# WELCOME TO THE TOURISM DAY SUMMITAL



Kalahari Resorts & Conventions Wednesday, May 4, 2022

# **AGENDA**





# Tourism Day.....Quick Updates

# **Program Launches**

- Providing Member Value and Support
- Community Calendar.....for all Four Counties
- Great New Products Great Wolf Lodge Camelback
- New Dashboard for Members as well as Stakeholders
- Recruitment Campaigns Job Board
- Locals Campaign Mining the Poconos and Surrounding Counties for Local Business
- Member Survey Please Complete
- Internship Programs College and HS Partners
- Reordering Meeting and Convention Sales FAMS
- Board Strategic Plan Initiatives Ongoing



### We Need Your Assistance

- Market Forecasting and Program Implementation
- Is an Economic Slowdown on the Horizon?
- The Pocono Promise....what direction do we want to take it in?
- Markets to Spend Advertising Dollars Within The Data
- PTN Promotion and Content Development.....Storytelling
- PTN Live Broadcasts
- Developing a Mission/Intent Statement
- Data Analytics and it's Growing Role in our Industry
- VR and AI



# **Google Analytics Changes: Important Update**

- As of July 1, 2023, Google will no longer be using Universal Analytics (UA)
- You will still be able to use Google UA for historical archived data purposes
- It is recommended that you activate a Google G4 Analytic account by July 1, 2022, if you haven't already
- If you activate G4 by July 1, 2022, this will ensure you have a year of historical data to populate the new platform
  - Prepare stakeholders
  - G4 will be focusing on Users rather than Sessions
  - This is a different Engagement metric then currently found on UA
  - Possible shifts in channel attribution
  - Now is a great time to review/audit your reporting data
  - Every web report provides tables that no one looks at





Date	March 2022	STR: Pocono Mountains+		AirDNA: Combined Counties		% Change YOY Chang	la .					
Hotel Properties						Short Term Rental Properties						
Occu	ipancy	ADR	RevPAR	Supply	Room Nights	Room Revenue	Occupancy	ADR	Rev Par	Supply	Room Nights	Room Revenue
55	.3%	\$253.82	\$140.24	248.1K	137.1K	\$34.8M	38.6%	\$401.82	\$154.98	144.1K	55.6K	\$22.3M
Y	OY	YOY	YOY	YOY	YOY	YOY	YOY	YOY	YOY	YOY	YOY	YOY
▼ -	1.2%	<b>▲</b> 4.2%	▲ 2.9%	▲ 0.0%	▼ -1.2%	▲ 2.9%	▼-29.0%	<b>▲</b> 5.5%	▼ -23.7%	▼ -7.5%	<b>▲</b> 28.6%	▼ -4.8%

#### Insights

March 2022 Key takeaways

- March hotel performance for the Pocono Mountains region room nights grew to 137.1K total rooms sold, down 1.2% YOY. Short term rental demand for the Combined Counties region was 55.6K nights, up 28.6% YOY.
- Hotel occupancy for March was 55.3%, down 1.2% YOY and ranked fourth among comp set locations, with Lehigh leading hotel occupancy at 72%.
- Facebook impressions for March 2022 were 6.2M, down 12% MOM but up 4.7% YOY. Engagements were 201K, and were 3.
- Organic web sessions in March fell 27.8% MOM to 154.6K sessions, down 24.8% from session levels one year ago. 68.2% of users listed as organic sessions were new users, with the top landing pages the homepage (8.4%) and "All Inclusive Resorts" (2.9%).
- Leisure and hospitality jobs grew 2.1% from February, and were up 8.4% from job levels one year ago. The stagnation of leisure and hospitality jobs relative to 2019 continued, down 1 ppt from last month, now -16%.

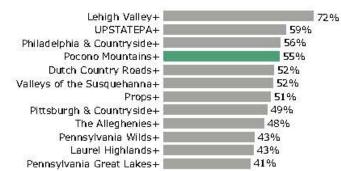
#### Hotels: Occupancy (%)

Occupancy (%)

March 2022

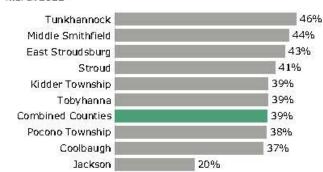
Current Year

1 Year Ago



#### Short Term Rentals: Occupancy (%)

March 2022



#### **Key Metrics**

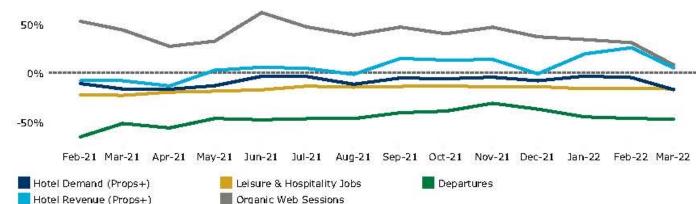
March 2022 Employment trends and leading indicators for travel

\* BLS job numbers for Scranton-Wilkes Barre-Hazleton



#### Recovery Indicators

% change relative to same month in 2019





Date March 2022

#### March 2022

14.3K

TSA Throughput at Wilkes Barre/Scranton International

▼ -46.6%

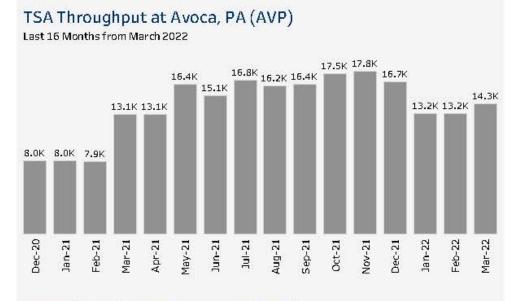
TSA Throughput Versus 2019

19.3K

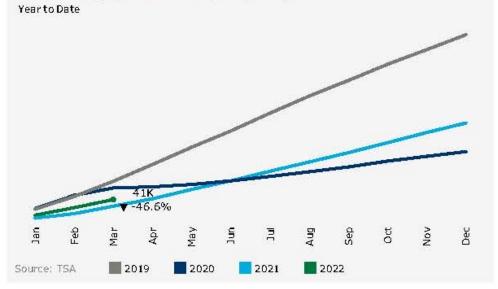
Leisure and Hospitality Jobs in Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton, PA

▼ -15.7%

Leisure and Hospitality Jobs Versus 2019 Airport in: Avoca, PA

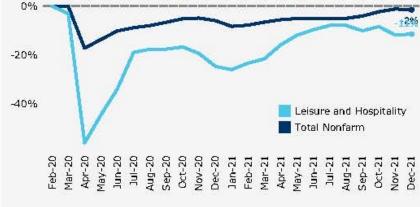


#### TSA Throughput at Avoca, PA (AVP)



#### Job Losses Since Feb-20

Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton, PA, % difference compared to Feb-20



Source: BLS

#### Air Travel Bookings

% change in bookings made in March 2022, relative to 2019

Allentown/Bethlehem/Easton (ABE), -36.4%

New Jersey (All Airports), -83.7%

New York (All Airports), -36.8% New York (EWR), -31.4%

Pennsylvania (All Airports), -37.7%

Philadelphia (PHL), -35.5%

USA (All Airports), -33.3%

Wilkes-Barre/Scranton (AVP), -55.0%

Source: OAG

#### Detailed Report (Rolling 12 Months) as of 01-May-22

Website View: https://www.poconomountains.com/





5.99M

Total Sessions (▲5.3%) v Prior 12 mo.



13.91M

Total Page Views (▲0.3%) v Prior 12 mo.



192 sec

Avg Session Duration (▼5.2%) v Prior 12 mo.



44%

Bounce Rate (▼1.0%) v Prior 12 mo.

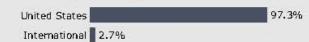
#### User Count by User Type



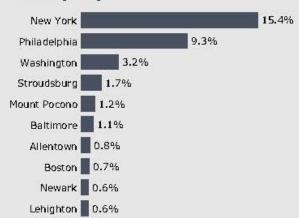
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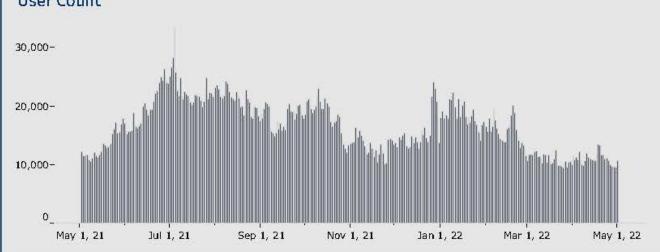
#### User Count by Country



#### **User Count by City**



#### User Count



Select Date Ranges: Rolling 12 Months

"As Of" Date CL-May-22

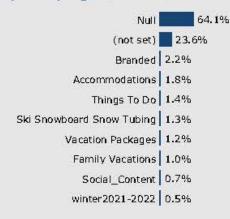
Channel Grouping Name

Measure User Count

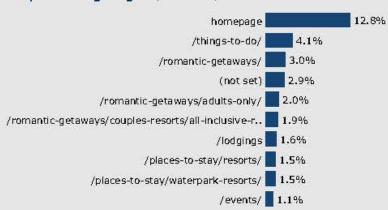
#### Top Referrals (User



#### Top Campaigns (User Count)



#### Top Landing Pages (User Count)



Source: Google Analytics

#### Facebook Trends



