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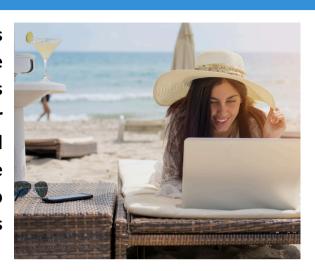
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INTRODUCTION

Wow, mid-July has arrived so quickly! Summer is officially here, and we're soaking up the sunshine while staying cool with some refreshing insights in this month's edition of our newsletter. As we dive into July, Clever Dog IT Systems is here to keep you informed and entertained. Dive into insights on ransomware, explore the latest with Copilot, and master our Cybersecurity Tip of the Month on setting access control policies. Let's make this summer safe and productive!



DID YOU KNOW?

July is Ransomware Awareness Month



Ransomware is a harmful type of malware that takes control of your computer and locks you out. It then tells you that you can get back in, but only if you pay a fee.

Ransomware attackers often spend weeks secretly exploring a victim's computer system, figuring out which files and programs are most important. They then launch their attack, demanding a fee to unlock the system. However, paying the ransom doesn't guarantee they'll give your data back. They might keep it or even sell it to others.

To protect your business from ransomware, educate everyone not to open suspicious attachments or links. Using cloud storage instead of email to share files helps, too, as it's less likely to let malware through. Additionally, review your network security to close any vulnerabilities, as ransomware often exploits more than just someone opening a bad attachment.

Click here to watch a video on Cyber Security Training!







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WHAT'S NEW?



Microsoft Copilot

While AI isn't really taking over, Microsoft Copilot is revolutionizing work by automating tedious tasks in Microsoft 365, making your day more efficient!

Microsoft and its partners are investing in industry-specific capabilities to help customers adopt revolutionary Al solutions faster. These capabilities include new copilot templates for creating Al assistants in high-value scenarios and industry data solutions that provide a data and analytics foundation.

Need more details?
Contact us now to see how you can start using Copilot in your industry

CYBERSECURITY TIP OF THE MONTH

Enhance Data Security with Access Control Policies

Setting access control policies is essential to safeguarding sensitive information in your organization. By implementing strict access controls, you ensure that only authorized personnel have access to highly-sensitive documents. This practice not only protects confidential data from unauthorized access but also strengthens your overall cybersecurity posture, reducing the risk of data breaches and insider threats. Regularly review and update these policies to adapt to changing security needs and to ensure ongoing protection of your valuable assets.



Click here to read more about important cybersecurity considerations!











