today's leftovers

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I was once asked why computers are called "computers" when they do so much more than compute numbers. A modern PC browses the internet, plays audio and video, generates beautiful graphics for video games and movies, simulates and predicts complex weather patterns and epidemiological risks, brings architectural and engineering blueprints to life, and much more.

The reason computers can do all of this because all these problems can be expressed as numerical equations, and the computer's CPU?its central processing unit?is actually little more than a simple calculator.

- How remote work helped us improve collaboration: 4 lessons [3]

For many organizations, COVID-19 has made efficient virtual collaboration paramount to growth, success, or simple survival. Over the last year, we have seen companies including Facebook, Okta, Slack, Square, and Twitter commit to remote work for the foreseeable future ? and more will follow as the benefits become more apparent.

Remote work can increase overall job satisfaction and productivity, help attract and retain talent, and even lead to improved mental health. With more workers and employers realizing their work can be done from anywhere ? sometimes even more efficiently ? remote work looks poised to stay beyond the end of the pandemic.

At Automox, a cybersecurity company, we have always had a remote strategy and mindset ? even before the pandemic ? and many employees were accustomed to occasional work-from-
home days. Like many companies, however, we also missed things that were taken for granted when we were in the office three to four days a week.

- **The Linux Link Tech Show Episode 908** [4]
  
  fuschia, desktops and servers, 3d printing, food

- **BSDNow 404: 404 BSD Now Hosts Not Found** [5]

- **Tor Announcing new Board members** [6]
  
  We are excited to announce that three new members are joining the Tor Project's Board of Directors: Alissa Cooper, Desigan (Dees) Chinniah, and Kendra Albert! Each new member comes to Tor with a different set of expertise that will help the organization and our community. At the end of this post, you can read each of their bios.
  
  Please join us in welcoming Alissa, Dees, and Kendra to the Board!

- **WordPress at 18** [7]
  
  Today marks the 18th anniversary of WordPress' launch, a day that I fondly refer to as WordPress' birthday, which means WordPress is 6,575 days old. To celebrate another turn around the sun, the community has had parties, we have shared data, and we have told our story.
  
  Since our last birthday we developed our 40th release and now also support over 40% of the web. So it seems fitting that this year's celebration should be a list of 40 milestones that have helped us get there.

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