

Re: Remote Desktop setup for 2 laptops on Adhoc Wireless Network

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Al

Thank you very much for your reply/info.

It was as simple as you indicated. A lot simpler than setting up the adhoc wireless network.

With both laptops connected to the Adhoc Wireless Network:

- enabled Remote Desktop on the "host" laptop.
- was automatically specified as a User in the Remote desktop User's Group.
- on the Remote laptop, setup an exception in Windows Firewall for "Remote Desktop".
- from the Client laptop dialed-up the Remote Desktop using it's Wireless IP address.

Did not have to setup an exception in the XP SP2 Windows Firewall for TCP Port 3389. Just "Remote Desktop".

Can both laptops be setup as the Remote and Client at the same time, so that they can be operated alternatively (i.e. not at the same time) as Remote (host) and Client ?

Alan C. Brown

"Sooner Al [MVP]" <SoonerAl@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message news:%23plRYIYqGHA.2164@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Its really no different connecting over an adhoc link versus the internet. Call direct using the private IP of the PC you want to connect to. You need to setup an exception in the XP SP2 Windows Firewall for TCP Port 3389.

<http://theillustratednetwork.mvps.org/RemoteDesktop/RemoteDesktopSetupandTroubleshooting.html#Port> fo

<http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb:en-us:875357>

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This presumes you have Remote Desktop enabled on the PC you want to control *AND* have administrator privileges or are a member of the Remote Desktop Users Group on the PC.

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I have 2 laptops running on XP Pro SP2, and have them connected through an adhoc "peer to peer" wireless network (Windows firewall is ON, and data encryption is enabled on both).

Would appreciate if anyone can advise on the requirements & procedure for setting up Remote Desktop through the adhoc wireless network, and NOT through the internet.

Thank you

Alan C. Brown