2020-10-22 Product Technology Subgroup Meeting

Attendees

- Doron Shalvi
- David Wilcox
- Jared Whiklo
- Ben Wallberg

Regrets

Agenda/Notes

1. Updates and announcements
   a. UMD has a number of local projects, unable to contribute to Fedora 6 sprints in the short-term
      i. Moving a number of local VMs into Kubernetes
   b. NLM making a similar push
      i. Migrating outdated CentOS systems
      ii. Not enough support yet to push everything to AWS before EOL
      iii. Also looking at Kubernetes
   c. NLM Fedora migration testing
      i. Encountered some errors but these have since been resolved
      ii. Still need to introduce NLM specifics to the new Fedora 6 environment
         1. Define target end state
      iii. Also working on some load testing
2. Fedora 6.x Testing
   a. Andrew tested creating ~15 million empty containers with no major issues
      i. Tests have been against Postgres so far, still need to test other DBs
   b. Also tested S3 but much slower
3. Alpha/Beta release
   a. Planning on a release in November
   b. Alpha or beta?
      i. Alpha might not get tested, folks might wait until beta
      ii. What is the target audience?
         1. Ready for testing outside the tech team
      iii. Alpha/beta distinction is not as important as the context we provide with the release
   c. What do we need to encourage testing?
      i. Docker would be ideal for testing