

# Cybersecurity



Computer security is ever important in this day and age. Cybersecurity includes many areas including I/T services to block harmful emails and virus programs that change daily. So far this year, our e-mail content filter servers have screened millions of e-mails into SPAM, or quarantine to help you clear them without I/T help.

your common associates' names. An easy way to identify a masked e-mail is look at the real address next to the person's name.

Example – email headers normally have @propergrouptinl.com or @proper.net, not something else:

a) From: Geoff O'Brien <mms@message-tmomail.net> **(BAD)**

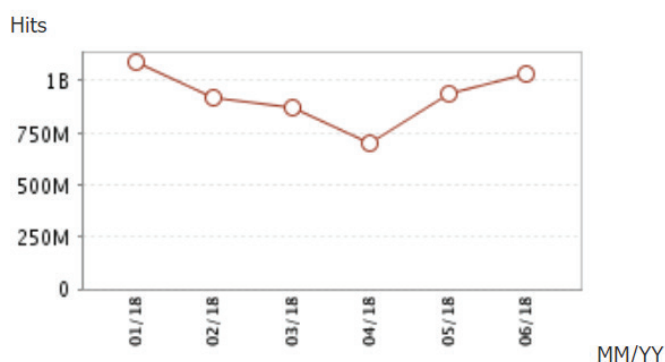
b)  Mon 7/9/2018 2:03 PM  
O'Brien, Geoff **(GOOD)**

**ALWAYS** - Error on the side of caution, and question anything suspicious with your manager, I/T or better yet the sender to verify it was real.

Job well done for those of you not clicking on malicious links and reporting/deleting spam. In the last six months we've seen an improvement to our overall phish-prone percentage. Six months ago, 15% of our associates would be tricked into clicking a malicious link/email, today we have reduced that down to 5%!

## Viruses Blocked

Over Time: Last 6 Months



A major step to advance our ability to combat the bad guys is YOU and your awareness when something seems "fishy", or strange. The industry term "Phishing" is used to describe e-mail fishing for someone to respond. They try to trick you using a familiar E-mail sender's name masked as a Proper executive or

