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MILESTONE CHRONICLES

Celebrating 5 Years of Hathor Network! 🎉

Five years of relentless innovation, wild ideas, and an unstoppable community. From the OGs who believed from day one to the fresh builders joining the movement. We're just getting started! Scalability, adoption, and performance? We've got it all. [Yan shared a letter](#) reflecting on the network's journey and vision for the future. The celebrations didn't stop there, X Spaces with UTXO Alliance, a Telegram AMA, and a trading initiative with Dozer Finance brought the community together in style. Here's to another five years of moon missions!

EVM Compatibility 🏗️

Expanding the Ecosystem

The [EVM Bridge](#) is live! After a week of community stress testing, it launched on February 14, enabling USDC to hUSDC swaps between Arbitrum and Hathor. Multi-chain future, here we come!

DOZER Trading Competition

High Stakes, High Rewards 💰

The DOZER Trading Competition hit a new level with the [Yin & Yang Trading Challenge](#), the first DeFi competition using Nano Contracts on Hathor, powered by Dozer Finance. Traders flexed their skills, flipping \$300 into \$1,223 in 12 hours. With \$500 in \$HTR and extra token prizes, the event proved Hathor's DeFi strength. Winners were crowned on January 20, missed it? More chances are coming!

Reward Incentives Wrapped Up 🔥

The incentivized testnet for Nano Contracts has officially concluded, and rewards have been distributed! Participants claimed up to \$300 in testnet rewards. Congrats to all who took part!

The Granted Ones 🏆

First Batch of Hathor Grants

Strategic investments drive real adoption, and we've already kicked off the sessions with three standout projects from over 40 submissions. Here's a quick look at the first batch of Hathor Grants:

- **Khensu** A permissionless meme token launch platform for fair and transparent distribution, unleashing viral potential on Hathor.
- **Dozer DeFi Tools** No-code token utility management for staking, vesting, governance, and more—powerful tools with zero complexity.
- **THOTH.ID** Human-readable blockchain addresses (e.g., [alice.htr](#)), simplifying transactions and identity on Hathor.

The sessions were a success, and we're just getting started. More game-changing projects are on the way! Have a vision? Apply now and build with Hathor.

ETH Denver 🏔️

Hathor Joins the Conversation

Crypto met the Rockies, and we were there in full force. [ETH Denver](#) was where the magic happened: big ideas, bigger connections, and a great touch point with the EVM community. We made valuable connections, exchanged insights, and deepened our engagement with the crypto community. It was a great opportunity to refresh and expand our horizons.

ON THE HORIZON

Dozer Finance 🛠️

Elite Task Force in Action

The final boss before mainnet is here. Only the most dedicated testers will survive as the Elite Task Force takes [Dozer Finance](#) for a spin. Big stakes, big rewards, and ultimate bragging rights. You in?

Follow Dozer on [X](#), [Telegram](#), [GitHub](#).

Hackathon Coming Soon 🎯

Get ready for the upcoming Hathor Hackathon! This exciting event will bring together developers from all over to build innovative solutions on Hathor. With exciting challenges, great prizes, and the opportunity to showcase your skills, this hackathon will be a key moment for the community to push the boundaries of what's possible on our network. Stay tuned for more details. It's going to be an event you won't want to miss!

Deep Dive with Marcelo Brogliato 🎙️

Tech Talks Ep. 2

The next Tech Talks episode is dropping soon, featuring none other than Marcelo Brogliato, CTO & Co-Founder of Hathor Labs! 🗨️ He's unveiling key findings from the Nano Contracts public testnet, breaking down what's next, and revealing some cutting-edge tech—think on-chain blueprints, MEV protection, MetaMask Snaps, and more. If you're into the deep tech side of blockchain, this one's a must-watch. Stay tuned!

Stay engaged, keep building, and see you on-chain!