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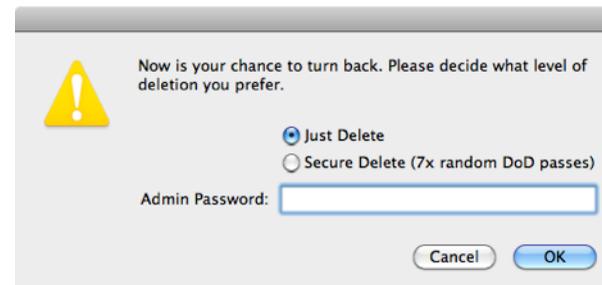
Exposé and Spaces are two Apple Finder tools that reduce window clutter and expand your desktop, respectively. Jeff Frankel will put them through their paces at our May 12 meeting. Plus, don't miss Jeff's Stupid Finder Tricks to help you get where you need to go. As usual, the fun starts at 7:00 p.m. in the music room at Windsor Elementary School.

You many not have realized it, but CAMP News does adhere to certain journalistic standards. OK, make that "a" journalistic standard. And that is to bring you original writing instead of simply regurgitating Mac-related news stories or linking to Mac news sites. But in this issue I'll violate that standard by referring you to [We Have Met the Enemy and He Is Powerpoint](#), a quirky examination of the military's heavy reliance on the iconic Microsoft presentation program. The article appeared in the April 27 New York Times. I mean, who'd a thunk it?

Do you ever run into a stubborn file that prevents you from emptying the trash? Standard operating procedure is to check



the Get Info window to make sure the file isn't locked, or to restart and try again. But when all else fails, there's Trash-it!, donationware from [No Name Scriptware](#). Simply launch the app, enter your administrator password, and the problem is solved.



The iPad has landed, and call me a fanboy. Roger York brought his to the April meeting, and I was simply blown away. Before its release, some critics dismissed the device as nothing more than a large iPod Touch. The description is largely accurate, but not the derision. Moreover, the larger touchscreen allows Apple and developers to exploit the tap 'n type interface far beyond the capabilities of the Touch. Witness the iWorks suite for iPad, and a book reader that closely replicates the experience of reading a bound volume. The iPad is a game-changer in personal computing, and like all Apple products will only get better with time. I do recommend a case, as the iPad is a little slippery in hand. ☀

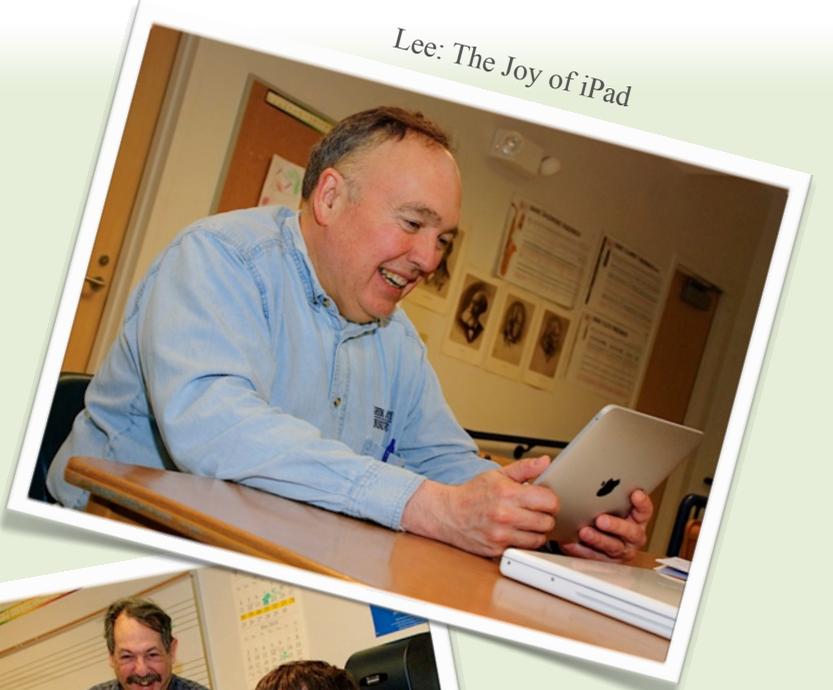
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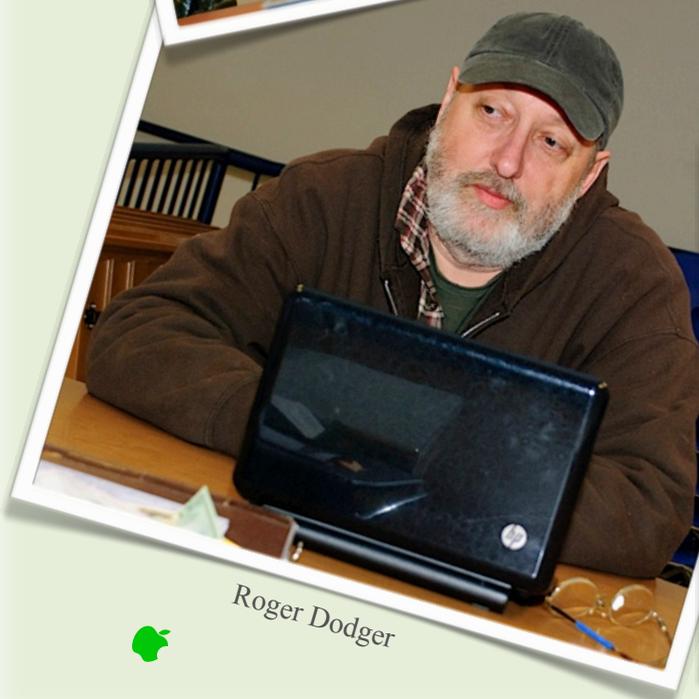
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Lee: The Joy of iPad



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Teachable Moment



Hoo-yah!



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