

Re: Black Balling practices here?

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Well, everyone else has addressed blackballing and the MVP question as well as who pays whom.:-)

Hmm, your question. Try this, open Explorer, right click your CD-ROM drive, select properties, go to the AutoPlay tab, make sure, "Prompt me each time to choose an action" is selected, click apply. If it is already selected, unselect it, click apply, reselect and click apply and see if that resolves the issue; you might have to reboot the system to get it to start functioning again.

NOTE: sometimes questions aren't answered immediately, it depends on who is reading the group at the time and whether or not those reading have a response. You may see other posts in the intervening period, mostly from people who are not necessarily reading the posts but trying to find answers to their questions so the board may seem active yet there may be few around with answers. Couple that with the fact this is the weekend, some people sleep later, others actually have a life beyond this board and sometimes it can take awhile to get a response.

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"Edw. Peach" <bogus_addie@yahoo.com> wrote in message news:8nj3c0tv95934a0k649cuolalftssfi368@4ax.com...

> Thanks for your response. I thought a question about the missing
> dialogue box for AutoPlay was significant, esp. since MS has issued a
> fix for it in one of the service packs, and also issued a tool to fix
> the problem, which actually did not fix mine. IT seems like a real
> problem, too...what if...someone hit the check box accidentally that
> said "always do this action" and didn't know how to get back the
> dialogue box?

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> I thought it was a good question, but it got panned. It's just odd
> that all of my questions have been panned lately in these MS support
> groups.

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> BTW, I solved my problem with downloading images from my camera by
> bypassing the problems I am having with XP and by purchasing a media
> reader, which is probably a better solution anyway. As for the

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> problem, I'm sure when I get around to reinstalling the OS, that will
> resolve, too.
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