Improve visibility of Mac OS X porting project

Important : analysis is divided in two parts : everything about our website (we control the content) will be "internal", the rest (we just provide informations), will be " external".

1) Some facts :

1.1) About Internal **visibility :**

The actual Mac OS X porting website has problems :

– is not up to date ;
– needs some cleanup ;
– a lot of pointers are bad or even not good for the project ;
– not enough dynamic : time between 2 updates is sometimes too long : Mac porting website looks more dead than alive
– what is done, in progress, where search ?
– who does what for Mac porting project ?

1.2) About External Visibility :

– A lot of websites are not aware OpenOffice.org 2.0 (X11) is existing
– confusion between OpenOffice.org and other projects
– our objectives are not clear from outside

2) Propositions to improve "internal" visibility :

2.1) Who ?

=> Only Sophie Gautier and Eric Hoch (and Martin Hollmichel) have write access for update, ..etc.

=> other, developers, e.g., will :
– use blogs, (a link will point from Mac porting to it)
– propose changes (in the form), documents, updates, fixes for typos .. etc

2.2) What do ?

- Make changes to give the priority to **OpenOffice.org 2.0** on Mac porting website **first**;
- describe the Mac Team : people (photos appreciated ;-))
- rewrite the download links ;
- rewrite/modify partially the proposed links for help/documentation ;
- describe the status of QA process for stable version, and describe available locales
- describe exactly what we're doing for development : baseline, timeline, done work in progress and tasks
- define a responsive for every task
- add links to blogs (volounters only, of course) for all actives contributors to Mac OS X porting project ;
- add links for screenshots of devel versions, new features ;
- add a link for the tinderbox ;
- create a wish list (a blog entry)

Important : I only propose to add links for blogs : the reason is it's not possible to give write access to everyone on porting project. This is IMHO the most simple comprimise, and everyone has enough freedom whith it's own blog.

2.3) When ?

=> **Deadline for changes : mid march 2006**

3)Propositions to improve "external" visibility :

3.1) Who ?

Volunteers : one per task. Please ask if you are interrested !

3.2) What ?

- write a list of concerned websites for general informations about OpenOffice.org 2.0 (what is OpenOffice.org 2.0, what is needed (X11), links for help on install
- contact people on these websites, and inform them
- write a list of website confused with OpenOffice.org 2.0 projects and other projects
- contact people on these websites and inform them
- supervise websites specialized in download to propose always the last release
- communicate (I have contacted marketing project for that)

3.3) When ?

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