

REMINDER Introducing

Interfuture Security Ltd

In case you missed it last month, we are pleased to announce that we are launching a new sister company: Interfuture Security Ltd., (more details next month) in response to the ever increasing security concerns that is, unfortunately, part of everyday life now.

The new company will focus exclusively on security issues 24/7 and currently has a highly trained, specialist team working solely on prevention, monitoring and detection.

We are proud to be one of a very few specialist providers in the southeast, and are hoping to expand our team over the coming months.

Clients who already use this service will be contacted shortly with further details regarding the new arrangements.

We're 26!!

Well, it seems like only last year that we were celebrating our 25 yr anniversary and here we are again, celebrating our 26th!

It's slightly disconcerting to note that we have engineers that are younger than the Company they work for - luckily, we have enough veterans to bring the average age up to something sensible.

It would be easy for a long running and successful business like ours to become complacent but in this industry that would be suicide and so, we are constantly reviewing and revitalising the business. There are plenty of ideas bubbling around here, so watch this space!

Newsletter

Welcome to autumn everyone. So far the weather has been lovely and long may it continue - the 10.5 tog can stay in the attic a bit longer!

As usual, there is a lot going on here but I wanted to remind you about our new company Interfuture Security. For those clients that don't already use our security service and would like to know more, please get in touch.

Also, you may be aware that we take environmental issues seriously here at Interfuture and so, I would like to draw attention Unblocktober (see below).

Read on ...



Tips & Tricks

Outlook - Quick Parts

Save frequently used content (e.g., text, logos, tables, signatures) and easily insert them into your email whenever needed. To set up:

- In a new email document, create the content you wish to save
- Highlight content, click "Insert" (top left of page)
- Click on "Quick Parts" (in the "Text" group top right)
- Select "Save Selection to Quick Part Gallery"
- Name your Quick Part and select other options to suit, OK

To use:

- In your email, place cursor where you wish to insert content
- Click "Insert" tab, click "Quick Parts" in the "Text" group
- Select desired Quick Part

What's Happening in October

October is a very busy month. The 1st was Vegetarian Day (Vegans get their day next month) and 3rd was Buy British Day. Obviously this would have to be the month which celebrated the Octopus (8th), although quite how we are supposed to do that I'm not sure. Easier to mange is World Porridge day on Tuesday 10th and even nicer is Global Champagne Day on, luckily, a Friday 20th).

As I did last year, I would like to draw your attention to UNBLOCKTOBER which runs for the whole month. This is the fifth year for this event which has been gathering pace in response to the distressing and polluted state of our rivers and coasts. Please take a look at www.unblocktober.org - very interesting and with a few suggestions for taking part in Unblocktober.

In Praise of Al...

There is a lot of fear around AI but there is also a lot to get excited about. The explosion in ai web/app tools is enabling people to do their job better, faster and with less effort. Each month we will review a collection and bring you those that seem most useful:

Chat GPT Plus

Unless you have been living on a desert island with no broadband, you will be familiar with Chat GPT - now there is a new subscription service available (\$20 p/m) called Chat GPT Plus which offers a number of benefits such as faster response and access even in peak use times, but the biggest advantage, I believe, is that it provides current information (Chat GPT's data only goes up to Sept 2021).