

Re: problems at login

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Hi Mark,

That should have been caught by Ad-Aware and Spybot, as it is common. Update both of them and try again. As for Ad-Aware if you aren't running the second edition, add it now along with the plugins.

Also, that entry will be listed in Start/Run/Msconfig/Startup and under your runkeys. In addition, I would suggest adding HijackThis to your list. If you are needing more help, repost and good luck!

Run Ad-Aware, Spybot and HijackThis:

<http://www.majorgeeks.com/downloads31.html>

More info here:

http://www.kellys-korner-xp.com/xp_c.htm#cleanup

Note: Update each program, once installed, before running.

Note2: To avoid the False-Flag for the DSO Exploit (W3), open Spybot/Advanced Mode/Settings/Ignore Products. On the All Products Tab, scrol to DSO Exploit and check that item only. Randy (silj)

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All the Best,

Kelly

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"mark bennett" <anonymous@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message news:1c9801c4a82a\$a6a1a240\$a301280a@phx.gbl...

>I have a Dell 4550 running Windows XP Home Edition and
> during the log in process I get a pop up window with a
> red circle and white X that says "Windows can not find
> (then it shows a file name in quotes that is all wierd
> characters, looks almost arabic but isn't) Make
> sure ...". I can "OK" past that, then a second window
> pops up with a yellow triangle and an exclamation point
> that says "Couldn't run or load (then it has the same
> file name as above". I can "OK" out of that window and
> then Windows seems to run fine. I have been putting up

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> with this for some time now, and would like to eliminate
> the nuisance that it causes at login. So far I have run
> Spybot, Ad-aware, and McAfee virus protection, but
> nothing seemed to solve the problem. Any help would be
> appreciated. Thanks