

Sprint 2 Retrospective

Night Owl Developers

Participants

- Gary Xie
- Chongmin Bai
- Mengqi Zhao
- Jesse Zhang
- Frank Kong
- Ivan Shao
- Tyler Reichert

Unfinished Tasks

- NODE-106

Practices to Continue Next Sprint

- Gary: Start working on tasks early into the sprint rather than procrastinating
- Ivan: Communication between frontend and backend members
- Ivan: Organized and collaborative standups
- Jonathan: Keep our jira tickets informative.
- Jonathan: Keep our documentation up to date.
- Meng: Detailed and informative standup messages.
- Jesse: Having a brief list of things to go over during sprint meetings to keep organized.
- Tyler: Keep having back-end specific meetings so everyone knows how things stand.

New Practices to Start Using Next Sprint

- Gary: Be more specific and detailed when initially defining acceptance criteria for tasks, so that will be fewer changes to requirements later in the sprint
- Tyler: Be better about updating documentation sooner rather than later and not letting it get out of date.

Harmful Practices to Stop Using Next Sprint

- Ivan: Properly track our user stories on jira (we got 4/10 on sprint2)

Best/Worst Experiences During Sprint 2

- Gary: I enjoyed the opportunity to work more in-depth with building complex SQL queries in the backend (e.g. for adding filters and sorting)
- Ivan: Some easy functions that I thought would take a few mins ended up taking me an hour due to react syntax and other constraints
- Frank: I enjoyed linking up my filter with the back-end
- Jonathan: I felt bad for constantly changing up the AC. But it has to be done.
- Jonathan: Teammates were very responsive when I asked them to change things up.
- Tyler: I found that I didn't struggle much with anything in this sprint.
- Meng: It took me a lot of time to be comfortable with block, flexbox and grid.

