

Re: password problem

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Saw your post and just had to drop my own comments. You have a good reply to your inquiry, use that information to get access to your system. I've been using computers for years and I have never logged on to, or set up any of my machines with a password, Windows Logon, or user accounts. They cause more problems than you can imagine. Your post is evidence of that. I sometimes help my friends and associates with computer issues and the first thing I try to talk them into doing is getting rid of all passwords, except for those used when browsing websites of course, and eliminating all user accounts. They usually agree after they see how trouble free their systems can be. One of my friends has a small office with five machines and they all had multiple passwords and user accounts. They had constant problems with forgetting passwords, mixing up user accounts and generally getting discombobulated. They needed to do some major machine maintenance and after we backed up all their data, I formatted and reinstalled XP with no passwords or user accounts. Their machines run like new and they have no problems. They get more work done and in less time. All is right with the world. Consider dropping the logon passwords and user accounts, you'll be glad you did!

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> *I am the only user set up on my computer, changed my
> password, and forgot it. How can I log on to my
> computer? Is there any way around this with out reloading
> windows?*