

Problem: Send a WoL to all workstations.

Wake-on-lan is based on the Mac-address. The mac address is the hardware address of the Network-card. In a local network a mac-address is determined with specific software or with the built-in commands:

(First ping the address)

Ping 192.168.2.1

(Second the arp command)

Arp -a

192.168.2.1	00-55-26-1c-e7-c1	dynamic
192.168.2.2	00-5d-15-70-05-01	dynamic

...

To get all of de mac-addresses you can ping all local ip's and check the arp-table if there is a mac-address. On a network where the netmask is 255.255.255.0 there are 255 ip's to ping. There is a faster way when there is a dhcp-server (Windows based) on the network. I have made a cmd-script to get the dynamic assigned ip-adresses and write them in a text-file.

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FOR /F "tokens=2 delims=:" %%i IN ('ipconfig/all ^|find "Default Gateway"') DO (FOR /F "tokens=1-4 delims=. " %%j IN ('echo %%i') Do Set subnet=%%j.%%%k.%%%l.0)  
netsh -c dhcp server scope %subnet% show clientsv5 1|find "-D-" >macs.txt
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192.168.2.62 - 255.255.255.0 - c2-72-d7-35-f0-d2	-2-3-2012 4:32:52	-D- ws001.xxx.lokal
192.168.2.63 - 255.255.255.0 - c2-72-d7-2d-6b-bd	-3-3-2012 7:44:50	-D- ws002.xxx.lokal
192.168.2.64 - 255.255.255.0 - 75-ac-c0-97-80-d5	-3-3-2012 8:46:31	-D- ws003.xxx.lokal

Ok, not quite yet the best input-file voor a wol command, but here is the line to wol the ip-adresses.

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for /F "tokens=1-4,9-14 delims=.- " %%i IN (macs.txt) DO wol.exe  
%%m%%n%%o%%p%%q%%r&ping -a %%i.%%%j.%%%k.%%%l >>job.log
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To get a decent file with active mac-adresses use 2 cmd-scripts.

runjob1.cmd

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for /F "tokens=1-4,9-14 delims=.- " %%i IN (macs.txt) DO runjob2.cmd %%i.%%%j.%%%k.%%%l
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runjob2.cmd

Set ip=%1

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Set mac=%2
ping %ip%|find "bytes=" ||goto NOWOL
Echo %ip%-%mac% >>macs1.txt
:NOWOLAnd now run the wol-script (several hours later when the machine is down).runjob3.c
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for /F "tokens=1-2 delims=-" %%i IN (macs1.txt) DO wol.exe %%j&ping -a %%i >>job3.log
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I downloaded wol.exe from [here](#).

I know there are better cmd s to do some actions bu I like it my way :-)