



# ClawBrief





OPENCLAW RELEASE NOTES — TRANSLATED

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## Release 2026.2.20

Security patches + model improvements.  
Upgrade recommended for all users.

### What Hobbyists Need to Know

-  **Telegram threading got way better** – Now handles threaded replies properly. Less chaos in group chats.
-  **New "thinking" mode for Kimi models** – Kimi K2.5 can now show its reasoning chain. Cool for watching how it thinks.
-  **MiniMax OAuth support added** – Another model provider you can use. More options = good.
-  **6 Telegram fixes** – HTML rendering, threading, and general polishing. Telegram users rejoice.

 **Shell completion added** – Tab-complete commands in terminal. Small but sweet.

## What Businesses Need to Know

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### **SECURITY: Metadata leak fixed in TUI surfaces**

Injected user context metadata could leak into chat history in TUI, webchat, and macOS surfaces. **If you use TUI mode, upgrade NOW.**

### **BREAKING: dmPolicy alias changed**

Legacy dm.policy and dm.allowFrom config keys still work, but new format is dmPolicy and allowFrom. Check your configs.

### **COST IMPACT: None**

No billing changes in this release.

### **COMPATIBILITY: OAuth improvements**

Better handling of OAuth failures during onboarding. Less "why won't it connect" moments.

### **Community contributions**

12 PRs merged including LINE improvements, BlueBubbles fixes, routing enhancements, and security hardening.

## Deep Dive: The Security Fix

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### What Was the Issue?

OpenClaw strips "untrusted metadata" from incoming messages to prevent prompt injection attacks. But there was a gap: in TUI, webchat, and macOS surfaces, specific metadata prefixes weren't being stripped at the display boundary.

### What Could Happen?

A malicious actor could theoretically inject metadata blocks that:

- Leaked conversation context
- Confused the agent about who it's talking to
- Potentially exposed file paths or system info

### What's Fixed?

All untrusted metadata prefixes are now stripped at display boundaries across all surfaces (TUI, webchat, macOS, and channel surfaces).

### ✅ ACTION RECOMMENDATION

**Hobbyists:** Upgrade when convenient. No urgency unless you use TUI.

**Businesses:** **Upgrade this week.** The security patch is worth the update cycle.

**How to upgrade:**

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openclaw update
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### 💡 Pro Tip of the Week

#### Enable shell completion:

Run `openclaw completion` to generate completion scripts for your shell. Tab-completion for all commands saves serious time over months of use.

### Quick Stats

 **Bug fixes:** 23

- 🌟 **New features: 4**
- 🔒 **Security patches: 1 (critical)**
- 👥 **Community PRs merged: 12**
- 🕒 **Upgrade time: ~2 minutes**

## 📖 Coming Soon

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- 📖 Part 2 of "OpenClaw Bible" — Configuration Masterclass
- 🔧 Deep dive: Building your first custom skill
- 💰 Cost optimization strategies for teams

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We read the release notes so you don't have to.

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