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### Top Movie Moustaches

In tribute to Movember, it's time to pay homage to the top movie moustaches:

1. Pulp Fiction (1994).

Samuel L. Jackson as Jules Winnifield.



2. The Gangs Of New York (2002).

Daniel Day-Lewis as Bill 'The Butcher' Cutting



4. Smokey & The Bandit (1977).

Burt Reynolds as Bandit.



And no discussion about moustaches would be complete without...

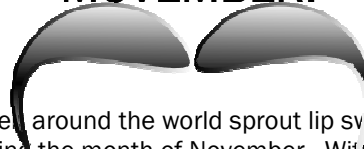
5. Magnum P.I. (1980).

Tom Selleck as Magnum.



For the complete list, please go to: <http://www.denofgeek.com/movies/15345/the-best-moustaches-in-the-movies>

### TbyD Celebrates MOVEMBER!



Each year, thousands of men around the world sprout lip sweaters, or some generously call them moustaches, during the month of November. With their "Mo's", these men raise vital funds and awareness for prostate cancer. It has gained so much attention throughout the world, that the month of November has been re-named...**Movember!**

On November 1st, guys all over the world register at [Movember.com](http://Movember.com) with a clean-shaven face. For the rest of the month, these men, known as "Mo Bros", groom, trim and wax their "Mo's". Supported by the women in their lives, "Mo Sistas", Movember Mo Bros raise funds and awareness by seeking out sponsorship for their Mo-growing efforts.

For a full 30 days, Mo Bros become walking, talking billboards. Through their actions and words, they raise awareness by promoting conversation around the often ignored issues of men's health.

#### Support TbyD Mo Bros and Mo Sistas in their quest for Mo!

Technology by Design has signed up to take part in Movember!

Their team "Technology Mo's By Design", has pledged their support, as well as their facial hair, to Movember!

#### There are several ways you can support Movember:

1. **Donate:** Either to our team "Technology Mo's By Design", or make a general Movember donation at: <http://ca.movember.com>.
2. **Clean Your Computer:** For every computer cleaning sold in the month of Movember, TbyD will donate \$20 to Movember. Your computer will be happy (and run more efficiently), and the men in your life will thank you for it!
3. **Join Movember:** Sign up to take part in Movember, as a Mo Bro or a Mo Sista, at <http://ca.movember.com>.

#### Check up on Technology Mo's By Design's Mo-progress:

1. On our blog at: [tbyd.ca/blog](http://tbyd.ca/blog)
2. On our Facebook page at: [facebook.com/TechnologybyDesign](https://www.facebook.com/TechnologybyDesign)
3. On our Movember team page at: <http://ca.movember.com/team/640365>

No matter the country or city, Movember will continue to work to change established habits and attitudes men have about their health, to educate men about the health risks they face, and to act on that knowledge, thereby increasing the chances of early detection, diagnosis and effective treatment.



## Post Your Ballot... And go to jail (without passing GO)!

With social media in every facet of everyone's lives, and with the election here, it's natural to want to share your political convictions. Some social media sites are even encouraging people to post their votes, or any related items.

However, if you post actual pictures of your completed ballot, the punishments differ from state to state, but you could go to jail. If you posted a partial picture, that didn't include your voting choice, it seems that line is a little more grey.

You'd think with all the mud-slinging that's allowed in U.S. politics, they'd be a little more understanding. But it seems they are quite serious when it comes to vote time.

## DO YOU HAVE A BURNING COMPUTER QUESTION ??

Email the Technology By Design Resident Geek!  
We'll even translate it from Geek-lish to English,  
so the answer actually helps!

Email your question to: [geek@tbyd.ca](mailto:geek@tbyd.ca)

## Microsoft Has A Secret... Again!

Seems as though Microsoft has a hard time keeping their secrets lately! Apparently the computer giant is 'secretly' developing a 7-inch 'Xbox Surface' Tablet.

Unlike the other 7-inch tablets, this one will be marketed specifically to gamers, and will go head-to-head with other hand-held gaming consoles like the Playstation Vita and Nintendo 3DS.

No word as to when to expect this, as this is still (supposedly) a secret. However, assuming Microsoft doesn't cancel it at the last minute, you could expect to see the Xbox Surface launch prior to the unveiling of the next generation Xbox console.

## Samsung: 2, Apple: 0

In October, Apple was ordered by a U.K. judge to take out newspaper ads and post a month-long message on its website clarifying that Samsung didn't infringe on any of its patents.

Apple fulfilled their court-ordered posts on their website. However, they then dug themselves deeper, and added four additional paragraphs condemning Samsung, including a lengthy court quote that described Samsung devices being "not as cool" as Apple devices.

Not surprisingly, this landed Apple in hot water yet again. Samsung took Apple to court, again. Apple then had 24 hours to add a three-sentence note on its homepage acknowledging the "incorrect statement" and like to a new notice.

Hopefully Apple can get it right this time.

## October 2012 Trivia Winner:

### Kayla Dagenais at The Floral Fixx!



Located at Unit U—1765 Kenaston Blvd, The Floral Fixx (initially named Whyte Ridge Florist) has been in business since 2001. Since then, they have prided themselves on their passion, talent and commitment to excellent customer service. And with over 25 years of combined experience, whatever the occasion, their friendly staff can create floral design that fits your style and budget.

The Floral Fixx specializes in weddings and events, and their free consultations allow you to sit down with a skilled and experienced designer to discuss your floral décor. You can expect a personalized experience with creative input and suggestions, answers to your questions, and service that goes above and beyond to help you visualize how your flowers will look on that special day.

Whether you need a fresh cut flower bouquet, or wedding flowers, visit their store to get your floral fix.

For more information about The Floral Fixx or their products, call 204-488-1402. You can also check out their website at: <http://thefloralfixx.ca>

**Don't forget your entry for this month's trivia for a chance to win coffee & donuts...delivered to your workplace! PLUS, Your company will be featured in next month's issue of TechTips, on our blog, and our Facebook page!**

*Your feature will reach over 2000 potential customers!!*



## Ninja Will Not Protect Your Computer

Splash Data has recently compiled its list of the "Worst Passwords of 2012". They compiled its list based on files containing millions of stolen passwords posted online by hackers.

If your password is on this list, I suggest that you change it...immediately!

1. password
2. 123456
3. 12345678
4. abc123
5. qwerty
6. monkey
7. letmein
8. dragon
9. 111111
10. baseball
11. iloveyou
12. trustno1
13. 1234567
14. sunshine
15. master
16. 123123
17. welcome
18. shadow
19. Ashley
20. football
21. jesus
22. Michael
23. ninja
24. mustang
25. password1



"Okay your father managed to get a mouse. Now how do we use it?"

## Disney Acquires Lucasfilm: Darth Vader to Be Played By Mickey Mouse in Next Star Wars Movie

Die hard Star Wars fans are melting down everywhere, after learning that George Lucas sold Lucasfilm to Disney for a reported \$4.05 billion.

Disney is already planning a new Star Wars movie, which is currently slated for release in 2015. George Lucas indicated that he's looking forward to being a fan of the Star Wars franchise, instead of the creator.

Lucas states, "For the past 35 years, one of my greatest pleasures has been to see Star Wars passed from one generation to the next. I've always believed that Star Wars could live beyond me, and I thought it was important to setup the transition during my lifetime".

I know that Star Wars fans are frightened of what Disney might do to 'their' movie. It is worthy to note that Disney owns both Marvel and Pixar, and has overseen movies such as The Avengers and WALL-E. However, with recent characters as Jar Jar Binks, Disney could hardly do worse.

### NOVEMBER TRIVIA QUESTION:

Which of the 5 Marx Brothers was best known for his moustache?

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## November Specials!

Get the computer that suits your needs!

Some places offer to sell you a similar computer, for cheaper.

**So what sets us apart?**

TbyD uses top-of-the-line parts in all our computers. AND all TbyD computers come with a **1-year 'Right Here' warranty** meaning you won't have to hand your computer over to a big box store for 6-8 weeks while they send it away to get it repaired.

*We replace any defective part for you immediately, and WE deal with the manufacturer after.*

**We believe our customers' time means something!**



**Triple Core CPU  
500GB Hard Drive  
DVD-Writer  
Windows 7 Home Premium  
No Crapware!**

**\$600.00**

**Add a wireless mouse & keyboard for only**

**\$35.00**

**Add 18.5 LG Flatron monitor for only**

**\$125.00**

**Don't forget to get your computer cleaned!**

Your computer should be cleaned every 6 months, to have it run smoothly and to the best of its ability.

We call this an "optimization", because it optimizes the computer.

**For every computer cleaning sold in the month of November, TbyD will donate \$20 to November!**

Your computer will thank you, and so will the men in your life!

**If this computer doesn't do it for you, let us know! We can custom-build a computer just for you. We also sell laptops, computer accessories and software.**