

A background image of pink cherry blossoms in full bloom, with some branches in sharp focus and others blurred in the background. The blossoms are a vibrant pink color with visible stamens.

Glen's Goodies

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WWDC Announced



Apple recently announced that the annual WorldWide Developers Conference will be held starting with the keynote address on Monday, June 9th. This year's event runs from June 9 through June 13. It will be an online event, with the big keynote address and Platforms State of the Union aired on the first day.

WWDC Announced

WWDC25



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qdfRmwxQwl4>

iPad in River Sinks Crime Ring

“An iPad retrieved from the River Thames in London — after sitting underwater and lodged in mud for more than five years — became the crucial piece of evidence that helped police solve a complex international criminal network. The crime ring involved museum heists, luxury robberies and an attempted murder, according to a new report. No big surprise that iPad evidence helps convict criminals — except under these extreme conditions.

The extraordinary case highlights the remarkable resilience of Apple’s iPad technology. It maintained crucial evidence integrity even after years of submersion. The case also demonstrates how digital devices can become key pieces of evidence in solving complex criminal investigations. And that’s even when criminals believe they have successfully disposed of incriminating technology.



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“Looking for a gun, London police discovered the iPad mini “under an inch of sand on the foreshore of the River Thames just downstream from the O2 Arena” during an investigation last November, BBC News reported Monday. Despite remaining underwater for more than five years and being “caked in mud,” the device’s SIM tray opened for forensic experts. They cleaned the tablet and retrieved a functioning Vodafone SIM card.

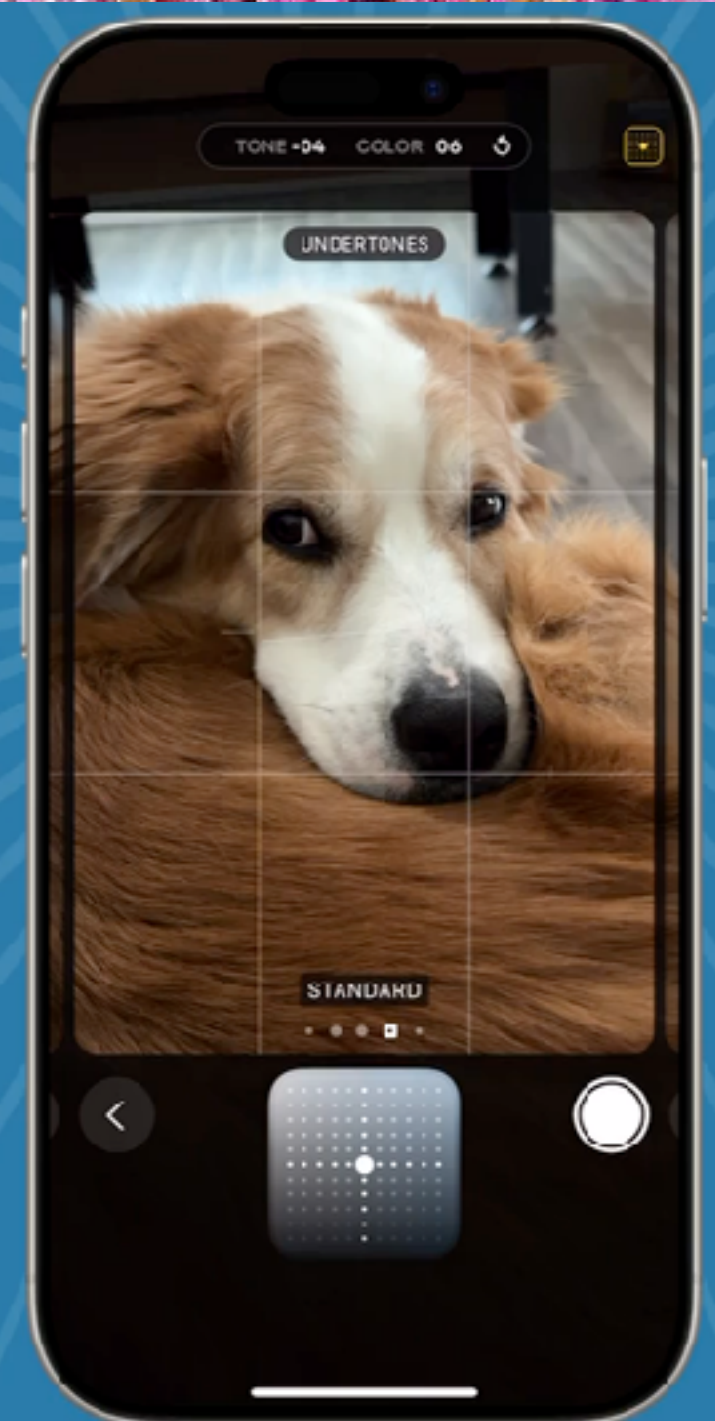
The recovered data from the iPad mini proved instrumental in convicting three men — Louis Ahearne, Stewart Ahearne and Daniel Kelly — for their involvement in the near-fatal shooting of Paul Allen. Allen is a notorious armed robber connected to Britain’s largest cash heist (\$68 million!). He also figured into a sophisticated museum theft in Switzerland, police said.”



How to Use iPhone Photos Styles

“The Photographic Styles feature built into your iPhone’s camera can give your pictures a radically different aesthetic. And once you nail down your personal photo style or styles, you can make sure all your pictures use these specific filters.”

<https://www.cultofmac.com/how-to/iphone-photo-styles>

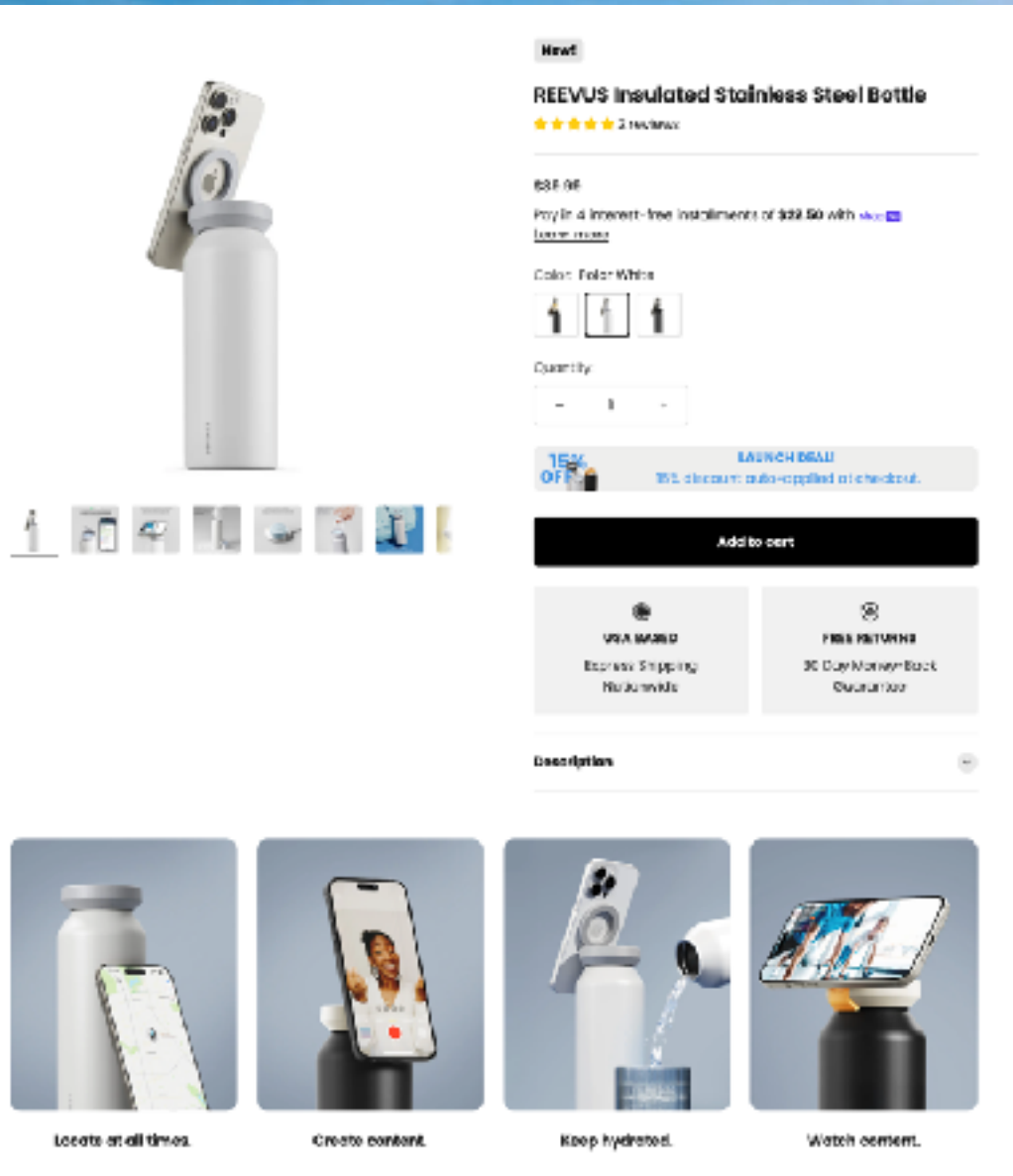


How To Use Your iPhone As a Scanner For Your Mac

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=unm_PQP5_yg



Water Bottle Doubles as iPhone Stand



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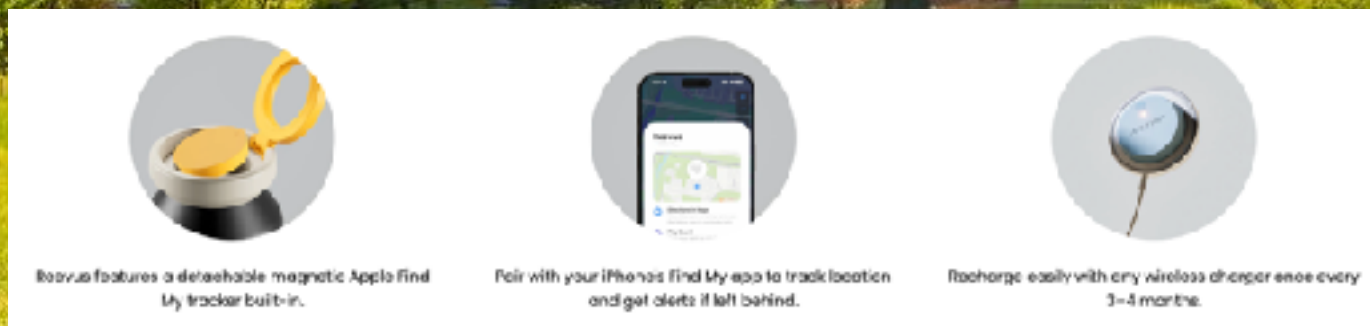
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The Reevus smart water bottle is interesting because it doubles as an iPhone stand and camera gimbal. It also uses the Apple Find My network in case you leave your water bottle behind. The 700ml stainless steel bottle will supposedly keep your drink cold for 24 hours and is 100% leak proof. The ring on the top has a number of functions-it is a magnetic phone holder and gimbal, as well as a carry ring.



Reevus features a detachable magnetic Apple Find My tracker built-in.

Pair with your iPhone's find my app to track location and get alerts if left behind.

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It's not cheap at \$89.99, but perhaps the multi-use functions of the bottle will interest you.

<https://journeyofficial.com/products/reevus-insulated-stainless-steel-bottle?variant=45734740132081>

Apple TV+ Shows for 2025

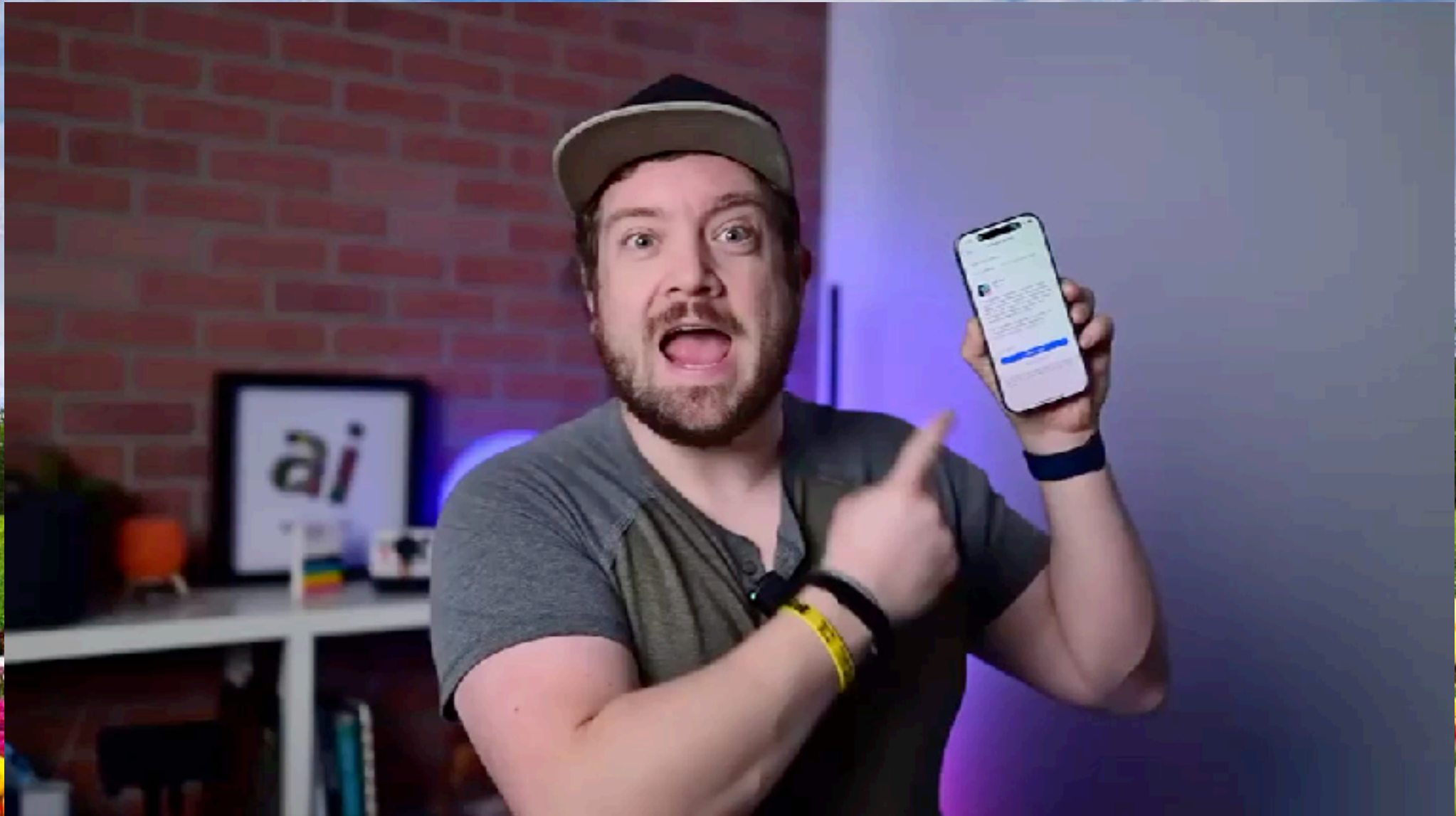


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iOS 18.4 Update



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qCd2Tcl_500

macOS 15.4 Update



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EkF_0-P7KQ0