CREATIVE
APPROACHES
TO BRAND
ACTIVATION,
HOW TO BUILD
EVENTS



#### SO WHAT ARE EVENTS GOOD FOR BESIDES A PARTY?

- 1. Cutting through the clutter
- Events allow you to have face-to-face discussions with your potential customers in an environment they have chosen.
- 2. Creating brand awareness
- Events serve as good opportunities for maximizing your potential to connect with your audience. Offer them a more immersive and personalized experience through events.
- 3. Sales
- Events will do that even if your company is B2C or B2B oriented. Its important to **be there in person** gives you a chance to earn respect and **present yourself as real person**, just like your customers are.

#### 4. Lead generation

- Prospects wont always convert immediately? You should know that there is a chance for that later. Track attendees and client base
- 5. Get them to love you
- Hosting/Sponsoring an awesome event is a good way to get people to like you. It's all about the experience of your attendees.
- Alter consumer perception.
- 6. Free marketing & content creation
- Event owners often have media and PR partners who offer additional value creating additional free opportunities & exposure.

#### 7. Networking opportunity

- Every event is a chance for people to network. Networking is a chance to make valuable connections with your target market.
- 8. Events aren't expensive
- Why would you not use the Benefits of events when they are low-cost? Compared to a traditional campaign an event can be a really cost effective way to build your brand.
- Event owners often leverage multiple opportunities for the event which benefit all.

# THE HOLLARD JUMA & JUMA PARTNERED WITH JCPZ

- First major partnership between and event company a great sponsor/partner and a SOE to create a word first event.
- PLAY VIDEO

# EVENT WITH LOCAL GOVERNMENT PARTNERSHIPS

- Hollard JUMA & Joburg city parks and zoo (JCPZ)
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  - Upgraded the Braamfontein spruit routes to the value of 1.6 million rand (16km)
  - Increased safety of user by building 4 underpasses eliminating the need to cross major JHB roads
  - 10% of gross turnover of event paid to JCPZ for various projects
  - 100 bikes to Soweto kids
  - 10 pro bikes and apparel to the JCPZ cycling team
  - Massive PR & brand building of JCPZ in all communication and interacting at race village/activations.
  - Radio and TV interviews for JCPZ as partner
  - Bokashi ball water cleaning
  - Getting JCPZ fit and outdoors
  - Emmarentia Live partnership
  - Jozi trails partnership
  - Hollard exposure and relationship

### OTHER EVENTS WITH LOCAL GOVERNMENT PARTNERSHIPS

- Lamborghini Rally & the Mossel Bay municipality
- Daytona Rally & the Mossell Bay municipality
- The Rogue rally and Coega IDZ
- The Rogue Rally and Hoedspruit Airforce base
- Outcomes on these partnerships
  - Services unbudgeted for
  - Community upliftment & big localised spend
  - Genuine organic sharing of content of city in the hundreds of thousands
  - Exposing the countries to entrepreneurs and businessmen in a positive way to the area on terms of their choosing.

# WHAT IT TAKES

- Always a leap of faith but no reward without risk
  - Timeous decision making 8v2
- Huge upside for local government/department
  - Additional revenue streams
  - Exposure to brand in positive light
  - Corporate networking opportunities
  - Future projects
  - Content creation and interaction through positive a experiences
  - PR and Marketing in generally unreachable avenues