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Subject: How do you....

Posted by [Boxcarman](#) on Thu, 03 Jun 2004 04:42:27 GMT

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Get rid of spyware.

I got Ad-aware 6.0, Spybot- Search & Destroy. I also got Anti-Virus 2004. I use all of them and stil get pop ups and spyware.

Help.?

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Posted by [npsmith82](#) on Thu, 03 Jun 2004 05:37:39 GMT

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K thx. But I do not know if my firewall is on or off. Where do I check to see, becuae I might have it, but I can not find it in my computer.

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Posted by [almor999](#) on Fri, 04 Jun 2004 00:04:17 GMT  
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Posted by [Majiin Vegeta](#) on Fri, 04 Jun 2004 00:45:51 GMT  
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you need a pop up protector.. ie google tool bar

SEARCH GOOGLE FOR THE GOOGLE TOOL BAR!

adware and spybot only delete adware and spybots >\_< they dont stop pop ups :/

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Posted by [xptek\\_disabled](#) on Fri, 04 Jun 2004 00:46:29 GMT  
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Also, if you're using IE. Turn off ActiveX

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Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Fri, 04 Jun 2004 00:48:05 GMT

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Don't use Internet Exploder. Use Opera. <http://www.opera.com>

It's free with a single standard advertisement banner which you can tailor to see what you like. Has integrated mail, pop-up blocking, and is NOT vulnerable to the exploits that IE is.

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Fri, 04 Jun 2004 01:01:11 GMT

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Yeah, I downloaded Opera and it's great because it's like Safari because it has the tabs at the top. Way better than MicroSucks Internet Explorer.

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Posted by [xptek\\_disabled](#) on Fri, 04 Jun 2004 01:10:19 GMT

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Firefox is better.

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I have the USB modem. I don't use Ethernet. I still do not know how to access my firewall. I'm pretty sure I have one.

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