

Bandmaster Instructions

Bandmaster is a web application that allows musicians to collaborate by uploading songs and associated files (eg: sheet music, lyrics, guitar tabs) to a public web page to share with current and prospective band members. Additionally, users can add tasks and events for other band members to see. Today you will try out the application as if you were a musician looking for an online space to collaborate with fellow musicians.

Bandmaster Tasks

- 1) Create an account.
- 2) Log into admin page.
- 3) Change your band name.
- 4) Add/Remove tasks.
- 5) Upload a song (mp3 file) – Navigate to the desktop and open the ‘Bandmaster Demo’ folder.
- 6) Play the song.
- 7) Attach an associated pdf file with the song – PDF’s may also be found in the ‘Bandmaster Demo’ folder on the desktop.
- 8) Find the public Band Page.
- 9) Test the music player on the band page.
- 10) Try to download the music song and associated files from the public page.

Bandmaster Form

- 1) Is the user able to create an account and login?

Yes, though they navigated to public
page

- 2) Are they having trouble uploading a song/associated files? About how long did it take them to figure it out?

No problem at all

- 3) How did the user upload the song? (file browser or drag and drop)?

Both

- 4) Are they having trouble adding or removing tasks?

Nope, no trouble at all

Bandmaster Form

Hard to find public band
page link

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User used a spec

- 2) Are they having trouble uploading a song/associated files? About how long did it take them to figure it out?

Small amount, just unfamiliar with mac interface.

- 3) How did the user upload the song? (file browser or drag and drop)?

Used the browse button.

User tried to play a song that wasn't selected

- 4) Are they having trouble adding or removing tasks?

No problems at all. Was using as more often calendar

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yes, no problem.

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Needed to drag to correct area.

- 3) How did the user upload the song? (file browser or drag and drop)?

Drag-n-drop.

- 4) Are they having trouble adding or removing tasks?

Need to use enter to add tasks

Bandmaster Questions

- 1) Was the account creation/login process straight forward? ✓
- 2) Was it clear how to upload a music file? — tabs and dropdown
isn't clear
- 3) Was it clear how to upload an associated file? →
- 4) Did the site feel responsive and behave as you would expect? — player and enter
- 5) Was the style and layout appropriate for this kind of web app? — font bigger
- 6) If you are/were a musician, would you use this kind of site for your band?

+o-do list font?

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- 4) Did the site feel responsive and behave as you would expect? ✓ — except for
- 5) Was the style and layout appropriate for this kind of web app? ✓ not finding
- 6) If you are/were a musician, would you use this kind of site for your band? ✓ public link

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welcome to bandmaster! bigger!

positive action on the right - android standard
snap.

Show that band name can be edited again

Placeholder when there are no songs, lack of
feedback is a problem.

"Enter key."

PHP force download / Bar at top is sneaky

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Bandmaster Questions

- 1) Was the account creation/login process straight forward? ✓
- 2) Was it clear how to upload a music file? ✓
- 3) Was it clear how to upload an associated file? - Dropdown isn't obvious
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Findings The public page looks like bookmark
bar.

Put song info in player.

Enter to finish adding task and login

Escape Chars!

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Tabs instead of drop-downs

Make top bar stand out

Don't have admin and public look the same

Default song.

Rearrange interface with drag-and-drop