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You're welcome. Thanks for letting us know you were able to recover your files.

Nepatsfan

In [news:CFEAEDE6-F20C-42C0-A07B-4FE57B6149FC@xxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:CFEAEDE6-F20C-42C0-A07B-4FE57B6149FC@xxxxxxxxxxxx), Dal1981 <[Dal1981@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:Dal1981@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote:

Nepatsfan, it worked a treat!!

A thousand thank you's!!!

Dal

"Nepatsfan" wrote:

In [news:408A8319-743F-4D82-AA5D-075F9CBA82EE@xxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:408A8319-743F-4D82-AA5D-075F9CBA82EE@xxxxxxxxxxxx), Dal1981 <[Dal1981@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:Dal1981@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote:

Hi Guys.

I have been using XP on my laptop, which has 2 drives (C: & D:).

XP is run from C: and all My Documents folder is stored is on D:.

Unfortunately I had to reload XP on to my machine as the laptop would not boot up properly.

I have successfully installed XP back on to the C drive, unfortunately when I try to access my folders on the D: drive

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is says  
"ACCESS DENIED". I am guessing this is because the  
computer  
thinks I  
am not the same user as before!(!?)

How can I get access to the folder and my all my  
documents!?

Thanks in advance!!

Dal

You need to disable Simple File Sharing and take ownership  
of  
the files. Take a look at these articles for more info:

How to disable simplified sharing and set permissions on a  
shared folder in Windows XP  
<http://support.microsoft.com/kb/307874/>

How to take ownership of a file or folder in Windows XP  
<http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb:en-us:308421>

"Access is Denied" Error Message When You Try to Open a  
Folder  
<http://support.microsoft.com/kb/810881>

Note: If you are running Microsoft Windows XP Home Edition,  
you  
must start the computer in safe mode, and then log on with  
an  
account that has Administrative rights to have access to the  
Security tab. To start in Safe Mode, reboot your computer  
and  
start tapping the F8 key as soon as you see anything  
displayed  
on the screen. Keep hitting F8 until the Advanced Startup  
Options menu appears. Use the up and down arrow keys on your  
keyboard to select Safe Mode. Hit Enter.

Good luck

Nepatsfan