

# News You can Use: July 2021

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## Modern EUC Infobits Newsletter



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Modern Device Management & Workforce Transformation

This newsletter contains a few items of interest that have caught my eye in the [Modern EUC](#), Modern Device Management and Workforce Transformation space in the last month or so.

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This month's highlighted items:

- Windows 11 was formally and officially announced on June 24, 2021 at a Microsoft virtual event. We listened to both the broadcast and follow-up developer's session a bit later that day, and there is much more than just rounded corners 😊 — Check [blog post](#) for a brief summary of what is to come this holiday season and in early 2022.
- Microsoft just released an out of band urgent security patch and is **\*urging\*** all users to install it immediately. This one deals with a security flow found in the Windows Print Spooler service and it is referred to as: PrintNightmare. [More details here](#)
- Ransomware is rampant these days. The latest in the long list of attacks is the one on Kaseya, an PC management service provider, and it is notable because the incident not only affects Kaseya's IT management customers, but also those companies' corporate clients that have outsourced IT management to them. Kaseya on Tuesday said around 50 of its customers that use the on-premises version of VSA had been directly compromised by the attack — but it said as many as 1,500 downstream businesses around the world have been compromised. Check [this blog post](#) for more info and resources.

- Speaking on ransomware, I often get asked how does Microsoft 365 protects against such an attack. The question these days is an almost daily occurrence, so I wrote a blog post about it [Microsoft 365 Protection Against Ransomware](#) – Let me know if you have any questions!
- This article talks about organizational changes, but it is applicable to change management in general. A good discussion about why it is important to tell employees the WHY. And how it impacts their ability to consume and ultimately get on board with the change. Good for our ACM efforts and I think useful in all aspects of our professional and even personal interactions.
  - [Don't Just Tell Employees Organizational Changes Are Coming — Explain Why \(hbr.org\)](#)

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- **For a bit deeper dive into the technical side:**
  - Michael Niehaus Blog: [Windows as a Service cheat sheet, Windows 11 edition – Out of Office Hours \(oofhours.com\)](#)
  - [Test Drive Windows 11 using a Hyper-V Virtual machine](#)
  - [Zero Trust Security and MDM](#)
  - [Zero Trust, The Essentials video series \(microsoft.com\)](#)

### Microsoft Products End of Extended Support Tracking

Microsoft Product	End of Main Stream	End of Extended Support
Office 2019	October 10, 2023	October 14, 2025
Office 2016	<b>October 13, 2020</b>	October 14, 2025
Office 2010	October 13, 2015	<b>October 13, 2020</b>
Office 2007		<b>October 10, 2017</b>
Office 2019 for Mac	October 13, 2023	N/A
Office 2016 for Mac	<b>October 13, 2020</b>	N/A
Office 2011 for Mac	October 10, 2017	N/A

Windows 10	Home, Pro, Workstations	Enterprise / Education
Windows 10 v20H2	May 10, 2022	May 9, 2023
Windows 10 v2004	December 14, 2021	December 14, 2021
Windows 10 v1909	May 11, 2021	May 10, 2022
Windows 10 v1903	<b>December 8, 2020</b>	<b>December 8, 2020</b>
Windows 10 v1809	<b>May 12, 2020</b>	May 11, 2021
Windows 10 v1803	<b>November 19, 2019</b>	<b>Nov 10, 2020</b>

Windows Server	End of Main Stream	End of Extended Support
Windows Server 2019	January 9, 2024	January 9, 2029
Windows Server 2016	January 11, 2022	January 11, 2027
Windows Server 2012	October 9, 2018	October 10, 2023

More Modern Device Management resources can be found at:

- [Dell Technologies Modern Workforce Experience YouTube Playlist.](#)
- [Dell's InFocus Workforce Transformation Series](#)

- [Modern EUC Blog](#) (Twitter [@moderneuc](#))
- [Modern Deployment Blog](#) by Nathan Bridges
- [In The Cloud 247](#) blog by Peter Klapwijk

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