

Re: XP Home and RWW

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Les,

Thanks for getting back to me. Yes, I think it should work as well – in the time between the posting of the original question this morning and now I have found another friend who is using the same DSL provider that I was using last night and who is running XP home. He is able to get in with no problem.

What happens is that when I type the ip address of the SBS machine in the browser there is a long pause and then I either get the dnserror.aspx screen or I get a "Cannot find server or DNS error Internet Explorer" screen.

Yes, there are two machines at this remote site, both running XP home, both connected to the DSL line through the same router, both display same error.

I checked the router configuration, and placed one machine in the DMZ thinking that this might allow it unfettered access to the Internet, same result though. I am not a router god, so while I think that the firewall is properly disabled, I'm not positive. We are currently trying to find the logon password to the PPPoE account so that we can reset the router to factory defaults in the hope that that might let us through.

Could the firewall on XP be causing problems? I didn't think to check that last night?

Thanks,

Todd

"Les Connor [SBS MVP]" <les.connor@DEL.cfive.ca> wrote in message news:OA6fm73NEHA.3596@tk2msftngp13.phx.gbl...

> *Hi Todd,*

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> *I think it should work. What is the exact error message or behavior you see*

> *? Are you able to try another computer, from this location ?*

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> *Is there a firewall (xp firewall or other) that might be blocking the*
> *communication on the client end ?*
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> *Les Connor [SBS MVP]*
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> *SBS Rocks !*
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> *"Todd Wilson" <wilsontt@alltel.net> wrote in message*
> *news:%23vHMvb3NEHA.2708@TK2MSFTNGP11.phx.gbl...*
> *> Are there any know issues with the connection of a computer running XP*
> *home*
> *> (IE 6 with latest service packs) to a client computer runnin*