

Port forwarding and remote connection help!!

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This is my problem or the situation thta I would like to have some kind of ideas and advices.

I'm connecting to my university server using port forwarding to be enable to read the post in the news server:

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[%]$ ssh -f -N -L 119:news.server.edu:119 user@server.edu
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using the root user to be enable to use the 119 port in my local machine.

My question is the follow: What about if others users in my net want to use my machine like news server?? I mean...If I have a local port listening like news server, could the users connect to my machine (my IP) and have access to the 119 port?

I tried with some users but my machine didn't let them connect. I tried, but only with localhost 127.0.0.1 is possible, not with the reachable IP.

Some idea??

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