



FIFE News

Ken Herner
 FIFE Meeting
 12 Dec 1901

*12 Dec 1901:
 First transatlantic
 radio transmission
 (Marconi and Kemp)*



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News and Views

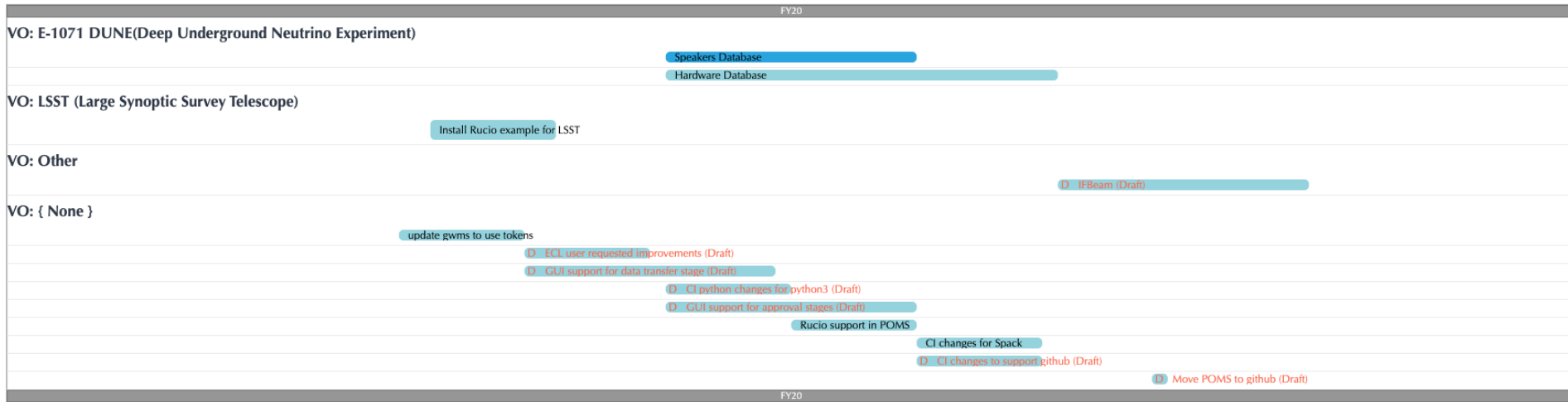
- Jobsub 1.3 now active
- **No meeting on December 26**
- Congratulations to Brian Yanny with the winning song entry: The binary days of Christmas
 - Decided not to award second and third place ~~money~~ prizes
 - More submissions in 2020?



SNOW Demands

- Instead of tactical plans and such the division is now doing “Demands” in SNOW
- SCD demand dashboard is [here](#)
- SCD Demand roadmap is [here](#)
- Still a work in progress but good place to see everything that’s going on

Timeline



Proposed FermiGrid modifications

- Recently saw an issue on FermiGrid where a user tried running an SL7 image without specifying OS
 - Right now FermiGrid sets UPS_OVERRIDE to the SL6 string in this case.
- HTC would like to make SL7 the default FermiGrid container soon
 - Initially proposed next week during the downtime, though that is somewhat short notice
- Are there any downsides to doing this that we haven't thought about? Any other corner cases we need to catch?
- Need to think about what exactly we want users to do to get SL6. Probably want a one-size-fits-all solution for onsite and offsite.