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## Digest #311

How many of you remember [Ms.](#) ? Back in the day, the popular magazine was considered to be "[a voice for women by women, a voice that had been hidden from and left out of mainstream media.](#)" One of today's articles -- *It's Computer Science Education Week: Do You Know Where the Girls Are?* - - written by ETR Senior Researcher Jill Denner -- was recently published in Ms. Very cool, Jill.

Have you noticed we haven't published any news from Buoy (Resideo), Inboard, or YaDoggie recently? There's a reason (three reasons, actually).

As usual, there's more. **Scroll down and see what's up.**

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**It's Computer Science Education Week: Do You Know Where the Girls Are? ETR scientists scribes essay for MS. Magazine w/ props for**

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- Tue Dec 17, 6-8pm: [Go DeepRacer Go! – A casual discussion about AWS DeepRacer](#) at productOps, 110 Cooper St, Suite 201, Santa Cruz.
- Wed Dec 18, 2-5pm: [freeCodeCamp Santa Cruz : Study Group](#) at Idea Fab Labs Santa Cruz, 2801 Mission St #204, Santa Cruz.
- Wed Dec 18, 6:30pm: [Santa Cruz Bitcoin and Cryptocurrency Meetup](#) at NextSpace.
- Wed Jan 8, 6pm: [Santa Cruz](#)



[Works New Tech Meetup – Titans of Tech](#), The Dream Inn, Santa Cruz.

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