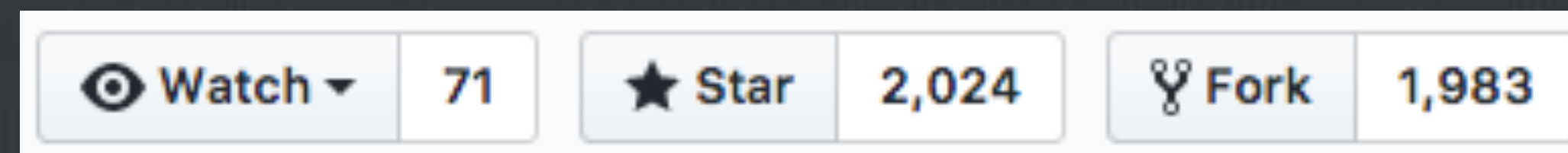


# Social features

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- ☐ GitHub has a lot of features to enable and encourage collaborative editing and social sharing.
- ☐ You can “follow” another user (it’s not at all creepy).
- ☐ You can “watch” a project and all updates to it will show up on your own dashboard.
- ☐ You can also “star” a project which will let the creator know you’re interested in it, but it won’t show all updates on your dashboard the watch “watch” does.
- ☐ The “Explore” page on GitHub shows interesting projects.

# Issue tracking

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- ❑ Every GitHub repository features an “*issue tracker*”.
- ❑ This is a place to report bugs, ask for enhancements, or just ask questions about a project.
- ❑ You can use this in your own projects as a quick and easy project management tool.
- ❑ You can invite your own clients to collaborate with you, even if they can’t code, and they can use the issue tracker to report bugs or just keep an eye on progress.
- ❑ Issues have some nice organizational features such as *milestones*, *labels*, and *references*.