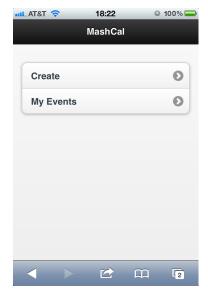
## **MashCal Heuristic Evaluation**

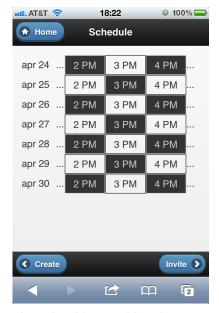
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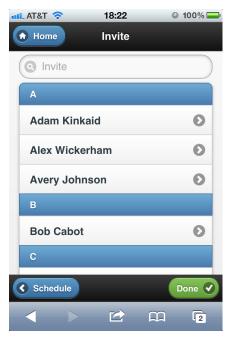
- 1. **Minor:** Button labels could more clearly express the button's purpose (*help and documentation*)
- 2. **Major:** Very unclear to the user what the purpose of this app is, or how it works (*help and documentation*)
- 3. **Good:** Few buttons is in general a good thing from a simplicity standpoint (*simplicity*)



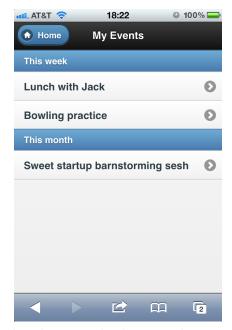
- 4. **Good:** Intuitive labels in the text fields (*help and documentation*)
- 5. **Good:** Having a home button present allows for an easy way to start over (*flexibility and efficiency*)



- 6. **Major:** The calendar is extremely unintuitive and hard to use even if it is well understood (*flexibility and efficiency*)
- 7. **Good:** Can easily go back or forward a screen using the buttons on the bottom (*flexibility and efficiency*)



- 8. **Major:** The icon on the names is a "drill-down" icon, not a selection icon (*consistency and standards*)
- 9. **Major:** When you click done you are immediately brought back to the home screen with no indication of whether your event was created or way to preview what you are creating (*feedback* and *error prevention*)
- 10. **Major:** No way to add new contacts (*user control and freedom*)



11. **Good:** Separates event by date in a standard way and uses a standard drill-down icon (consistency and standards)



- 12. **Major:** Unclear what the user is supposed to do here (*help and documentation*)
- 13. **Major:** No confirmation when the user selects the RSVP button (*error prevention*)
- 14. **Minor:** Green vs. blue colors might get confusing for the user in terms of what they represent (*error prevention*)

## **General:**

15. **Catastrophic**: No way to view created events or manage RSVPs (*autonomy*)