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What the room was really talking about

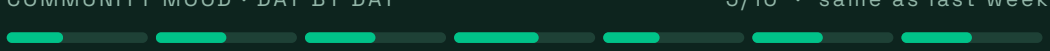
WEEK 33 · 10 AUG 2026

10–16 Aug 2026

Telegram + RadixTalk

COMMUNITY MOOD · DAY BY DAY

5/10 · same as last week





Previously: AI agents building on Radix took centre stage, Cloudflare opened agentic wallet registrations, and L unveiled the OTER governance platform.

A raw, human week: the first anniversary of Dan Hughes' passing brought the community together in remembrance (and surfaced some painful disagreements), while behind the noise the DAO transition quietly advanced and a fun community game launched.

474	153	Monday	0
MESSAGES	PEOPLE TALKING	BUSIEST DAY	NEW MEMBERS

MESSAGES / DAY



peak 110/day · most active: [illegible]

WHAT THE ROOM TALKED ABOUT

Remembering Dan Hughes, one year on

The community marked one year since Dan's passing. Memories of his work were shared alongside projectShift's recollections of departed members like Retired Uncle, who lost his XRD in a burglary and quietly bought more. projectShift urged civility throughout.

driven by projectShift, Gary

AI-generated text in chat

Timan asked members to stop posting long AI-generated walls of text, arguing they show no effort and go unread. L countered that clear AI-written explanations are fine.

driven by Timan, L

Validator fees and staking choices

A long-time member asked about 0%-fee validators and token rewards. Timan pointed to Astrolescent's weekly ASTRL drops, and Jelthebest explained the small APY gap between 0% and 10% fees, suggesting smaller validators deserve support.

driven by José Melo Macedo Neto, Timan

Cheap FIDO2 cards for wallet

Dezza suggested the Radix Wallet could support £12.80 printable FIDO2 NFC cards, and floated the DAO bulk-ordering branded versions to sell — perhaps with customisation for a fee.

driven by Dezza

THE BOTTOM LINE

REMEMBER THIS

The DAO transition is nearly complete — a community vote is expected within a month, and the new v3 codebase should be open-sourced this week.

NEXT WEEK

Watch for: the v3 codebase release, the Marshall Islands submission, and an announcement teased for next week.

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From the council & the crowd

What the tracked voices said, and the week's best exchanges.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

“Are there validators with 0% fees, do any reward with another token, and which have interesting projects?”

Yes — 0% fees are real and show up in APY differences; Astrolescent adds weekly ASTRL drops (~2.5%), and Defiplaza, Weft, Ociswap and others are project validators.

ASKED BY JOSÉ MELO MACEDO NETO · ANSWERED BY TIMAN

DEBATE OF THE WEEK — AI-WRITTEN MESSAGES IN CHAT

ONE SIDE

Hand-written thoughts earn readers; copy-pasted AI essays show no effort and clog the room.

THE OTHER

AI-written text is fine when it explains things clearly and reflects the author’s actual picture.

Still open — expect a rematch.

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Around the ecosystem

What shipped and launched, and the week's best lines.

FROM THE NEWS ROOM

OVERRIDE game competition launches

Ascent's community game OVERRIDE is live: five rounds, one every 48 hours, with a 1000 XRD entry pass and a top-10 prize pool split.

ascent.xrd.workers.dev

FROM THE DEV ROOM

xStelea shared the shared-logic package from the consultation dApp as an npm package that other builders can reuse.

HEARD IN THE ROOM

> *"It wasn't built instead of the conversation, it was built to have a conversation about. A working thing people can poke at gets better feedback than a proposal describing one."*
>
> — L

> *"I'm willing to bet we'll have the best god damn DAO 6 months in to running it and it will be copied as a template for future ones."*
>
> — PROJECTSHIFT

> *"Everyday same Drama. It is only different flavours of „wen"."*
>
> — ROTANE.XRD ROTANE

THE PULSE

The mood: A reflective, bittersweet week: remembrance and friction at the surface, but steady DAO progress underneath.

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The tracker

What the room expects to happen — and how last week's calls went.

PREDICTION TRACKER

PENDING — Native stablecoin launches this year

PENDING — Xi'an testnet mid-to-late 2027

PENDING — OTER governance platform releases within a week

No release news this week.

PENDING — Constitution Proposal runs within four weeks

WORTH A CLICK

Genkipool staking dashboard

radix-community.genkipool.com/en/dashboard/staking

Compare validators and staking options.

Astrolescent rewards page

astrl.trade/rewards

Weekly ASTRL drops for delegators.

xStelea shared-logic package

github.com/xstelea/consultation_v2/tree/main/packages/shared

Reusable npm package from the consultation dApp.

JARGON, DECODED

FIDO2 — An open standard for login security using hardware keys or cards instead of passwords.

APY — Annual percentage yield — the yearly return you earn on staked XRD.

LINKS

THE CHAT THIS DIGEST READS

t.me/radix_dlt

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radixdlt.com

EVERY ISSUE ON THE WEB

telegram-mcp-phi.vercel.app/ecosystem

SISTER DIGEST — THE HYPERSCALE BUILD

Hyperscale Weekly

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