# Apps and Traps for December, 2017 by David Whitby

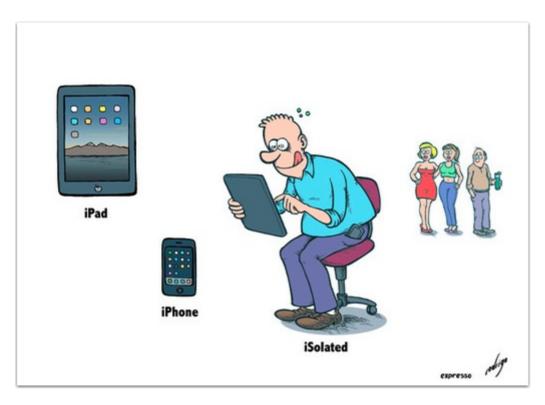
# Status....



# Apple Nuts...



#### Unintended effects...



#### **Generational Differences...**



### TheFoolsGold!

#### http://www.thefoolsgold.com/12-FG/022/index.htm

I have known Cliff since the 80s and his monthly blog makes my month! Hes a creative game designer and super internet humor sleuth. Enjoy!

# OSX

# You might need to reset your Macs Lost Admin Password... heres how..

#### https://www.wikihow.com/Reset-a-Lost-Admin-Password-on-Mac-OS-X

If you're logged into your Mac with your Apple ID account, you may be able to use it to reset your admin password. If you aren't you can use Recovery Mode on your Mac to open the Reset Password utility. You can also reset a password with another admin account on the computer. If you know your password, you can change it from the Users & Groups menu.

# How to listen to everything Amazon Echo has ever heard by Kim Komando

https://www.komando.com/columns/397201/how-to-listen-to-everything-amazon-echo-has-everheard

If you own an Amazon Echo, you probably know its strange secret. The device records a lot of what you say. Deep inside that dark tower, Echo keeps a vast trove of recordings. Your voice is preserved. Your friends' voices are preserved. Anyone who has ever been to your house and said, "Alexa!" has contributed to its great library of human sound.

On the upside, this amazing technology puts instant information a voice command away. Most people have no idea that you can do much more than get the latest weather or listen to your favorite tunes. <u>Click here for a list of Alexa commands that you're probably not using but should.</u>

The downside is that Amazon stores an audio recording of every voice command you've issued to Alexa, not just in the device itself, but on Amazon's servers.

Most owners feel a little weird about these voice recordings. What does Amazon plan to do with what I say? Will someone break into Alexa and hack my voice? Can law enforcement access my recordings? Is Amazon going to use these sound files for some dastardly plan?

#### 6 Best Mac Apps | December 2017 & January 2018 from CamTech E-Learning

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xlgYpMMSirc&t=0s&ab\_channel=CamTechE-Learning

### Best iOS games of 2017 from Cult of Mac

https://flipboard.com/@flipboard/-best-ios-games-of-2017/f-12a8a78adb%2Fcultofmac.com

2017 has been one heck of a year for iOS gaming fans. From action-oriented arcade blasters to strategy games so deep they should come with a warning, just about every genre has been well represented.

Distilling hundreds of great titles down to a single shortlist isn't easy, but we've done our best. These are our picks for the 15 greatest mobile games of 2017.

## Apple Watch

https://www.idropnews.com/news/40-fantastic-things-can-apple-watch-series-3/59302/

Apple Watch Series 3 is Apple's latest wearable gadget and—in addition to better performance—it features optional cellular connectivity and GPS location services. While the latest Apple Watch keeps the same look as the original, it's still a pretty big upgrade. Adding cellular truly makes the watch its own device and the increased performance easily makes it one of the best wearable gadgets on the market.

Whether you're buying an Apple Watch for the first time or upgrading from a previous model, here is a list of a few fantastic and fun things you can do straight from your wrist.