

Re: Firewall Server

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Set on all PC's, I use Parental Control provided by my F-Secure Internet Security software on the PC my granddaughter uses – seems to work pretty well

"Newbie" <Newbie@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message news:876E57D6-725F-4FA2-B301-EF642CCB44C3@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Hello,

Yes, you are right. This is for my kids.

I have 4 PCs, so I have to setup parental control for each computer.
right?
Kids use all 4 PCs.

Thanks

"Patrick Keenan" wrote:

"Newbie" <Newbie@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message news:8F0B5CBD-1CBB-40FD-A6C0-1B3F8D7C59DA@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Hello,

Yes, we have a router.
But I like to:
limit the browse web site i.e. msn.com, yahoo.com...,
limit the browse time i.e. 7pm to 9pm

That's not so much firewalling as content filtering. You can do this on a per-PC basis with parental control apps like NetNanny or CyberSitter, and depending on your real context, that may give you much better results.

Often, when people ask to do that kind of thing, it's because there are children involved. The parental control app publishers have already

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done
most of the research for you on the sites and content that "should" be
blocked. They can provide pretty good reporting, and for four machines
it
will cost you much less than the server you're thinking of.

These do rely on effective Administrator passwords, so you need to keep
an
eye on when the Admin account was logged into.

HTH
-pk

Thanks

"smlunatick" wrote:

On Apr 17, 12:11 pm, Newbie
<New...@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
wrote:

Hello,

I am looking for firewall
server for XP. Just for home
networking, 4
PCs

i.e. ISA 2006 for Window
server.

Thanks

Firewall server for home networking of 4
PCs is "over-kill." You need
a firewall router (easy and affordable) only. If
you need a server to
store you files (movies, MP3 and other files)
a true Windows Server is
expensive. A Windows Server requires a PC
to bused to install the
Server version of WIndows and minimum of
5 user licenses (CAL) is the
smallest Windows Server "set up." You
should look at Windows Home

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Server offerings.