

# Community Meeting

NANOG 43

Brooklyn

1st June 2008

# Agenda

- Steering Committee Report
  - Jared
- Program Committee Report
  - Todd
- Mail List Committee Report
  - Jared & Sue
- Merit Report
  - Betty
- Possible Charter Changes Discussion
  - Steve
- Open Discussion

# Steering Committee

- Steering Committee members: blue badges
- Betty Burke (for Merit)
- Randy Bush
- Steve Feldman
- Jared Mauch
- Chris Morrow
- TBA (ex-officio, MLC)
- Joe Provo
- Philip Smith (Chair)
- Todd Underwood (ex-officio, PC)

# Highlights since NANOG 42

- Preparations for NANOG 43
- Preparations for future NANOGs
  - 18 month planning horizon is a goal
- SC holds fortnightly telephone conference calls
- Minutes published:
  - <http://www.nanog.org/sc.minutes08.html>

# Highlights since NANOG 42

- Betty returning to work
  - Thanks to Andy Rosenzweig for stepping in during Betty's absence
- NANOG infrastructure migration
  - Mailing list and website now done too
- PC membership
  - Resignation of Ted Seely
  - Appointment of Brian Deardorff
- The media at NANOG
  - Initial discussion regarding complimentary registration of media representation

# Highlights since NANOG 42

- AUP Enforcement Process
  - Process Documentation request to MLC
  - Counselling MLC
  - Draft document on website
- MLC
  - Dysfunctionality of MLC due to internal conflicts
  - Dissolution of MLC on 9th May
  - Appointment of new MLC on 28th May

# New MLC

- Current team:
  - Simon Lyall                    until Oct 2009
  - Kris Foster                    until Oct 2009
  - David Barak                   until Oct 2008
  - Tim Yocum                    until Oct 2008
  - Sue Joiner                    Merit Appointee

# Mailing Lists

- [nanog@nanog.org](mailto:nanog@nanog.org)
  - Engineering and Operations discussions
- [nanog-futures@nanog.org](mailto:nanog-futures@nanog.org)
  - Discussion about NANOG itself
- [steering@nanog.org](mailto:steering@nanog.org)
  - How to contact the SC
- [nanogpc@nanogpc.org](mailto:nanogpc@nanogpc.org)
  - How to contact the PC
- [admins@nanog.org](mailto:admins@nanog.org)
  - How to contact the MLC



Questions?

# Program Committee Report

Todd Underwood

# Introductions

- Program Committee members: yellow badges
  - Larry Blunk, Merit
  - Brian Deardorff, Level 3
  - Nick Feamster, Georgia Tech
  - Igor Gashinsky, Yahoo!
  - Kobi Hsu
  - Mike Hughes, LINX
  - Joel Jaeggli, Nokia
  - Rodney Joffe, Neustar
  - Sylvie LaPerriere, VSNL
  - Keith Mitchell, ISC
  - Kevin Oberman, ESnet
  - Lane Patterson, Equinix
  - Ren Provo, Comcast
  - Josh Snowhorn, Terremark
  - Richard Steenbergen, nLayer
  - Todd Underwood, Renesys
  - Bill Woodcock, PCH

# Timeline

- NANOG43: very compressed presentation submission schedule
- Previous data indicate early agenda == better attendance
- CFP released 1-Mar-2008
- First Deadline 8-Mar-2008 (best chance to get submission accepted)
- (Fake) draft Agenda posted by Odd Tunderwood – extremely well received

# Fake Draft Agenda

- Key items:
  - Keynote: Randy Bush, IJ: “We tried it 20 years ago, and it didn’t work then”
  - 100G networking panel: Vijay Gill: “It does not scale”
  - Tony Kapela: load balancing, wavelength division multiplexing, forward error correction keying (FECK) and Kilobyte-Volumes of Service (KVoS) in metro networks. 5 mins

# Timeline (2)

- Real Draft Agenda Posted 9-April-2008  
(almost two months ahead of conference)
- Mostly positive response to program
  - Feedback to PC Members, pls

# Submissions

- 36 talks submitted
- 24 talks accepted
- Good content submitted very early
- Some confusion about submission dates, but presenters are getting used to it

# Questions

Questions for the Program Committee?



# Mailing List Committee Report

# Merit Report

Betty Burke

# NANOG 43 Host



# Contributors



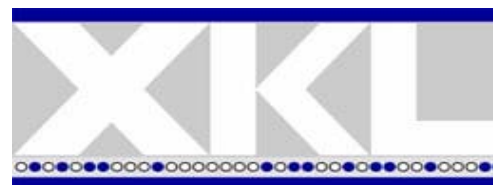
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# Merit Staff

On Site –

Carol Wadsworth, Gayle Terkeurst, David  
Gilbertson, Jason Russell,  
Larry Blunk, Rob Levitt, and Betty Burke

Merit/NANOG Intern - Pete Hoffswell

Back in Ann Arbor

Rick Reinke, Sue Joiner



# NANOG 42 Statistics

570 registered attendees (499 paid)  
20% Internet Service Provider  
21% Network Operator  
18% Equipment Vendor  
12% Content Provider  
6% Research & Education  
2% Government

# NANOG 42 – San Jose

Beginning Balance		\$242,395.73
• Revenue		\$372,641.04
• Expenses	—	\$316,076.59
-Salary	\$105,217.28	
-Non-salary	\$210,859.32	
-Equipment	\$ 1,487.44	
Supplies	\$ 21,455.95	
Staff Travel	\$ 15,118.47	
Hosting	\$153,036.80	
G&A Overhead	\$ 19,027.25	
• NANOG 42 Balance		\$56,564.48

# What's new

**Services - completely moved**  
**Email Lists - converted**  
**Spam Controls – a work in progress**  
**NANOG V6 Space- awarded**  
**New Website – work in progress**  
<http://dev.nanog.org>

# What's next

**NANOG 44** - October 12 - 14, 2008

[CenterGate Research Group\\*](#)

and [USC/Los Nettos](#)

Los Angeles, California

**Fall Elections for new SC members**

**Nominations for new PC and MLC members**

**Charter Revisions**

NANOG 45 – January 25 - 27, 2009

Tentative Planning underway

Dominican Republic

NANOG 46 – Early June, 2009

NANOG 47 – Late October

NANOG 48 – Early February 2010

# Proposed Charter Changes Discussion

Steve Feldman

# Why?

- The NANOG charter is our equivalent of corporate bylaws or a constitution
- It specifies organization, responsibilities, and authority of the various entities comprising NANOG
- Amendments can fix process errors, reduce ambiguity, and deal with changing circumstances

# How?

- General election during the last meeting of each calendar year
- Amendments added to the ballot by:
  - Steering Committee vote
  - Petition by at least 30 eligible voters, or 1% of eligible voters, whichever is greater

# What?

- Suggested amendments include:
  - MLC normalization: make MLC selection and dismissal procedures parallel to those for PC
  - SC recall: add a procedure for removing SC members
  - Miscellaneous cleanups (language, spelling)



# More Suggestions

- Partially-baked ideas:
  - Term limit adjustment for PC chair?
  - Committee chair selection processes?
  - Specification of SC's oversight role?

# How to Help

- Submit ideas on nanog-futures
- Volunteer as community coordinator
  - Coordinate with SC
  - Collect and track proposals
  - Lead discussion on nanog-futures

# Open Discussion