Mon. Meeting 2/3/25

Meeting Notes:

- Friday night
 - o 4pm Food at 6pm
- Next sprint employee manual/instructions
- Talk to burris about presentation size and potentially splitting the presentation between two days or something
- Need to talk with cristian about timeline
 - o Implementing intro narrative again
 - o Also tiki implementation
- Consider adding in employee handbook myself
- Biggest change is updating the burndown chart

Gen. Goals 2/3/25

Goals:

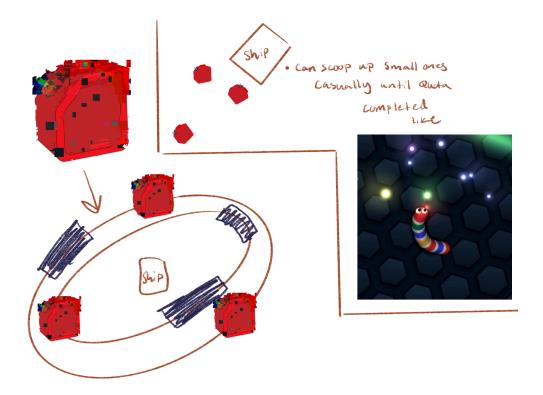
- Pivot from fighting game implementation to:
 - Ship upgrades (Buy from otto's shop)
 - Minigun: More frequent shots but slower movement while firing
 - Shotgun: Has a short range big pellet burst
 - Smash functionality is temporarily purchasable
 - Laser color is also a purchasable change.

Fixing enemies

- Align their attacks with the wiki
- Add some AOE attacks
- Model a small and large variant of each faction
- Enemies have to collide and readjust when they hit walls,
- Enemies should spawn inside the map only
- Enemies should act independently so that they don't clump together when attacking since they all do the same thing and become a mass

Basic Economy

- You can sell fishable scrap to NPCs for more money depending on the NPC
- Tiny no overlay scraps vs Fishable scrap
 - Fill up tiny scrap bar or percentage in quest that nets you like an unlivable wage but is the daily job requirement/expectation
 - Fishable scrap is how you make the majority of your profits though



- Discuss a good time for a panic session
- Make sure everyone has something to work on
- Fill out final timeline
- Bring up Burn Chart Again (updated)
 - Week 04 Feb 13th: Sprint review
 - Dev
 - Hookshot Fishing Implementation (WIP)
 - Save System (WIP)
 - 7 Sectors (Playable not polished) 0/7
 - Basic Economy
 - Updating/Scripting Enemies

Design

- Hookshot Fishing Assets
- Finish all extra items
- Main Menu
- Intro Cutscene
- Creating New Enemy Models

Narrative

- Fully Finish writing out all Questlines
- Implement all Questlines except for Mir.Ai and Scotoplanes
- Finish any necessary additional context/ Environmental lines
- Finish Item Descriptions

Leslie's Hit List 2/3/25

My Goals:

- Get status update on save system progress
 - Make sure there's a detailed POA to see it's completion
- Ask Chris about Mir.ai script
 - See if he has a plan or if he needs help writing it so he can focus on implementation
- Ask Chris about new tutorial
- Ask Chris about instruction manual
- Maybe ask Chris to send me updates whenever he does something from now on. Or have him tell me all the changes he's been working on every in-class meeting.
- Talk with Blaine about exact specifics of moving from 8 sectors to 7
 - o Ex: where do we want the black hole to go and extraneous minigame
 - I'm thinking sector 7 would make the most sense for the black hole and the maze sector would work for the dating sim.

New Timeline 2/3/25

Timeline for New events:

Today:

- Meeting (All)
- Narrative will be fully re-written for intro cutscene (Leslie)
- City map blocked out (Jake)
- All documentation complete (Ben)

Tuesday:

- Keg Barrels (Smash) Jake
- New art will be fully prepared to be animated (Leslie)
- <u>Draft of eject button (Dakota) (MOVED 1 Day Behind Projected Schedule)</u>

Wednesday:

- Leslie will start making a presentation
- Blaine High res ship render for menu

Thursday:

- Level Stuff Due
 - <u>blocking out the levels to have the basic art assets like walls doors, background</u> art
 - <u>all the non moving non interact stuff for the western and prison (blaine) (MOVED</u>
 <u>2 Days Behind Projected Schedule) JUST NEED TO ADD COLLISION TO</u>
 <u>SPRITES</u>
- Models Due
- Basic economy stuff should be done by now
- Implementation of updated intro cutscene writing (MOVED 2 Days Behind Schedule)
- Inventory saving
- Level art done Jake
- Dakota eject button (MOVED 2 Days Behind Projected Schedule)
- Scotoplanes room (Dakota) (MOVED 3 Day Behind Projected Schedule)
- further refine intro with bookends (Leslie)

Friday:

- Enemy code needs to be pretty much done (Ben)
- Fishing minigame done probs
- All quests in ink files by friday (Chris)
- Implementing mechanics
- Update the art assets a bit and refine the new menu (Leslie)
- recoloring enemies (Blaine)
- Blaine High res ship render for menu x 2
- Update the art assets a bit and refine the new menu (Leslie)
- Tutorial ready to go (Chris) (MOVED 1 Day Behind Schedule)

Saturday:

- Begin animation on intro cutscene
- Leslie Make a google form for filling

Sunday:

- Playtesting and bug fixing should begin
- Get New menu Assets implemented
- Finish all save stuff
- Storage crates (Blow up) Jake

Monday:

- Implementation should be completed for animations on cutscene
- Playtesting and bug fixing
- Dakota needs to have all excel items finished
- Implement upgrades (Ben)

Tuesday:

- Finalize playtesting and bug fixing
- Everyone needs to go over the presentation & have pitch memorized

Wednesday:

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Thursday:

- Presentation
- Sprint retrospective
- Show plan for next sprint

Tues. Meeting 2/4/25

- Guide Mode for developer mode/ scene select
- He approved a pamphlet -> emailed
 - o Send them off with a copy of the game
- Receipt → Leslie?
- Cristian Backlog (Obvious nametag)
 - End of the day
- 3 different fonts and then a 4th (Make sure fonts are good.)
- Polish ship interior