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Data Driven Decision Making

In November Destinations Wisconsin held their annual Fall Tourism Conference in Wisconsin Dells. Often described as the best 24-hour conference in tourism, the Discover Green Bay crew had many learning opportunities. In addition Discover Green Bay's VP of Digital Marketing and Communication partnered with our data vendor – Zartico to share a presentation on leveraging traveler insights provided on the platform to make critical marketing decisions.

To assist in this analysis, Zartico provided a free data visualization. The data collected tracked traveler movement patterns during home Packers game weekends on September 18 and October 2.



We gained many insights that will guide campaign messaging for our 2023 beyond game day campaign. Two of the most critical data points showed a rise in spending in outdoor recreation and golf in early-season games and a 52% increase in out of state travel.

This tells us that we should (and will) increase media buys in key out-of-state markets and leverage golf/outdoor recreation as reasons to extend your stay when visiting Green bay for a Packers experience.

Sales and Services Monthly Recap

Monthly Impact

November conventions and sporting events accounted for 5,150 room nights and an economic impact of \$3,900,388.

Notable Events

Wisconsin High School Forensics Association - Theater Festival

Wisconsin Wrestling Coaches Association Clinic

Wisconsin Restaurant Association – Restaurant Insights Summit

Wisconsin Sustainable Business Council 127th Infantry

WIAA State Volleyball Tournament Wisconsin Association for Home Health Care

Confirmed for Future

Wisconsin Rural Water Association – March, 2026 Great Lakes Fishery Commission – February, 2023 YMCA – GBSC Titletown Freeze – January, 2023 Performance Food Service – April, 2023 Wisconsin Swimming Association – February, 2023 United Deputy Wardens Association – July, 2023 Rotary Western Great Lakes – April, 2024 WIAA Girls Basketball Tournament – March, 2023



A Look Ahead

Throughout the year the U.S. Travel Association compiles a report on the tourism industry and shares short and long term travel predictions gathered from data analysis and surveying. The end of year report is always intriguing to see what we can look forward to in 2023. These are the top insights we found in the report.

Domestic Leisure

Hotel demand is back to pre-pandemic levels. ADR is 17% above 2019 and U.S. Travel expects that to continue into 2023.

The latest forecast projects that domestic leisure spending will be largely resistant to the expected recession, and will reach 104% of pre-pandemic levels by 2023.

Domestic Business

Domestic business travel spending is expected to grow (in inflation-adjusted terms) from 73% of 2019 levels in 2022 to 87% in 2023 and 92% in 2026.

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By The Numbers

A look[•]at milestones and progress toward goals that impact OUR community

AREA	October 2022				YEAR-TO-DATE				
	OCC %	% CHANGE	ADR	%CHANGE	OCC %	% CHANGE	ADR	% CHANGE	
GREEN BAY	63.1	7.1	\$154.97	7.3	57.2	11.3	\$122.51	17.6	
Wisconsin	61.0	8.0	\$126.26	6.1	57.4	13.7	\$125.78	10.3	
Milwaukee	60.0	9.7	\$124.60	5.5	58.7	17.7	\$123.58	13.0	
Madison	67.0	18.9	\$152.92	11.5	59.3	26.2	\$129.46	24.1	
Appleton/Oshkosh	63.2	10.0	\$113.36	8.1	58.2	15.8	\$110.20	14.7	
Door County	60.9	-0.0	\$130.06	0.7	57.6	3.6	\$130.17	2.9	
Eau Claire	60.0	2.3	\$101.80	4.6	55.3	12.3	\$102.90	9.8	
La Crosse	66.3	-13.7	\$122.37	10.2	64.7	12.3	\$106.38	10.4	
Wisconsin Dells	56.0	10.6	\$144.51	3.4	56.3	9.7	\$179.15	6.4	
Wausau/Stevens Point	57.9	11.4	\$102.19	13.3	53.5	21.0	\$101.18	16.3	

Most Recent Data from Smith Travel Research OCC = Hotel Occupancy A

ADR = Average Daily Rate

Sales	November	YTD 2022	% of Goal	2022 Goal	YTD 2021
Future Meetings & Events Sales					
Leads Future Room Nights from Leads	8 7201	126 80,203	114.5% 70.1%	110 114,400	121 85,632
Future Potential Economic Impact from Leads Confirmed Future Room Nights Confirmed Economic Impact	6,467,522 10891 7,023,168	\$54,410,871 127,945 \$102,489,240	52.8% 79.0% 106.7%	\$103,000,000 162,000 \$96,070,000	51,498,293 119,507 69,802,061
Motorcoach Sales	36	470	00.54	750	500
Sales Calls Marketing/Media	November	476 YTD 2022	63.5% % of Goal	750 2022 Goal	598 YTD 2021
Digital Marketing	November	110 2022	% or Goar	2022 0081	110 2021
Total Web Visitors Pageviews E-newsletter Database - New Subscribers Social Media Impressions Earned Media	48,469 115,229 658 161,728	506,822 1,120,877 1,089 10,566,530	92.1% 50.9% 14.5% 116.8%	550,000 2,200,000 7,500 9,050,000	539,043 2,054,075 2,252 6,182,274
Earned Media Pitches Tracked Stories Publicity Value	3 7 \$168.242	25 558 \$5.877,250.00	16.7% 159.4% 49.0%	150 350 \$12,000,000	600 78 \$1,267,212.00
Services	November	YTD 2022	% of Goal	2022 Goal	YTD 2021
Convention/Sports Services					
Events Serviced Online Housing Reservations	6 35	147 1,839	122.5% NA	120 N/A	93 1,405
Visitor Inquiries Destination Guide Mailings Brochure Distribution Mobie Visitor Center Events Days MVP Volunteer Hours	326 181 10,546 0 12	15.747 28.356 310,685 25 368	63.0% 87.2% 101.9% 83.3% NA	25,000 32,500 305,000 30 NA	19,543 31,610 306,109 14 254
Partnerships	November	YTD 2022	% of Goal	2022 Goal	YTD 2021
New Partners Renewing Partners Revenue	4 25 \$5,482.72	36 155 \$55,304.35	180.0% 64.6% 98.1%	20 240 \$56,400	12 176 \$59,937

What am I looking at here?!

TOP: STR REPORT - a dive into how Green Bay stacks up compared to fellow destinations in monthly and year to date occupancy rate and average daily rate. *NOTE: DGB does not receive the STR report until mid-month. It will be a month behind the rest of this report.*

BOTTOM LEFT: MONTHLY REPORT - A snapshot on progress

toward Discover Green Bay's sales and marketing goals compared to previous year.

BOTTOM RIGHT: VISITOR DATA - TOP: Top visitor origin market & their percent of total visitor spend. BOTTOM: Top visited points of interest by percentage.



