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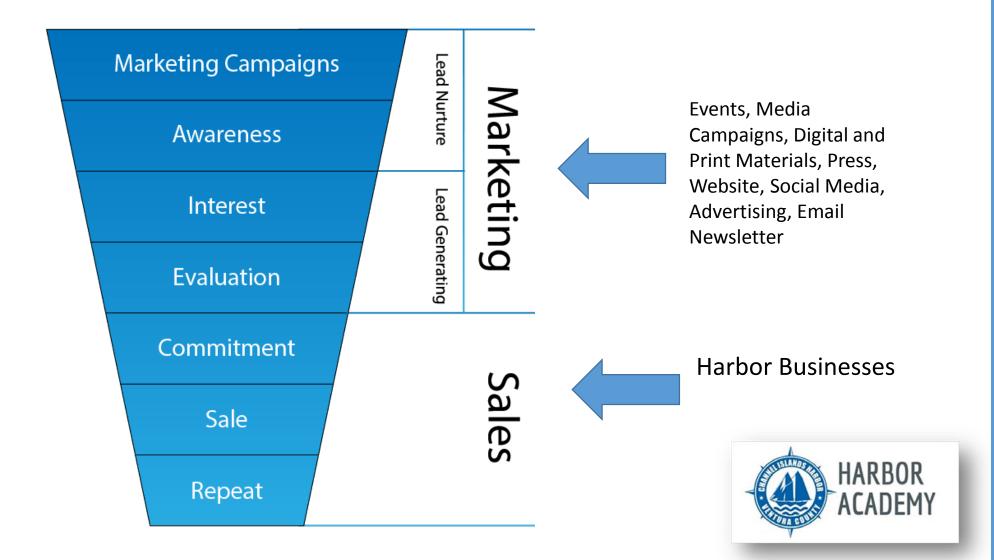
Channel Islands Harbor: Marketing & Promotions



Harbor Marketing & Promotions: Presentation Outline

- Build Communications Infrastructure to Achieve Department Objectives
- Manage and Provide Oversight Of Annual Public Events
- Manage Media Campaigns to Promote Harbor Events, Programs, and Businesses
- Develop Print and Digital Materials
- Press and Public Inquiries
- Results Website, Social Media, Email Marketing, Advertising
- Looking Forward





Build Communications Infrastructure to Achieve Department Objectives

Website

 Objective: Maintain and enhance Harbor's website to ensure access to information and raise awareness about Harbor businesses, programs, events, and services in a cost effective manner

Social Media

- Objective: Establish, maintain, and enhance the Harbor's brand via social media
 - Goals: Increase brand awareness, engage social media users, and drive traffic to tourism website in a cost effective manner

Advertising

• Objective: Distribute information and materials via media in an effort to **raise** awareness (print, video, web, etc.)



Manage and Provide Oversight Of Annual Public Events

- Coordinate with Department Staff and Outside Agencies
 - Tall Ships Visit
 - Celebration of Whales Festival
 - Concerts by the Sea
 - Fireworks by the Sea
 - Parade of Lights
 - Farmers' Market
 - Car Shows
 - Fairy Tales in the Park









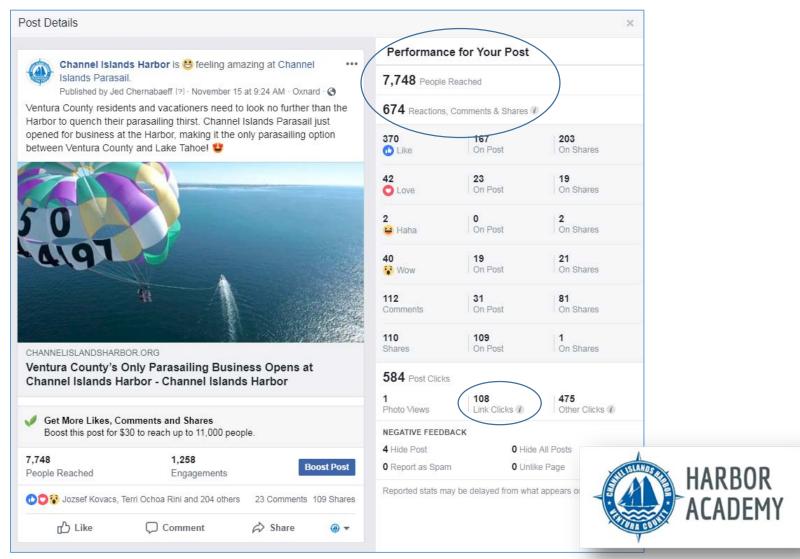
- Manage Media Campaigns to Promote and Build Awareness of Harbor Events, Programs, and Businesses
 - Social Media (Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, Nextdoor)
 - Print Advertising
 - Website
 - Monthly Email Newsletter

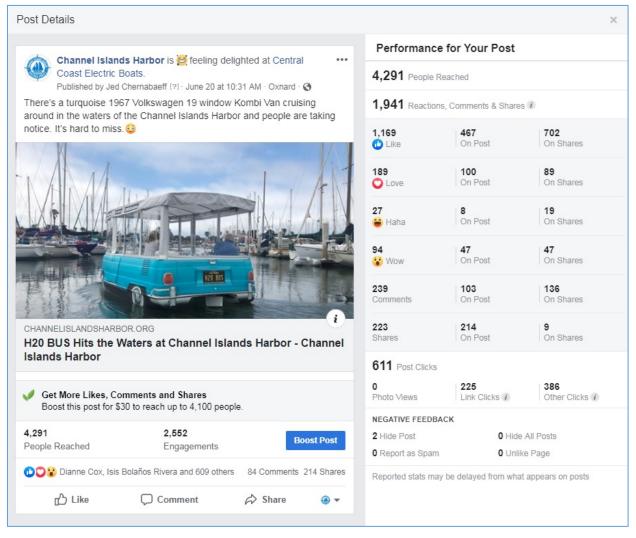




Ventura County's Only Parasailing Business Opens at Channel Islands Harbor

Ventura County residents and vacationers need to look no further than the Channel Islands Harbor to quench their parasailing thirst. Channel Islands Parasail just opened for business at Marine Emporium Landing at





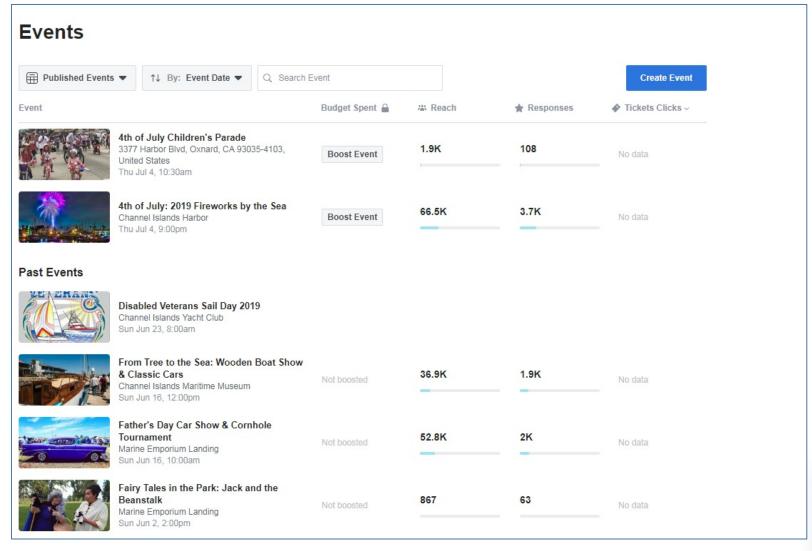




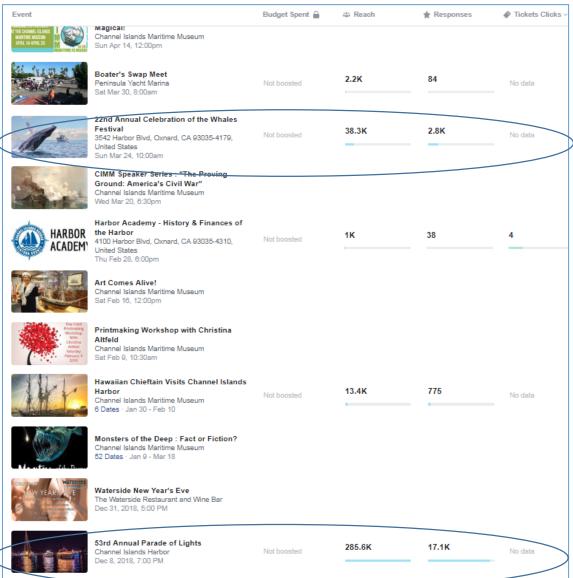




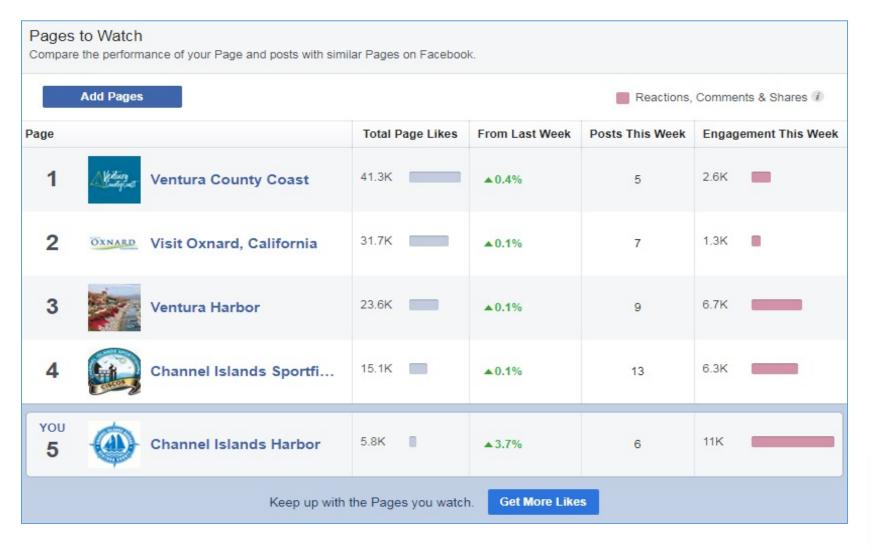














Develop Print & Digital Materials

- Quarterly Brochures
- Water Bill Insert As Needed
- Monthly Email Newsletters
- Media Releases
- Social Media
- Highway 101 Billboard
- Print Advertising
- Street Banners





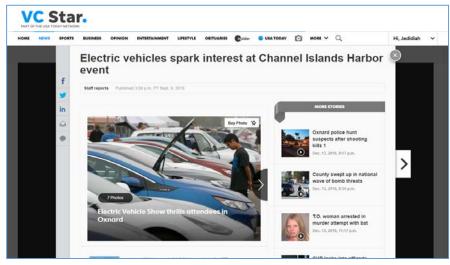


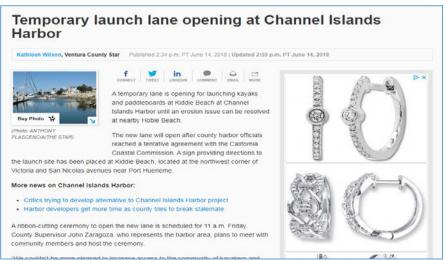
















Press and Public Inquiries

- Field Calls from Media
- Monitor Social Media
 - Coordinate Response with Department Staff
- Monitor Cl Harbor Visitors Email
 - Coordinate Response with Department Staff



Website

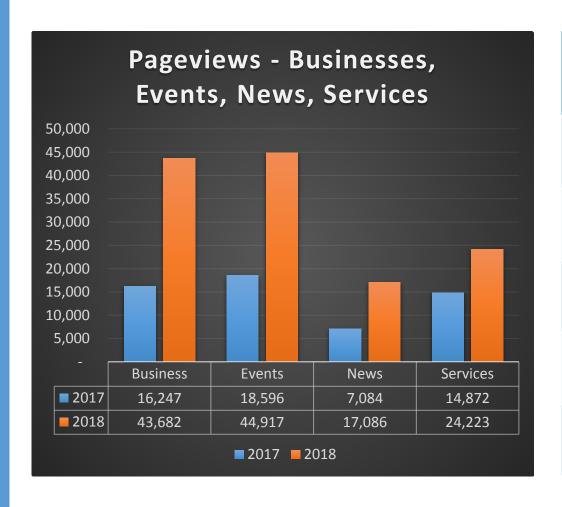
- Revamped & Launched Harbor's Tourism Website in June 2018
- Implemented Content Marketing Plan in June 2018
 - Blog Posts, Email Newsletter, NextDoor, Social Media
- June 2017-December 2017 vs. June 2018-December 2018:
 - Overall, website visits up 52%
 - New users up 53%
 - Pageviews up 104%
 - Average time spent on website up 33%



Website

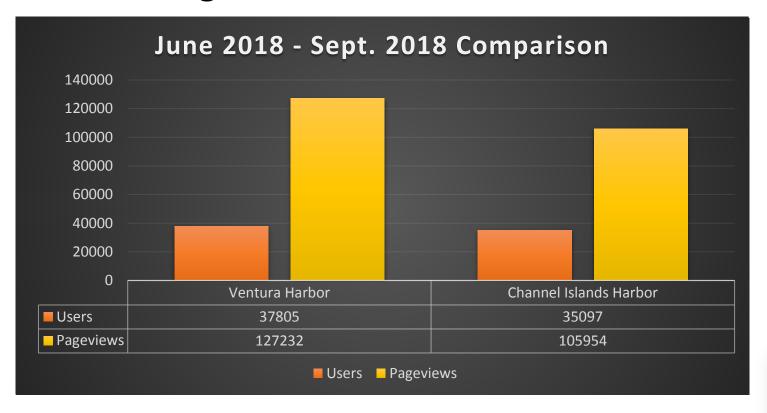
- January 2018-May 2018 vs. January 2019-May 2019:
 - Overall, website visits up 82%
 - New users up 77%
 - Pageviews up 120%
 - Average time spent on website up 25%





Topic	Percent I (June 18-	
Businesses	168%	
Events	141.54%	
News	141.54%	
Services	62.88%	
Overall Increase to Categories	128.72%	H

Ventura Harbor Village v. Channel Islands Harbor





Harbor Marketing & Public Relations: Results – Website Revamp

• Recognition!





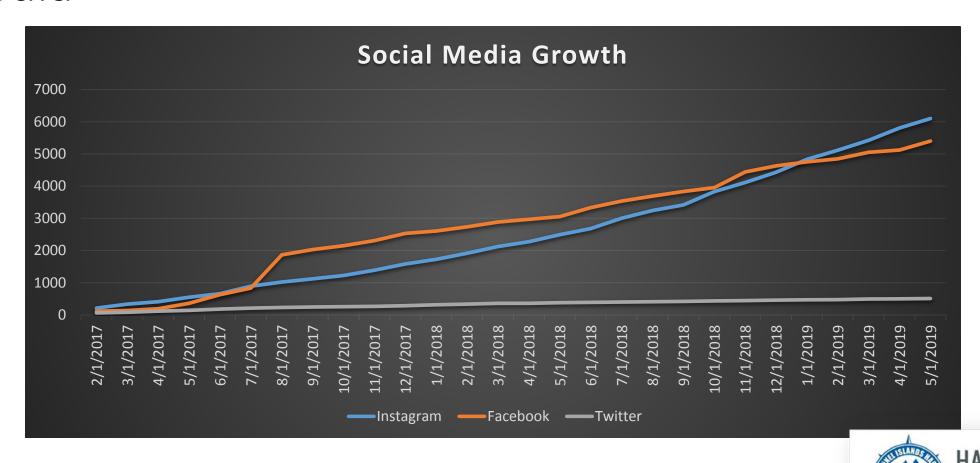


Harbor Marketing & Promotions: Results – Social Media

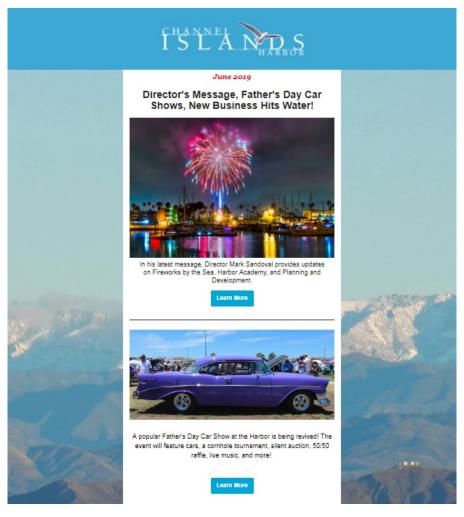
- Social Media (Feb. 2017 May 31, 2019)
 - Facebook: 5,399 followers, 15 million reached, 120,000 people engaged, 11,000 referrals to website
 - Instagram: 5,102 followers, 1 million reached, 100,000 people engaged, 600 referrals to website
 - Twitter: 511 followers, 250,000 reached, 5,000 people engaged, 350 referrals to website



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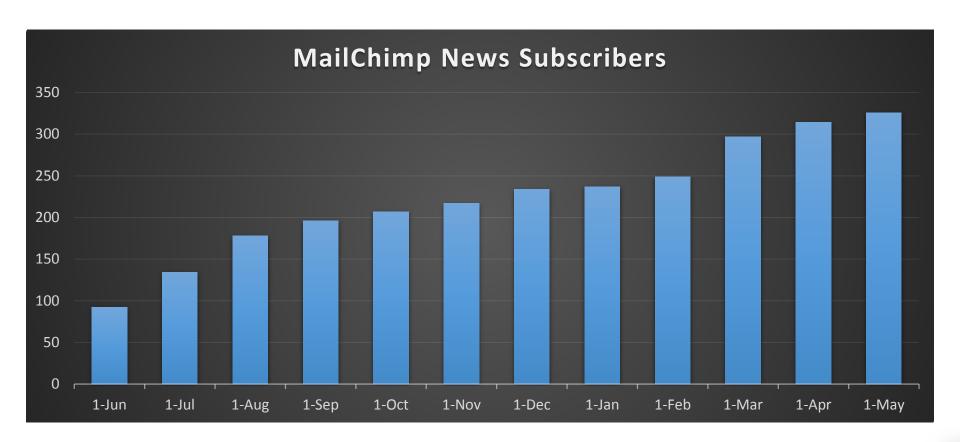


Harbor Marketing & Promotions: Results – Email Marketing





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Harbor Marketing & Promotions: Results - Advertising

Advertising

- Updated photo library
- Updated collateral materials
 - Water Bill
 - Quarterly Brochure
 - Highway 101 Billboard
- 20 print ads annually: 1 million impressions
- 6 billboard ads annually: 10 million impressions
- Frequently published in 4 daily newspapers and 12 online publications



Harbor Marketing & Public Relations: Results - Advertising



Directory
& Calendar of events
APRIL/MAY/JUNE 2018

Boating
Island Excursions
Sportfishing
Shopping
Special Events
Waterside Dining
Yacht Clubs
Maritime Museum
Farmers' Market
And More









Harbor Marketing & Promotions: Looking Forward

Continue to Raise Awareness

- Social Media
- Explore partnerships to host additional events
- Partner with businesses for continued promotion
- Enhance website with more information about businesses, news, programs, and services



Questions or Suggestions?



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