# **Brooklyn Outdoor Film Festival**

# **Summary:**

A website set up to provide information and registration for participants of the Brooklyn Outdoor Film Festival. This includes information about the festival's location, festival news, upcoming films, announcements, local news, park news, directions to the park. Also, this website will be used as a social media anchor to bring in customers to the festival. Finally, this will be a place for viewers to sign up for showings as there is a 5,000-person limit.

## Stakeholders:

Jennifer Viala: Brooklyn Vibes Events Co. (Founder)

Brooklyn Outdoor Film Festival (Organizer)

Social media Handler

Expectations / Responsibilities:

Suggestions/feedback to website design/theme/general opinions

Provides social media links: Facebook, Twitter, Snapchat

Provides pictures to be used on the website

Provides allotted budget for project

Provides upcoming festival news

Provides upcoming movies to be displayed

Scott Tongsak: Web Developer

Expectations / Responsibilities:

Builds website framework

Purchases website domain and hosting server

Provides Search Engine Optimizer

Estimation on Budget & Timeline

Manages Post-Shipment Maintenance of Website

### Goals:

- A central social hub website for Brooklyn Film Festival, this allows people to access and share upcoming events/movies occurring at the festival.
- Website will include an About section to summarize new customers what to expect at the film festival.
- Movie list to show and encourage viewers to sign up for the festival.
- News section to display city and park news to create a closer community with the public.

- Announcement section to let viewers know the latest news regarding the festival, this can include specific special movies and/or special events.
- A sign-up section as the festival has a 5,000-person limit.
- A section of directions to guide viewers to the park.

# **Budget:**

#### Non – Recurring:

#### Domain Name:

<u>www.brooklynfimfestivals.com</u> - \$0.99 (1 year) <u>www.brooklynfimfestivals.org</u> - \$12.99 (1 year) <u>www.bbpfilms.org</u> - \$7.99 (1 year)

### Recurring:

Hosting/Server: \$29.94 (\$4.99 per month, 6 months)

Web Development: \$2,250.00 (\$15.00 per hour, 6-hour day, for 25 days)

SEO Wage: \$480.00 (\$12.00 per hour, 4-hour day, for 10 days)

Total (6-month span: April - September): \$2,761.00 - \$2,773.00 (depending on the domain name chosen)

# **Timeline:**

Project starts in April to allow social media and community hype build up the anticipation of the festival that occurs in August. This allows for approximately 1 month to build and finalize the website. And then 3 months for social media to take effect and build a viewing crowd.

April 1 <sup>st</sup> – April 6 <sup>th</sup>	Material Request / Initial Discussion with Client
April 9 <sup>th</sup> – April 13 <sup>th</sup>	Material Received / Start of Website Development
April 16 <sup>th</sup> – April 20 <sup>th</sup>	Continued Development of Website & SEO
April 23 <sup>rd</sup> – April 27 <sup>th</sup>	First Test / Adjustment / Tutorial with Client
April 30 <sup>th</sup> – May 5 <sup>th</sup>	Final Adjustment / Website Launched
May 7 <sup>th</sup> – August 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Social Media Build Up / Website Maintenance
August 5 <sup>th</sup>	First Night of Film Festival

#### April 1st – April 6th: Material Request / Initial Discussion

- Scott requests all material from Jennifer Viala (pictures, social media links, starting news/announcements)
- Scott discusses basic website layout and expectations to Jennifer to build a starting foundation on the website wireframe and which domain name to be bought.
- Scott requests money for the initial purchase of the domain name & hosting service

#### April 9th – April 13th: Material Received / Start of Website Development

- Scott receives and confirms all needed material/funds previously requested to start the website from Jennifer
- Scott discuss the prototype wireframe website with Jennifer and adjusts according to feedback
- Scott starts rough draft of website offline (alpha stage of website)

### April 16th - April 20th: Continued Development / SEO

- Scott buys the domain name decided by Jennifer and hosting service
- Scott uploads the prototype website online for future discussion
- Scott works on initial SEO for the website
- Continued work on website prototype

#### April 23th – April 27th: First Adjustments / Website Testing / Website Tutorial to Client

- Scott and Jennifer discuss about the initial website and request feedback for any specific changes
- Scott tests, explains, and demos to Jennifer on how to use the website to count the number of viewers possibly signing up, update festival news/announcements
- Scott requests for any future news to add to the website and to further optimize the SEO

### April 30th – May 4th: Final Adjustments / Website Launched

- Scott changes website according to feedback received from the previous meeting with Jennifer
- Scott finalizes the website and ships out the final product to Jennifer

#### May 7<sup>th</sup> – August 3<sup>rd</sup>: Social Media Buildup / Website Maintenance

- Jennifer updates news/announcements as needed
- Social media builds up community about the film festival
- Jennifer (if needed) can request Scott for future additions to the website

### August 5th: Event Day

First day of the Film Festival!

# **Technical Specifications:**

#### **Domain Names:**

- Brooklyfilmfestivals.com long standard website name. Dot com websites are easy to remember.
- Brooklynfilmfestivals.org usually used for non-profit organizations, .org not used much
- Bbpfilms.com short and sweet, easier to remember as an acronym, can be used as a hashtag for social media hits (#bbpfilms)

#### Color / Theme Branding:

- Greyscale background of the Brooklyn Bridge to show the festival's location and the bring an old school black and white film era feeling.
- White font on dark background to provide contrast and ease of readability and further reinforce the greyscale theme.
- Two different fonts for the text to provide additional contrast to the website.
  - 1. Roboto Regular via Google Fonts
  - 2. Raleway Regular via Google Fonts

### Social Media Suggestions:

#bbpfilms – as stated before, a shorter hashtag link will be easier to remember

#moviewithaview – site slogan / catchphrase. As the film festival is hosted a city park with the river and building lights as a backdrop

#brooklynfilms – as this is a city community event, this hashtag will bring citizens of Brooklyn and film lovers togther

#filmfestival – many festivals occur around the world, best to connect your community with the rest of the network

#outdoormovies – as most of the new generation spend their time indoor, putting an outdoor interest can pique viewers that need a new environment to enjoy movies

#### Search Engine Optimization:

This is optimizing a website's features to allow it to be most favorable when people search on search engines such as Google. For Google's algorithm this includes:

- Good content that is easy to read
- Keywords for SEO Top Page results relate to the website
- Make sure the links on the websites are related to the content and to a minimum
- Keep the repetition of similar content to a minimum