

[YUNIKORN-42]

High efficient scheduling events framework phase 1

Use cases:

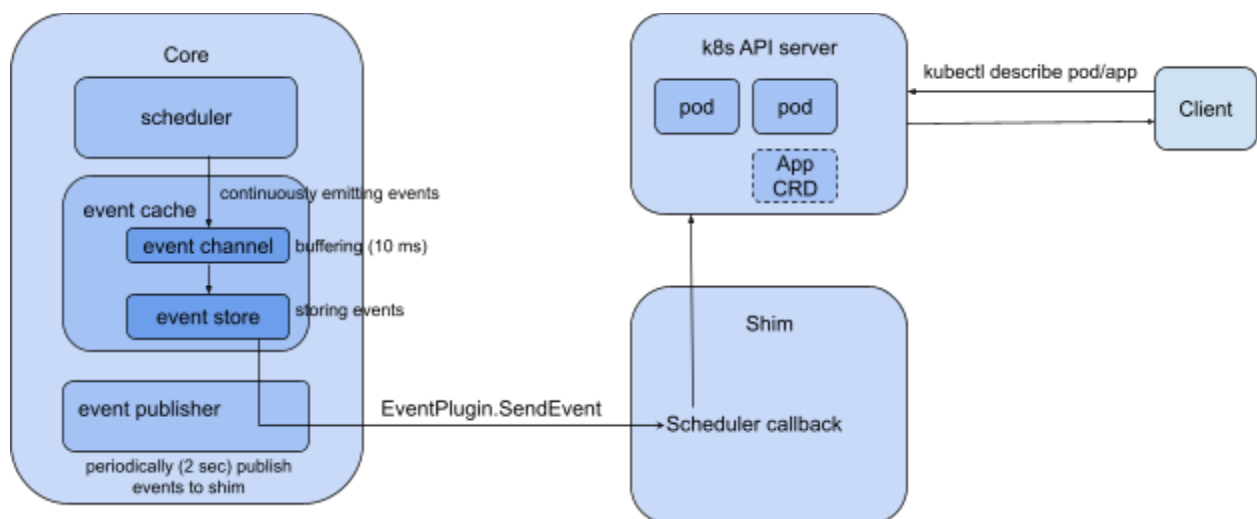
- Primary use case: Troubleshooting pending pods, why we cannot allocate it.
- Be able to look at queue/application/node/pod level and see: why we cannot allocate pod X on node Y.

Requirements:

- Events can be retrieved from K8s events (like kubectl describe pod). (P0)
- Avoid too much impact on performance. (P1)
- Events and diagnostics can be retrieved from YuniKorn UI / REST API. (P2)
- Be able to filter events/diagnostics based on queue/app/node/pod. (P2)

Implementation

Architecture



- **EventCache:** event cache is a cache to store object events, for different types of objects such as request, app, node etc. It maintains some eventStore to store these event records.
 - Uses an EventChannel to buffer the continuous flow of events generated by the scheduler.
 - Merges the events to the EventStore in every 10ms.
- **EventStore:** stores events for a certain type of object. This is an interface that can have different implementations. The very basic one is a fixed size store, which caches a certain number of events per object (e.g per request).
 - The store deletes the events upon retrieve.
- **EventPublisher:** the publisher retrieves events from the eventCache and determines how to publish these events. It leverages the scheduler plugin to publish events to the shim side. Can have different/multiple implementations in the future.
 - Periodically sends the event as EventRecords through the Scheduler callback interface. More precisely, EventPlugin's SendEvent function is called with the EventRecords.
- In the Shim side a Scheduler callback is invoked that directly pushes these events to K8s.
- The client can get these events through *kubectl describe* command.

Update of protocols

Update in SI

```
message EventRecord {
  enum Type {
    REQUEST = 0;
    APP = 1;
    NODE = 2;
    QUEUE = 3;
  }

  // the type of the object associated with the event
  Type type = 1;
  // ID of the object associated with the event
  string objectID = 2;
  // the group this object belongs to
  // it specifies the application ID for allocations and the queue for
  applications
  string groupID = 3;
  // the reason of this event
  string reason = 4;
  // the detailed message as string
```

```
string message = 5;  
// timestamp of the event  
int64 timestampNano = 6;  
}
```

Update of SchedulerPlugins in Core

```
type EventPlugin interface {  
    // This plugin is responsible for transmitting events to the shim  
    // Events can be further exposed from the shim.  
    SendEvent(events []*si.EventRecord) error  
}
```