

WEBINAR HOSTS



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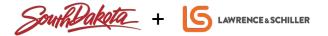
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WHAT WE WILL COVER

- 1. POTENTIAL PARTNERSHIPS
- 2. POWER OF WORD OF MOUTH
- 3. MARKETING TIPS AND MEDIA BUYING STRATEGIES
- 4. ENHANCING ONLINE BRAND THROUGH GOOGLE







COMMUNITY & NEIGHBORS



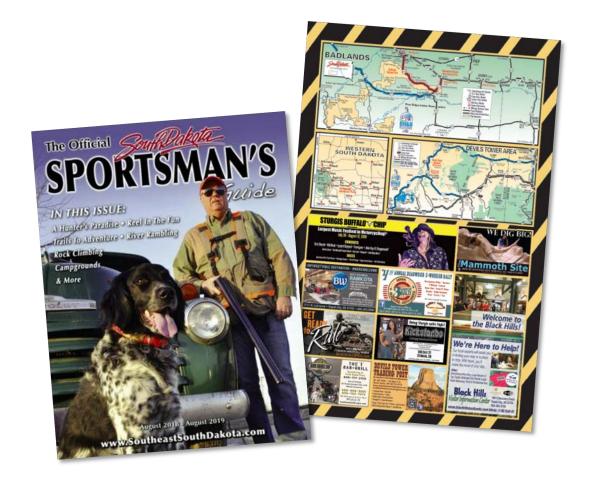
- TOURS
- EVENTS
- LOCAL AD PACKAGES
- THE LIST GOES ON...





REGION PARTNERSHIPS

- GUIDES
- MAPS
- BROCHURES
- WEBSITES
- EMAILS
- SOCIAL MEDIA
- TRAVEL SHOWS







CHAMBER PARTNERSHIPS



- GUIDES
- MAPS
- WEBSITES
- EMAILS
- SOCIAL MEDIA
- MARKETING
- EVENTS





STATE PARTNERSHIPS

- TRAVELSOUTHDAKOTA.COM
- COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS
- A LA CARTE PARTNERSHIPS
- GROUP TOUR
- VACATION GUIDE
- PUBLICATION PROGRAM
- FAM TOURS







WORD OF MOUTH





FAM TOURS











BRAND AMBASSADORS



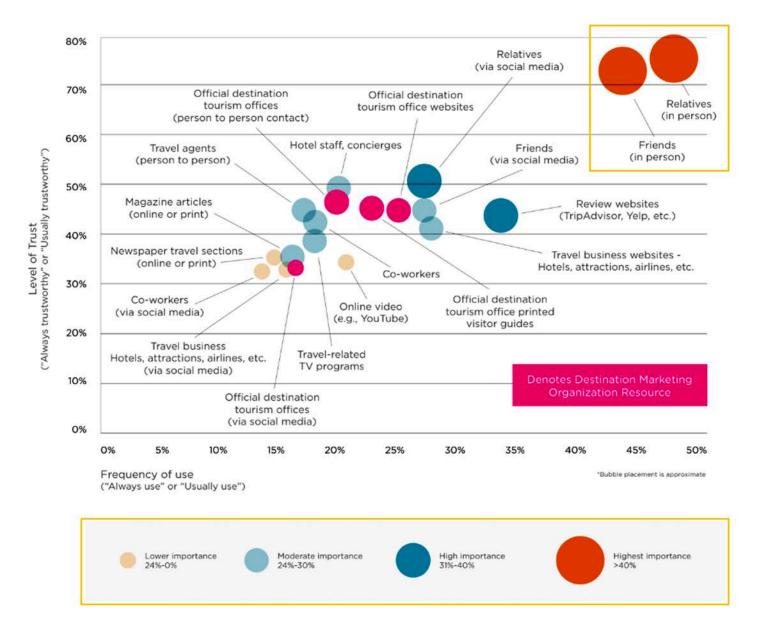












CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE



MARKETING EFFORTS





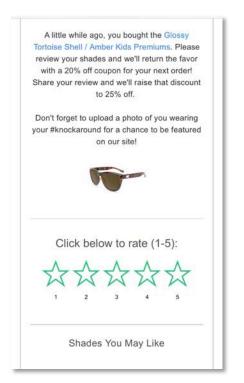
PROMOTIONS



COMMENT/SHARE



ENTER TO WIN



LEAVE A REVIEW





REPURPOSING CONTENT

REPURPOSE CONTENT

SHARE W/CUSTOMERS

FACEBOOK

EMAIL



WEBSITE

NEWSLETTER

INSTAGRAM





MEDIA BUYING



KNOW AUDIENCE

AUDIENCE PERSONA:
AGE, GENDER,
HOUSEHOLD INCOME,
INTERESTS AND
LOCATION



RESEARCH AUDIENCE

HOW DO THEY CONSUME MEDIA? SOCIAL, MAGAZINE, TELEVISION?



REQUEST INFORMATION

ASK WHO THEIR OFFERINGS TARGET, DEMOGRAPHICS, COVERAGE, ETC.



MEDIA MIX GOALS

REACH LARGE
PERCENTAGE OF
AUDIENCE WHILE
BUILDING FREQUENCY



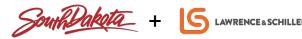




NEGOTIATING & ADDED-VALUE

- ALWAYS ASK EVERYTHING IS NEGOTIABLE
- DO YOUR RESEARCH
- BE CONFIDENT
- MAKE SURE IT'S A WIN-WIN FOR BOTH PARTIES
- ASK FOR ADDED VALUE THAT BUILDS ON EXISTING ELEMENTS





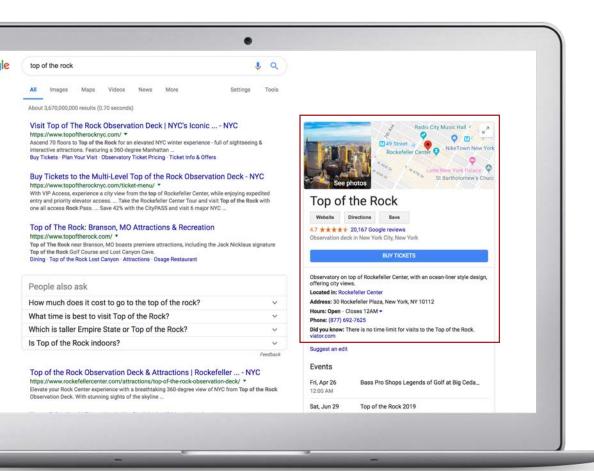
ENHANCING YOUR ONLINE BRAND



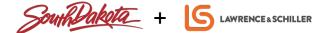




LISTING IS UP-TO-DATE



- BUSINESS NAME
- ADDRESS
- PIN YOUR BUSINESS ON MAP
- PHONE NUMBER
- WEBSITE
- BUSINESS HOURS
- BUSINESS CATEGORY
- DESCRIPTION
- ATTRIBUTES & FEATURES



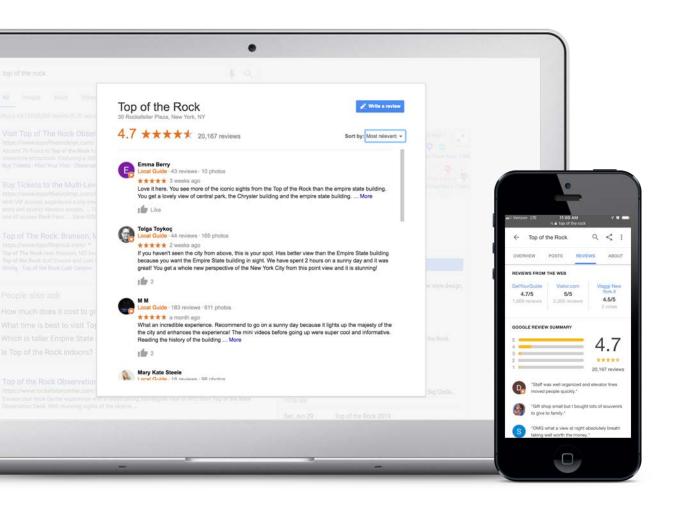
HIGH QUALITY PHOTOS



- BUSINESS LOGO
- COVER PHOTO
- BUSINESS FEATURES PHOTOS
- UP TO :30 LONG VIDEOS



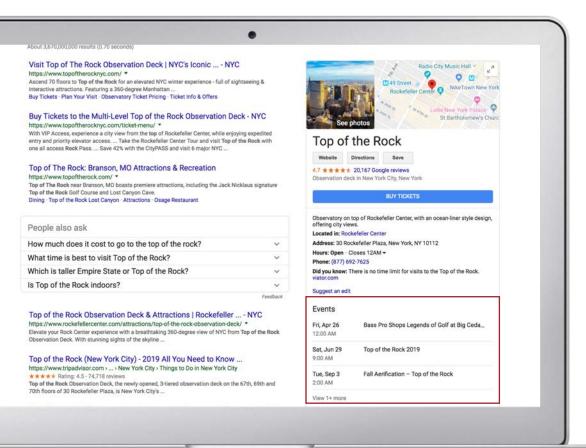
MONITOR & REPLY TO REVIEWS



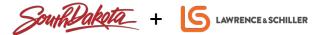
- USERS SEE BOTH CUSTOMER REVIEWS & RESPONSES
- REVIEW CAN MODIFY RATING AFTER NOTIFIED OF RESPONSE
- MAKE SURE TO FLAG INAPPROPRIATE REVIEWS



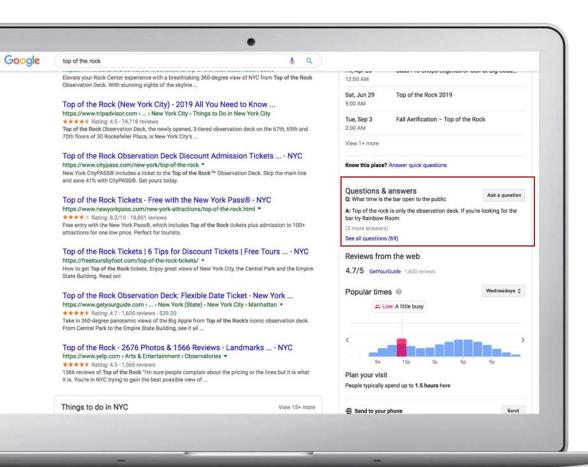
USE GOOGLE POSTS



- PUBLISH EVENTS, PRODUCTS, AND BUSINESS SERVICES
- POSTS CAN INCLUDE TEXT, VIDEO OR PHOTO CONTENT
- PROVIDES MORE TIMELY INFORMATION FOR CUSTOMERS



USE THE Q&A FEATURES



- ACTIVATE 'NOTIFICATIONS' IN SETTINGS TO RECEIVE Q&As
- YOU CAN RESPOND OR OTHER USERS CAN RESPOND
- COMMONLY ASKED QUESTIONS SHOULD BE POSTED TO FAQ's





KEY TAKEAWAYS

- 1. PARTNER WITH OTHERS TO MAKE YOUR MARKETING EFFORTS GO FURTHER
- 2. UTILIZE WORD OF MOUTH FROM AMBASSADORS TO CUSTOMERS
- 3. REPURPOSE CONTENT AND ALWAYS NEGOTIATE
- 4. FOCUS ON BUILDING YOUR BRAND ON GOOGLE



QUESTIONS?

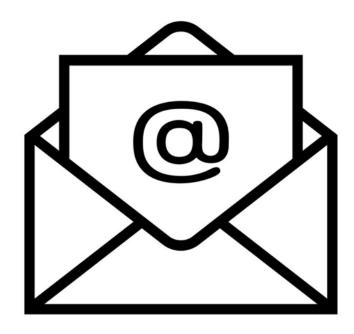






ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

COMING TO YOUR INBOX





SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS

WEBINAR SURVEY





INDUSTRY OUTREACH AND MARKETING UPDATE MEETINGS

HOT SPRINGS

TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 1:00-3:30 PM (MT)
Mueller Civic Center – Annex Room

HISTORIC DEADWOOD

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 9:00-11:30 AM (MT) SpringHill Suites – Roosevelt Room

RAPID CITY

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2:00-4:30 PM (MT) SD Game, Fish and Parks, Outdoor Campus – West

ABERDEEN

TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 1:00-3:30 PM (CT)
Ramkota Hotel

SIOUX FALLS

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 9:00-11:30 AM (CT) SD Game, Fish and Parks, Outdoor Campus – East Theatre

MITCHELL

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 2:00-4:30 PM (CT)
Corn Palace Main Floor

PIERRE

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 9:00-11:30 AM (CT)
Capitol Lake Visitors Center – Lower Level Conference Room



KEEP IN TOUCH WITH THE DEPARTMENT



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