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Launch sports fans community product for sportskeeda

Problem Statement

- 1. Features to launch community of sports fans product for Sportskeeda?
- 2. What are the success metrics for each feature?
- 3. What are the success metrics for whole community product?
- 4. How would you monetise the community product?

<u>About Sportskeeda</u>: Sportskeeda is a global sports and esports news website, founded in 2009. Tagline: "For the hardcore sports fan". The website has news, features, commentary and videos on sports like NFL, Football, WWE, Cricket, Tennis, NBA etc and also games like Minecraft, Fortnite, PUBG, Valorant, CS:GO, GTA and others.

Competitors:







User Personas

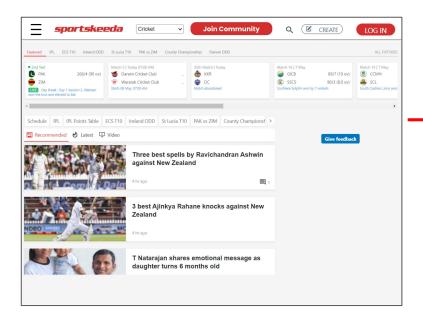


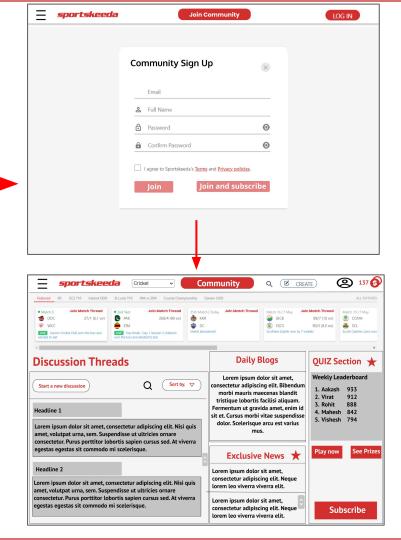


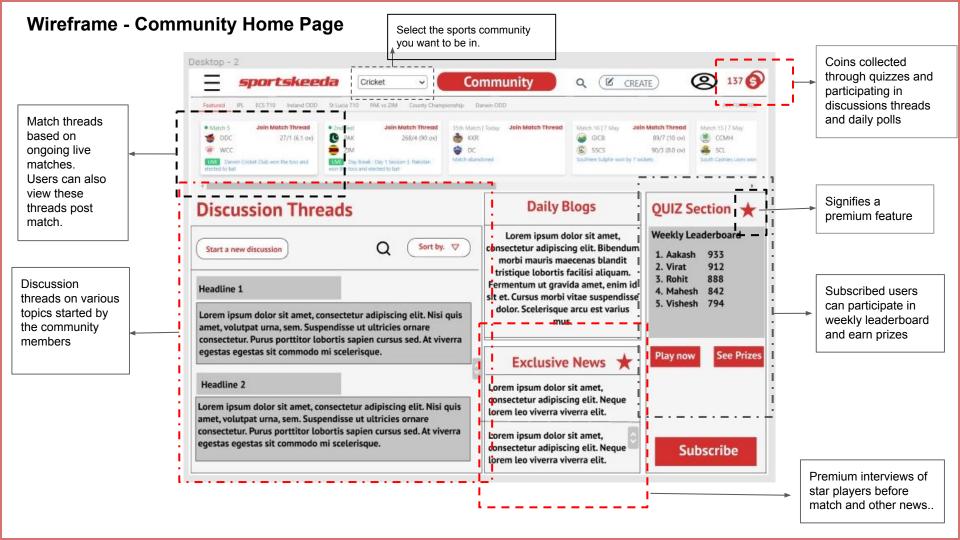


Personas	Chinmay, Professional cricketer	Kartik, College student	Nikita, Ops Head
Demographics	23 years old, lives in Mumbai, Plays for a club professionally. Watches only cricket.	19 years old, lives in delhi, loves watching basketball and football and sees every game.	35 years old, lives in bangalore, does not watch any game but likes to remain aware about sports world. A quizzing enthusiast.
Motivations	Reads articles by professionals and wants to discuss techniques to improve his game.	Loves exclusive sports news and watches every game but has now way of discussing happenings of the match in real time.	Likes to view exclusive news and discussion to be aware about latest happenings. Likes to participate in quizzes but lack of proper platform.
Pain Points	No platform for discussion with other professional players and sport enthusiasts	Feels the need of a community platform to discuss live matches.	Absence of a platform to view exclusive news and play sport quizzes.

Wireframe Community Home Page







Feature 1 - Quiz Section

Goal - Retention and Engagement of users on the platform.

Description

- Daily Quizzes for different sports, will earn a user coins which can be redeemed to unlock various unique and exclusive features on the website.
- Leaderboard will be created on a weekly basis and winners will be given prizes at the end of the week.
- Only people subscribed to the platform will be able to use the credits through daily guizzes.
- Prizes will include team merchandise, articles can be unlocked through them and many more

Success Metrics

- Daily average No. of people participating
- Repeat users participating in the quiz.

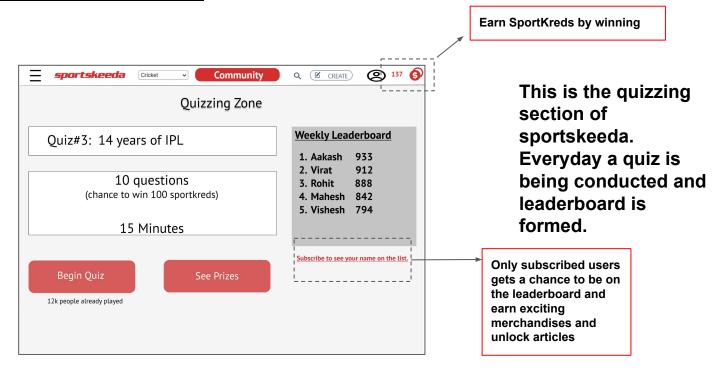
Value Proposition to User

This will motivate users to give various quizzes and also increase their knowledge of different sports and if they win they can earn coins and their favourite team merchandise.

Value proposition to Sportskeeda

- Increased Engagement
- Increased Retention as user will come back to the platform daily.

WireFrame - Quiz Section



Feature 2 - Discussion thread

Description

- Any discussion related to sports can be started and people can participate in it. Just like twitter threads.
- Discussion will be ranked based on the number of people participating the thread + the date at which it was started.
- Any discussion can be closed by the user who started it.

Success Metrics

- Avg. number of daily threads started.(Overall for all sports)
- Number of people participating in each thread.
- No. of shares (This will give us an idea of the quality of discussions on the platform)

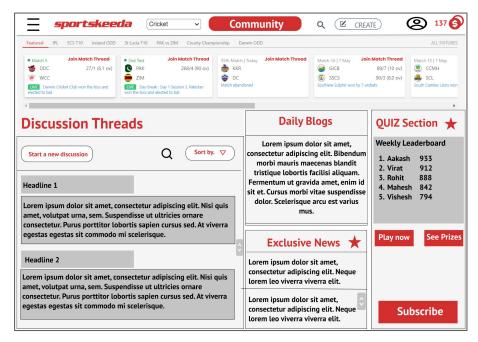
Value Proposition to User

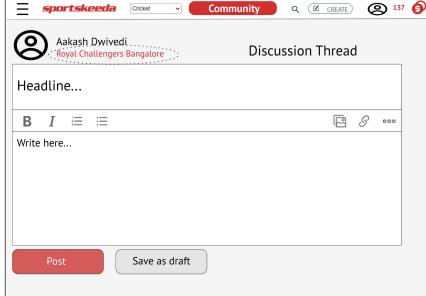
- This will provide users with a platform to discuss about sports and also present their viewpoints regarding various interesting sports topics and make discussions more meaningful.
- This will be a very interesting feature for people participating in discussions as well as for readers.

Value Proposition to Sportskeeda

- Engagement
- Retention A user after keeping
- Increased time per user on the platform.

WireFrame - Discussion Thread





Land here after clicking on Start a new discussion button on the community home page.

Feature 3 - Match threads

Description

- Live match threads for all the ongoing matches will be there in this section.
- Users can join the thread and enjoy the commentary on the match thread.
- Users can also participate by commenting on the threads.
- Users can also share the match threads with friends on whatsapp.
- In this section users will also get fantasy sports tips by sportskeeda.

Success Metrics

- Avg. number of daily comments on match threads(Overall for all sports)
- Number of people clicking on match threads.
- No. of people showcasing their **Team Flair**.

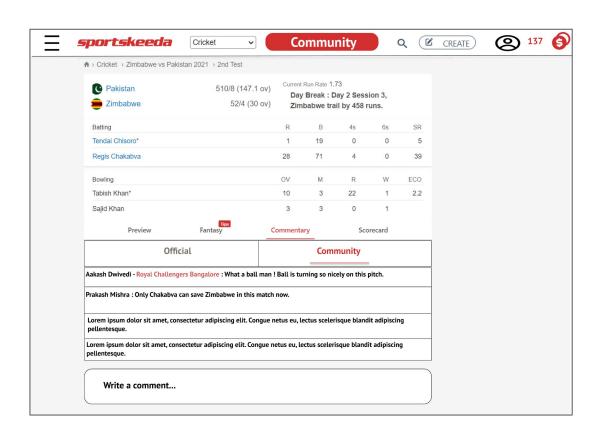
Value Proposition to User

- This will provide users with a platform to view live scores and sports and events and have a platform to discuss live events with other community users.
- This will also be an opportunity for users to show off their team flair (only for subscribed users) to show team support.

Value Proposition to Sportskeeda

- Engagement
- Retention
- Acquisition By match threads shared

WireFrame - Match Thread



Components of match thread Page

- Scorecard
- Team Squad
- Commentary
- Discussion by user on the thread through comments.
- Fantasy sports tips for users.

Feature 4 - Exclusive Interviews

Description

- Monetised feature People with subscription will get exclusive interviews and news before the match.
- Match squad information will be sent through sms and mail to the subscribers.

Success Metrics

- No. of views
- No. of comments
- Time spent on the interview/article.

Value Proposition to user

- This feature will give the most enthusiastic sports fan, exclusive interviews of famous sports person having insights about the game and various strategies adopted by them.
- It is a unique feature provided by Sportskeeda.

Value Proposition to SportsKeeda

- This feature's success will lead to more subscribing users for sportskeeda
- Retention of Users. (Users will tend to comeback before each match every time.)
- Revenue will be generated.

Metrics to track for success of the community

- 1. **Month on Month** Subscribers growth. (North star metric)
- 2. **Churn Rate** To measure the number of users who stopped coming to the community
- 3. **Stickiness** To look at the engagement on the platform
 - a. Number of discussions started
 - b. Number of users who played the quizc. Number of daily and monthly active users
- 4. Retention rate Number of users subscribing for the next cycle.
- 5. Revenue generated
- 6. Number of users leaving the subscription and still coming to the community (To look if users are finding the community useful and informative)

Monetisation Strategy

- Subscription Based Model is used for monetisation for the community product there are certain features which are only available for premium users.
- Features which are available to premium users:-
 - > SportKreds earned through quizzes can be redeemed only if a user is a premium user.
 - > **Daily blogs** available only to premium users , otherwise limited number of articles can be read by a non-premium user.
 - **Exclusive Interviews/news** feature only available for premium user.
 - > Team Flairs can only be used by premium users.
 - Only premium users can have their name displayed on the leaderboard which is shown on the community main page.

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