

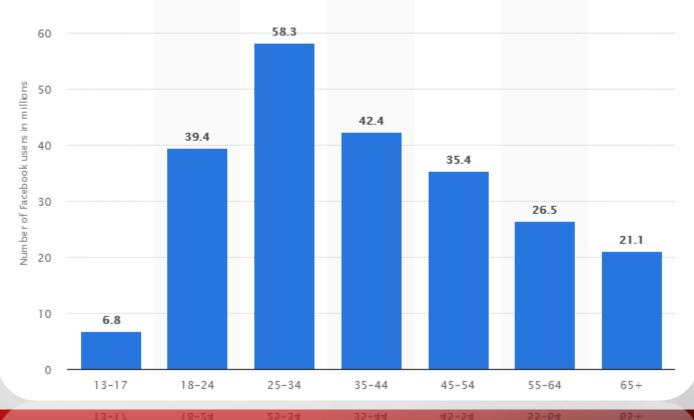
WITHOUT A BUNCH OF

TIME AND EFFORT

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# FACEBOOK STATICTING

- As of June 30, 2017, Facebook e
- 79% of Americans use Facebook percentage is Instagram, at 32%
- More than half (53%) of US Resi
- 83% of women and 75% of men



# WHY USE FACEBOOK

- LOWER YOUR ADVERTISING SPEND
- REACH A MORE TARGETED AUDIENCE
- BUILDS TRUST, HELPS WITH SEO, AND ACTS AS A MINI-SITE
- HANDS DOWN THE BEST WAY TO CONNECT WITH PAST, CURRENT, AND POTENTIAL CUSTOMERS

# WHY LISTEN TO ME

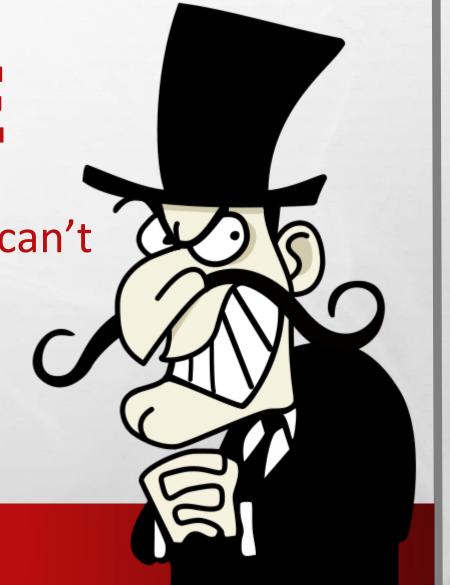
- Worked for a Facebook Ad Agency
  - Saw the good/bad/ugly
- Built a successful niche business only using Facebook for advertising
- Have helped many other niche businesses utilize Facebook and helped them avoid the agency trap



# UNCLEAR AUDIENCE

Trying to appeal to everyone – you can't

Guessing who your audience is



# UNCLEAR MESSAGE

If you're talking to everyone online, you're talking to no one

Taking too long to get to the point – or you don't have one at all

No call to action!!!



# LACK OF BUDGET

- Can't spend enough to properly test
- Can't afford long term ads and multiple ad sets



SATURATED MARKET

There's always a way around it

Newsfeeds get flooded

Comes back to audience and targeting





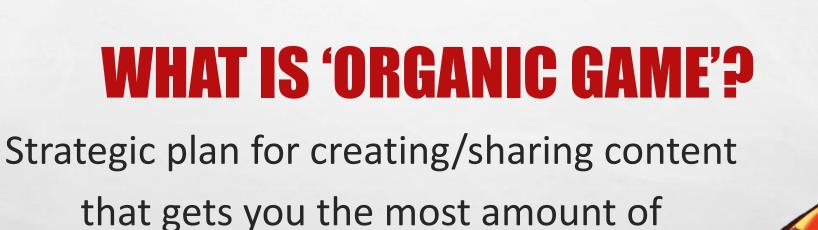
Ad agencies want you to fail

- Buy their programs
- •Hire them to do it
- Stay out of the feed



# GETTING YOUR ORGANIC GAME IN PLACE





engagement/reach for little to NO MONEY

## **KNOW YOUR AUDIENCE - HANDOUT**

Your content should be ABOUT THEM NOT YOU

- Who are they demographically?
- What makes them laugh?
- What do they worry about?
- What do they like about camping?
- What do they not like about camping?



## FOCUSING ON THEM OVER YOU

- Makes people feel special
- They feel seen
- Sales posts speak to how it benefits them instead of your needs



WHAT DOES THIS HAVE TO DO WITH ORGANIC REACH

• Much more likely to engage with content

When they engage, it boosts your reach

 If they see themselves, they become invested in your success – which means they engage more AND BUY MORE BUILD A RELATIONSHIP

- Let them see YOU
- Behind the scenes
- Make them feel special
- Be consistent

Ask for the sale – but not constantly





- Start conversations
- •Feature them
- Share what they will share



## WHAT ABOUT THE ALGORITHM?

Yes, it does exist and it's a very real struggle.

The Good News is that everything we just went through helps you to rank higher on FB's Algorithm.





IF YOU'RE DOING YOUR ORGANIC GAME CORRECTLY, YOU DON'T NEED THEM.







# YOUR FOLLOWERS (AND POSSIBLY THEIR FRIENDS) ARE YOUR BEST AUDIENCE

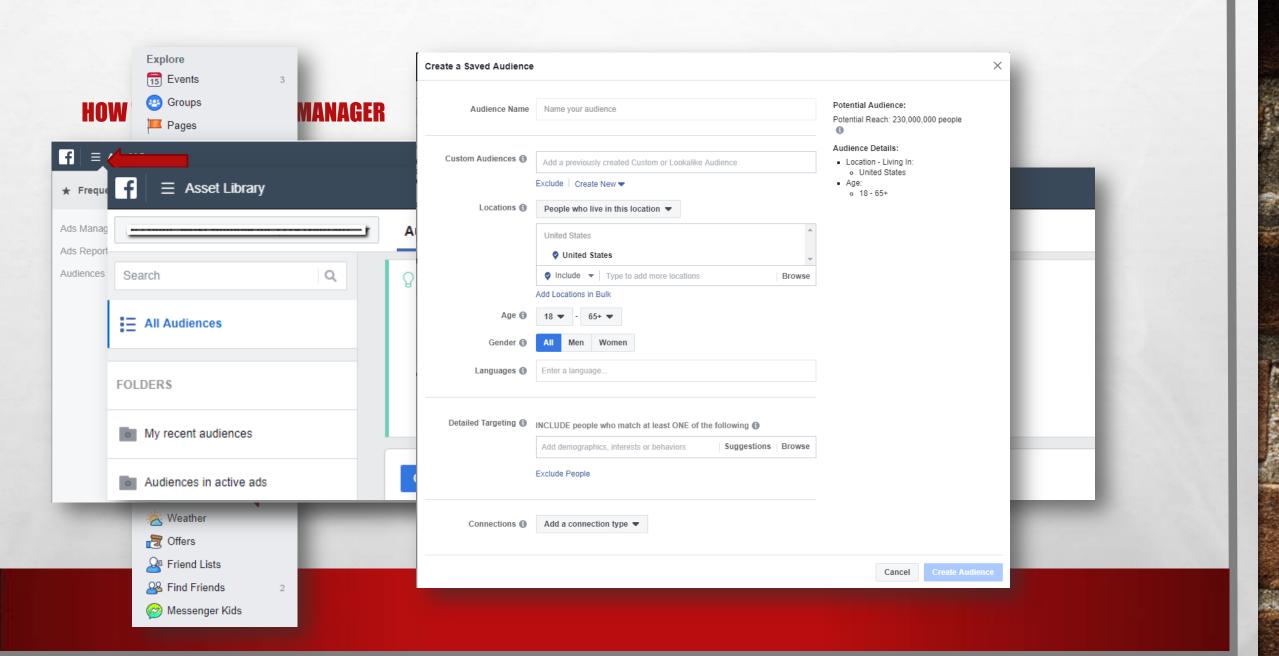
- Facebook's own research found that everyone is no more than 3.5 degrees separated.
- The closeness of users is beneficial for marketers trying to overcome <u>Facebook's algorithm</u>, which is notorious for slashing organic reach for brands.
- Facebook pages with smaller followings generally have <u>higher reach and engagement rates</u>.
- Facebook ads with some sort of social proof <a href="had 300% more conversions">had 300% more conversions</a>, and 50% lower cpas and cpcs (also helps with the algorithm if you're using a post!)





# USE WHAT YOU KNOW ABOUT YOUR AUDIENCE TO CREATE A TARGETED AUDIENCE





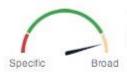
## **OPTIONS FOR TARGETING**

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- Use
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- Try t

#### Facebook Ads Audience Size

#### Broad

#### **Audience Definition**



Your audience selection is broad. This requires a large budget.

#### Audience Details:

Location: United States

Potential Reach: 180,000,000 people

#### Clearly Defined

#### **Audience Definition**



Your audience is defined.

#### Audience Details:

Location: San Francisco (+25 mi),
 California, United States

Potential Reach: 1,920,000 people

#### Narrow

#### **Audience Definition**



Your audience is too specific for your ads to be shown. Try making it broader.

#### Audience Details:

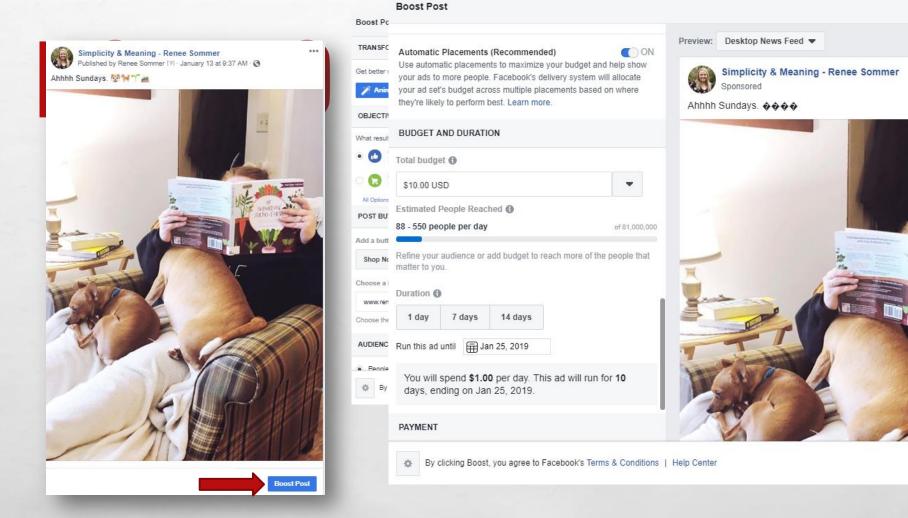
- Location: Los Gatos (+25 mi),
  California, United States
- Age: 26
- Gender: female
- Interests: Singing
- Relationship Status: Engaged

Potential Reach: Fewer than 1000 people



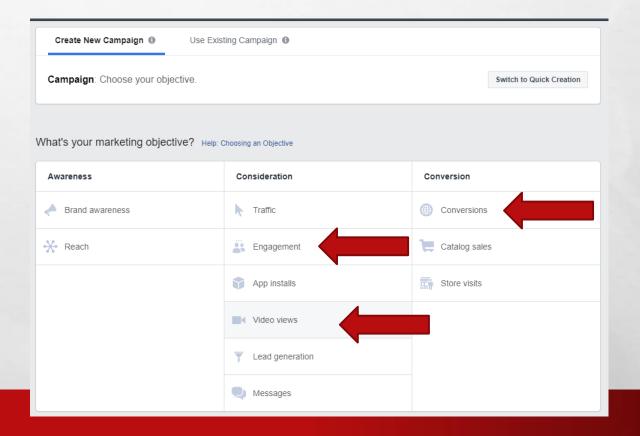
# WHEN TO BOOST A POST

- WHEN YOU'VE GOT A 'HOT' ONE
- WHEN YOU'VE GOT A MESSAGE TO GET OUT THERE ASAP
- WHEN ENGAGEMENT SEEMS LOW
- YOUR BUDGET IS SMALL BUT YOU NEED TO GET THE WORD OUT



# WHEN TO RUN AN ACTUAL AD

- YOU DON'T HAVE MANY FOLLOWERS
- YOU HAVE A SPECIFIC OBJECTIVE
- YOU WANT VIDEO VIEWS



## HOW! TO CRE!

Create New Campaign 1

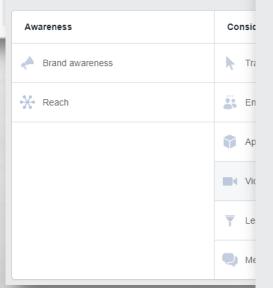
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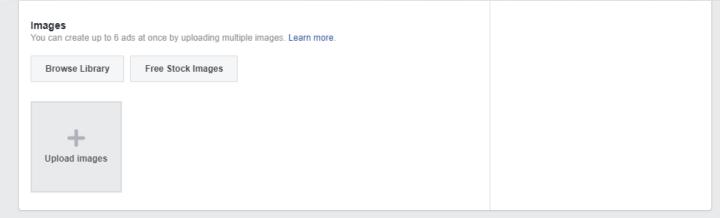
Campaign: Choose your objective.

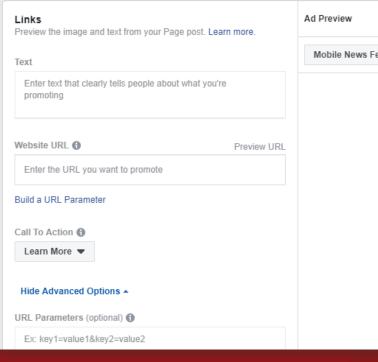
■ Account

+ Create

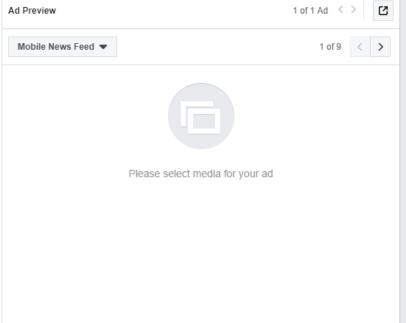
What's your marketing objective? Help: Choosing an







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## SUMMARY

• If you get good at organic posting and building relationships, you won't need fancy Facebook ads

A lot of the hype is agency created

Focus on your ideal clients – what do they want to see?

Boost to help things along and beat the algorithm



