

RB BALCH – ALERT – FAKE EMAILS

(we normally don't send out frequent alerts, but many, many people are affected by this)

We have been inundated with calls and emails – especially this week – regarding the many, many fake infected emails being distributed throughout the internet and email systems.

If you receive any emails that include content as listed below, and are in doubt or not expecting it, please DO NOT click on them. They will most likely infect your computer with some nasty virus or with a malicious program.

DO NOT CLICK

UPS email (you have a package)

CNN alert email (news alert, with some title)

MSNBC email (news alert, with some title)

"journalists shot in Georgia" email (the "from" is different each time)

You have a greeting card email (this one has been around a while, but is making a comeback)

NOTE: This list is not all-inclusive. As a general rule, do not click on ANY links or files within an email that you aren't expecting or are from people you don't know.

And again, if you get a pop-up telling you to click and buy "Anti-virus XP 2008 (or 2009)", DO NOT CLICK. (previous alert sent on this one).

Any questions at all, contact us or your IT Support.

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