

# DigiTickets Online Ticketing

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## Agenda

- About DigiTickets
- Visit Bath Case Study
- Product Demo
- Mobile & Social Ticketing
- Before / During / After Visit
- Summary / Q & A

# *About DigiTickets*

- Provide ticketing and point-of-sale services to the leisure industry
- Works with Tourist Boards to manage end to end ticketing services
- Formed in 2010 and a team of 20
- Won National Attractions Network Supplier of the Year, and WMN “Innovation of the Year” Runner Up
- Proud to work with over 400 clients.....including Go South Coast...!!



# *The Process*

- Links from main website, with the ticketing shop being an exact brand / design match to your main website
- Allows customers to buy tickets to multiple tickets in a single transaction
- Money is sent to Visit Wiltshire and reimbursed to venues each month
- Tickets can be collected, posted, redeemed through 'portal', or we can integrate with existing till systems (depending on till system)



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*Product Demo*

# Mobile Ticketing

- The % of mobile bookings continues to see exponential growth
- DigiTickets Stats from 1st Jan 2016 to 30th Dec 2016
  - 6,229,781 Customers used the software to book
  - 3,495,269 booked on a mobile (over 56%). This is rising month on month!
- Make sure that your solution is perfectly optimised for mobile
- If you don't, you could be achieving less than 1/3 of your potential
- With Qty select, use number scroller
- 57% of users abandon a mobile purchase after a 3 second load time; keep it quick
- Don't consider this a one-off effort....  
Keep on top of trends to stay in front



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*Before The Customer Visits...*

# *The Ticketing Journey...Before The Visit*

- Consider date variable pricing, as it's one of the largest current trends in the ticketing sector.
- Utilise automated Emails
  - Pre-visit reminders
  - Internal Email Automation
- Measure everything through analytics and internal reports
- Custom Data Collection
  - Valuable consumer insight
  - Also enables you to drive visitor personalization
  - Creates a key foundation for loyalty programs
  - Harder to collect information during gate sales



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*During The Customer Visit...*

# *Enhancing the Visitor Experience through Ticketing*

- Santa's Grotto tickets were booked online, with custom data collected including:

- Child's Name

- Child's DOB

- Short Fact About Child

- Upon arrival and 'Elf Check In' tickets were scanned

- Santa had an iPad inside a leather book, showing details above

- Santa could engage with kids on a personal level

- Data was also used for future events

- Auto-emails sent to the kids 60 days before their birthday with appropriate offers for early bird birthday bookings

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*After The Customer Visit...*

# *The Ticketing Journey...After The Visit*

## •Automated Post Visit Activity

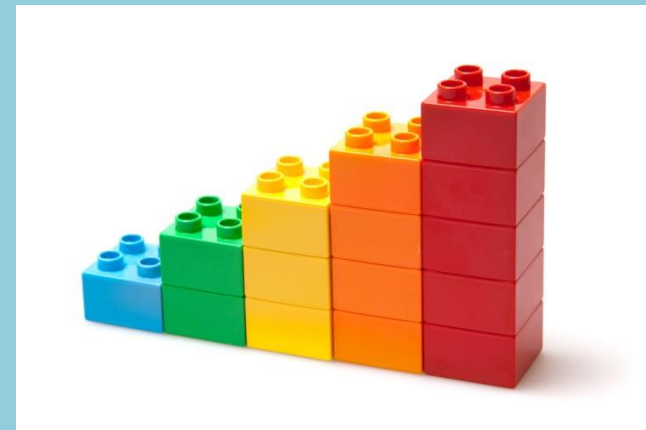
- Follow Up 'Thank You' and survey, with graphical faces.
- When 'smiley' is clicked, encourage a review or social mention
- When 'unhappy' face is clicked, redirect to a form on your website to minimise negative reviews

## •Encourage reasons for post-visit social activity

- Tulleys use of video releases with people tagging each other drove post-event social activity

## •Drive return visits

- Utilise loyalty, preferably personalised
- Encourage bounce back offers, dependent on customer location



# *Anything else...*

**Many thanks for your time, I appreciate it.**

**Any questions?**