



PJM6810: Principles of Agile Management

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Team 3-Week 1 Retrospective with AI

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Week 1 Retrospective — Team 3

Junaid connected with the experience of bridging gaps literally and metaphorically. Setting up the Trello board initially felt like facing a canyon, but with time, effort, and guidance, he helped the team cross over in building a suitable Trello board. The bridge-building image reflects how he grew into his role, gaining confidence and structure with each task pinned and tracked.



Junaid's Image

Yashika brought calm and order to the sprint. Her dedication to note-taking, record-keeping, and keeping the team aligned on documentation was invaluable. She related most with the image of a lone planner on a couch, quietly focused, surrounded by warmth and intentionality. Her reflection reminded the team of the strength in silent structure.



Yashika's Image

For Urja, creativity was the heartbeat of the week. She saw the maze-themed game planning not just as a challenge, but as a journey across time, as its needed in the game theme. The image of time-traveling characters collaborating over prehistoric, medieval, and futuristic maps reflects her vibrant vision of the game. She led the ideation on how each level could feel magical, fun, and cohesive, igniting the team's imagination.



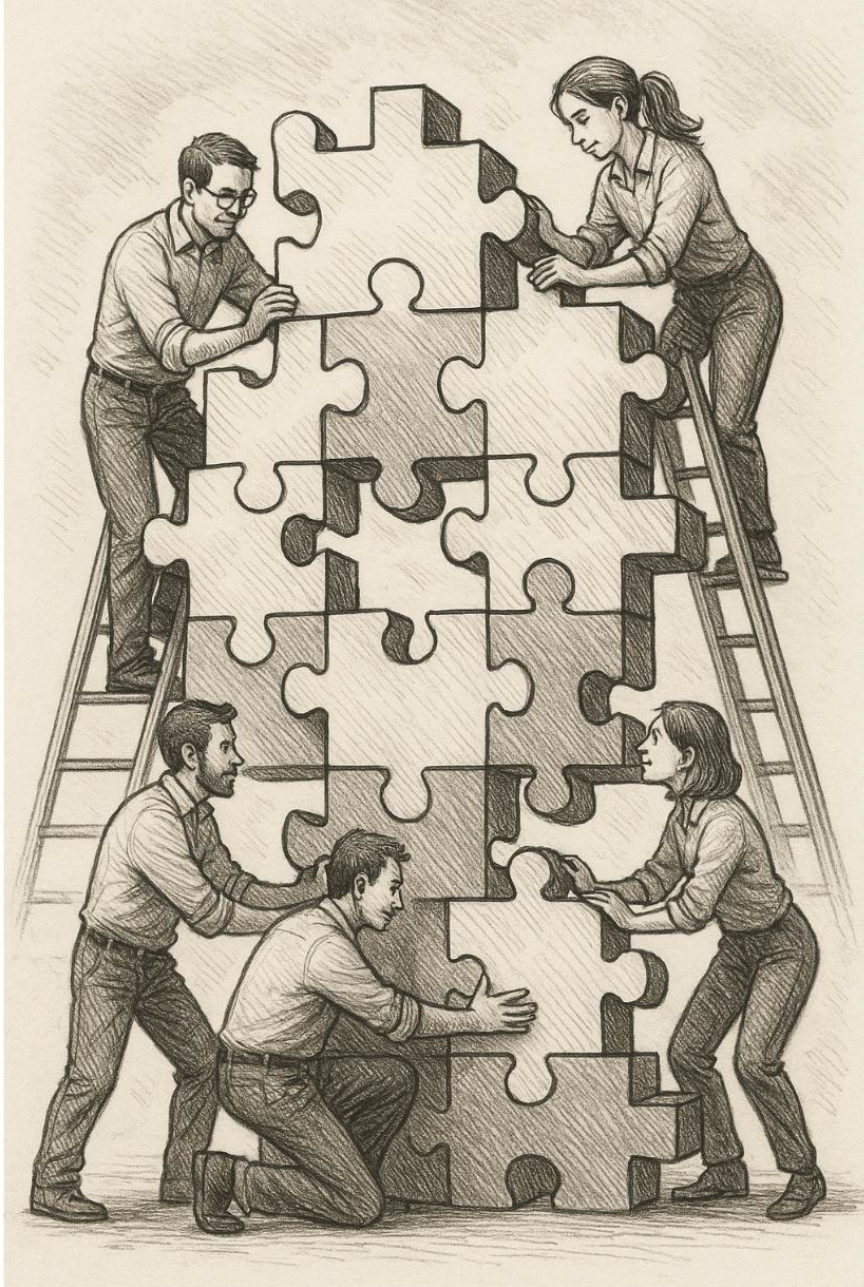
Urja's Image

For Bismark, the assignment brought out the creativity in him. He took the lead in developing the team website, channeling his focus and energy into building something clean and functional. The digital image of glowing collaboration reflects how Bismark sees teamwork as an exciting, tech-fueled mission. He thrived in the moment where everything came together: screens aligned, structure finalized, and the team unified. He enjoyed working with each team member.



Bismark's Image

Dhruvi found her stride in structuring the team charter. For her, it was about piecing people's thoughts together, not just a class assignment. The image of puzzle blocks being assembled closely matches her approach: thoughtful, steady, and people-centered. She guided the team in conversations that shaped our shared values, ensuring everyone fit into the bigger picture with clarity.



Dhruvi's Image

What went well:

Our team demonstrated excellent collaboration from the very beginning. From our first class activity—building the tallest structure using straws and tape—it was evident that we had strong teamwork and mutual confidence in each other's abilities. This foundation allowed us to work effectively throughout the sprint and support one another.

Challenges

We initially faced challenges in setting up our Trello board and maintaining consistent communication. These were early hurdles, but we made a concerted team effort to overcome them. By the end of the sprint, we had a better grasp of Trello's structure and improved communication channels.

Future Planning

Looking ahead, our immediate focus is to finalize the Scope Document. Additionally, each team member will contribute at least 5 items to the Product Backlog, working toward our team goal of compiling 20+ backlog items. To support this, we plan to hold a brainstorming session to generate and align on ideas.

Lessons Learned

We have learned the value of strong communication and how critical it is for tools like Trello to be understood and used consistently by everyone. With improved collaboration and a renewed understanding of our tools, we are better prepared to handle future sprints more efficiently and with greater cohesion.