Committee Meeting Minutes

17 July 2022

Attendees

- Iris Scoffin (Chair)
- Chester Wringe (Secretary)
- Morgan McKay (Treasurer)
- Jessica Russell (P&P)
- Adam Birtles (Infrastructure)
- Ash Holland (OM)
- Daniel Allinson (OM)
- Other HackSoc Members

Apologies

- Clara Hohenlohe (P&P)

Agenda

- Past actions
- Discord Migration

Minutes

- Past Actions
    - CH to design feedback form - CH isn't here (but it got forgotten whoops)
    - IS to make some announcement about discord migration - done
    - AB to create slack channel for discord migration - done
    - CH to email quadasci/mathsoc - done
- "do we still want to do this?"
    - we didn't have a feedback form, so we don't have numbers
        - sentiment appears to be "yes"
        - no one appears to disapear
    - general vote?
        - we could, but we need to have it done before mid-august
        - @everyone on slack (and discord) and get them to fill a google form
        - or we could do what we're elected to do, and do a committee vote - majority yes
    - we actually are doing this! aaaa

- "What needs to be done?"
  - what has already been done?
    - all active members of hacksoc are aware
    - CB is satisfied with the bridge atm
  - What needs doing?
    - ensuring bridging + continuation for slack
      - we _could_ just continue testing the bridge live and patch it (chloe tears moment)
      - reacts seem to be broken - discording motivation
    - emoji limit: hmm
      - "we need to fill up every slot"
      - DA did an emoji statistical analysis - we definitely need :oh-no: and :yoj:
        - can we do an analysis over the last n days?
      - we could just add stuff whenever someone complains
        - do permissions need to be updated? — committee?
    - need a new channel list
      - AB is working on this
        - most popular channels we have + a few extra things
        - we could get rid of some
        - stuff about making committee public: potentially have 2 committee channels, or committee audit log?
        - Mostly mirror what we have on slack (maybe do some cleanup)
        - #bot-testing can become #beep-boop
        - #reception should be opened to everyone, add #announcements that's committee only?
        - #voice can be yeeted
        - let's remove #foyer
      - We should clean up the voice channels
        - maybe we don't need them to be memey :P
        - should probably be genericised
      - Some channels might be removed
        - remove #maths, get #course-help?
        - have roles that hide channels (or roles to show channels - eg, #politics)
        - merge #spoilers and #fanfic (maybe into #fandom?)
      - categories
        - we are exhausted and this is bikeshedding
    - need to add a "YAGPDB-style" - bot that gives you a role if you react
      - alternatively, add it to John HackBot
    - do we need to turn it into a "community" discord?
      - what are the restrictions?
        - have to require "verified" discord accounts

- - - ○ we have to enable upload scanning for non-nsfw channels (which tends to block anything that's skintones)
      - ● what are the benefits?
        - ○ announcement and welcome channels
        - ○ community update channel — whether this is committee or not, it shouldn't be public
      - ● we should probably do it
    - ○ what do we do
      - ■ round out provisional plan
      - ■ send it to #committee for a vote
      - ■ implement provisional plan
        - ● this may be decided in the plan or after it is voted on
- ● Once this plan is complete, we will have a functional server
  - ○ anything beyond that is feature requests
  - ○ Changes need to be made to the website
- ● When
  - ○ "By A-level results day" (August 18th)
  - ○ don't want to be too empty
  - ○ aiming to have implementation done by Weds 27th
  - ○ change on August 1st?
- ● Vote
  - ○ it's passed, we're doing a hard deadline!
  - ○ give people some words about how we're planning on doing some changes to channels etc
- ● AOB
  - ○ yeet

Actions

AH to round out provisional plan - by tuesday
Committee to vote on provisional plan
People to _actually use_ discord starting august 1st
IS to announce that Migration Day is August 1st by July 25th
IS to make a "soft" announcement soon
DA to start a thread about John HackBot features