

WMLUG October 2025 Meeting Notes

Ubuntu 25.10 “Questing Quokka” Released

<https://linuxiac.com/ubuntu-25-10-questing-quokka-officially-released/>

Ubuntu 25.10 Switches to Dracut as Default Initramfs Tool

<https://linuxiac.com/ubuntu-25-10-switches-to-dracut-as-default-initramfs-tool/>

Fedora Linux 43 is here!

<https://fedoramagazine.org/announcing-fedora-linux-43/>

Meta Unveils OpenZL: A New Open Source Data Compression Framework

<https://linuxiac.com/meta-unveils-openzl-a-new-open-source-data-compression-framework/>

Free Software Foundation Turns 40, Unveils LibrePhone

<https://linuxiac.com/free-software-foundation-turns-40-unveils-librephone/>

The hidden risks inside open-source code

<https://www.helpnetsecurity.com/2025/09/30/hidden-risks-open-source-code-scanning/>

Nosey Parker: Open-source tool finds sensitive information in textual data and Git history

<https://www.helpnetsecurity.com/2025/09/24/nosey-parker-open-source-tool/>

How AI coding agents could destroy open source software

<https://www.zdnet.com/article/how-ai-coding-agents-could-destroy-open-source-software/>

Why open source may not survive the rise of generative AI

<https://www.zdnet.com/article/why-open-source-may-not-survive-the-rise-of-generative-ai/>

Greg Kroah-Hartman explains the Cyber Resilience Act for open source developers

https://www.theregister.com/2025/09/30/cyber_reliance_act_opinion_column/

12 years of HDD analysis brings insight to the bathtub curve’s reliability

<https://arstechnica.com/gadgets/2025/10/backblaze-owner-of-317230-hdds-says-hdds-are-lasting-longer/>

Backblaze Drive Stats for Q1 2025 | Hard Drive Failure Rates

<https://www.backblaze.com/blog/backblaze-drive-stats-for-q1-2025/>

Shouting in the Datacenter

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tDacjrSCeq4>

Rclone syncs your files to cloud storage

<https://rclone.org/>

Microsoft’s 6502 BASIC (1976–78) Goes Open Source under MIT License

<https://linuxiac.com/microsofts-6502-basic-goes-open-source-under-mit-license/>

Ubuntu Unity hanging by a thread as wunderkind maintainer gets busy with life

https://www.theregister.com/2025/10/29/ubuntu_unity_child_maintainer/

This is Doom, running headless, on Ubuntu Arm... on a satellite

https://www.theregister.com/2025/10/28/doom_running_in_space/?td=rt-3a