MYTH BUSTED: Penetration Testing

In the world of cybersecurity, there are a lot of myths and misconceptions surrounding penetration testing.

It's time to debunk these myths once and for all to provide clarity and understanding to consider if this is the right tool for your teck stack:

"Penetration Testing isn't relevant for small businesses."

Reality: Regardless of the size of your organisation, penetration tests are essential for safeguarding your business from cyber threats. Cybercriminals target vulnerabilities indiscriminately, making any size organisation susceptible to attacks: "an easy target is an easy target." By Investing in penetration testing, you've taken proactive steps to protect your business and mitigate risks.

"It's only for Government or Financial Institutions"

Reality: Security is a fundamental aspect of business operations across all industries. Every organisation, regardless of sector, must prioritise cybersecurity to ensure business continuity and prevent potential reputational and financial damages resulting from breaches.

"Penetration Testing is the same as Vulnerability Assessments"

Reality: There's a common misconception blending penetration testing with vulnerability assessments. While vulnerability assessments use automated tools to identify known security issues, they often fail to validate if vulnerabilities are exploitable or detect emerging threats not in their database. Penetration testing employs both manual and automated techniques to validate weaknesses, simulating real-world attack scenarios to assess the actual impact on your organisation's security posture.

Click here to learn more about **Penetration Testing** can help you.