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Hi,

You don't **have** to use a logon, it's optional and totally up to you. By the way, the default administrator account uses the hidden attribute, so unless you change your folder view options accordingly you will not be able to see it in the folder structure (but trust me, it still exists).

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Best of Luck,

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Got a brand new XP machine at home, and currently do not have any login passwords set on my usual user account. I'm not using Administrator, but I set up another one that is an admin. The machine automatically logs in with my user account, and all I see in the CP is that one and guest. Actually I don't see Administrator anywhere, which I don't quite understand—do I have to do something to enable that? I get no welcome screen, either, even tho that is checked in the user account dialog. Is this because there's only one user account?

I only have the one machine, which is not networked, and don't have any kids at home, anything like that, although I am on DSL, but very well protected with ZoneAlarm Security Suite etc etc. Question is, do I really need to set a login password on my user account? Or on Administrator for that matter? I'm not against doing it, I'm just wondering if I need to with my particular setup.

TIA

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