

Roundtable Meeting 2021 11

Volunteering Facilitator: [Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist](#)

When

[Sunday, November 21, 2021 at 15:00:00 UTC time](#) (click to check time zone in your location)

Votes

Where



- <https://live.tiki.org>

What

See [Roundtable Meetings](#) for a detailed description.

Topics

First hour, quick topics

1. Tiki security releases: News and status
2. Should we consider supporting [Fontawesome Pro](#)?
 1. Questions: 1) Would that be philosophically compatible with an open source project? 2) Does "support" mean include in the Tiki package and use it in the interface, etc.? 3) Does the pro license allow freely distributing the pro icons? Seems like maybe not. From <https://fontawesome.com/plans>: *"Pro is commercial software, so there are some restrictions. The biggest one is that you cannot distribute Pro to folks not specifically covered by your license (e.g. you can't provide the files in your open source public repo)."*
 2. Related: Bootstrap also has an icon set now (<https://icons.getbootstrap.com/>). This could be added along with Bootstrap 5.
<https://themesberg.com/blog/bootstrap/bootstrap-icons-vs-fontawesome>
3. Tiki forums
Encouragement to use the Forums
 1. Tiki indexes "recipes"
 1. [In-a-InnoDB-populated-database-the-indexes-are-MyISAM?](#)
 2. [Solution for the index multiplication of constantly updated Tiki](#)
 2. What is your solution to have user "private pages" ?
 1. <https://tiki.org/forumthread77746-Can-we-have-user-private-pages?>
 3. Help needed on Tiki.org forums (5 month old 
 1. [Broken display for sub-forum](#)
 2. [Not-possible-to-move-discussions-in-forum](#)
4. How to deal with a bug that can't be easily explained (even the topic is hard to name 
Example; tracker field visibility, all my attempt to use it on Tiki 18 to 23 with plugin List or CustomSearch

failed.

It is very hard to reproduce, touches too many areas and combinations are endless.

+ [Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist](#): Please demonstrate on a [show instance](#). If it's not possible to configure via the web interface, just add a task on dev.tiki.org, and avan.tech and we will add it, as it's a priority to as much as possible via the web interface.

5. Advanced Shopping Cart revamp for Tiki 24

1. <https://tiki.org/forumthread77720-Advanced-Shopping-Cart-revamp-for-Tiki-24>
2. https://gitlab.com/tikiwiki/tiki/-/merge_requests/935

6. New (main?) chat room here <https://gitter.im/tiki-org/community>

7. Fosdem will happen online again

1. Who can prepare a presentation about a Tiki high point which will be appearing for end of January?

8. Mailing Lists / Newsletter administration + moving of Email server -> we need a team to fix a number of issues

mainly a temporary project or task force.. Who will participate, when we start, finalize at which deadline?

9. Dogfood use of CalDav integration in tiki.org.

Ex: Torsten subscribed the Tiki Community Calendar. Thus after the vote for the Round Table meeting Torsten automatically gets a new event to his Thunderbird and Android calendars. This is just awesome! Short description or demo optional (if enough time).

10. Tiki and translations

1. <https://tiki.org/forumthread77726-Translations-documentation-updates>
2. <https://dev.tiki.org/Contextual-translations>
3. <https://dev.tiki.org/Translations-Revamp>
4. Translations - short here and postpone to December **or** today longer in 2nd hour?

11. ...

put your topic (max. 5-10 minutes) into the list above

Second hour, longer topics

1. Cookies consent status [Cookie-consent-improvements](#)
2. Deeper discussion about [How to Have Fewer Bugs in Tiki](#): What are the patterns of the bugs (most frequent and most nasty) (Marc) (45 minutes)

Recording

The recording of the meeting (webcam, screen sharing, and text chat) is available here: [here](#).

Chat log

(Sorry about the extra characters — user icon initials.)

Remaining Time -2:46:17

1x

ro

rodrigozd

00:00:31

Hi everyone

ma

Marc Laporte (marclaporte)

00:01:12

2022-02

jo

Jonny Bradley (jonnybradley)


00:01:46

Polom


je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

00:02:00

Just normal non emergency delay 

lu

luciash d' being  (luci)

00:03:03

Thanks for the bug report Xavi. as usual best if it goes to <https://dev.tiki.org>


xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

00:03:35

I almost finsihed the bug report


lu

luciash d' being  (luci)


00:03:39

ROFL

lu

luciash d' being  (luci)

00:03:55

Thanks Bernard for making me giggle 

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:05:07

;-)

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:05:21

You look perfect Torsten 

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:05:38

Thank you Bernard

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:05:47

Hello everybody.

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:06:48

5 websites

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:07:00

And you need to give the url, name

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

00:09:44

FYI: <https://dev.tiki.org/item7941-Configuration-Wizard-does-not-save-changed-prefs-since-Tiki22>

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:10:10

Jonny, did you mean, by "support FA pro icons" just having some license key field and if enabled then support all the classes from the pro pack?

jo

Jonny Bradley (jonnybradley)

00:10:16

Thanks [Xavier de Pedro](#)

ma

Marc Laporte (marclaporte)

00:11:03

Ideally, forums should be public, so findable via search engines

ga

Gary Cunningham-Lee (chibaguy)

00:11:05

BTW, "Free, high quality, open source icon library with over 1,500 icons."

ga

Gary Cunningham-Lee (chibaguy)

00:11:11

(bootstrap)

gu

Guest: Gour

00:11:22

<https://icons.getbootstrap.com/> - "Free, high quality, open source icon library with over 1,500 icons. "

ga

Gary Cunningham-Lee (chibaguy)

00:11:40

Heh, great minds think alike ;-).

jo

Jonny Bradley (jonnybradley)

00:11:53

+1 for "forums should be public"

gu

Guest: Gour

00:12:41

+1 for using forums more...what about bridging tiki-user to forums somehow?

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:13:26

+1 for most forums public ... there might be reasons to have a specific forum non-public, for ex maybe a security team forum

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:15:07

Forums always were public except the one copying emails from mailing list to avoid leaking untreated email addresses against spam harvesting

jo

Jonny Bradley (jonnybradley)

00:16:39

/me still has no idea what sub-forums are for, or who added them, sounds like it was done badly (forums work fine for me)

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:18:18

That should be task for the developer/commiter to test it before release, no?

ma

Marc Laporte (marclaporte)

00:19:05

[luciash d' being ☐](#): "leaking untreated email addresses against spam harvesting" Is there a task for this?

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:19:55

We need some agreement how to communicate settings that are changed globally on a Tiki community website and why and how it should be

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:20:03

[marc](#), not sure... lemme search the bug reports

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:23:14

It would be a good idea if we - including pointing to myself - would point a bit more energy to the Tiki forum posts and support users who ask questions.

ro

rodrigozd

00:23:33

are the forums more active than the live chat?

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:25:26

marc: I do not see it reported in this category:

<https://dev.tiki.org/Wishlist+Search+Page?default%7Esearch=forum#cat=85>

ma

Marc Laporte (marclaporte)

00:25:30

"That should be task for the developer/committer to test it before release, no?" Ideally, yes, and perhaps it worked at the time. But someone needs to follow-up with that developer.

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:26:09

not sure. They have been quite active, but once questions would be never answered there would be no point.

gu

Guest: Gour

00:26:13

if subforums are problematic, whyn ot just getting rid of them...some subforums do not have much posts, afaict

gu

Guest: Gour

00:26:33

...and continue using fforums which do work?

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:26:37

(was [Rodrigo Primo](#))

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:26:41

marc but I am pretty sure it was in the gardeners blog

ga

Gary Cunningham-Lee (chibaguy)

00:27:10

[Saša Janiška](#), I agree.

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:27:35

@all: do I understand right, that we deactivate tablesorter for forums on tiki.org for a preliminary time, cause s.th. is broken?

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:27:55

[Bernard](#): I did not understand

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:30:26

back

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:30:31

Torsten Fabricius: according to this blog post yes, should be deactivated:

<https://tiki.org/blogpost883-TableSorter-was-deactivated>

gu

Guest: Gour

00:30:46

as far as "mystical bugs" - have a template when reporting if it does not already exists, eaiser to provide demo showing and/or someone doing triaging...just a thought

gu

Guest: ibrahim

00:31:16

hello everione

ga

Gary Cunningham-Lee (chibaguy)

00:31:35

Hello ibrahim

jo

Jonny Bradley (jonnybradley)

00:31:39

Hi Ibrahim

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:31:56

hi ibrahim

gu

Guest: ibrahim

00:33:49

hello luciash

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:33:51

installation cannot be tested but I recall one or two other thing

gu

Guest: ibrahim

00:33:55

hello john

gu

Guest: Gour

00:34:56

Bernard: why not discussing "bug" in some communication channel - chat/list/forum?

gu

Guest: Gour

00:35:13

maybe i'ts just misunderstanding of one's usage of Tiki

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

00:37:30

curious: there are 2 results at this search: <https://doc.tiki.org/tiki-searchindex.php?filter%7Econtent=subforums>
to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:37:30

number of chats -> imho should be (re)merged to one central chatroom and optional subrooms based on topic, task or group

ro

rodrigozd

00:37:33

so, i think bernard just said there are way to many communications channels options and that causes problems
ro

rodrigozd

00:38:39

I never think of tiki forums and mailing list

ga

Gary Cunningham-Lee (chibaguy)

00:39:03

The situation around chat is messed up right now - kind of a transition phase, I think. But should improve in the future.

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

00:39:18

and I could only find relevant info on dev.t.o about subforums here:

<https://dev.tiki.org/item7765-Tablesorter-filter-is-misplaced-in-the-forum-should-be-below-the-subforum-list?highlight=subforums>

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:39:40

Rodrigo Primo I agree in respect of chat for example, which "helped" me to lose a bit connection to the community for a while and I find it hard to find back ... not too much, as I know the people and have some access, but I feel it quite complicated at this time.

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

00:39:43

so please whoever added that feature, drop some lines in doc.t.o at least

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:40:12

That's good news MARc !

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:40:15

thanks

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:40:31

[gary](#) I agree ... do you think I could any help or better just wait?

ma

Marc Laporte (marclaporte)

00:41:04

We will need testers in 3-4 weeks

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:41:06

[Marc](#) Laporte: cannot find it so I will fill in the bug report on dev

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:41:21

[MArc](#) I volunteer as usual

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:41:57

Hello to everyone (18 participats) ;-)

ro

rodrigozd

00:42:11

live chat is the closest thing we have to being able to call a company when we have a problem. at least i feel like its what i get from live chat

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:42:43

Lool ... not yet working. It is less broken than it was. I love that type of description.

Thank you developers, honestly, you are doing a great job currently. We just have so much work.

Anyway ... Tiki is currently quite awesomeful developping.

Thx all.

ga

Gary Cunningham-Lee (chibaguy)

00:43:16

[Torsten Fabricius](#) - I was looking for some written info about the options, etc. but didn't find them yet.

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

00:44:16

The longer that we keep using email lists for our own communication (among devs in tiki-devel list besides devel forum, and with users in tiki-users list besides the plenty forums shown in t.o) the less effort will be added to improve/fix our own solution for async communication using tiki forums for others.

ma

Marc Laporte (marclaporte)

00:44:55

<https://xorti.gitlab.io/wikisuite-ppa/> and <https://gitlab.com/xorti/wikisuite-ppa> will be ready for testing in a few weeks

gu

Guest: Gour

00:44:56

xavi: +10

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

00:44:56

If we set a date to cancel email lists (convert them in read only), we will have effort from the whole dev community to fix whatever is needed to make tiki forums usable

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:45:00

Oh, is there a Tiki Telegram group?

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)


00:45:06

ha ha ha

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:45:09

Didn't spot 

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:45:13

[Marc](#)

I am currently setting up a number of Tikis for testing and trying stuff ... what tests you need - I did not get all audio.

I am currently focussed on Calendars, then Webmail and Kanban.

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:45:44

Matrix protocol is beoming quite popural I reckon

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:46:01

ok [Gary](#). I try to collect and put stuff on a preliminary WikiPage and share.

ro

rodrigozd

00:46:20

so, where is the real chat going on?

jo

Jonny Bradley (jonnybradley)

00:46:41

<https://gitter.im/tiki-org/community>

gu

Guest: Gour

00:46:45

rodrigo: probably, https://matrix.to/#/#tiki-org_community:gitter.im

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:47:03

I will announce it too then (list and social Network)

jo

Jonny Bradley (jonnybradley)

00:47:17

Also that - it's the matrix route to it

ro

rodrigozd

00:47:21

talk about fragmentation. less is more

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:48:15

[Marc](#) ... testing WikiSuite ... I would need either a Computer or Raspberry or a websolution like VM

I think about, what I find shortly.

lu

luciash d' being (luci)

00:48:38

I think I did setup that one

lu

luciash d' being (luci)

00:48:49

let me check if I have admin / managing rights there

ma

Marc Laporte (marclaporte)

00:49:23

<https://gitter.im/tiki-org/community>

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:49:37

Tiki/Community

ro

rodrigozd

00:49:57

this is just for tiki right? not wikisuite?

lu

luciash d' being (luci)

00:50:08

pjust tiki was not available

ma

Marc Laporte (marclaporte)

00:50:33

<https://github.com/tikiorg>

ma

Marc Laporte (marclaporte)

00:50:45

<https://github.com/tikiwiki>

ro

rodrigozd

00:50:46

google search about tikiwiki sucks

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:50:49

I won't use anymore the Tiki "God" image I swear Gary ☐

ma

Marc Laporte (marclaporte)

00:50:57

<https://gitlab.com/tikiwiki>

je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

00:51:15

+1 for trying a matrix-based solution. I have element as an android app and I find it rather usable.

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:51:21

If there is no dot we could opt for dash.

Here I see a subroom of the tiki community

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

00:51:34

TikiTracker

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

00:51:34

"+1 for trying a matrix-based solution. I have element as an android app and I find it rather usable." me2

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:51:45

funny sounding iirc

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

00:51:49

+1 for tiki-org or tiki.org or similar

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:52:02

on it

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

00:52:03

checking still

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:52:29

I think tikiwiki is professional, but it somekind limits expectations to wiki core feature.

We are not only a wiki

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:52:58

[gary](#) agree ... we are still aswell a versatile Tiki but not at all "only" a wiki"

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:53:50

tiki-org, tiki-community, tiki.org, tiki-org/community

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

00:54:04

+1 for jonny's proposal

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

00:54:21

We should any know what are the options and the way it works in the specific software

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)


00:54:37

+1 to jonny aswell

ro

rodrigozd

00:57:39

make the name should be tiki-polom 

jo

Jonny Bradley (jonnybradley)

00:57:47




ro

rodrigozd

00:57:49

maybe*

lu

luciash d' being  (luci)

01:01:24

[Marc](#): added you as admin there on gitter.im

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

01:02:18

I understand and that's fine.

I may be gladly join, I can't answer right now.

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

01:03:20

do we have a dead line ?

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

01:04:25

+1 Torsten

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

01:04:34

Thank you

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

01:05:31

+1

gu

Guest: Gour

01:06:27

what about CardDav?

je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

01:07:06

Status of the Fosdem devroom will be on:

<https://www.xwiki.org/xwiki/bin/view/Main/Events/FOSDEM%202022/DevRoom/Proposal/>

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

01:07:15

Thanks JM

gu

Guest: Gour

01:08:28

with CardDav support I could get rid of using Baikal to have calcs/contacts sync between the phone/desktop/Tiki...

gu

Guest: Gour

01:08:33



lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

01:13:54

I would not give up with Transifex

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

01:14:31

As I wrote we just got Slovak translations via Transifex last month

lu

luciash d' being 🗨️ (luci)

01:14:53

And that user did merge request and I just merged it

lu

luciash d' being 🗨️ (luci)

01:16:05

So there are ways and it would be best if we "finished" the integration so these would be synced automatically as the API exists and it is doable.

lu

luciash d' being 🗨️ (luci)

01:16:45

But I understand almost nobody knows how to work with that.

lu

luciash d' being 🗨️ (luci)

01:17:11

I was surprised as well that we got that contribution via Transifex recently 🗨️

je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

01:19:13

+1

lu

luciash d' being 🗨️ (luci)

01:19:29

Sorry I am not on mic because it says my connection is terrible so I would be breaking up anyway ;-)) I can coordinate with Torsten on that and try to prepare something for the next meeting.

gu

Guest: Ed

01:19:46

Hi all, I use transifex for other project also. I don't know any other tool for translation. If we have any other good tool, I will be glad.

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

01:19:56

+1 Luci, thx

lu

luciash d' being 🗨️ (luci)

01:20:14

Ah, hi Ed! Ed it was! Thanks for your contribution man 🗨️

je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

01:20:24

Torsten just said his hands will be full with the email situation until next month, so maybe afterwards

gu

Guest: Ed

01:20:30

no problem....

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)


01:20:46

Problem of Tiki.org sub-forum solved. We don't have sub-forums anymore.□

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

01:21:31

thanks Torsten for the report about successful caldav acces to tiki calendars , and for the nice detailed information in the doc.t.o page, which helped me to use it successfully 

ma

Marc Laporte (marclaporte)

01:21:46

Next topic will be <https://dev.tiki.org/How-to-Have-Fewer-Bugs-in-Tiki>

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

01:22:01

[Xavier de Pedro](#), great that my description already coul be helpful

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

01:23:03

Sorry, I missed it, can you post the url for the caldav ?

ga

Gary Cunningham-Lee (chibaguy)

01:23:29

Thanks for that, jonny.

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

01:23:38

<https://doc.tiki.org/CalDAV>

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

01:24:26

Thanks

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

01:24:45

And yes those consent cookies thing is a real pain !

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

01:24:53

and indeed, the CardDAV equivalent needs some content in a similar fashion (guiding mere mortals on how to use carddav in Tiki), in case it's already usable: <https://doc.tiki.org/CardDAV>

jo

Jonny Bradley (jonnybradley)

01:27:25

Sorry, i was adding some more bugs □

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

01:27:50

☐

ro

rodrigozd

01:28:05

Bernard expressions as we talk about bugs worry me. ☒

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

01:28:39

I'm trying to find perfect examples ;-)

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

01:29:51

we all suffer it ;-)

ro

rodrigozd

01:37:55

is there a graph of the bug classifications?

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

01:37:57

Or often it is conflict of two features where devs do not test all possible combinations of prefs enabled and disabled

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

01:38:25

Which is understandable with those 1000 of options

je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

01:38:26

No graph

gu

Guest: Gour

01:39:01

increase test-coverage!

ro

rodrigozd

01:39:14

im not a dev but from an admin/support point of view the problem seems to be the same as tech support issues at first.

ga

Gary Cunningham-Lee (chibaguy)

01:40:50

There are definitely patterns in Tiki's bugs: 1) "Neglected features" and things like wikiplugins that few people use/test. 2) New features that aren't tested in all/many instances. 3)

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

01:42:19

Or used not much features, important to a number of (typical or potential) paying customers

je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

01:42:34

little used features: favorites

je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

01:43:01

ckeditor !

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

01:43:29

group(S) tracker field types

gu

Guest: Gour

01:44:26

Marc* +1 simplify, simplify, simplify...the code

ro

rodrigozd

01:44:28

too many options. less is more

gu

Guest: Gour

01:45:07

+1

ro

rodrigozd

01:45:53

what is tiki a master of? jack of all traits, master or none?

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

01:46:37

[rodrigozd](#) "is there a graph of the bug classifications?": yes, let me grab a link for you....

xa

Xavi (as xavidp - admin) (xavidp)

01:46:56

at least, a heatmap-like table display of them

jo

Jonny Bradley (jonnybradley)

01:48:20

brb

ro

rodrigozd

01:48:24

i agree with Bernard. the simple things in tiki require more effort than other software...

gu

Guest: Gour

01:48:49

marclaporte: lack of tests?

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

01:51:28

agree

ro

rodrigozd

01:51:57

I think Bernard said features are limited because of the depth and spectrum of the problem the developer of the [sees only for himself]

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

01:52:53

"i agree with Bernard. the simple things in tiki require more effort than other software..."

I agree with you too ;-)

gu

Guest: Gour

01:56:02

maygu

Guest: Gour

01:56:37

(due to potential flexibility in Tiki's features=

ro

rodrigozd

01:57:36

sounds like the problem should be better documented within the tiki project.

if i got this right, some developer finds a problem where he uses tiki and creates a solution only for his situation. in the future, that solution might not be required for his problem anymore. so it wasnt a real tiki issue, it was a particular/personal issue. maybe this cases should not be turned into a tiki feature but tue issues documented and at some point the documented problem turned in a better analyzed issued and then a general solution should be developed into a feature

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

01:57:50

I think @Bernard is right and I understan [Marc](#), that we need to distinguish wether we have this or that type of bugs, cause there are several types of bugs

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

01:59:52

in my opinion we could gain a lot from standard automatted tests, where we can continuously add more tests for new types of usage we learn about.

gu

Guest: Gour

02:00:48

i believe that Tiki should reduce number of options doing the same or very similar thing when the latter is achievable by e.g. composition of few simpler things

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:02:16

Our Tiki default

gu

Guest: Gour

02:04:18

marclaporte: it seems (to me) it is orthogonality problem ;)

ro

rodrigozd

02:04:19

I think i understand that the issue is really how we look at the root cause, the cause is the reason why a feature exists. If a single user needs that feature, its not a feature that should be included into tiki. maybe a plugin (I know Marc hates plugins)

ga

Gary Cunningham-Lee (chibaguy)

02:04:24

Another way of categorizing: 1) Bug caused by interaction of user data and Tiki code 2) Bug not directly related to user data

ga

Gary Cunningham-Lee (chibaguy)

02:04:38

...or not involving user data

ga

Gary Cunningham-Lee (chibaguy)

02:05:00

(based on Marc's example of old Tiki site)

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

02:05:40

There are many bugs with wiki syntax but hard to fix so nobody cares about them ;)

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

02:06:00

For example a link in a parenthesis ;)

gu

Guest: Gour

02:06:25

luci: point for going full Markdown ;)

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

02:06:27

it takes the closing parenthesis as part of the resulting link

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

02:06:56

Saša Janiška: heheh

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:07:39

Bernard: I agree big time

gu

Guest: Gour

02:07:50

it comes to the point to e.g. use. one syntax everywhere instead of having wikisyntax+html (ckeditor) etc.

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:07:58

Bernard: start with basic setup tests and then extent

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:08:42

Bernard: once I did understand what automatted tests is or could be, I see that as crucial, cause we do not have resources for testing

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:08:59

good point Gary -> design tests

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

02:09:00

Sorry guys, the topic takes too long and I will need to leave soon probably...

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:09:38

Please if you want to continue on translation we can discuss it next month (leave me a note)

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:10:18

whos screen it is ?

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:10:33

Oh I see Marc

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

02:10:37

Marc's?

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

02:10:50

yup

je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

02:11:19

He has the little "Presentator" icon.

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:11:27

What is the difference between unit tests and selenium tests or are Selenium tests just Unit tests with Selenium (sorry for dumb sounding question - just started with the topic)

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:11:45

I saw but seems for an instant the screen was synchronised with Jonny's speaking ;-)

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:12:07

ah interface testing -> Selenium

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

02:12:14

Bernard: same ☒

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

02:13:15

We should really start removing "until there is not anything to remove" to achieve perfection ☐

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:13:59

Interface tests:

1. what Software to use (need decision)
2. what resources we need to use this software?
3. who contributes to the team/group to take care on further developing and maintaining this type of tests?

gu

Guest: Gour

02:15:11

duplication!!

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:15:20

Marc: right - new further developments too long optional and not finalised ... start as option and replace after 3 versions

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:15:31

Removing things that are not 100% working may be too radical. But I see it as "unneeded" dangerous situation to let so-easy to activate Experimental or obsolete things.

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:15:39

We dis that right with Bootstrap and wrong with Fullcalendar - I agreee

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:16:31

yes, put them into experimental and clearly mark all experimental stuff in admin interface, when experimental is activated.

gu

Guest: Gour

02:16:33

mar

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:17:19

And it should be "complicate" to activate experiemental : Are you sure ? (put your admin password)

gu

Guest: Gour

02:18:13

marclaporte: maybe more of pattern of fauly behaviour which causes specific category of bugs, iow. by refactoring/simplifying code, getting rid of unnecessary options, increasing test-coverage...

gu

Guest: Gour

02:18:20

- faulty

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:18:27

"Experiemental" and "Obscolete"

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:19:30

We have footnotes, references. many group type fields, etc...

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:19:54

2 or 3 terms of uses and conditions

je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

02:20:42

One person's "removing unnecessary options" may very well be another person's "regression" if they found a useful way of using the option

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:21:37

Bernard: yes, merging stuff to more robust features instead of one snippet for one task each I think makes a lot of sense (potentially)

But duplication I do not see as actually the real problem
be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:21:39

Shouldn't using PHP8 with Tiki23 not possible ? (installation)

je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

02:21:41

and in other cases, options have been broken for 10 yrs so they should be removed. It's not simple process
ro

rodrigozd

02:22:01

php8 is not a problem from an admin point of view.

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

02:22:43

Sometimes it happens in the process... you have installed Tiki but then your OS decides to upgrade the PHP to
PHP8

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:22:46

My problem with PHP7.4 / PHP8 is that even when I go down to PHP 7.4 I have dependencies with libraries that are
PHP8

lu

luciash d' being ☐ (luci)

02:23:15

But I would not call it root cause

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:23:22

From memory setup.sh will tell you you are using PHP8 and required is PHP7.4

But not a warning

ro

rodrigozd

02:23:38

Marc is saying that tiki should go the debian way.... slow

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:24:13

Does he?

gu

Guest: JoelDeo

02:25:31

Hi

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:25:38

Also by people that are waiting to wait for a fix and ended doing it themselves !

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:25:41

self

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:26:34

Thank you Torsten ☺

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:29:11

Glad to ear !!!!

gu

Guest: Gour

02:29:52

i'd suggest to increase more well-established habits valid for any code - simplifying codebase, getting rid of obsolete/unused features, duplicates, test-coverage etc. and *then* digging deeper into possible patterns of bugs

lu

luciash d' being ☺ (luci)

02:30:15

Sorry, guys, gotta go. See you next time!

ro

rodrigozd

02:30:23

ttyl

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:30:30

See you !

to

Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)

02:32:01

analyse 10x10 bugs - thx [Marc](#) - good idea!

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:32:26

I'd like to see something like this in Tiki:

"We see you had an error using Tiki, do you want to send a report to our technical team ?"

ro

rodrigozd

02:33:18

Marc idea might work, but i think the issue is really classification of the features/bugs. sounds like the current system is lacking more tagging/classification

je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

02:33:28

Unrelated: I believe sefurl should now work on show2

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:33:46

I will leave in 12mn

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:33:53

Awesome Jean Marc !

gu

Guest: Gour

02:37:04

as Jonny mentioned earleir, having good test-coverage should catch it!

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:40:18

Sorry I will leave you now... When a man got to go, he got to go. ☐

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:40:26

Take care all.

je

Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)

02:40:32

bye Bernard and thanks!

ro

rodrigozd

02:40:32

ttyl

ro

Roberto Kirschbaum (robertokir)

02:40:39

bye Bernard, thanks!

be

Bernard Sfez / Tiki Specialist (Bsfez)

02:41:20

Thank you guys.

And thank you Marc for your energy on this !

gu

Guest: Gour

02:41:20

thanks Bernard!

ro
Roberto Kirschbaum (robertokir)
02:43:02
For quite some time I used to ask that in merge requests, @J-M
ro
rodrigozd
02:44:06
great idea. even testing tarballs need some template for testing
je
Jean-Marc Libs (Jyhem)
02:44:33
Thanks Jonny
to
Torsten Fabricius (Torsten)
02:44:35
[Roberto](#): sometimes things need some time, but finally get a critical mass earlier or later
ro
rodrigozd
02:45:12
[marc](#) got a minute?
ro
rodrigozd
02:45:58
ok
gu
Guest: ibrahim
02:46:15
For now not yet

Follow-Up

- ...

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