

04/29/10 - How do I disable balloon tips in the notification area in Windows XP or Vista?

<http://support.microsoft.com/kb/307729>

To disable balloon tips in the notification area, follow these steps:

Click Start, click Run, type regedit, and then press ENTER.

Locate the following subkey:

**HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\Explorer
r\Advanced**

**Right-click the right side pane, create a new DWORD value, and then name it
EnableBalloonTips.**

Double-click EnableBalloonTips, and then give it a value of 0.

Close Registry Editor.

Log off Windows, and then log back on.