| 2 Event Concept | |
|---|---------------------------|
| ☐ The reason WHY | |
| ☐ The PURPOSE | |
| ☐ The TIMING | |
| ☐ The event THEME excites everyone on the committee. | |
| 3 Event Feasibility | · |
| ☐ The VENUE/SITE will meet our needs. | Consequences |
| ☐ The EVENT COMMITTEE and portfolio managers are on-board. | |
| ☐ All necessary APPROVALS and authorisations can be obtained. | |
| ☐ All the major INFRASTRUCTURE can be sourced. | |
| ☐ The PROMOTION & SPONSORSHIP plan has been approved. | |
| ☐ The PLANNING BUDGET has been approved by the events committee . | |
| ☐ The EVENT BRIEF has been approved by the event committee. | P |
| ☐ I have been given the GREEN LIGHT by the event committee to plan and in | mplement the event. |
| 4 Event Plan | |
| ☐ A SITE PLAN has been created. | 52 |
| ☐ The PEOPLE MOVEMENT PLAN has been created. | |
| ☐ All necessary APPROVALS have been applied for and application forms a | ittached. |
| ☐ The DEALS LIST has been approved by the Events Committee. | 52 |
| ☐ An INFRASTRUCTURE & EQUIPMENT list has been created. | |
| ☐ The PROMOTION & SPONSORSHIP updated and finalised. | |
| ☐ A VOLUNTEER MANAGEMENT PLAN has been created. | |
| ☐ EVENT INSURANCE has been secured. | |
| ☐ An event TIMELINE has been created | DO YOU HAVE ENOUGH TIME ? |
| ☐ The planning budget updated to become the EVENT BUDGET. | DO YOU HAVE ENOUGH MONEY? |
| 5 On The Day | |
| ☐ A DISASTER MANAGEMENT PLAN has been created. | |
| ☐ The COMMUNICATION PLAN has been created. | |
| ☐ A MINUTE BY MINUTE has been created. | |
| 6 Event Post Mortem | |
| ☐ The EVENT POST-MORTEM has been Conducted. | |



This workbook will lead you through the steps needed to crystallise your concept by examining

- WHY your organisation wants to run an event.
- What is the PURPOSE of the event.
- What is the best TIMING for the event
- What are the FINANCIAL expectations of the event.
- What is the THEME of the event

The event concept will allow the organising committee to come to a clear understanding of the event they wish to run and to allow an examination of the event feasibility.



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| It sounds like such a simple thing, but if you are struggling to come up with answer to the sations constitution". | e question, "WHY are we running this |
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| EG: Promote the Club, Membership Drive, Raise Funds, end of year celebration. | |
| Purpose | |
| The purpose is a bit more specific than the WHY. Purpose can sometimes be a target and ning an event. If there are more than one list them in priority order. | their can be several purposes for run- |
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| EG: "Raise \$3,000 to paint the clubhouse", "Get 20 new members", "Promote the club the "To keep all costs for the event under \$3,000", "To offer our existing members a fun day dark family fun". "To be a model for 'GREEN' events by only using recyclable products | out", "To reclaim the park for after |
| Budget | |
| The total of all costs associated with the event should not exceed: (This represents the amount of money that could potentially be at RISK if something catastrophic happens and no costs can be recouped.) | Total RISK |
| The committee requires this much profit, OR | Profit |
| The committee will subsides the event by this amount | Subsidy |

| event" then you may benefit from a committee brainstorm or consulting the "Objects or Objectives section of the organi- | |
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| Timing | |
| Based on previous experience it will take months to organise the event. | ınl |
| Given the other commitments of the club and competing events these are three possible dates for the event | 3 |
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Opera Under the Stars

- 2. Wearable Arts Festival
- 3. Motor Fest
- 4. Bay to Town Fun Run
- 5. Craft Fair and Expo
- 6. Country Music Muster
- 7. Alice in Wonderland Festival
- 8. Never Never Festival
- 9. Brass in the Grass Concert
- 10. Beer Can Regatta
- 11. Teddy Bears Picnic
- 12. Desert Harmony Festival
- 13. Kites for Kids Festival
- 14. Kidsfest
- 15. Sea Fest
- 16. Children's Character Festival
- 17. Country Fare
- 18. Wild Foods Festival
- 19. Good Food and Wine Show
- 20. Wool, Wine and Wheat Show
- 21. Sculpture by the Sea
- 22. Mind, Body and Spirit Festival
- 23. Combined Churches Children's Brunch
- 24. Un Wined Festival
- 25. Festival of Gardens
- 26. Springfest
- 27. Seduction by Tastebuds
- 28. Light Up Christmas Carnival
- 29. Australia Day Celebrations
- 30. Vintage Farming Field Day
- 31. Cool Music + Kites
- 32. Feel Good Festival
- 33. Dreams of the Bay Exhibition
- 34. Festival of Country Gardens
- 35. Fatherhood Festival
- 36. Iron Kids Triathlon
- 37. Fire and Ice Festival
- 38. Festival of Magic
- 39. Healthy Life Expo
- 40. Home and Gardens Inspiration
- 41. Hot Sauce and Fiery Foods Festival
- 42. Tales at Dusk
- 43. Fairness in the Park
- 44. Grand Kids Day
- 45. Philosophy, Science and Theology Festival
- 46. Drive Back In Time Festival
- 47. Elvis Revival Festival
- 48. It's a Dad Thing
- 49. Blessing of the Harvest Festival
- 50. Blessing of the Fleet
- 51. Dirt and Dust Festival
- 52. Heritage Farming Weekend
- 53. Good Vibrations Festival
- 54. Taste the Harvest
- 55. Midsummer Feast
- 56. Multi Cultural / International Festival
- 57. Envirofest
- 58. Harmony Day Celebration
- 59. A Jazzy Lunch
- 60. Little Hands Children Festival
- 61. Mad Hatters Morning Tea / Festival
- 62. Sun Dance Festival

- 63. VegFest: Festival for Vegetarians
- 64. Food on a Stick Festival
- 65. All Organic Festival
- 66. Lunar Film Festival
- 67. BookFest: Writer's and Reader's Festival
- 68. Flowers Festival
- 69. Jazz & Heritage Festival
- 70. 2 Hot 2 Handle
- 71. Adventure & Wilderness Festival
- 72. Buskers by the Bay
- 73. Jailhouse Rock Festival
- 74. Grape Expectations Festival
- 75. Coast to Coast Foot Race
- 76. Ute Muster
- 77. Dive and Surf Festival
- 78. Seaside Song and Dance Carnival
- 79. Palate of Passions
- 80. Festival of Romance
- 81. Kids festival and Youthopia
- 82. Festival of Disability Arts & Culture
- 83. IMAGE-in: A photography and Imaging Festival
- 84. Drive Back in Time Festival
- 85. Idea Festival
- 86. Beertopia
- 87. Motorcycle Spectacular
- 88. Beaut Ute Festival
- 89. Words in Winter
- 90. Book-a-rama
- 91. Feral Food Festival
- 92. Annual Town Garage Sale
- 93. WETA (We Encourage the Arts) Festival
- 94. Sea, Sky and Bushwalk event
- 95. Fringe Festival
- 96. Tastes of the Neighbourhoods
- 97. WOW Festival
- 98. Festival of Body Arts
- 99. Winter Solstice Fire Festival
- 100. Midwinter Carnival
- 101. Fine Food & Wine Festival
- 102. Riverfest
- 103. Spring Time on the Mountain
- 104. Jazz and Blues Festival
- 105. Old Wheels in Motion
- 106. Festival of Cultures 107. Victoria Week
- 108. Bloomin Tulips Festival
- 109. 50's Festival
- 110. Medieval Fayre and Tourney
- 111. Garden Designfest
- 112. Cruelty Free Living Festival
- 113. World Buskers Festival
- 114. Rock 'n' Roll Festival
- 115. Fella Festival
- 116. Awesome Festival
- 117. Festival of Wind
- 118. Man from Snowy River Bush Festival
- 119. Festival of Funk
- 120. Art is Everywhere Festival
- 121. Wine and Fine Living Festival
- 122. Baby Boomers and Country Living Festival
- 123. Breakfast with the Birds
- 124. Beer Can Regatta



This workbook will lead you through the steps needed to assess the feasibility of your event by addressing:

- Venue/Site
- Event Committee Structure
- Legal Approvals and Licences
- Infrastructure and Equipment
- Promotion
- Sponsorship
- Planning Budget

Completing this workbook will create the EVENT BRIEF for submission to the Event Committee.

When the Event Committee consider the Event Brief they will be required to give the GREEN LIGHT before the event can be progressed to detailed planning.

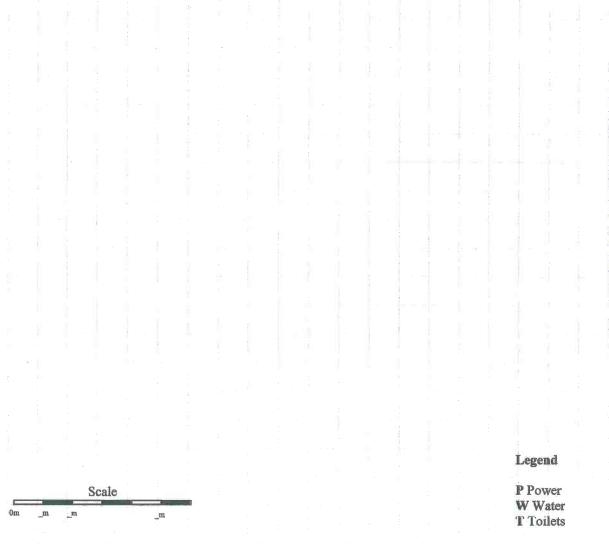
Venue Plan

Ask the Building Manager or your Council as they may have a plan of the site you could use.

Draw a rough plan of the site or a floor plan of the building you intend to use. Mark on the plan the following:

- Power Points
- Water Points
- Toilets

- BBQ's
- Overhead power lines
- Parking
- Pedestrian access
- Vehicle access
- Emergency Vehicle access
- Existing pathways
- Areas that may get boggy when wet
- Any hazards
- Environmentally sensitive areas



For outdoor events don't make your crowd face the rising or setting sun when they are watching a stage. Separate your Front of House (where the public are) from your Back of House (where public are not allowed). Consider the neighbours when positioning your stages or sideshows.

You can also access maps from



just type in the address of your venue and 'zoom in'.

Is the Venue/Site suitable for the type of event you plan to run?



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Committee Portfolios

Organising an event is a group effort, map out here how you are going to structure the organising committee

Choose the portfolios that suite your event, a portfolio may be assigned to one person or a sub-committee depending on how complex it is):

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(to gain, train and retain all the volunteers needed for the event)

Finances

(to manage the budget and pay all bills and manage petty cash)

Venue "Bump In" and "Bump Out"

(to set up the venue, infrastructure & equipment and disassemble the venue)

Merchandise

(to sources, sell and account for all merchandise)

Entertainment & Program

(to source, programme and organise)

Approvals

(to ensure that all approvals are sought from police, council etc and to liaise with these agencies) (to organise VIP's and look after them on the day)

V.I.P.'s **Event Plan**

(the Event Manager should always keep charge of developing and managing the event plan)

Transport

(to move events staff, equipment, VIP's and goods from place to place during the event)

Are there sufficient people and skills on the committee to organise and implement the event?







Does the budget exist to 'BUY IN" any skills that are lacking?

Approvals and Permits

| Temporary Food Permit Contact Person | (See the Health Department at your local Con Number | uncil) |
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| How Much does it Cost | How long does it take to i | ssue? |
| Temporary Road Closure Contact Person | (Police, Department of Main Roads and Co Number | uncil) |
| ☐ Needed? | | |
| How Much does it Cost | How long does it take to i | ssue? |
| Raffles (Office of Liquor Ga | ming & Racing, ask about The Charitable and Non-Profit Gaming Act | 1000) |
| Contact Person | Number | , |
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| How Much does it Cost | How long does it take to it | ssue ? |
| Alcohol Sales Contact Person | (Office of Liquor Gaming & Racing, also chat to Con Number | uncil) |
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| Fireworks Contact Person | (Only use Licensed Contractors see Dept Mines & Energy for Number | a list) |
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| How Much does it Cost | How long does it take to it | ssue? |
| Boats & Waterways Contact Person | (Try Department of Transport or Maritime Safety Queens Number | sland) |
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| ☐ Needed? How Much does it Cost | How long does it take to it | ssue? |
| Use of Park Contact Person | (see Local Co | uncil) |
| □ Needed? | | |
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| Performance or projection of co Contact Person | pyright material (see http://www.apra-amcos.co Number | m.au) |
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| □ Notify Insurance Con Contact Person | apany (let your insurance con Number | npany know what you are doing) |
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| Notify Fire Brigade Contact Person | (Particularly if you are putting up a big tent as there Number | e may be special requirements) |
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| How Much does it Cost | | How long does it take to issue? |
| Police | | |
| Contact Person | Number | |
| □ Needed? | | |
| How Much does it Cost | | How long does it take to issue? |
| Notify Neighbours Contact Person | (Some Councils may require a letter Box drop to neighbor) Number | hbouring homes if event is noisy) |
| □ Needed? | | |
| How Much does it Cost | | How long does it take to issue? |
| Notify Taxi Company Contact Person | (licensed events can requ Number | uire extra taxi's at closing time) |
| □ Needed? | | |
| How Much does it Cost | | How long does it take to issue? |
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| Contact Person | Number | |
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| Contact Person | Number | |
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| How Much does it Cost | | How long does it take to issue? |

Can you source all the needed permits and licences in time?



Infrastructure & Equipment List

| Contact Person /Company | too History France | 1115051 | E. H * 10 2 5 VA C. * | Number | Is it available? | Ц |
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| Cost | How lo | ng does it tak | | Is it PICK-UP | □ or DELIVERED | |
| Portable Toilets Contact Person/Company | | long, | wide, | high. | Is it available? | |
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| Cost | How lo | ng does it tak | e to set up | | ☐ or DELIVERED | |
| Food Vendors Contact Person /Company | Size: | long, | wide, | high. | Is it available? | |
| Cost | How lo | ng does it tak | e to set up | | ☐ or DELIVERED | |
| Contact Person /Company | Size: | long, | wide, | high. | Is it available ? | |
| Cost | How lo | ng does it tak | e to set up | | ☐ or DELIVERED | |
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Can your source all the major infrastructure and equipment you need?



Designing your Promotion Plan

Target Audience

Re-read Why are you running your event? Who are your target audience Promotional Message Re-read the Purpose of the event: What is your message Coverage Determine the catchment area for your target audience, (e.g.: a building, a neighbourhood, a street or a town?) What coverage do you need Timing your Efforts To get the TIMING right for your message consider the following Is your purpose to use the event to promote your message to a wide audience (whether they are at the event or not), in which case you want just enough crowd to make the event 'work' but you want to focus your effort on getting maximum media coverage of the day and consequently coverage for your message. In this case you will PROMOTE the event to get a crowd and try for maximum Media Coverage on the day (see the Maximising your Media Coverage Checklist see page 16). Your plan should include a promotion plan AND Media Coverage Plan for the day OR Is your purpose simply to get the most people, or a particular age group, or particular neighbourhood to your event and you don't really care about the wider audience that did not attend the event, in which case you want to promote your event to a specific audience and not be too concerned about media on the day.

Choosing the right Media

Which Medium will best carry your message to your audience

More than anything else, coverage determines the best media for you, if you are only seeking people from a single building perhaps an email gives best coverage, if you wish to cover a single street or neighbourhood then a 'letter box drop' coupled with posters could do the trick. If you wish to draw people from the whole town then you may nee to use mass media such as newspapers, radio and T.V..

Regardless of your needs talk to people and get media advice and you will avoid wasting a lot of time and money. Try the promotions officer from your local council or any big government departments in town, a *cheeky* phone call looking for some free advice can often pay dividends.

Television & Radio

- Paid adverts
- Chat shows
- Free Community Bulletin Boards

Newspapers, magazines, catalogues

- Special Features
- Inserts
- Paid ads, advertorials
- Community service announcements
- News articles

Online

- Blogs
- e-mail messages, web pages

Other

- Phone around
- Letter box drops
- Shop's bulletin board

Promotion Plan

| Target Audience: | | |
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| Message: | | |
| | | |

| ACTIVITY | | HTMORE HTMORE | | | | | MONTH | | | | | | |
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| | | DEADLINES | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 14 | \$ | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 16 | \$ | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 17 | \$ | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Total Cost \$ | | | La celle | | | | | | | | | |
| | Mark Known Deadlines Here | | * | | | | | | | | | | |

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Designing your Sponsorship Plan

STEP ONE:

Save up all the flyers, catalogues newspaper features, community magazines etc that you can for a week, spread them out on the floor and look at who is paying for advertising at the moment.

Target Audience Promotional Message STEP TWO: STEP THREE: List the companies that seem to be targeting the Which companies have a message that is the same as, or complisame audience as you. mentary to yours, rate them from closest to most distant. Circle: Good Will, Exposure, Market Access Contra Cash Circle: Good Will, Contra Cash Exposure, Market Access Circle: Good Will, Exposure, Market Access Contra Cash What's for sale ? Circle: Good Will, Exposure, Market Access Contra Cash STEP FIVE List what you are willing to sell: (Eg naming Rights, exclusive rights, logo's on posters etc) Flick back to your promotion plan and infra-Circle: Good Will, Exposure, Market Access Contra Cash structure list for ideas on what you can 'sell'. Item Value to Sponsor Coverage STEP FOUR: Refine your list by rating those who have the same coverage as you higher up the list. Sponsors Needs ? A sponsor will want to buy either "Good Will", "Exposure" or "Market Access". Good Will is effectively a donation whereby they can be seen as supporting a worthy event. Exposure means that you will help make people aware of their product or service. Market Access means you give them the opportunity to sell (for example Pepsi may sponsor your main stage if you allow them to be the exclusive beverage supplier on the day. STEP SIX: Decide for each sponsor what their need is:

Decide what you want from each potential sponsor. This could be "Contra" where the local butcher supplies meat for the BBQ in exchange for including his 'specials' list in your letterbox drop or cash where the local bank pays for all your posters in exchange for naming rights of the event. 'Cash' is extra revenue and 'Contra' reduces your

STEP SEVEN: Decide if you want Cash or Contra from each sponsor.

Contra or Cash

Sponsorship Plan

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| Sponsorship Target | Cash: \$ | Contra: \$ | | | |
|---------------------|---|------------|-----------|--|--|
| Sponsorship Details | | MONTH | номти | MONTH | |
| Сопрану | | | DEADLINES | | |
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Your APRAOCH is very important, at the very least you should approach with a phone call and then follow up quickly with a letter that outlines, the event details, the organisers expertise in staging great events, what you are trying to achieve and who your target audience is, why you need their support (the return) and how they may benefit (the offer).

It can sometimes take a sponsor several weeks to say yes because they may have to get approval from a board or committee.

Have you forgotten anything?

Unplanned expenditure can cripple an event, use the check list below to see if you have forgotten to include anything in your budget.

Event Site/Facility

Rental Fee Permit's)/License

Labour Rentals Heat/Air **Furniture** Tables

Registration Tables

Chairs Pipe & Drape Carpeting/Flooring

Props

Tents/Canopies Staging (skirting, stairs)

Stanchions/Ropes

Labour

Food Services

Food Beverages Bartender fees Catering fees Equipment Tables/Chairs

Supplies-Linens, China Glasses, Utensils Labour/Staff **Health Permits** Personnel/VIP/Guests

Audio-Visual **Television Monitors** Video Players/Recorders

Cameras

Overhead Projectors Projectors/Carts Slide & Film Screens

Lecterns/Podiums Microphones

Reel-to-reel Tape Record-

ers

Disc Players Sound System Walkie-Talkies

Pointers/Marking Pens

Flip Charts Blackboards

Computer Interfaces **Technical Staff** Labour

Electrical General Lighting Special Lighting

Generator **Extension Cords** Video Production

Rentals Labour

Decorations

Event Décor Stage Décor Stage Backdrop

Centrepieces/Table Dé-

Flowers/Plants Candles **Balloons** Speciality Linen Chair Covers

Sians **Props**

Super Supplies Misc. Charges Labour

Entertainment

Music Talent Celebrity Speaker's Fees

Models Labour

Utilities/Waste Manage-

ment

Water Hook-up Restrooms/Port a Loos Trash/Dumpsters/ Receptacles Disposal Service Setup Crew Cleanup Crew Supplies Misc.

Promotion/Advertising

Newspapers Magazines Radio

Show Signs Street Signs **Directional Signs**

Banners Printed Photos Promotional Items Radio/TV/Video Produc-

tion Security Facility Private Insurance

Gen. Liability Insurance

Rider Specialized **Design & Printing**

Designer **Business Cards Brochures**

Media Kit

Registration Packets

Posters Flyers Invitations **Tickets**

Letterhead/Envelopes Specialty Items Duplicating/ **Photocopies** Logo

Misc. Printing/ **Specialities** Menus Maps

Program

Sponsor Signs Special Area VIP Area

Name Tags/Holders

Place Cards

Awards, Recognitions

Engraving Certificates Prizes Frames

Thank You Cards Transportation/

Parking

Limousine/Car Rental

Valet Area Shuttle

Mileage Reimburse-

ment

Labour/Personnel

On-Site Transporta-

Truck/Van Rental Carts/Hand Trucks Special Vehicles

Labour Travel/

Accommodations

VIP Travel

Limousine/Car Rental

Hotel Personnel **Event Manager** Show/Event Staff Additional Staff Overtime Host/Hostesses Registration

Emergency Medical **Ambulance**

Consultants

Public Relations

Rain Plan Cost Canopies/Tents/ Coverings Misc. Costs Accounting Legal Counsel Office Supplies

Office Equipment Phone

Ticket Sales Fees Warehouse Mileage Parking Extra Supplies **Event Photographer Event Videographer**

Coat Check Volunteer

(Appreciation Activity/

Gifts)

Complimentary Tickets Local, state, federal

taxes

Misc. Gratuities Specialized Labour

Postage/Shipping/

Storage Postage

Bulk Mail/Permits Mail House Freight

Delivery Service

Drayage Income **Event Income Booth Space Sales** Ticket Sales/ Admission

Sponsors/Underwriters

Donations Merchandise Raffle Auction Bar Ad Program

Event Feasibility Workbook

Planning Budget

Income

| \$ Budget from Committee |
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| \$ Sponsorship Cash |
| \$ Ticket Sales |
| \$ Site fee for SideShows |
| \$ of take" from Food vans |
| \$ Other |

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TOTAL INCOME

| Venue Costs | | Volunteer Costs | | |
|-----------------------------|------|-----------------------------|-----------|----|
| Hire Charges | \$ | Volunteer Meals (20 @ \$6) | | \$ |
| Cleaning Bond | \$ | Volunteer T-Shirts (25 @ \$ | 7) | \$ |
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| Tents | \$ | Promotion Costs | | |
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| Generators | \$ | Flyers | | \$ |
| Lights | \$ | mail-out | | \$ |
| Port-a-loos | \$ | | Sub-Total | \$ |
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TOTAL EXPENDITURE



The Financial RISK

PROFIT LOSS

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Monitoring Feasibility

If the event is profit making then the CRISP formula is an easy way of determining if there will be a profit. The formula can be quickly changed as sponsorship deals evolve and the event is fully costed and most importantly you can establish if the ticket price can be set at a reasonable level.

The CRISP formula is still of use in not-for-profit events, in this case P is '0' and the committee may wish to set a cost per head limit so that they are fully aware how much they are subsidising the event for

CRISP Formula

- C = Cost of the Event
 (assume you are paying for all Contra)
- R = Registrations or Crowd Size expected (be realistic, use the minimum number)
- I = Income expected
 (except Ticket sales and Sponsors)
- S = Sponsorship expected (Contra & Cash)
- P = Profit you would like

 $\frac{(C+P)-(S+I)}{R}$ = Ticket Price or Cost per Person

Event Feasibility Workbook

Event Feasibility

| Does the Committee agree with WHY & PURPOSE? | YES | NO | | | | | |
|--|-----|----|--|--|--|--|--|
| Is the proposed TIMING still suitable? | YES | NO | | | | | |
| Is the THEME suitable? | YES | NO | | | | | |
| Will the VENUE meet your needs? | YES | NO | | | | | |
| Does the Events COMMITTEE have the Skills & Time? | | | | | | | |
| If Not can you afford to buy extra help? | YES | NO | | | | | |
| Can APPROVALS be purchased in time? | YES | NO | | | | | |
| Is the needed INFRASTRUCTURE available? | YES | NO | | | | | |
| Is all the key EQUIPMENT available? | YES | NO | | | | | |
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| Can SPONSORSHIP targets be met? | YES | NO | | | | | |
| Is the Financial RISK acceptable to the committee? | YES | NO | | | | | |
| Does the CRISP meet the committees expectations? | YES | NO | | | | | |
| Does your parent organisation need to give APPROVAL? | YES | NO | | | | | |
| DO YOU HAVE A GREEN LIGHT TO PROCEED TO ORGANISE THE EVENT? | YES | NO | | | | | |

10 Ideas for Maximising Media Coverage

This checklist is designed to help you get maximum media coverage on the day of the event. Fist of all you should decide if you want maximum media coverage on the day. To help decide refer to your sponsorship checklist.

1 Production Schedule

Ask your local media when you have the best chance of reporter and photographer visiting your event. It is no use trying to get 6 o'clock news coverage for your event if you plan to start it at 6.30pm.

2 Photographs

Photographs of your event are a must so ask the newspaper if they will accept photo's that you will take and ask what format they would like (black and white, colour, digital, negatives etc). Also ask there advice on what they would like to see in your events photo.

3 Identities

Local identities attract media so invite the editor of the paper or the anchor of the news to judge some part of your event but schedule the judging to match their schedules.

4 Re-Broadcast

When your program is finalised notify the radio and TV of any acts that may be suitable for broadcasting either because they are high quality or because of the 'cute' or novelty factor. YOU MUST GET YOUR PERFORMERS PERMISSION TO BROADCAST THEIR ACT.

5 Content Quality

Sound and visual quality is vital to both performers and media producers so ask both what they need with regard to lighting (no rear lighting for television cameras), Sound (radio can sometimes plug into your mixing desk), technical (striped shirts do not work well on TV), the only way you will know what to look out for is to ask the performers and the media producers.

6 Focus Event

Identify what is 'THE' image for the event. This should be something that best conveys your message, is on at a time suitable for local media schedules and will deliver the quality necessary for re-broadcast and is able to be delivered as a 30second segment.

7 Capture Attention

Media have a multitude of competing interests so you have to attract their attention and fire their imagination. The more enthusiastic you can get them about your event the better will be the quality of coverage. I have had invitations delivered written on the side of a brick and heard of a children's choir singing the staff of a local newspaper in through their front door early one morning

8 Synergies

Who in the community shares your target audience and has a similar message, invite them along to the event, co-operate on promotion work together to give broader appeal to the media.

9 Just cause it is old doesn't mean it is tired

Cliché images are not always bad, Mayors still kiss babies and get their photo in the paper, Parliamentarians still wear hard hats and dig with shovels to get their photo I the paper and Business Leaders are still photographed doing charity work. Its not just the new idea that gets attention more often then not it is an old idea done well.

10 Work with Sponsors

Your sponsors can often have great idea to appeal to the media and it is in both of your interests to work together. I have seen a container company sponsor an event and then build a three storey venue with containers, food outlets can create worlds longest sandwiches at your event.

This workbook will lead you through the steps needed to create an event plan, many f these steps are simple refinements of tasks already undertaken in determining the event feasibility.

- Site/Venue Plan
- People Movement Plan
- Approvals Schedule
- Infrastructure & Equipment List
- Deals List
- Volunteer Management Plan
- Event Insurance
- Promotion & Sponsorship Plan
- Event Timeline
- Event Budget

The event concept will allow the organising committee to come to a clear understanding of the event they wish to run and to allow the examination of the event Feasibility.

Venue Plan

Mark on your plan the major elements of your event such as parking, stage, front of stage 'crowd zone', mosh pit, food stalls, sideshows, generators, first aide, fire extinguishers, emergency evacuation points

This plan will be used by everyone associated with your event, to brief volunteers on emergency procedures, to show food stalls where to set up, to brief car park attendants

(Some Rules of Thumb)

In front of a stage 1 person requires 1.5m² (moshpits are 1m²/person)

People should be allowed to walk 6 abreast (6m) wherever possible

There is a limit to the maximum number of seats allowed in a row, see your Council for details and failing better advice have no more than 15 seats side by side before you have a walkway.

People STOP at cross roads and T sections so make these areas wider to prevent choke points.

Each car will hold 3 people

Designated car parks hold 1 car

Street side car parking provides 1.5 cars per house front

Have a dramatic entry (people have to feel as though they have "Arrived")

If your site is fenced seek advice on exist location, exit widths and number of exists

Fence and screen your back of house, generators, distribution boards. Anythin dangerous should be out of sight to protect it from ratbags.

People Movement Plan

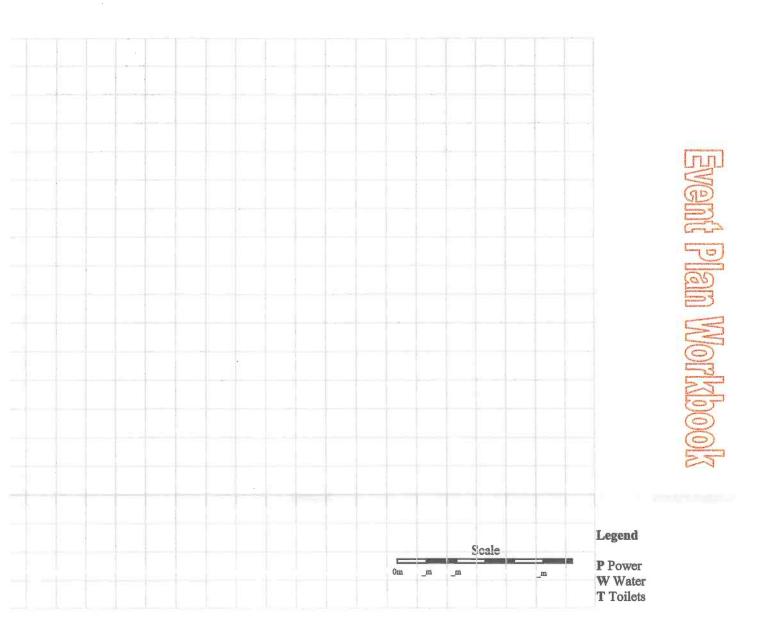
Mark on your plan how you will manage:

People moving from the street to the car park,

People moving from the car park to your site.

People moving from public transport to your site.

HOW PEOPLE WILL EVACUATE THE SITE IN CASE OF EMERGENCY



Approvals and Permits Secured

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Deals List

Deals are small arrangements such as; "You can sell T-Shirts as long as you give us 5 T-Shirts to be used as prizes on the main stage" etc. All deals should be confirmed in writing and when you collect on deals take the club treasurer with you so there can be no accusations of 'enticements being offered to you', having a Deals List, such as this, is also useful in this regard.

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Infrastructure List

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Promotion Plan

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Finalised Sponsorships

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| Volunteer Management | Plan | | |
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| Emergency Training for Volunteer will occur: | | | |
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Volunteers will be acknowledged in the following way:

Event Insurance

Talk to your Broker/Insurer, in some instances simply formally notifying your insurer in writing that you are running event will be enough. In other instances you may wish to seek specific insurance. Ask About:

Public Liability Insurance: covers claims made about injury or property damage arising from negligence.

Professional Indemnity: covers when there has been an error/omission or neglect in the conduct of duties.

Director Liability Insurance: covers committee being sued by their own organisation for acts of negligence.

Personal Accident Insurance: provides income for players officials who are unable to work doe to sickness/injury.

Workers Comp.: covers wages and medical bills if someone is hurt at work.

Property Insurance: covers loses resulting from theft, fire, storm vandalism etc.

Building Insurance: covers buildings owned by organisations against fire, storm, vandalism etc.

Travel Insurance: covers organisations for risk arising due to travel.

Volunteer Insurance: is a form of personal accident insurance.

Pluvious Insurance: a fancy name for rain insurance and covers loss of income from events that are washed out.

Policy Number

Insurer:

Agent:

Phone:

E-Mail:

It is a good idea to obtain a "Certificate of Currency" from your insurer, this is simply a letter saying that you are fully paid up and what types of cover you have. Many venues and other agencies such as Councils will require a

How much insurance should you have:

| Base | | | Conseq | uences Types | | |
|----------------|---|--|--|---|--|---|
| Severity Level | Profit reduction | Health and Safety | Natural environment | Social/ cultural heritage | Community/ Government/ reputation/ media | Legal |
| Ÿ | US\$10M- US\$100M | Multiple Fatalities, or significant irreversible effects to >50 persons | Very Serious, | | | Significant prosecution and fines Very Serious litigation including class actions |
| IV | US\$1M - US\$10M | Single fatality and/or severe irreversible disability (>30%) to one or more persons | environmental impairment of ecosystem functions | On-going | Serious public or media outcry (international coverage) | Major breach or regulation Major litigation |
| 111 | US\$100 000- US\$1M | Moderate irreversible disability or impairment (>30%) to one or more persons | Serious medium term environmental effects | serious social issues. Significant damage to structures/item s of cultural significance | Significant adverse national media/public/NGO attention | Serious breach of regulation with investigation or report to authority with prosecution and/or moderate find possible |
| 9000 | US\$10 000- US\$100 000 | Objective but reversible disability requiring hospitalization | Moderate, short-term effects but not affecting ecosystem function | On-going social issues. Permanent damage to items of cultural significance | Attention from media and/or heightened concern by local community, Criticism by NGOs | Minor legal |
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¹ Extract from "Guidelines for Managing Risk in Sport and Recreation" HB 246-2004 Standards Australia.

Event Timeline

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Event Budget

| Income | | $\frac{(C+P)-(S+1)}{P}$ | | | | |
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| Budget from Committee | \$ | R = Ticket Price or Cost per Per | rson | | | |
| Sponsorship Cash | \$ | | | | | |
| Ticket Sales | \$ | | | | | |
| Site fee for Side Shows | \$ | | | | | |
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| TOTAL EXPENDITURE | \$ | | | | | |
| PROFIT LOSS | \$ | | | | | |
| Sign: | | | | | | |
| Committee Treasurer | | Event Manager | | | | |



This workbook will lead show you the key phases of any event and prompt some ideas on how to make the day run smother and safer by examining:

The DISASTER Management Plan The COMMUNICATIONS Plan The MINUTE BY MINUTE.

Disaster Planning

Disaster Plans are useless unless they are communicated to everyone who is working on the site. Everyone should know three things:

Their Immediate Action. Who they should Notify. What they should do next.

The venue you are using may already have disaster plans in place, in which case use the existing plan.

You should plan for two types of Emergencies:

Those that you can handle in house, such as lost children, lost property fights that can be dealt with by your security, ejecting people from the site, power failure, rain, minor first aid etc.

Those that require an evacuation of the site or the use of outside Emergency Service Professionals.

On your site plan mark the following:

Escape points

Areas where people will be asked to assemble outside the site the place where you will meet emergency services The location of dangerous equipment such as generators. The location of flammable material such as petrol, gas bottles etc.

Key Contact Numbers

Disaster Plan

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| If in Doubt Call 000 | | | | | | | | | |
| Front Managara Mobiles | | | | | | | | | |
| Event Managers Mobile: | | | | | | | | | |
| Security Mobile: | | - | | | | | | | - |
| First Aide Mobile: | | | | | | | | | |
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| Lost Property Mobile: | | - | | | | | | | |
| All media enquiries | | | - | | | | | | - |
| should be directed to Event Manager | | 131 | | 4 | | - | 100 | | |

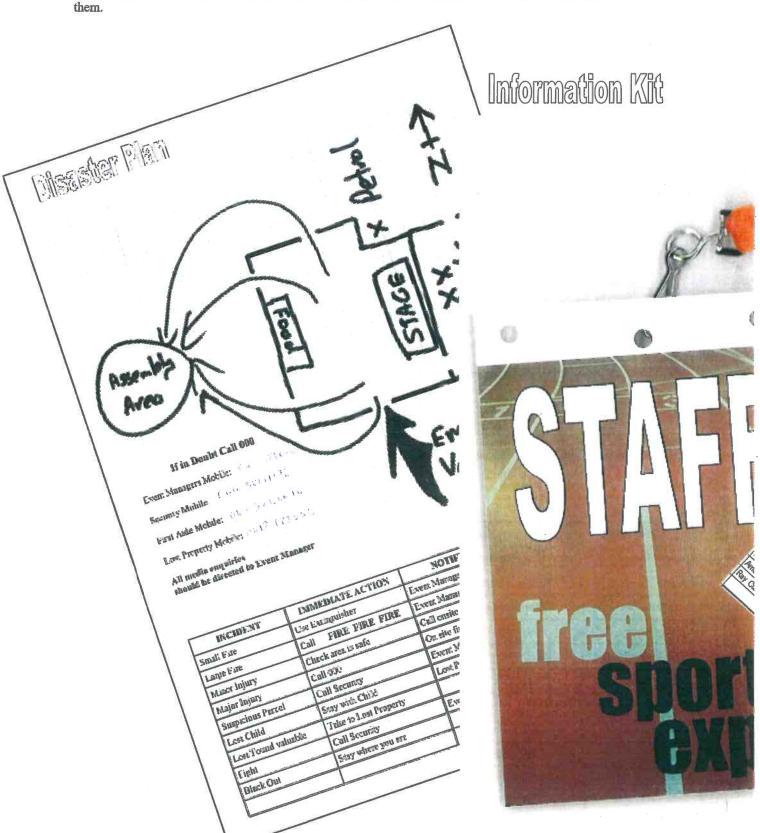
| INCIDENT | IMMEDIATE ACTION | NOTIFY | ACTION |
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| Small Fire | Use Extinguisher | Event Manager | Stay at location |
| Large Fire | Call FIRE FIRE FIRE | Call 000 | Call Event Manager |
| Minor Injury | Check area is safe | Call onsite First Aide | Help injured person |
| Major Injury | Call 000 | On site first aide | Call Event Manager |
| Suspicious Parcel | Call Security | Event Manager | Obey Security |
| Lost Child | Stay with Child | Lost Property | Stay at Location |
| Lost/Found valuable | Take to Lost Property | | |
| Fight | Call Security | Event Manager | Obey Security |
| Black Out | Stay where you are | | Reassure Public |

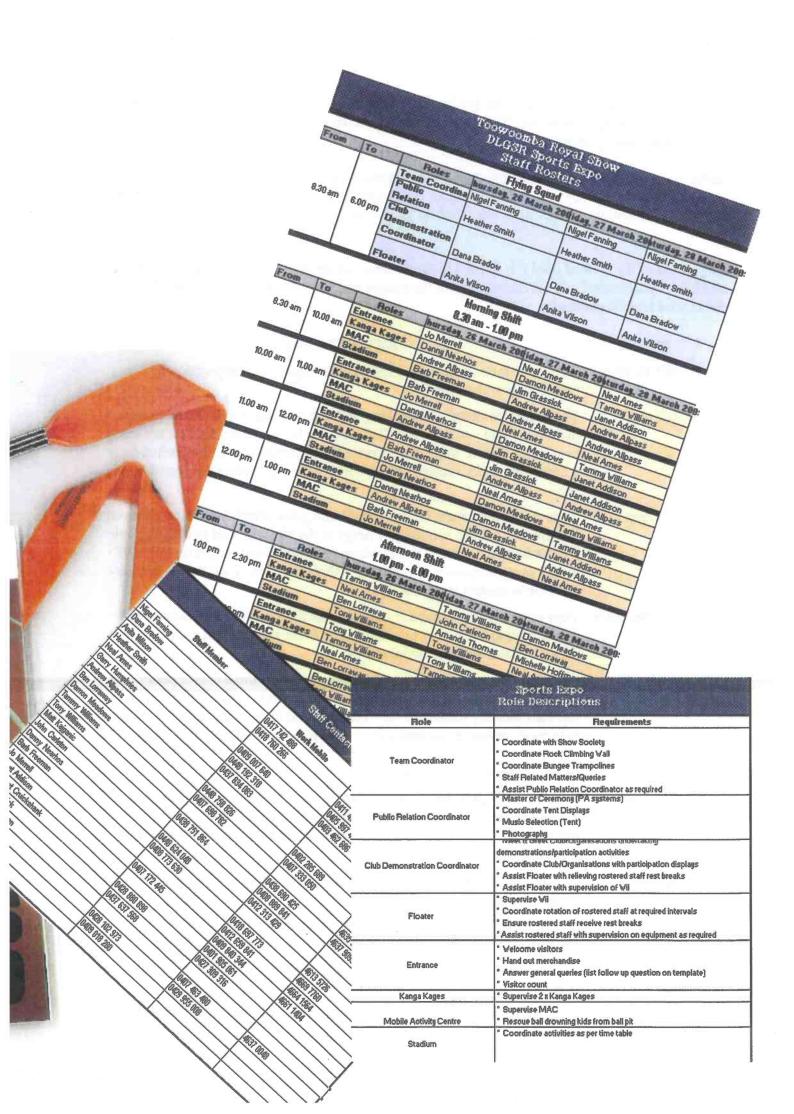
Communication Plan

A simple method of making sure that your communication on the day works is to laminate a pouch clip it to a lanyard and fill it with rosters, contact details for key staff and volunteers and role descriptions.

During volunteer training and emergency procedure training orient everyone to the contents of their information kit.

Every person on site should get a copy of the disaster plan and a verbal brief on what is expected of them.





Minute by Minute

5 Crowd Peak

6 Crowd Taper

7 Finish Time

9 BUMP OUT

Phase

site

Switch Off the

The 'Minute by Minute' is a run sheet for the event that covers what is happening (or scheduled to happen) every minute of the day. If you are dealing with a televised event you may be required to produce a second by second.

Some event organisers use the Minute by minute strategy as their main planning tool, they start off with a "Month by Month" which has the major tasks, then as the event gets closer the "Month by Month" is refined to a "Week by Week" then on to a "Hour by Hour" and then "Minute by Minute".

Regardless of the method used it is helpful to break the event up into a number of phases, think about how your crowd will act during each of the phases and what the organisational needs are and direct your team accordingly.

PHASE KEY ACTIONS

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1 BUMP IN Phase Set up site infrastructure and install all equipment in preparation for "switching on the event"

2 Switch on. This can be as literal as switching on the power and it effectively means that everything you have installed can now be turned on and you are ready to accept a crowd. Immediately prior to, or immediately after Switch on is a good time to do a safety walk around of the site, before the crowd builds up.

3 Gates Open

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Your crowd now starts to arrive and build, your efforts should be focus on last minute 'trouble shooting'. Energy at the site will start to build, people will be focused on food, drink, where to sit and also focused on "OOOH what's that going on over there". Consider Disney's 6 Points of Interest Rule to control your crowd.

4 Crowd Build-Up
Phase
Your crowd grows to capacity, during this time you need to monitor the crowd growth because depending on the event and site you may have to close the gates and turn people away.

For all day events you can sometimes have two or three crowd peaks. It is useful to be aware of your crowd peak because it is at this point that you can start moving volunteers between different roles. Gate staff can go and help food service, extra toilets may need to be opened up. Everything will now be working at capacity so break downs in equipment and people are likely to happen during this phase.

People now start to leave, their attention is no longer on food and drink but on souvenirs and merchandise and that last visit to the loo before they drive home. As the crowd starts to taper you can start to shut-down food stalls and other infrastructure.

At your finish time you may help the last people to leave and you can start to shut-don the site in earnest.

Shutting off the power and locking the gates can involve handing over a site to security or the need to transport cash or secure valuable.

This is dismantling the site and returning it to the state it was when you found it.

10 Project Shut This is the reporting back, event post mortem, volunteer thank-you functions etc.







This workbook will lead you through the process of conducting an event post mortem:

Event Post Mortem

The post mortem should be conducted with as many key people associated with the event as possible. Ask each of these questions in turn and encourage brief constructive comment.

| Did the event achieve the PURPOSE? | YES | M0 |
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| Was the TIMING correct? | YES | MO |
| Was the THEME suitable? | YES | NO |
| Did the VENUE meet your needs? | YES | MO |
| Did the Events COMMITTEE have the Skills & Time? | YES | NO |
| Were all APPROVALS complied with? | YES | NO |
| Was the INFRASTRUCTURE suitable? | YES | NO |
| Was the EQUIPMENT suitable? | YES | NO |
| Did the PROMOTION get the desired crowd size? | YES | NO |
| Were SPONSORSHIP targets met? | YES | NO |
| Were FINANCIAL targets met? | YES | NO |

Notes:

Issues from the Day

Bump In Phase

Switch On Site

Start Time

Crowd Build-Up

Crowd Peak

Crowd Taper

Finish Time

Switch Off Site

Bump-Out Phase

Lessons Learnt for Next Time

