Hackernews API documentation

ERROR MEANINGS

666: username not available

777: incorrect username or password

888: **no posts**

USER ENDPOINTS

Description	Creates a new User
REQUEST TYPE	POST
PATH	/api/user/new
REQUEST BODY	{
	"userName": "john",
	"password": "jimmy"
	}
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200
	{
	OR
	Status 500

Description	Deletes a user
REQUEST TYPE	DELETE
PATH	/api/user/delete
REQUEST BODY	{
	"userName": "john",
	"password": "jimmy"
	}
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200 No body
	OR
	Status 777

Description	Updates the pw of a user
REQUEST TYPE	PUT
PATH	/api/user/update
REQUEST BODY	{
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200 No body OR Status 777 No body

Description	For logging in a user
REQUEST TYPE	POST
PATH	/api/user/login
REQUEST BODY	{ "userName" : "llama", "password" : "bubber" }
RESPONSE BODY	{

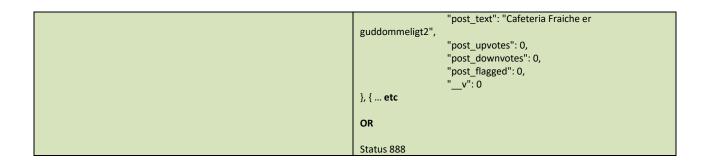
Description	Gets all users
REQUEST TYPE	GET
PATH	/api/user/all
REQUEST BODY	NO BODY
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200
	[{
	Status 500

Description	Gets the karma of a specific user
REQUEST TYPE	GET
PATH	/api/user/karma/: username
REQUEST BODY	No body, just the request/url param
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200 {"totalKarma":2}
	OR
	Status 777

POST ENDPOINTS

Description	Get the post matching the given ID
REQUEST TYPE	GET
PATH	/api/post/: postID
REQUEST BODY	No body, just the url param
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200 {
	Status 888

Description	Gets the N most recently submitted posts
REQUEST TYPE	GET
PATH	/api/post/newest/:numberOfPosts (integer)
REQUEST BODY	No body, just the param
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200 [{



Description	Finds the N highest scoring posts of all time (as
	calculated by upvotes-downvotes)
REQUEST TYPE	GET
PATH	/api/post/ highest/:numberOfPosts
REQUEST BODY	No body, just the param
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200 [{

Description	Creates a new post
REQUEST TYPE	POST
PATH	/api/post/new
REQUEST BODY	{ "user_name": "asdf", "post_type": "story", "post_title": "Jeg kan godt lide Lamaer2222", "post_parent": -1, "post_text": "Cafeteria Fraiche" }
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200 ingen body OR

6
Ctatue ///
Status ///

Description	Deletes the given post
REQUEST TYPE	DELETE
PATH	/api/post/
REQUEST BODY	{ "user_name": "jimmy", "password": "john", "post_id": 5
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200
	OR
	Status 888

REQUEST BODY No	T Di/post/all/:userName body, just the request param us 200 "_id": "59e2486011ac6d23b4c1cde7", "total_score": 0, "created_at": "2017-10-14T17:24:48.4382",
REQUEST BODY NO State	body, just the request param us 200 "_id": "59e2486011ac6d23b4c1cde7", "total_score": 0,
RESPONSE BODY Stat	us 200 "_id": "59e2486011ac6d23b4c1cde7", "total_score": 0,
INEST ONSE BODT	"_id": "59e2486011ac6d23b4c1cde7", "total_score": 0,
	"updated_at": "2017-10-14T17:24:48.438Z",

Description	Edits a post text or title
REQUEST TYPE	PUT
PATH	/api/post/edit
REQUEST BODY	{
	" post_id ": 3,
	"new_post_title": null,
	"new_post_text": "ændret tekst"
	}
	BEMÆRK: Hvis enten title eller text <u>IKKE</u> skal
	ændres, skal denne sættes til null.
	Dvs. at i ovenstående eksempel, ændres teksten
	men IKKE titlen.
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200
	OR
	Status 888

Description	Upvotes the given post
REQUEST TYPE	PUT
PATH	/api/post/upvote
REQUEST BODY	{
	" post_id ": 3
	}
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200
	OR
	Status 888

Description	Downvotes the given post
REQUEST TYPE	PUT
PATH	/api/post/downvote
REQUEST BODY	{
	" post_id ": 3
	}
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200

OR
Status 888

Description	Flags the given post
REQUEST TYPE	PUT
PATH	/api/post/flag
REQUEST BODY	{
	" post_id ": 3
	}
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200
	OR
	Status 888

Description	Get the total karma of a specific post
REQUEST TYPE	GET
PATH	/api/post/karma/: post_id
REQUEST BODY	No body, just the request param
RESPONSE BODY	Status 200
	{
	"totalKarma": 5
	}
	OR
	Status 888