

Re: P2P networking

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In article <#eveMKkMGHA.1532@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>, "Joe" <tanspar@xxxxxxxx> wrote:

The message I get when I try to access computer 2 is as follows.

"\\ Computer2 is not accessible. You might not have permission to use the network resource. Contact the administrator of the server to find out if you have access permission. Logon failure: the user has not been granted the requested logon type at this computer."

Compute2 have sharing activated but no-one can access it.

Thanks for posting the error message -- it really helps.

Run XP's Network Setup Wizard on Computer2 -- that's often all that's needed to fix the "Logon failure" problem.

If that doesn't fix it, follow these steps on Computer2:

1. Click Start | Run, type "secpol.msc" in the box, and click OK.
2. Click Local Policies.
3. Click User Rights Assignment.

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4. Click "Access this computer from the network" and make sure that the Everyone group is included.
5. Click "Deny access to this computer from the network" and make sure that the Everyone group is NOT included.

Thanks for the information. I tried your suggestions but I could still not make it work. Still get the same error message when I try to access computer #2.

You're welcome.

What does your computer show for users or groups in Step 4 above? My computer shows Administrators, Backup Operators, Everyone, Power Users, and Users.

What does your computer show for users or groups in Step 5 above? My computer shows SUPPORT_388945a0.

Thanks again for your input. By adding the items in step 4 the other computers were able to access computer 2 but whenever computer 2 is rebooted the area get cleared out and the access is lost. Any idea what could be causing this?

I assume that your computer is a member of a workgroup, and my answer only applies in a workgroup. If the computer is a member of a domain, consult with the network administrator.

After adding the items in Step 4, restart the computer in "Safe mode with networking" and see if the items are still there. If they are, then some program that only runs in normal mode is changing the items. Look through the startup items in Msconfig for possible culprits, especially any networking or VPN programs.

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Best Wishes,
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