



Teen Cyber Shield

Safer Internet Day, as its name suggests, is a day to promote safe and responsible usage of the Internet. When one thinks about a safe internet the immediate topics which come to mind are

- Cyberbullying
- Ownership
- Data privacy
- Consent
- Social Networks

Some basic rules that we as individuals can follow to stay safe online and keep our loved ones safe include:

Manage your social network connections

- Prune off folks that lure you using false promises
- Prune folks you are hardly every in touch with
- Track your followers to ensure you know them well
- Trim of connections which may be associated with unsafe activities online
- Stay closely in touch with the ones you trust online and offline

Report incidents which may make you feel unsafe

- If you come across any activity that seems unsafe online in your network, flag it
- If any of your connections are reaching out to you with strange text / may be bullying you, report it immediately

Control your forwards / posts

- It is very easy for fake news to go viral - think before spreading information, validate its authenticity and then forward
- Make sure your own online posts do not have hyperlinks to unsafe websites

You can contact us at teencybershield@gmail.com. Do join our social media groups listed to

stay posted about upcoming events.    