

Re: Windows Messenger Quits as Soon as opened. Need help.

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Thank You for the reply. I knew it had to be something simple like a registry setting.

"Jonathan Kay [MVP]" <msnewsreplies@jonathankay.com> wrote in message news:Ovv2VaqICHA.2620@tkmsftngp13...

> *Greetings Sean,*

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> *It's a bug in Messenger 4.6. In previous versions of Messenger, if the registry keys for*

> *Messenger didn't exist, Messenger would create it them itself. Beginning with Messenger 4.6*

> *however, when not under an administrator account, instead of creating the missing registry*

> *keys, it simply exits. The latest Messenger 4.7 beta (not publically available), fixes this*

> *problem.*

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> *Besides doing what you suggested, you can just run a .reg file to replace the missing*

> *registry key and data (I normally have it on my web site, but it's down temporary at the*

> *moment, so I've just attached it to this post).*

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> *Jonathan Kay*

> *Windows MVP, Messenger*

> *Associate Expert*

> *<http://www.microsoft.com/windowsxp/expertzone/>*

> *Messenger Resources – <http://messenger.jonathankay.com>*

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> *"Sean25" <spam@spamcop.net> wrote in message*

news:zCBU8.5791\$0c1.469596@news1.west.cox.net...

> > *Ok, after writing this, I know what caused it but still don't know why it*

> > *is. I don't know why I didn't remember this, because I had already seen*

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> > *happen from experience with XP in the past. If you create a new user*