The 7 Short-Cut Secrets to Doubling Gym Membership & Increasing Sales

Secret #1 – Having a social media "profile" isn't enough...how to really use social media

- 1. Set S.M.A.R.T. Goals
- 2. Engage with followers and create a company voice
- 3. Deliver value!
- 4. It's about quality followers, not quantity

Secret #2 – The secret to Facebook ads...and why yours aren't working

- 3 Things that determine Facebook ad success: (1) Audience (2) Offer (with a Call to Action (3) Headline
- 3 Types of social media headlines that will skyrocket clicks: (1) the threat (2) benefit & promise (3) social proof / credibility

Secret #3 – The best way to get new members and how to use it most effectively

People are 4X more likely to buy when referred by a friend.

- Earn referrals have a gym worth talking about
- Ask for referrals
- Recognize and Reward members who refer.
- Use social media
- Make strategic partnerships (with your doctor!)

Secret #4 – Don't sell a gym membership on the first contact – do this instead

COLLECT EMAILS!

Rule of 7

"A prospect needs to
"hear" the advertiser's
message at least 7 times
before they'll take action to
buy."
-Kathi Kruse

Secret #5 – When and how to use direct mail

40/40/20 Rule – Direct Mail success depends 40% on the list, 40% on the offer, and 20% on the creative

Stand out, be different, test everything.

Secret #6 – The list can determine success or failure

Marketing Commandment #1 – Know Thy Prospect.

Target person 2, unhappy with their current gym and looking for a new one, and person 3, doesn't have a gym memberships but wants one.

Secret #7 – Your online order form can make or break the sale

- 1. Sugar Coat Things
- 2. Use Magic Number 7 in the price
- 3. Start your order form with "Yes!"
- 4. Make it easy and professional
- 5. Reassure them along the way.

Bonus Secret – 3 Mistakes killing your gym business

#1 Inadequate Promotions and Marketing

#2 No Online Presence

#3 Crappy / Non-existent Follow Up System

"80% of sales are made on the 5th-12th contact. Follow up."

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