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 - *Date:* Sat, 16 Aug 2008 15:27:48 -0700
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ROFL! And you think that's still where I live. IDIOT! You can't even do a decent job of simple research. Of course, you know that others ARE capable of such research, which is why you hide behind one of the stupidest sigs ever invented. Otherwise, it's quite likely that somebody you piss off will come to your place and make it personal. (No, not me. If I were that kind of person, you'd be WAY down the list.)Chickensquirt, that's what you are.

ROFLMAO! You still don't know anything about the MVP Program, really. Because you lack the faculty called "critical thinking". Blame your mother for that one, too.

But there's no laughing about total losers like you claiming to know anything about computers. That's a crime, pure an simple, one called "fraud", just to start with, and much worse depending on who you manage to convince that you know anything at all, much less about computers.

As for your link, that's REALLY HILARIOUS, <BG>, seeing as I just got an email from the MVP Program stating exactly the opposite. Just what part of those three paragraphs do you think I don't live up to? Quote them here. Or did you fail "quoting text" in freshman English (or did you even go to school?)

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" db...><))) ->` .. ." <databaseben.public.newsgroup.microsoft.com> wrote in message [news:O5oULn%23\\$IHA.1016@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:O5oULn%23$IHA.1016@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)

Mr. Gary S. Terhune

Primary Profile:

Back in the winter of '99, I got snowed in, trapped in my tiny travel trailer. So I was playing around a lot with Windows 98, tearing it apart and then rebuilding it. I found IE5 beta and installed it, then reinstalled it, reinstalled the whole system, etc., etc. Finally, I had it down to two problems, so I went looking for the answers. Found the IE5 beta newsgroup, asked my questions, waited 20 minutes for the

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answers (good ones), and while I waited, I answered a few others. Well, I was hooked. Made the Win98 groups my home and I've lived there ever since, though I now visit almost all Windows groups except Vista.

based on your unprofessionalism
it is not within you to uphold the
standards here:

<https://mvp.support.microsoft.com/gp/mvpintro>

many of us have long been
involved with computers
and programming by the
time you began playing
with win98.

your disrespectfulness
is not appreciated.

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1) Microsoft is the absolute
source of information pertaining
to windows. all others is secondary.

That's a total crock, Idiot.

2) their registry cleaner is a free
online safety scanner, therefore
there is no marketing or selling.

Here is is in words of two syllables, max, so maybe you'll understand
Idiot:
Free Windows tools equals "good will", equals more sales equals more
money. Got it?

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3) the fact is that the registry can be cleaned and defrag'd. therefore, it can be done at the discretion and convenience of each windows user.

Fact is that they are sold (or given away for reasons selfless and not at all selfless) as ways for "AVERAGE USERS" to "tune up or fix their PCs. Fact is, they do nothing of the sort. It's a HUGE LIE!!!

Of course, you're no dobt one of those people who claims caveat emptor". Well, when you SELL crap by making TOTALLY BOGUS CLAIMS, that amounts to FRAUD!

Of course every user has the right to do what they want to their computer. This discussion isn't about that. It's about whether OneCare Registry Cleaner is bogus, dangerous crap or not. It is.

4) To utilize your argument:
Russinovich skill levels do not match those of the software engineers that created the One Care system.

ROTFLMAO!!!! THAT is a TOTAL load of BS! Those OneCare programmers don't even come close to the skill levels of most of the rest of Microsoft's programmers, let alone those of Russinovich.

In fact if Russinovich believed the registry should be left alone, he should not have created a utility to defrag the registry hive.

You just can't help showing how stupid youu are, can you? Russinovich says nothing in teh referenced articles about defragmenting the Registry, he only speaks of "cleaning" the Resistry. Where does your stupidity enter into it? Where you can't tell the difference between those two entirely different topics.

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wrote in message
[news:eIR6gk7\\$IHA.3756@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:eIR6gk7$IHA.3756@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)

"Dustin Cook"
<bughunter.dustin@xxxxxxxx> wrote in
message
news:Xns9AFBA4C0257DAHHi2948AJD832@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

"Ken Blake, MVP"
<kblake@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
wrote in
[news:ft5k94t4g7bsodt1m2qgsm923lhq8s4hn1 @xxxxxxx:](mailto:news:ft5k94t4g7bsodt1m2qgsm923lhq8s4hn1@xxxxxxx)

On Wed, 6
Aug 2008
14:15:01
-0700, Fez
<Fez@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
wrote:

Hi

My
XP
machines
are
running
slower
then
usual.
I
intalled
XP
6
months
ago
and
now
users
are
complaining
that
their
machines

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are
working
slower
then
normal.
I
reinstalled
the
Win
XP
on
one
of
the
computer
and
this
computer
is
working
normally.
We
have
not
made
any
changes
on
our
network
and
we
have
not
installed
any
new
software
on
the
client
computers.
These
machines
are
completely
clean.

How do you

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know that?

Has
any
one
encoutered
this
kind
of
problem?

There are
very
problems
that are
unique to a
single user.
I've
never
personally
experienced
it on any of
my XP
machines,
though.

Does
XP
become
slower
over
the
time?

No.

Do
we
need
to
reinstall

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it
after
some
time?

No.

Secondly,
Can
anyone
recommend
good
registry
cleaner
and
system
cleaner
software
to
tune
up
my
xp
machine?

There is no
such thing
as a "good
registry
cleaner" or
good
"system
cleaner
software."
Registry
cleaning
programs
are *all*
snake oil.
Cleaning of
the registry
isn't needed
and is
dangerous.
Leave the

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registry
alone and
don't use
any registry
cleaner.
Despite
what
many
people
think, and
what
vendors of
registry
cleaning
software try
to
convince
you of,
having
unused
registry
entries
doesn't
really
hurt
you.

http://onecare.live.com/site/en-US/article/registry_cleaner_why.htm

Seems MS disagrees..

Microsoft is a company made up of many thousands of different people, with different skill levels, different strengths, different weaknesses, and different responsibilities. They certainly don't all have the same views on everything. Those people with responsibility for marketing of software may disagree, because their interest is selling you software that does this, but Mark Russinovich, one of the most respected technical names at Microsoft, happens to agree that registry cleaners should *not* be used.

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I'm not using my home computer at the moment, and don't have a link handy to the page in which Russinovich talks about this subject, but I hope someone else here will post it.