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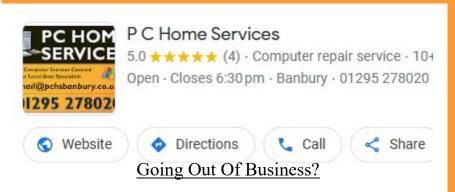
SSD's (Solid State Drive) have transformed our laptops and pc's into lightning fast and robust devices. You can get away with a small bang or drop without facing the dreaded corruption. Lift the lid, a wiggle of the mouse and it's ready to go. And you're not so worried about shutting down because turning it on takes less than a minute.

But.... Are there any downsides? Yes.

Although the HDD (Hard Disk Drive), is much more likely to break down, you get some warning time, usually quite a lot. Most HDD's come with early warning systems and plenty of time to get that crucial data, backed up.

If the SSD breaks, they'll be no warning, it'll just be gone. Maybe an expensive data recovery specialist could recover data from the chips, I don't know.

Therefore the obvious and best solution is to use both. Operating system and programs on the SSD and Data on the HDD.



Hopefully not. Doing everything I can to keep up with the competition, except cutting my hair and shaving the beard...

You could be a huge help. If you have a Google account you could leave me a review. Just Google; Computer Services Banbury, find me in the list of businesses and choose *Write a review*.

## Testimonial: Graham Holden 2023

I employed Stephen to repair and upgrade two personal lap tops and to repair and recover my business desktop PC.

At that time the PC appeared to be infected with a very destructive Trojan virus (that seemed to have defeated removal) and it also had a failing hard disk, which contained very important business data.

I found his skills and depth of knowledge in hardware, software and operating systems to be outstanding.

The PC is now free of the virus, professionally upgraded, working so much faster and is very secure. And, the laptops are also operating much more efficiently and securely.

He had no problem in upgrading slow and problematic hardware and carrying out long overdue internal cleaning.

I also noted how perfectly all the three machines were fitted back together with precise alignments and no screws missing etc.: Stephen is also to be commended for the care taken and his attention to detail.

He also had no hesitation in lending me some equipment to help me meet some important business deadlines: carrying out some of the work at my office and some in his own workshop.

He is a very polite and friendly person to work with and was able to completely understand what I wanted to achieve, with all three machines, and with full respect for my budget.

I also found him to be very trustworthy and a good communicator: he was able to patiently explain things at a level I could understand, thus enabling me to make informed decisions. He did not overlook any detail of my brief.

His response times were also good and he also provided on-going support to ensure all issues were completely resolved.

All in all, I would conclude by saying, I was very lucky to have found Stephen, receiving a very professional but personalised service. I would recommend him, without hesitation, for both personal work and also for small to medium size business requirements.

GH (10 miles from Banbury) - 20/06/2023