

Bozzuto Social Media Initiative (BSMI)

Managers Summit – June 10th 2010





Why? The BSMI Goals

1. Generate leads

2. Brand awareness

3. Embrace technology

4. Increase resident retention

5. Listen to our customers





Who Uses Social Media?

In 2009: 61% of Gen X (27-43) & 46% of Boomers (44-62)

Source: Deloitte, "State of the Media Democracy Fourth Edition. Select US Highlights," provided to eMarketer, December 15, 2009.

Which networks are people using?

	facebook	B	Linked in
Generation Y	65%	14%	9%
Generation X	76%	18%	13%
Boomers	73%	13%	13%







Who Uses Facebook?

103,085,520 Total users in the US

Of these: 43% male &54% female

31% are college alumni

29% of Facebook users are 35-54





Who Uses Twitter?

2009 18 million adult Twitter users

201026 million projected adult Twitter users

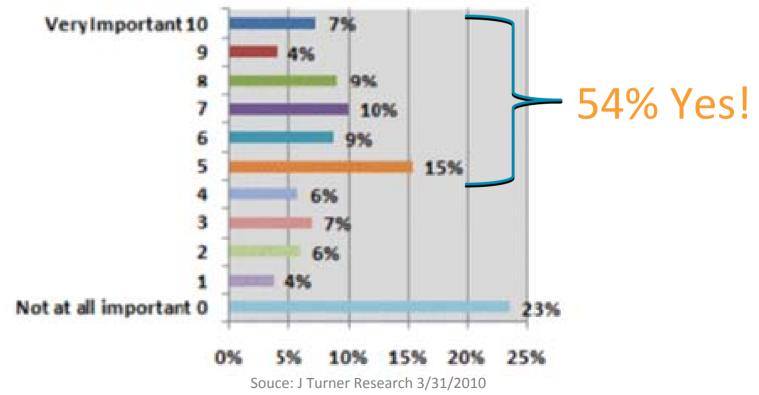


201132 million projected adult Twitter users





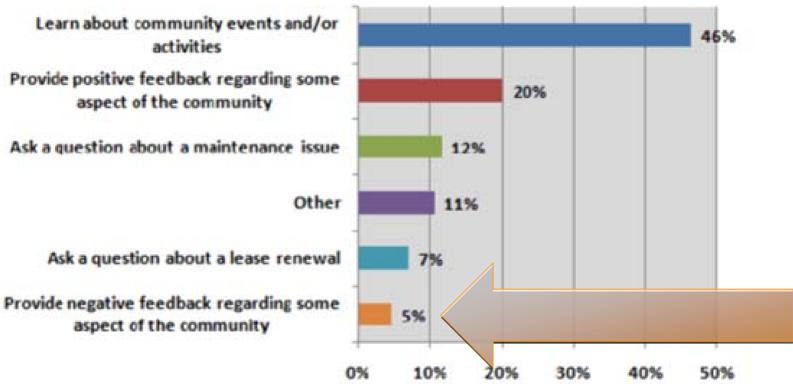
How important is a apartment community's social networking page for communication?







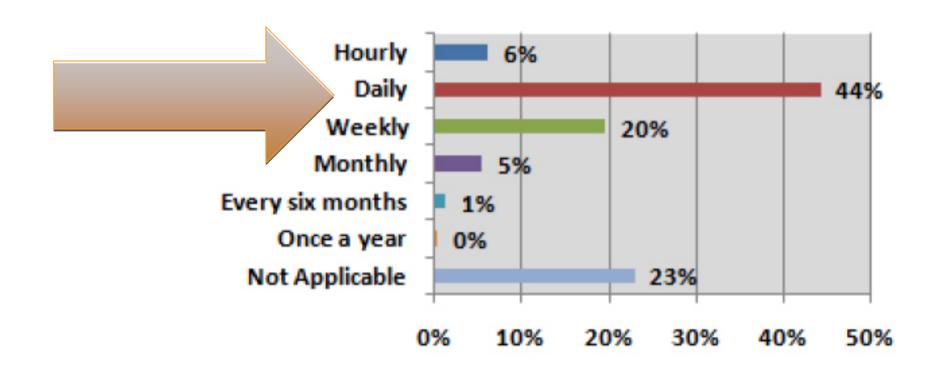
Which of the following have you engaged on a propery's social networking page?







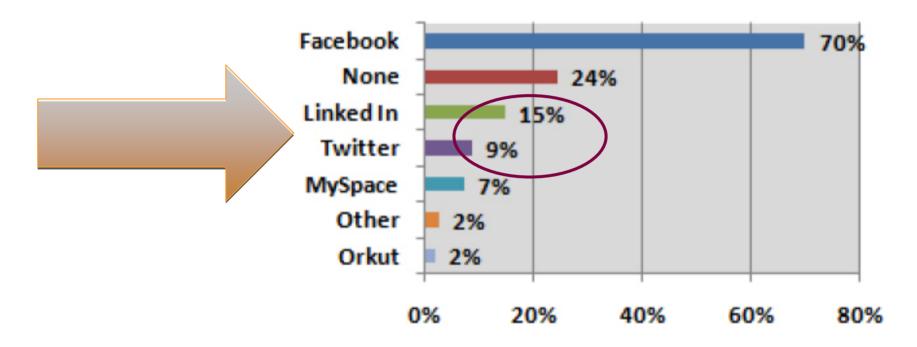
How frequently do you use social networking?







Which social networking websites do you use?

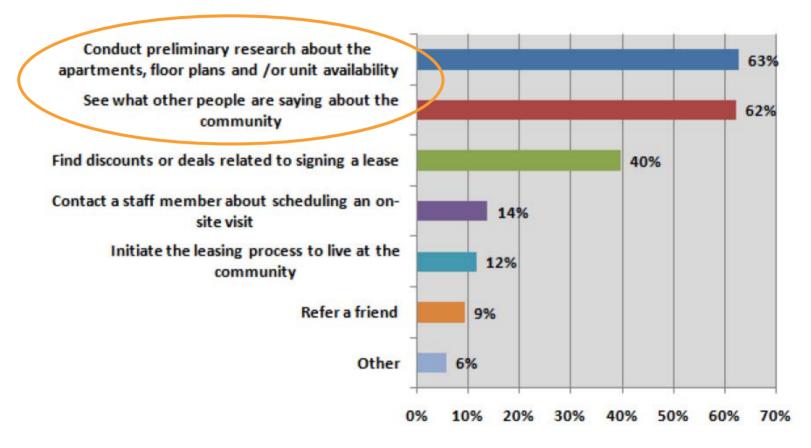






What About Prospects?

Why do you visit apartment social pages?

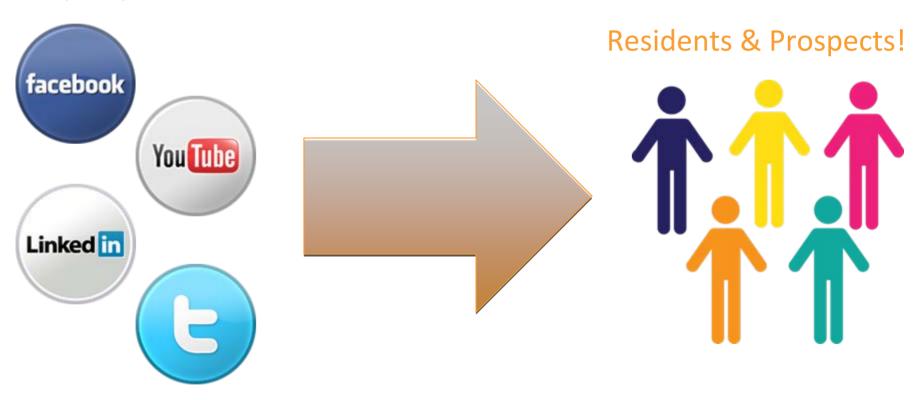






What Is BSMI?

Property's Social Media









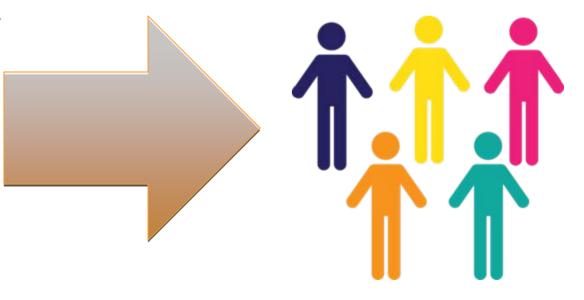
Property Fan Pages

Online communities

•Communicate with staff and other residents

What's happening on and around property

Creates "buzz" about the property Residents & Prospects!









Replicate our successes

Resident Appreciation – Identify brand evangelists



220 Twentieth Street Hey 220 Residents- I hope you remember that today is 220 Twentieth Street Residents Appreciation Day! Stop by Noodles and Company for your free dinner tonight!!!

March 29 at 1:49pm · Comment · Like





Suzanne Pleau Kinnison Thanks for dinner! I had to work late and didn't want to cook!

March 29 at 6:45pm



Mike Keck How did I manage to miss out on this one! April 1 at 1:55pm







Replicate our successes

Residents Make Their Own Events



Ysabella Chen Dear Riverhouse neighbours:

I am a resident at Ashley building. Several friends and I who live in Riverhouse are planning to have a "Good Neighbour" Happy Hour on Friday, April 23. We cordially invite you to join us. We hope the Happy Hour will bring us opportunities to get to know each other, build up friendship and sh...

See More

April 21 at 8: 39pm · Comment · Like · Flag







Replicate our successes

Fabulous Property Events!



West End 25 Apartments http://www.facebook.com/album.php?aid=17 7348&id=138673616699



Art Soiree @ WestEnd25 Grand Opening

By: Art Soiree Photos: 89



May 7 at 12:05pm · Comment · Like







Twitter





Cocktail Party





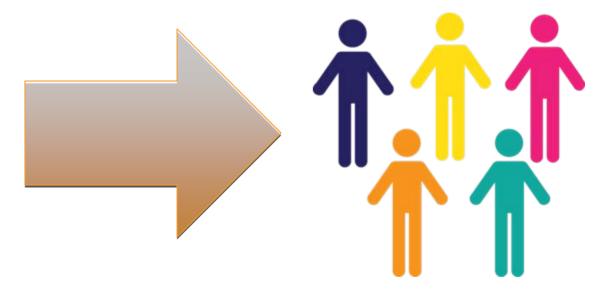




Property Twitter Profiles

- •Separate channel from Facebook
- •Easy for property to connect with people, groups &businesses
- Generating new leads and spreading a property's brand name

Residents & Prospects!







Twitter Secrets...Revealed!

- It's not really about what you are doing or what you had for breakfast
- It's not even really about Twitter
- It's about people having conversations with other people





Twitter Basics: Getting the Lingo







140 Characters



One Hundred & Forty Characters





Tweet

Inside peek: the @LiveFitzgerald glass bridge is nearing completion! #artinprogress http://twitpic.com/1003g6 11:48 AM May 17th via Twitpic Reply 13 Retweet LiveFitzgerald Fitzgerald Baltimore







Twitter Process



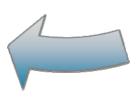
Listen

Identify





Measure



Engage







Leverage open conversation

Sweepstakes Brings New Friends!



/9aTPms

7:09 AM Mar 8th via Facebook

@NY_Sports_Rich we'll keep our fingers crossed! The #DMV definitely has a lot to offer.

12:20 PM Feb 19th via HootSuite in reply to NY_Sports_Rich

@NY_Sports_Rich thank you for the #FF recommendation, and thanks for entering our sweepstakes! Congratulations.

12:04 PM Feb 19th via HootSuite in reply to NY_Sports_Rich

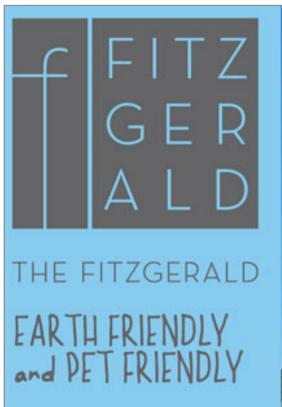






Leverage open conversation

Local Events & Property Updates



RT @marylandzoo: Retweet this to win 2 free "Brew at the Zoo" tickets. We will pick 1 random RT at 4pm today 5-26-10 http://ow.ly/1QbVh

9:28 AM May 26th via HootSuite

Totally impressed by these 'Strategic Plan' posters from Baltimore Print Studios (@baltimoreprints)! http://bit.ly/bWcyvn #locallove

10:54 AM May 25th via HootSuite

RT @matthewpugh @downtowndiane: Lo Bosworth will be partying at @MOSAlCbaltimore this Sat http://tinyurl.com/24tmzxt #Baltimore #thehills

12:04 PM May 24th via HootSuite

Such a fun museum & a steal of a deal! RT @GrouponBWI \$7 Admission to the @TheAVAM Plus 10% Off at the Gift Shop http://bit.ly/bjwYGc

11:31 AM May 24th via web

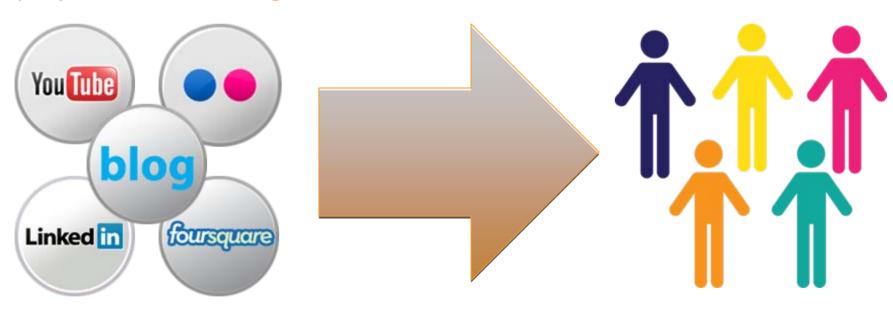




Other Online Channels

For even further online reach, properties can leverage:

Residents & Prospects!







How Are We Going To Make This Happen?





Introducing...





Bozzuto's

Brand Champion







The Link Between Social Media & Sales!

Property's Social Media

Champion

New Residents!

Linked in





Primary Objective: Build Trust







Primary Objective: Build Community







Each Property Has A Branch Champion



Brand Champion Goals

 Build brand awareness of properties online and offline

Get people to visit the property (lead generation)

Create community around property





Brand Champion Goals

 Listen - Learn - Respond to what people are saying (or not saying)

Create active communication channel with residents

 Create useful resource for community and residents





Brand Champion Responsibilities

Train Property Staff

Respond to Prospects & Residents

Manage Property Accounts

Report & Handle Service Issues

Monitor Activity & Reporting





Daily Responsibilities

BC = Day-to-day profile management & tweets



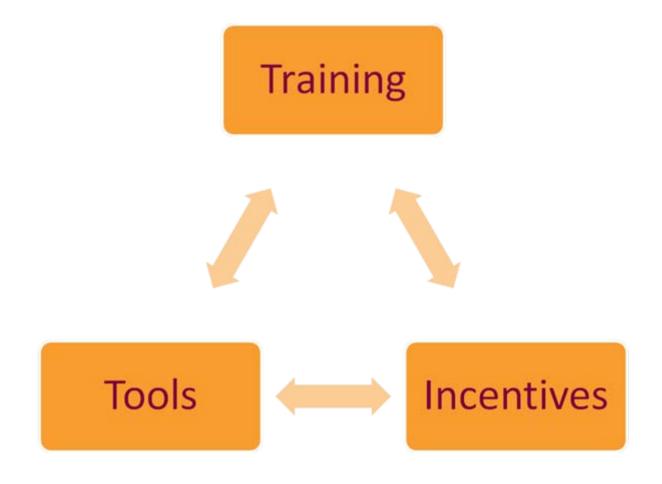
PM = Monitoring







Brand Champion Support







Brand Champion

Kick-Off Full Day Interactive Training



Bozzuto Social Media Guidebook & Reference Materials



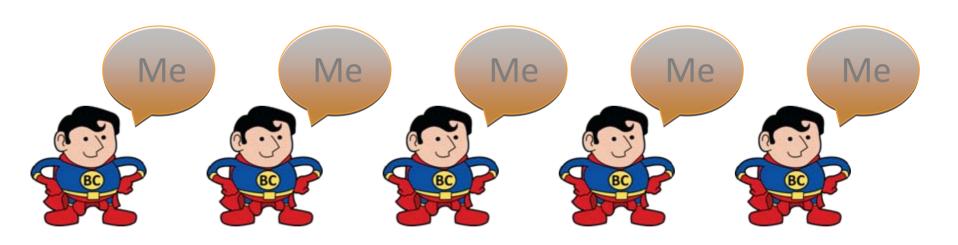
Ongoing Training
Sessions and
Education





Training Brand Champion - Don'ts

Make updates solely about the property...







Brand Champion - Don'ts

Focusing on quantity of fans and followers, not quality...

I have 10,000 followers



Not useful

I have only 150, but I have interacted with *all* of them







Brand Champion - Don'ts

Auto-tweeting from Facebook page

From Facebook only

http://bit.ly/aC60fA

1:56 PM May 28th via Facebook

I posted 4 photos on Facebook in the album "Future Home of Barn Light Electric" http://bit.ly/bFJ0pp

9:13 AM May 28th via Facebook

http://bit.ly/bDS14Q

1:03 PM May 27th via Facebook

~ If you're a follower of Remodelista you would have noticed this blog post pop up yesterday! Check out the super... http://bit.ly/cWmmCm

6:26 AM May 27th via Facebook

Boring links

http://bit.ly/bMlyWX

6:24 AM May 27th via Facebook

http://bit.ly/b4KGRE

1:23 PM May 26th via Facebook





Brand Champion - Don'ts

Waiting too long to answer a tweet or page comment

I really, really cant understand why @UnitedAirlines does EVERYTHING wrong. Can't check-in online. Can't find my itinerary.

about 18 hours ago via TweetDeck



rdublife









RT @evansjourney:
@UnitedAirlines just wanted to say
again, THX for awesome customer
service over the weekend. Writing
a thx u letter to

about 5 hours ago via web

First Class Sale! Planning a trip this summer? Fly up front with United's first class sale! See details @ http://tinyurl.com/34dnnd9

12:42 PM May 28th via web

@ScottABCNews Check out the Public Art program. Features 26 works by 30 artists - sculptures, murals, installations throughout DIA!

10:42 AM May 28th via web in reply to ScottABCNews





Training Brand Champion - Don'ts

Make fans/followers do too much work...

To enter our contest, you must write a 6,000 word essay and then email it, tweet it, post it on your Facebook and add it to yourLinkedin...



..oh and it has to rhyme and be written in jambic pentameter...





Bozzuto Social Media Standards

- Don't post photos of Bozzuto employees with alcohol in hand
- Don't use slang or profanity in any postings
- Minimum of 3 updates per week
- Maximum of 1 update per day





Bozzuto Social Media Standards

- Don't delete negative comments unless they are harmful or inflammatory
- Don't post pricing specials
- Avoid religious terms and links in updates and posts





Bozzuto Social Media Standards

- Avoid links, updates and posts about social commentary, politics and controversial topics
- Respond to all comments positive and negative
- When in doubt, don't post escalate to PM, regional manager and Lauren





Brand Champion

Hootsuite

- 1. Evaluated 25+ social media management tools
- 2. Web based can access from any computer
- 3. Adopted by major brands









msnbc.com



























Brand Champion

Hootsuite

- 1. Team workflow manage multiple users
- 2. Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, Foursquare and more
- 3. Schedule updates and tweets
- 4. Brand monitoring who's talking about us?
- 5. Track statistics clicks and visualizations
- 6. iPhone app and Blackberry coming soon







Brand Champion

- 1. All property Facebook fan pages, Twitter profiles and related accounts already setup.
- 2. HootSuite for daily messaging, management and tracking.

Nancy Goldsmith Portfolio	
Donna Sturdivant	
Henderson House	
Lodge at Seven Oaks	
Towson Woods	
The Zenith	
The Fitzgerald	





Incentives

Brand Champion

Monthly top BCs in sales reports



Add BC title on business cards and signature



BCs of the year



Additional ongoing training with expert staff





Brand Champion Selection

We're looking for:

- •Current users of Facebook, Twitter and any other social media network for at least 1 year.
- •Robust personal fan pages, Twitter profiles, LI accounts, Foursquare activity a plus.





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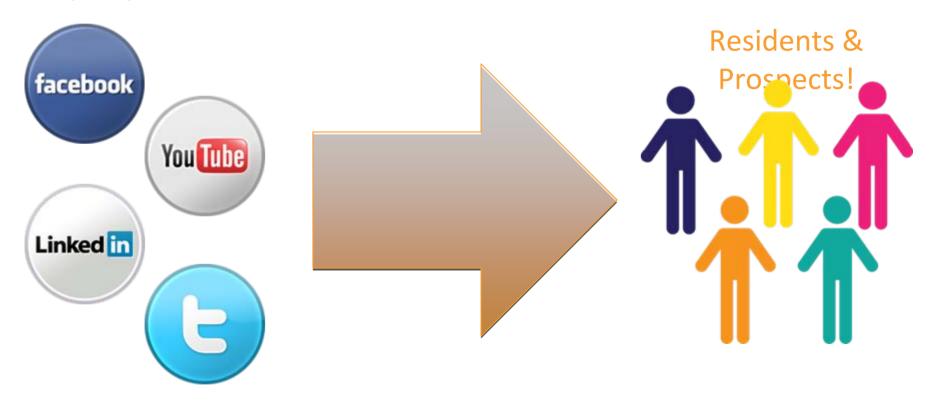
- •Direct experience managing a property (or business) fan page or social media networks a double plus
- •Folks who LOVE social media and LOVE talking with residents and prospects
- Excellent spelling and grammar





Remember...It's About Getting New Leads Online

Property's Social Media

















Thank You!



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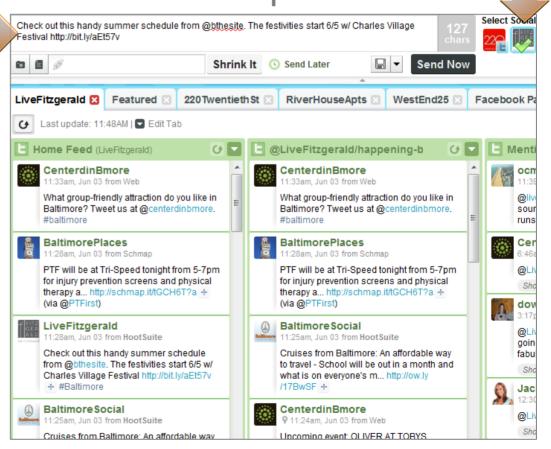




HootSuite

Select property profile

Tweet from here

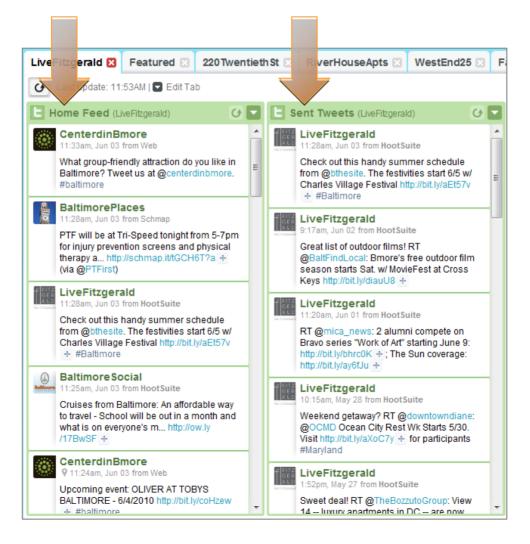






HootSuite

View home feed View sent Tweets







HootSuite

See @ replies

& conversations

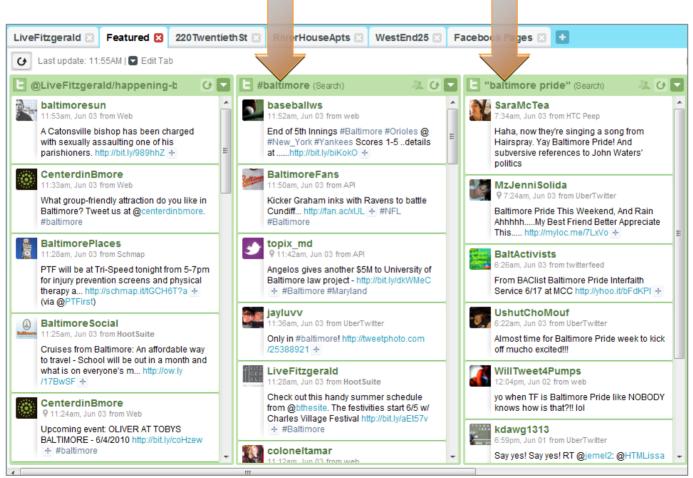






HootSuite

Setup search columns for key terms



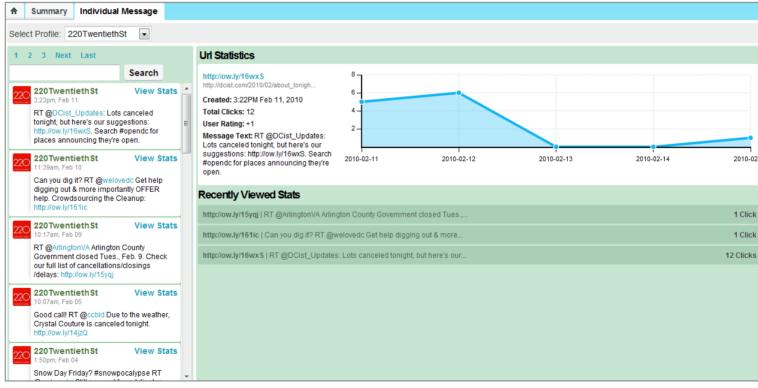




HootSuite

View clicks for individual messages



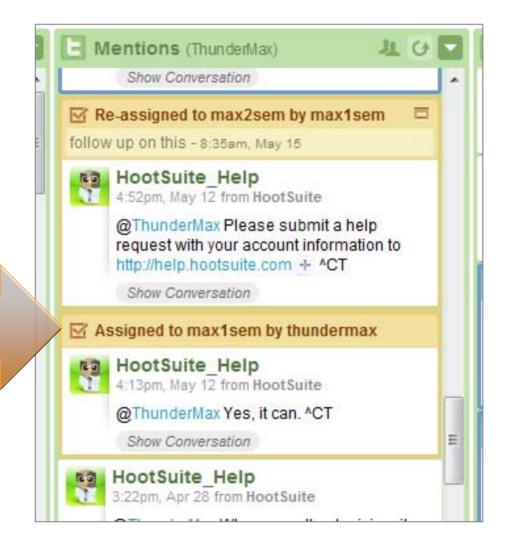






HootSuite

Assign tweets to team members







HootSuite

See when team member has responded

