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> windsurferLA wrote:

>> Shenan Stanley wrote:

>>> windsurferLA wrote:

>>> I can share data between all three WinXP-pro computers on my
>>> network, but I want only TWO computers of the THREE computers on my
>>> network to be able to share data. If I enable "simple file sharing"
>>> in my main WinXP computer, all computers on the Network have access
>>> to the file designated to be shared.

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>> Do not use "Simple File Sharing". Turn that off. You have Windows
>> XP Professional, you can do som much more with sharing and
>> permissions without that on.

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>>> To enable more selective sharing, the "simple file sharing" the
>>> check in the check-box associated with Tools/FolderOptions/View was
>>> removed. I then seek to set the "Sharing/Permission" by removing
>>> "Everyone" and designating the appropriate other WinXP computer on
>>> my network. MY PROBLEM IS that when I seek to browse my network to
>>> find the appropriate "object name," it does not show the other
>>> computers on my network, yet if I go to "My Network Places," it
>>> lists the shared directories on the other computer on the network.

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>> So map them directly by bios name or IP. \\computer-name\share-name
>> or \\ip-address\sharename.

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> As my router is set for DHCP, each machine does not have an assigned
> IP address. I'm not sure how to look up "BIOS ADDRESS." I do note
> that they are identified on the Network by a rather long odd name, for
> example - Ibm-fc0baff6344. I expected to see my machines li