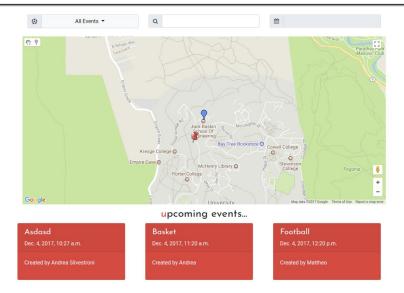
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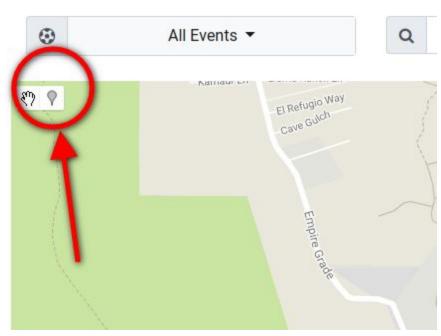




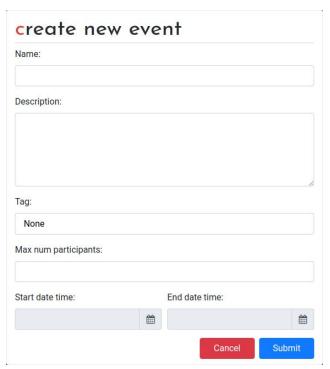
Pinned provides a platform where users can create and join local sport events based on their preferences. The main features provided are:

- Event creation
- Event joining/leaving
- Events List
- User Profile
- Tag creation
- Events browsing
- Event notifications

Event Creation



In order to create a new event, the user has to click on the "pin" icon in the top left corner of the map provided in the homepage. This will bring up the following form, where new event's details can be inserted.

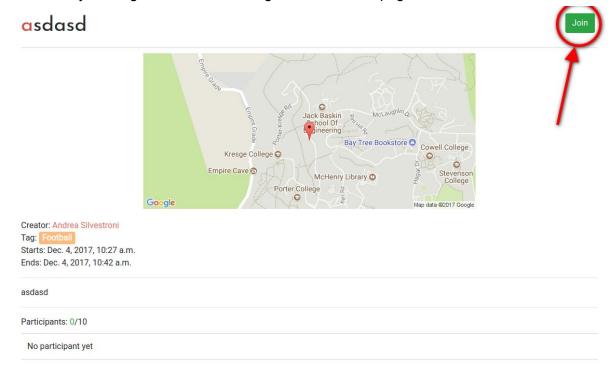


After filling in all the fields, the user has to press submit in order to create a new event.

Event joining/leaving



As soon as the event is created, a new pin will be shown on the map indicating that an event is planned in that location. By hovering the pin the user can get some basic information about the event, and by clicking he/she will be brought to the event's page.

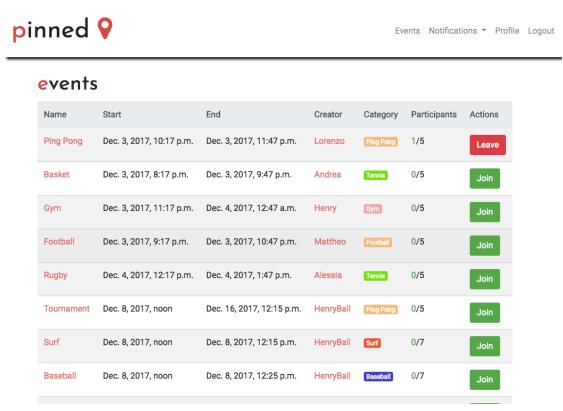


Users can join the event by clicking on the green Join button on the top right of the event page, or by clicking the Join button on the event line in the events list page.

After joining the event, the user's name will appear in the participants list at the bottom of the page (while other users will have to refresh the page in order to see the new name).

After clicking a Join button it will turn into a Leave button, which allows the user to leave (duh) the event.

Events List

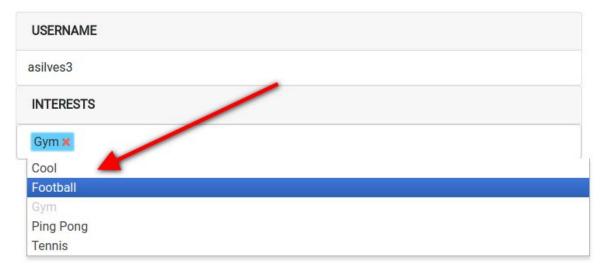


Events can also be joined, left and inspected through the Events list, which can be accessed through the link in the navbar.

User Profile



Users can access their own profiles through the Profile link in the navbar, or somebody else's by clicking on their name (in Event or Events pages). Users can specify their own interest tags in their own profile page, by clicking on the interests field and choosing tags from the list. These interests may then be used to filter the events displayed on the map. The events which the user has created (in blue) or joined (in red) are displayed at the bottom of the page.



New tags can be created during event creation, as explained in the next section.

Tag Creation

Tags are created by users by typing into the text-box in the tags section of the event creation form. If no tag exists with the inputted name the user is given the option to create that tag. This

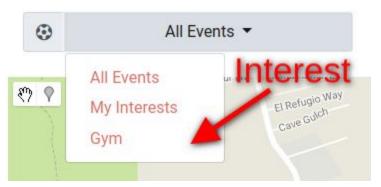
tag will then be an option for future events as well a user's interest specification on their profile page. In order to create a new tag the user has to write down the new name and then click the + sign underneath the tag selection component.



Event Browsing



Events on the map can be filtered through the three components present on top of the page.

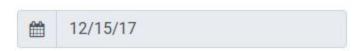


The first filter allows for tag restriction: users can decide to see all events, just events corresponding to one of their interests or all events that belong to its interests (e.g. if a user is interested in both Ping Pong and Gym, My Interests will show events belonging to one of these categories).



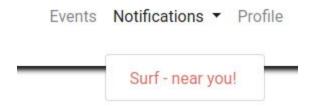
The second filter provides event name selection, which means only events containing what is in the filter are shown

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The third filter is for date selection, allowing users to see events that will begin on a date starting from the selected day.

Event Notifications



The user is notified of any nearby events with tags matching his/her selected interests. Nearby events consist of all events within a 15 mile radius of the user's current location. Each time a new page is visited the user's current location is updated.