can also use the view cube to change the coordinate system and switch between orthographic and perspective projections.*
>
> *The view cube displays in the current viewport when working in 2D model space or a 3D visual style. It becomes active when you move the mouse over it, and it can display with transparency or not at all when inactive.*

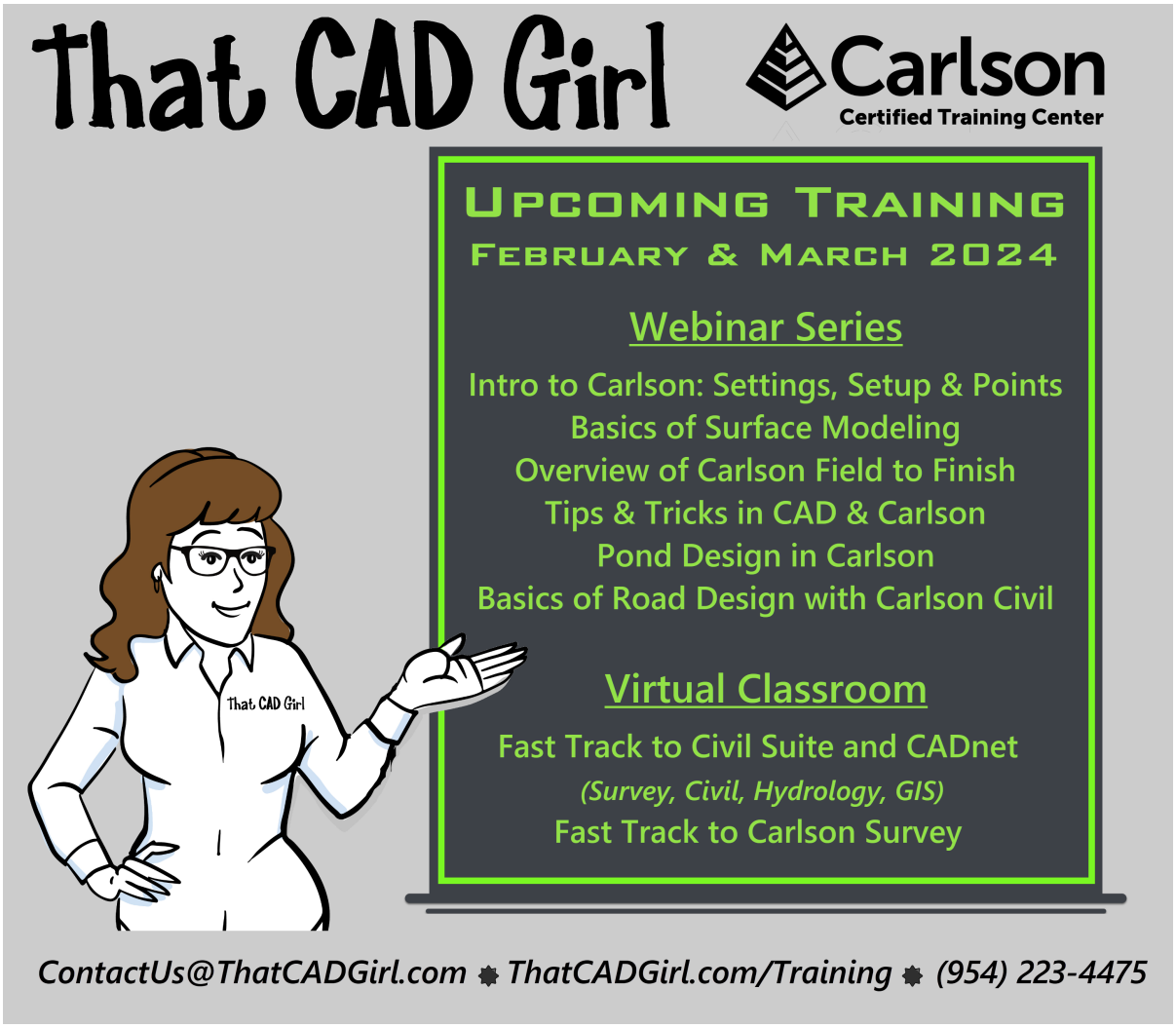
I decided to upload a very short video that shows you how to turn it off – in case, like me, that’s your preference!

Now Posted! February and March Upcoming Training

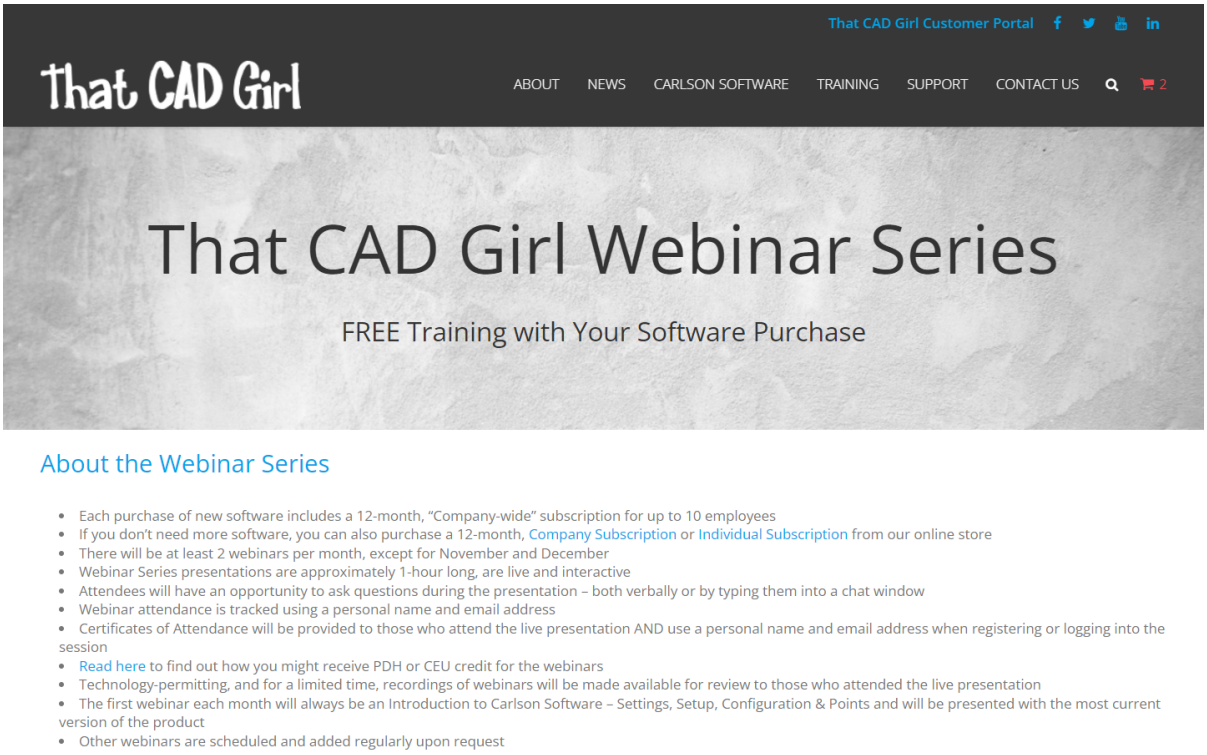
We have recently updated our Webinar Series and Virtual Classroom schedules with dates in February and March!

If you've recently purchased software, you are eligible to attend any and all sessions of our Webinar Series. Just go to the **Webinar Series tab** in the upper-right corner of your That CAD Girl Customer portal to find the links to each session.

Click here if you have no recent purchases but would like to attend as a guest.



That CAD Girl's Webinar Series – Company and Individual Subscriptions now available!



We've been working on the behind-the-scenes logistics of this for awhile and are finally ready to roll it out to everyone! We can now offer Company and Individual Subscriptions to our Webinar Series events.

Your company will still get a year's access for up to 10 users with any purchase of a new license of Carlson Software through That CAD Girl or one of our trusted partners (more about this coming soon!).

Now, with our Company and Individual Subscriptions, we have more to offer those who don't need more software.





Click here to see a list of our Upcoming Webinars

Click here for the details and all the fine-print

If you want to sit in on an upcoming webinar, please click here to request a Guest Registration.

That CAD Girl is heading west!

We're very excited – and appreciative! – to the Land Surveyors of Washington (LSAW) and to the Western Federation of Professional Surveyors for inviting us to present sessions at

their 2024 conferences!

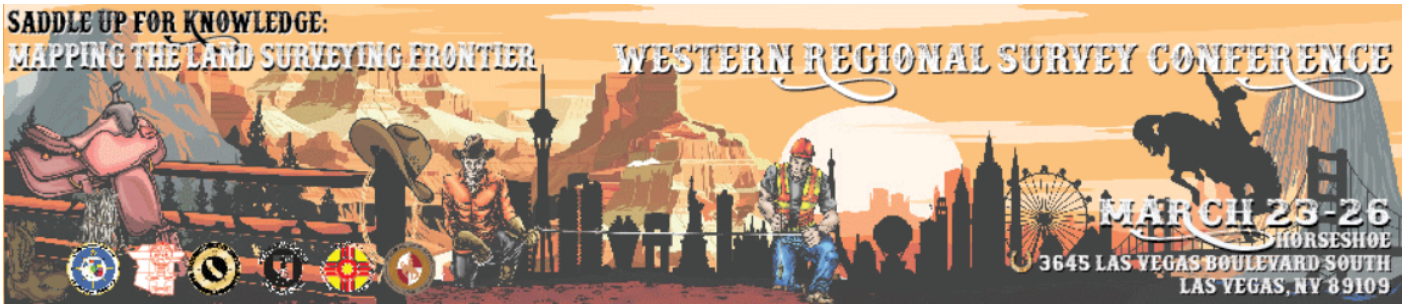
We will have some fun and exciting events at our booth that you won't want to miss, so make sure to come by while you're there!

In Tulalip at the 2024 LSAW Conference, That CAD Girl will be presenting ***Survey Project from Field to Plotted Sheet with Carlson Software*** – tentatively scheduled on Wednesday, Feb 28th.



At the Western Regional Survey Conference in Las Vegas, we will also have fun 'n' games at our booth and will be presenting ***Survey Project from Field to Plotted Sheet with Carlson Software.***

And you won't want to miss our other session! In Dueling Piano… *err*, ***Dueling CAD Stations: Civil 3D vs Carlson Software*** with John Dingwall of CAD Masters, we will go head-to-head to demonstrate how each program handles your day-to-day Survey work.



Early registration is still open for both Conference, so register today!

Have you registered for the NC Surveyors Conference & Trade Show yet?

You won't want to miss this year's NCSS Conference coming up February 8-10 at the Sheraton Imperial Conference Center in Durham! As always, there will be a full agenda of great educational sessions and a chance to catch up, visit and share all the best surveyors stories of the past year!

That CAD Girl will be there and we'd love to have you stop by our booth to say "Hi!" since it's been awhile since we've been able to attend.



Carlson Software 2023 Year End Specials



Carlson Software is offering another great selection of Year End Specials!

Survey with embedded AutoCAD (OEM)

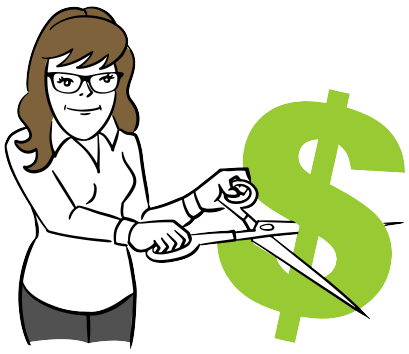
Select Suite Pick 2

Select Suite Pick 4

Civil Suite

Photo Capture and Point Cloud Advanced

A BIG discount to upgrade your Point Cloud Basic to Point Cloud Advanced!



And then, even MORE discounts through That CAD Girl!

We’re including FREE Maintenance with almost all Carlson Software modules and suites plus you’ll receive FREE training with every new purchase!

What else? All software purchases through That CAD Girl are eligible for 1 FREE registration to our Virtual Workshop, to one of our Virtual Classroom training events and a year’s access to our live, interactive webinar training sessions.

Purchases of Carlson Takeoff Suite and Takeoff OEM includes a FREE registration to our 2+ day Fast Track with Carlson Takeoff training in January 2024. We aren’t just interested in selling



youthesoftware-wewantyoutouseitandloveit! Carlson has recently announced their year-end pricing for desktop software and they will run from **Wednesday 11/1 thru Friday 12/29/2023**!

This year's specials include Survey with embedded AutoCAD (OEM), Select Suite Pick 2, Select Suite Pick 4, Civil Suite and a steep discount to upgrade your Point Cloud Basic to Point Cloud Advanced!

Not sure what you need? Click here for our FAQ:P3D? or Point Cloud? then Point Cloud Basic? or Point Cloud Advanced?

In addition to the specials being offered directly from Carlson, That CAD Girl has additional discounts and pricing for Carlson Takeoff Suite, Takeoff OEM and Point Cloud Advanced. You can

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Fast Track to Carlson Takeoff – January 2024

Don’t miss our upcoming Virtual Classroom training from That CAD Girl!



Our goal for 2024 is to double our offerings of long-form Virtual Classroom sessions and that starts in January with our Fast Track to Carlson Takeoff. This will be 2+ days of demonstration and presentation where users will learn to:

- Start your project from 2D images or paper
- Use Takeoff’s layer-basaed systsem to track features and report quantities
- Easily account for subgrades and topsoil in cut/fill calcs

- Import CAD files and data from other programs
- Build complex surface models with multi-floor buildings and retaining walls
- Generate reports and cut/fill color maps
- Export files for machine control

Click here to read the full announcement

You Could Attend for FREE!

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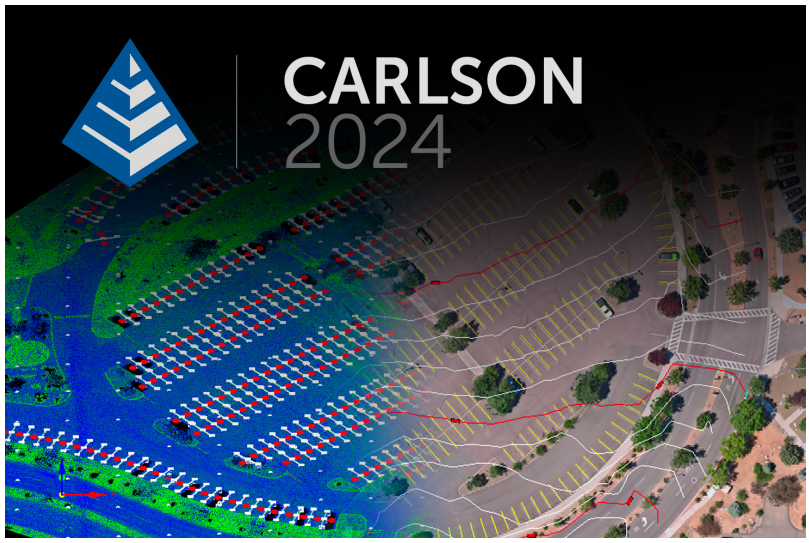

Carlson Software released the 2024 version of their desktop products on October 16, 2023.

With the 2024 release, Carlson has upgraded the IntelliCAD “experience” and now defaults to IntelliCAD 11 which is a major upgrade! Click here to review all the updates in the new 2024 software.

Carlson 2024 products can be installed with (included) IntelliCAD 10.1a or 11.1 or on top of your separately purchased license of AutoCAD 2018-2024.

Carlson Survey and Takeoff 2024 with embedded AutoCAD (OEM) are expected to be released within the next few weeks.

Any user who has purchases a new Survey or Takeoff with embedded AutoCAD (OEM) within 30 days of the new release will receive an automatic upgrade. If this applies to you, please Email us and we’ll make sure you get your free upgrade.

If you are currently running Carlson and have an active maintenance contract, **you are eligible for a free upgrade to Carlson Software 2024**. You will need your 2023 serial number and can use this Lookup screen to find your 2024 serial number.

If you’re a past customer of That CAD Girl, you may be able to find your Carlson Customer ID, serial numbers and maintenance reports on your That CAD Girl Customer Portal.

FAQ: What are the improvements to Carlson over previous versions? (a running thread)

FAQ: What you should know about purchasing Carlson Software

2023 Carlson Software Workshops – In-Person and Virtual



We are happy to announce that our annual That CAD Girl and Carlson Software Workshops are finally returning to “our regularly scheduled programming” here in 2023!!

For the first time since 2019 we will be holding in-person workshops in Raleigh and Statesville, North Carolina in November and will also conduct 2-days of Virtual Workshops for those outside our area. We always aim to provide the training you need, as conveniently as possible, to fulfill your continuing education and professional development requirements.

Pricing is $99 per day for in-person and $99 for 2-days of

Virtual.

However, you can attend our Virtual Workshops for FREE with the purchase of a new license of Carlson Software from That CAD Girl or with your registration to in-person workshops.

Click here to learn more about our Raleigh NC event on 11/7/2023

Click here to learn more about our Statesville NC event on 11/9/2023

Click here for more about our Virtual Workshop sessions on 11/29 and 12/6/2023

Save the date, it’s official! In-person (and Virtual) end of year workshops are back in 2023!


SAVE the DATE
30 Total Hours of instruction!
That CAD Girl
2023 End-of-Year Workshops
In Person Events
Nov 7 in Raleigh NC
Nov 9 in Statesville NC
Virtual Events
Nov 29 & Dec 6
All Events Include:
Certificates of attendance
Special Discounts
Giveaways
Carlson
Authorized Dealer
Certified Training Center
ThatCADGirl.com/classes