

Re: Limiting access to US users only

Source: <http://www.derkeiler.com/Newsgroups/comp.security.firewalls/2003-09/1489.html>

From: T.R. (*Spammers_R_Godless_Pedophiles_at_inbred.com*)

Date: 09/17/03

Date: Wed, 17 Sep 2003 18:05:55 GMT

On Wed, 17 Sep 2003 16:33:20 +0100, James Hodson
<jUNDERSCOREhodson@ntlworld.com.invalid> wrote:

*>I perhaps fall into TR's "functional imbeciles" (like it) category
>regarding firewalls and security but that's why I've been lurking
>hereabouts for several weeks. I wish to learn.*

No you Don't because you are here and as you said, and I quote you, "I wish to learn". No my fine feathered friend, you are just fine and along with the rest of us, willing to learn in order to better protect yourself.

The functional imbeciles just plow along, totally oblivious to the destruction they leave in their moronic wake. They are eaten up with Virii and Trojans and don't even realize it and every time they make any contact with anyone else on the web, they pass their infestations along.

Let me tell you, firsthand, about a functional imbecile. I agreed to go to this home and help straighten out a messed up system belonging to a friend of a friend of a friend of a friend. You know! When I got there, what I first say was a desktop with 100's of icons on it. This person had no concept of folders and their organizational usage. Every program, every download, every file that they had ever made, installed, opened or downloaded as on their desktop.

Checking the fragmentation of their HD showed that they had never ever done the slightest bit of maintenance and they had an astounding 4.5gig of unattached clusters on their HD which I later found out that were probably created by this person always turning off their computer with the power switch instead of turning it off the right way through Start/Shutdown. They actually thought that the blue screened chkdsk operation at bootup was normal even though it plainly said at the bottom that it was doing this because windows was shut down improperly. Duh!

They had never downloaded a single MS critical or suggested update... Not a Single One! Looking, I did notice that they did have auto

comp.security.firewalls: Re: Limiting access to US users only

notify setup on their system and I asked why they weren't doing the downloads when notified. They said that they just close the popup because they are always getting annoying popups about this that and the other all the time and just never had the time to deal with them at the moment. I later found out the other popups they had been ignoring were their AV update notices.

Needless to say, after I updated their AV Definition files