

Sprint 1 retro

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Sprint 0 Retro: 18/08/20

Team:

Tuesday 2:30pm tutorial with Sachin

Sprint:

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Date:

08/09/20

Attended:

Product Owner:

Sachin Pathiyan Cherumanal

Scrum Master:

s3716816: Ryan Wilson

Development team:

s3810119: Erik Olivesjoe

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s3385819: Matt Meskell

1. Things That Went Well

What went well? What the team is happy about?

- Notion layout went well which helped us out with organising
 - Developed our understanding of notion, utilising workspaces better than in sprint 0
- Good communication. Consistent meetings, asking for clarification when in doubt.
- Workspaces together helped when testing, developing backend.
- Ryan and Erik are happy with how they are developing
 - Catching up on a regular basis and programming side-by-side (virtually)
- Lots of resources available for react etc for Matt to use while developing frontend
- Changing the API documentation to POSTman was straightforward and is easy to comprehend

2. Things That Could Have Gone Better

What could have gone better? What the team could improve?

- Ryan and Erik cannot figure out how to get git ignore file to work
 - Matt told us how to fix (remove the existing files from the repo)
- Fair division of work with the front-end work
 - mainly stemming from Prerak not having as much experience with front-end frameworks as Matt

3. Things That Surprised Us

What wasn't expected?

- The number of frameworks available for react
 - Design-based frameworks
 - Responsive frameworks
 - Frameworks for integrating front-end with back-end
 - Styled-components and react-bootstrap in particular were really helpful
- How easy Bcrypt made it to hash+salt passwords before we stored them in the database

4. Lessons Learned

What you learned from the above points?

- Matt and Prerak are going to catch-up so that Matt can help keep Prerak on track
- Delete files before you try to git ignore them
- The utility in building something functional regardless of how functional/stylish it is is better than trying to make the best product from the get-go (the MVP model)

5. Final Thoughts

Things to Keep

- Ryan and Erik to continue leading back end development
- Erik to take over as scrum master
- Matt and Prerak to spearhead front end development

Things to Change

- Going to start actually integrating the front-end with the back-end

- More meetings between Matt and Prerak to reduce bottlenecks in front-end development
- Implementation of CircleCI for automated building of project

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