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In the course of going through the more than 300 RSS feeds, I often run across things that I think might be of interest to other user group members.

The following are some items I found interesting during the month of May 2015.

How to Fix a Kindle eBook That's Not Downloading

http://blog.the-ebook-reader.com/2015/05/25/how-to-fix-a-kindle-ebook-thats-not-downloading/

It doesn't happen often, but it has happened to me before. Read this post and bookmark it for later, so that you won't have to work through trial and error like I did. One of the methods suggested should work.

How to Remove Ask Toolbar and Ask.com Search From Your Browser

http://www.maketecheasier.com/remove-ask-toolbar-and-search/

I don't know why, but this question has come up pretty often lately. MakeTechEasier shows how to remove them from your browser, as well as suggestions to prevent getting them in your browser.

The Best Hidden Features of VLC

http://lifehacker.com/the-best-hidden-features-of-vlc-1654434241

If you use VLC, my default media viewer, you might not be taking advantage of a lot it can do. Check out this Lifehacker post to learn about hidden features.

How to use Google Maps offline mode on iOS, Android

http://www.cnet.com/how-to/how-to-use-google-maps-offline-on-ios-android/

c|net explains how to set up Google Maps to use offline. This comes in handy if you end up with no service for some reasons, but won't do you any good if you don't set it up before you go. Check it out and use this way to still be able to find where you need to go. Really, a \$9 Computer?

http://askbobrankin.com/really_a_9_computer.html

Bob tells about an actually soon to be available cheap computer. This might not appeal to all, but I thought it was interesting enough to place here.

How To Tell When You Last Booted Your System [Windows]

http://www.addictivetips.com/windows-tips/how-to-tell-when-you-last-booted-your-system/

Addictivetips gives you two methods for telling when your Windows system was last booted.

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