

Redesign Meeting Transcript – November 26, 2013

alispivak

hi all

10:01

Message blocked: hibot spam

10:01

alispivak

we're ready to start the MDN Redesign meeting

10:01

tsmuse [tsmuse@moz-DFAA4E15.p2p.sfo1.mozilla.com] entered the room.

10:01

alispivak

assuming anyone is here for it 😊

10:02

mars

alispivak, hello!

10:02

Ms2ger

alispivak, it's meeting-free week 😊

10:04

sheppy

ha

That'll be the day. Week. Whatever.

10:04

mars

alispivak, we've got a couple new bugs to triage

10:04

sheppy

I always forget this meeting is in IRC.

10:04

alispivak

mars: yup, let's do it

here are the bugs to triage:

https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/showdependencytree.cgi?id=910513&hide_resolved=1

Starting

with: https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=940728https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=940728https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=940728

10:06

firebot

Bug 940728 nor, --, ---, nobody, NEW, Quicklinks: Indentation of main items

10:06

alispivak grumbles

10:07

mars

not a blocker, easy first bug?

10:07

alispivak

agree

10:07

sheppy

Agreed.

It won't take much to fix but is not a blocker.

10:08

mars

if so, then someone like davidwalsh would have to mentor it, if he feels he has time

10:08

alispivak

fscholz: this is your bug & you notes in it it's not a blocker, you ok with this being a first bug/post launch

yeah, it's a good mentoring bug

ok, not a blocker.

10:08

fscholz

davidwalsh said it is not easy, but yes not a blocker (though teoli wants this as well)

10:08

alispivak forgets how we note a bug as a good starter bug

10:09

mars

[mentor=...] I think?

10:09

alispivak

aha

10:09

lorchard|lunch is now known as lorchard|reallylunch

10:09

mars

I haven't written the triage guide yet, in the works 😊

*triage even

10:09

sheppy



10:09

ehsan left the room (quit: Ping timeout).

10:09

alispivak

next is: https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=940901

10:09

firebot

Bug 940901 nor, --, ---, nobody, NEW, Add preferences in the user profile to handle some layout settings 10:10

mars
looks like it's already triaged with needsinfo 10:10

sheppy
alispivak: That one is not a blocker at all. 10:10

mars
true 10:10

sheppy
I just added to it a note about the discussion yesterday with Martell.
(about adding controls for line spacing etc) 10:11

alispivak
ok
https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=941285 10:11

firebot
Bug 941285 nor, --, ---, nobody, NEW, Update favicon 10:11

sheppy
This probably needs to block or Martell will have a meltdown 😊 10:12

mars
heh 10:12

alispivak
well, yes 10:12

sheppy
Plus it's a consistency and branding issue 10:12

mars
may be a dupe?
I thought someone threw in a patch for the favico already 10:12

sheppy
Hand tremor there, pinky jumped and hit return on me 10:12

mars checks 10:13

alispivak

I'll ping smartell about the favicon
hm

well, I will if it hasn't been done 😊

10:13

mars

https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=928272

10:13

firebot

Bug 928272 min, --, ---, sudheesh1995, RESO WONTFIX, Update MDN favicon from red dino to transparent blue dino.

10:13

mars

^

10:14

sheppy

there ya go

Won't fix? That's odd.

10:14

chrismills left the room (quit: Ping timeout).

10:14

alispivak

ok, os this one is a dupe

hm

10:15

mars

already an icon, but Sudheesh may be willing to help

10:15

alispivak

aha

10:15

mars

good chance to get a patch in

10:15

alispivak

I see the issue

icon wasn't submitted by Sean

10:16

sheppy

ahhh

That'd do it

10:16

alispivak

I'm going to dupe the wontfix one, and ping Sean for a new favicon

10:17

ehsan [ehsan@13F2CEC5.7672369.D8E68FF6.IP] entered the room. 10:17

alispivak
ok, on to the next
https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=941382 10:17

firebot
Bug 941382 nor, --, ---, nobody, NEW, Interim updates for Demo Studio 10:17

alispivak
this is a duplicate of https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=925893 10:18

firebot
Bug 925893 nor, --, ---, mternoway, ASSI, Demos Studio rework to conform to new MDN design 10:18

alispivak
and it as already moved to post-launch 10:18

sheppy nods 10:18

mars
are openjck's comments addressed by the existing bugs? 10:18

alispivak
with davidwalsh blessing
yes 10:18

colinclark [colin@C8A3A5EA.A6295926.9D42CF23.IP] entered the room. 10:19

alispivak
I'll copy them into the older bug just to be safe
https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=941384 10:21

firebot
Bug 941384 nor, --, ---, nobody, NEW, Interim updates for Dev Derby 10:21

alispivak
this is also post-launch 10:21

mars
that's a PM decision about how to do the work 10:21

davidwalsh
alispivak: I'm OK with whatever mustaches decide 😊 10:21

mars 10:21
not so much an issue with the site, IMHO

alispivak 10:22
i'm working with the community on the demo/derby sites going forward, so...

mars 10:22
alispivak, not a bug, a PM 'how do we plan X' decision

mars 10:23
I'm not sure how to reconcile that

alispivak 10:23
Derby & Demo studio both need some work on the overall plan for them as well as changing the look and feel to fit with the new design
I've been against making big changes to the design until we work out the long-term plans for both of them
so we don't redesign them twice

mars 10:24
alispivak, maybe close it as wontfix, with a note saying that we aren't doing interim updates?

alispivak 10:24
good point
done
https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=942224

firebot 10:25
Bug 942224 nor, --, ---, nobody, NEW, Migrate first batch of CSS stylesheets to Stylus

alispivak 10:26
this was filed by openjck

openjck 10:26
alispivak mars: That's for my CSS migration work. cc groovecoder

alispivak 10:26
yeah - it looks like there was a commit for it
is it closed?

mars 10:26
openjck, ^?

openjck 10:27

alispivak: Not closed, still lots more to do on that. The commit is listed because I referenced the bug in a commit (Bug XYZ) without marking it fixed in the commit message (Fixed bug XYZ).

10:27

groovecoder

alispivak, mars: what openjck said 😊

10:27

alispivak

ah ok, is this a launch blocker?

10:28

openjck

As far as I understand, yes. groovecoder can say more.

10:29

alispivak

groovecoder: can you confirm that is a blocker?

10:29

openjck

(Whoa. I'm just now seeing the new designs for the Demo Studio and the Dev Derby. Epic!)

10:30

groovecoder

openjck: to migrate CSS to stylus? I'll let davidwalsh decide – is the technical debt of the CSS is worth blocking the redesign launch?

10:32

alispivak

davidwalsh: ^^

while we wait... let's talk about the next bug

https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=942370

10:33

firebot

Bug 942370 nor, --, ---, nobody, NEW, Update profile icons to use FontAwesome

10:33

davidwalsh

I was hoping we could, but if it's not done yet, I don't think it's a blocker

10:33

sheppy

IMO not a blocker.

A nice to have but not a blocker.

10:34

openjck

I also have a question about bug 941382. By marking it as a blocker of the full Demo Studio redesign, are we saying that we do not want to make interim fixes before then?

10:34

firebot

Bug https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=941382 nor, --, ---, nobody, RESO

DUPLICATE, Interim updates for Demo Studio 10:34

openjck
So that we leave the Demo Studio as it is now, until the full redesign is launched? 10:35

alispivak
yes 10:35

openjck
Alright cool. Will go ahead with that understanding. 10:36

alispivak
https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=942396 10:36

firebot
Bug 942396 nor, --, ---, nobody, NEW, Completely fill "See & submit demos" section 10:36

alispivak
another demo studio bug 10:36

davidwalsh
openjck: How many stylesheets are left to migrate? 10:36

pbocan [Thunderbir@moz-2B4BB411.sin.cvut.cz] entered the room. 10:37

openjck
alispivak: This one shows up on the homepage, not the Demo Studio. 10:37

alispivak
yeah, i agree this needs some work
meaning the home page box 10:37

openjck
davidwalsh: Quite a few. We talked about doing the wiki-* and demo-* stylesheets in a second batch. In the first batch there are about 12, but most of those are very small. 10:38

davidwalsh
openjck: Any type of ETA? 10:39

openjck
davidwalsh: For the whole thing? I would say it would be hard to complete that before December 9 given how huge the wiki stylesheets are. For the first batch (everything in the following card) that could certainly be done before December 9.
<https://mdnmilestones.kanbanery.com/projects/41351/board/tasks/1165914> 10:40

alispivak

is this something we want to delay launch for to complete?
that is the question
because it sounds like it cannot be completed by Devc 7

10:41

jsx left the room (quit: Ping timeout).

10:41

davidwalsh

alispivak: What's that question in reference to...?

10:41

alispivak

https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=942224

10:41

firebot

Bug 942224 nor, --, ---, nobody, NEW, Migrate first batch of CSS stylesheets to Stylus

10:42

alispivak

wait, I guess openjck is saying the first bath CAN be completed?

10:42

alispivak is confused

10:42

alispivak

batch

10:42

davidwalsh

No, not a blocker; the page sizes will be a bit larger than we'd like, but everything will be working and looking right

10:42

openjck

Correct, yeah.

10:42

alispivak

k

10:43

groovecoder

davidwalsh++ openjck++

10:43

groovecoder recedes into a role of side-line cheer-leader

10:43

openjck

(There are two batches: (1) everything except for Wiki/Demo/Search stylesheets, and (2) everything else. But davidwalsh is correct. If we don't block on this, we can use my time better to work on things like the newsletter signup, etc.)

10:44

davidwalsh

Stylus actually has the capability to turn CSS files *into* Stylus, but we also want to remove old rules too

10:44
alispivak
ok, moving on
https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=942605

10:44
firebot
Bug 942605 nor, --, ---, nobody, NEW, MDN beta only shows translated articles, even when none of them a relevant

10:44
openjck
Did we decide on the homepage demos?

10:45
alispivak
homepage demos are important but not a blocker for launch?

10:45
openjck
Oh yeah. I would agree with that. The homepage looks a bit off with that empty space, but not the end of the world.

10:45
alispivak
I'd like to see that fixed, but I don't see it keeping us from going live
yup

10:45
sheppy
bug 942605 is a pretty big problem; it leaves people doing searches from other languages hosed a lot of the time.

10:45
openjck
High priority post-launch.

10:46
groovecoder
sheppy, alispivak: yeah that locale search bug kinda sucks. but it needs some quick UX treatment to do anything with it I think

10:46
alispivak
sheppy: we need to provide a bit more info bug 942605 for the dev team, I think

10:46
groovecoder
alispivak++

10:47
davidwalsh
openjck: Can you make a list of the stylesheets and mark which are I

10:47
alispivak
sheppy & fscholz, can you add more clarification to the bug, and a proposal for how it could look./work

10:47
 davidwalsh
,]\'done?

10:47
 sheppy
alispivak: I'll be honest, I'm not sure what clarification to give.

10:47
 openjck
davidwalsh: Sure, I'll send you an EtherPad

10:47
 sheppy
We need to either add English results to the search, or offer a button that lets people quickly get to the English results for the same search.

10:47
chrismills [Thunderbir@628607ED.403FADE3.5411983D.IP] entered the room.

10:48
 davidwalsh
openjck: Perrrrrfect

10:48
 alispivak
could we default to showing english in search results, but somehow show what translations are availalbe

10:48
 openjck
I have been tracking locally, but I think you're right that something public would be nice.

10:48
 alispivak
maybe flag icons or something?

10:49
groovecoder is now known as groovecoder|lunch

10:49
 alispivak
basically, we need a proposal for https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=942605

10:49
 sheppy
Well, I think we should show their language by preference, but a way to get quickly to English. But the international folks should have a strong say here.

10:49
 groovecoder|lunch
sheppy++

10:49
 fscholz
English as default for everyone for launch, iterate on how to better integrate locale docs later?

10:49
 alispivak

fscholz: can you work with teoli and other I10n folks on thia
put together a proposal for how it should work? 10:50

chrismills left the room (quit: Ping timeout). 10:50

alispivak

fscholz: hm. interesting idea 10:50

Skatox [Thunderbir@B83AD796.C55C9572.16A1E33F.IP] entered the room. 10:50

groovecoder|lunch

alispivak: not important for this, but do we have some es and pt-BR I10n folks on call
for stuff like this too? 10:50

alispivak

I'll email mdc-dev and ask if that wouldbe acceptable

action item for alispivak

ok, only tmo left

https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=942722 10:51

firebot

Bug 942722 nor, --, ---, eshepherd, UNCO, MDN redesign: Firefox OS zone masthead
content hidden by zone-image 10:51

fscholz

I can discuss with teoli tomorrow as well. 10:52

alispivak

fscholz: ok, why don't you do that, and then confirm with the community whatever you
think is the best route to take 10:52

alispivak passes the action item to fscholz 10:52

fscholz

Ok 😊 10:52

alispivak

sheppy: is 942722 just a content issue 10:52

desiradaniel [Mibbit@D6942AD7.F84A5510.74E03911.IP] entered the room. 10:53

sheppy

yes 10:53

alispivak

ok

10:53

sheppy

That's why I claimed ownership a while ago. 😊

10:53

lorchard|reallylunch is now known as lorchard

10:53

alispivak

ok, i'm going to keep it as is, please close ASAP

last bug

https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=941453

10:54

firebot

Bug 941453 nor, --, ---, nobody, NEW, Correct Zone text alignment issues

10:54

alispivak

openjck, you reported this....

10:54

openjck

alispivak: Yep. I believe Holly shared these a while back. They still occur on production.

10:54

davidwalsh

I have a pR in to fix this, btw (https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/show_bug.cgi?id=942722)

openjck: Noooo...they don't

<https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/Apps>

10:57

alispivak

so can I close this?

10:57

openjck

davidwalsh: Hm, could this have been fixed since I filed the bug? Or maybe I was looking at a different page...

10:57

davidwalsh

Yes

That background color isn't right, it's really old

10:57

alispivak



ok, we've cleared out the new bug list

anyone have any other needs/concerns on the redesign?

we are looking really good for Dec 7th launch

10:59

davidwalsh

I'm happy if we launch today 😊

10:59

alispivak

alright, then, let's close this meeting. thanks everyone! Notes will be posted on the redesign wiki

11:00

mars

Dec. 9th – never launch on a Saturday 😊

11:00

mars

thanks alispivak