Reflective report on Project Methodology Course Assignment

This is a short report on my course assignment for project methodology.
Tasked with creating a gantt chart a company wanting a new website.
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Introduction

For this Course Assignment we were tasked with creating a Gantt chart for a company called "Lofthus frukt og saft" that has requested a web page to be created for them as they are expanding their business. Started out by carefully reading the assignment and all points that had to be included and looked over. Deciding what key members I think is needed for the project. Began Writing down key elements to be implemented.

Main

Seeing as this is the first time trying to imagine how a project would be done I asked people I know that has experience being in projects like this. Using this information I could start planning the project. Seeing as projects can not start without a meeting with all the members and clients I went with a "kick off" meeting. This is where we all can talk and explain what clients wants and how we would tackle the task.

Next I thought some research about the company and others are in order to proceed and to make the team prepared and aware of the company. At the same time after some research I think that the designer and developer could start creating some mockups and style tiles to prepare for a client meeting. Assuming everything on the client meeting goes well the project can proceed with developing, designing, photographs and content.

Having a test page ready for next client meeting so they would have a visual was the next steps. After meeting I thought that the testing could commence. Again if everything goes well the website could really start being built. After a while another client meeting to see if they are happy and then launch. I feel like 3 weeks should be enough for the project if everything went according to plan seeing as it seems that they wanted a mostly static website.

Conclusion

This is how I think a project would go if everything goes smoothly. As I have no personal experience in projects at all I had to imagine how it can go. Using the lessons and provided gantt chart example was ok. Last assignment I used the gantt project program but it was not as flexible as I wanted so I decided to try google free excel like program for this assignment. I felt like it was easier to make it more readable and nicer. But I had to relearn using the program seeing as it has been awhile since I had used excel. I feel like the tasks I assigned around seems correct for a real project. But I feel like that being a project manager is not something I will be doing before I have a lot of experience in the developing field.

Going through the tasks and trying to plan this project with a good flow and estimate of time being used I used pen and paper for brainstorming and writing a critical path of what had to be done before the project could proceed. Imagining a scenario of which I have no concept or experience with was not easy but a fun experience nonetheless.

Github link for the gantt chart
https://github.com/MJmiyu/Lofthus_frukt_og_saft