

IT SERVICES FOR BUSINESS

New River Computing is a locally owned IT services company dedicated to serving businesses in the New River Valley. The IT services we provide can help your business to increase revenue, decrease costs, and minimize risk.

The success of your business is important to the economic growth of our area. We take pride in providing the right computing infrastructure, services, and tools you need to succeed. Our close proximity allows us to respond quickly to service calls, and our expert staff takes pride in their relationship with you and your company.

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NRC at the 2016 NRVHBA Home Expo

NRC's Hansen Ball and his son Preston volunteered at the 2016 New River Valley Homebuilders Association Expo.

This year's Expo included the first annual Cook Your Heart Out charitable cook off. Three local non-profits vied for first place, to take home the \$1,000 prize!

The volunteer work provided by Hansen and Preston included helping to serve samples, doing dishes, and generally wandering around the Expo looking stylish in their aprons.



Warning! - Email threats - to all businesses

Remember to be vigilant when going through your email! The Controller at a New River Computing client recently received an email from the organization's President. The email included a request for information about how to do a same day domestic bank transfer to a client, and expressed urgency.

But it wasn't actually from the President. The sending address was "President's Name First.Last@mail.com". In this case, the thief set up a new customized email account to send from, to make it look more like the President, and directly emailed the Controller by name. The information was probably gathered from LinkedIn or public websites.

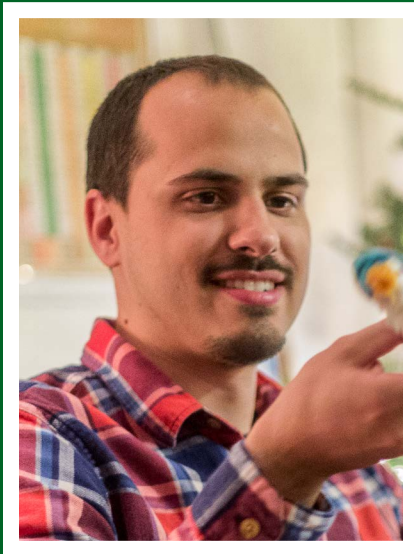
Remember: If you receive an email for a request that doesn't make sense, check with the sender in person. Call them, email them at a known good (and different) address, or walk into their office.

If you would like to test your organization's security with phishing vulnerability testing, please contact shana@newrivercomputing.com.

Crypto ransomware attacks making a comeback

The last several weeks have seen an increase in [crypto ransomware attacks](#), which involve encrypting a user's data, essentially holding it hostage, and requesting money from victims to decrypt it. These attacks appear to be linked to malicious Flash-based website ads. New River Computing actively checks and updates Flash on all computers covered by Basic Security and Maintenance (RMM). Feel free to contact us if you have any concerns.

NRC MARCH/APRIL BIRTHDAYS



Alex - March 23



Savanna - April 3



Karen - April 13

Connect with New River Computing via social media

Did you know that NRC is on Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, and GooglePlus? Look us up (or click on the icons below) and follow what's going on in our social media world. If you're feeling adventurous, give us a review of how we're doing!

