

Re: Workstation Locked out!

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 - *Date:* Thu, 10 May 2007 20:34:02 -0700
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Thanks Merv. I will give that a try this weekend and let you know how it goes.

I appreciate the response!!

"Merv Porter [SBS-MVP]" wrote:

I posted the following tonight in response to another thread with a similar issue. That poster was getting the following error, which I think may be similar to yours:

"Windows cannot connect to the domain, either because the domain controller is down or otherwise unavailable, or because your computer account was not found. Please try again later."

See Brandy Nee's post in the following thread:

Tablet PC & SBS 2003 Standard Edition

http://groups.google.com/group/microsoft.public.windows.server.sbs/browse_thread/thread/5d390678f2c68fd

I'm wondering if resetting the secure channel between the workstation and the domain controller will fix your issue:

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netdom reset <machinename> /domain:<domainname>
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Replace <machinename> and <domainname> with the real Windows XP computer name and domain name.

According to KB article 216393, this command can be run from either the domain controller (SBS server) or any domain workstation currently attached to the network if you are logged in as a domain admin.

216393 Resetting computer accounts in Windows 2000 and Windows XP

<http://support.microsoft.com/?id=216393>

Merv Porter [SBS-MVP]

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"PWT24" <PWT24@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
news:E0EEC704-ACF2-4D89-8AA0-599499747958@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Yes I removed the wireless nic and tried using just the onboard nic, no
luck.
I tried installing a pci nic too, no luck.

"Merv Porter [SBS-MVP]" wrote:

Have you tried turning off the wireless router or Access
Point before you
attempt the local login?

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Merv Porter [SBS-MVP]
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"PWT24" <PWT24@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote
in message
news:EE0E2E27-3D73-4010-9211-098488D04E27@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Not there right now, but It states something
like unable to connect to
the
network try establishing connection first or
something like that.

Not familiar with EBD or EBCD... explain??

"WJ" wrote:

What does happen exactly,
when you try lo logon as the
local admin?

If it is a password issue, you
could always try a EBD or
EBCD, and
blank
out
the local admin pwd.

Groet,

Willem

"PWT24" wrote:

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I recently
deployed a
SBS
standard
edition
network.
I'm happy
to
say
that
all is well
except one
last piece.

I tried to
connect an
old XP pro
box to the
network
using the
connect
computer
wizard. It
first stated
that I
needed to
disable a
network
card
because it
does not
work with 2
enabled. I
disabled the
wired card
and
left
the wireless
enabled.
(probably a
stupid
move) The
connection
wizard
began
and seemed
to run ok
until it
rebooted.

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Now I
cannot
login. It
will
not
accept the
local or
admin user
and keeps
telling me
that it is not
connected
to the
network. I
also cannot
login to the
local
computer.

So if I
cannot get
into the
system how
can I
re-configure
the NIC's
or
more
importantly
how can I
continue
with the
connect
computer
installation??

Thanks in
advance for
any help!