



You've never been one to fit in. And neither have we. Our different runs deep. Each of our communities is forever creating, forever challenging, forever new.



The status quo is a no go.





GO PAST YOUR IMAGINARY LIMITS. SEE WHAT'S BEHIND EVERY







VIDEO :30

This isn't just any one place.

It's seven unique places.

Places where we live to do our own thing.

We don't tone ourselves down.

Or hide who we are.

Our different runs deep.

We've never been ones to fit in

And neither have you.

We see you here.

Making room for something new.

Always creating.

Forever true.

[Start animation: Ann Arbor. Chelsea. Dexter. Manchester. Milan. Saline. Ypsilanti.]

We're a collection of communities unlike one another, but together – we're unlike anywhere else.

Discover your different kind of different.

Start in Ann Arbor and go from there.







PRINT AD / PM Print Travel Guide Option 2

HEADLINE:

Make room for something different.

COPY:

Start in Ann Arbor and go from there.

The Ann Arbor area is home to seven distinct destinations — each connected by the unexpected (and each with a calendar full of fall events). Out here, you have room to roam where you can let your inner light shine. Simply step outside and start exploring, and you'll discover your different kind of different.

CTA:

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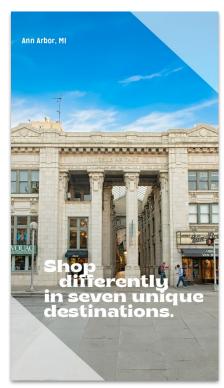




META - CAROUSEL STORIES

SOCIAL / Meta Carousel Story – Shopping

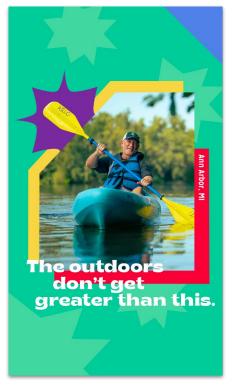






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SOCIAL / Meta Carousel Story – Outdoor Recreation







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META - STATIC STORIES

SOCIAL / Meta Static Stories - Downtown & Culture





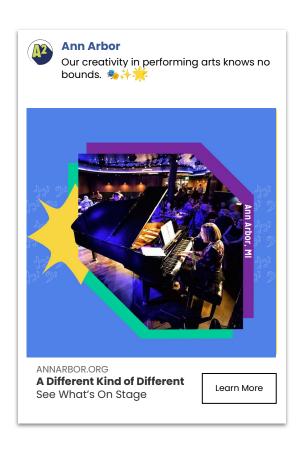


META - STATIC IN-FEED

SOCIAL / Meta Single-Image Static Post – Version 1 Dining



SOCIAL / Meta Single-Image Static Post – Version 2 Performing Arts



SOCIAL / Meta Single-Image Static Post – Version 3 - Outdoor



META - CAROUSEL IN-FEED

SOCIAL / Meta Carousel Post – Version 1 Shopping



Ann Arbor

Fill your bag with unique products and one-of-a-kind designs.



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A Different Kind of Different Shop Differently

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A Different Kind of Different To A2 and Beyond

SOCIAL / Meta Carousel Post – Version 2 Outdoor Recreation



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Here, the only boundaries are the ones you set yourself. 😂 🌟



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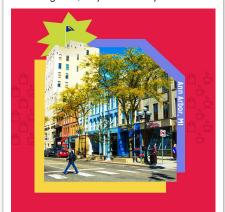
A Different Kind of Different To A2 and Beyond

SOCIAL / Meta Carousel Post – Version 3 Brand / Community Message



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Get to know our area's seven distinct destinations. They're all different – but together, they're unlike anywhere else.



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Explore Chelsea

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Explore Dexter

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A Different Kind of Different
Explore Manchester

SOCIAL / Meta Carousel Post – Version 3 Brand / Community Message Cont.



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A Different Kind of Different
Explore Milan

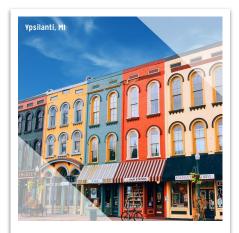
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To A2 and Beyond



VERSION 1 — rideshare-centric copy lines



DRIVER'S SIDE ART / Actual Size: 110"x38"

VERSION 1 — rideshare-centric copy lines



PASSENGER SIDE ART / Actual Size: 110"x38"



META - CAROUSEL IN-FEED

SOCIAL / Meta Carousel Post – Version 1 Shopping Revisions



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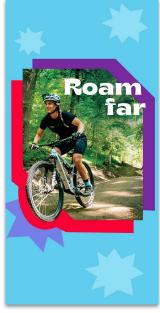




Frame 1 Frame 2 Frame 3



ACTIVITIES









F1

The animation begins with an image of a bike on the screen. The biker's wheel will break through the frame for a dynamic effect. As the wheel emerges, vibrant colors gradually pop out from behind the main image one at a time.

The color flips to the A2 brand blue, and the same animation happens here after the woman's inner tube extends from the image borders. Once the inner tube starbursts pop on screen, the colors slide out from behind the image.

The animation flips through the color transitions slat, mimicking a video effect. The starburst shapes gradually emerge one at a time, while the Ann Arbor logo slides in from the bottom right-hand corner into the frame. Simultaneously, the headline gently fades in.

F4

The animation quickly cuts to introduce the new headline as it smoothly fades in. Once the text settles into place, vibrant colors radiate outward from behind the white text to emphasize the branding. The starburst shape pops into the frame as a finale.

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HTML BANNER / Leisure Activities 300x250



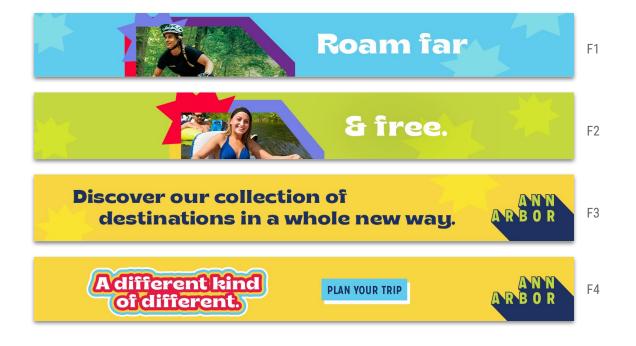




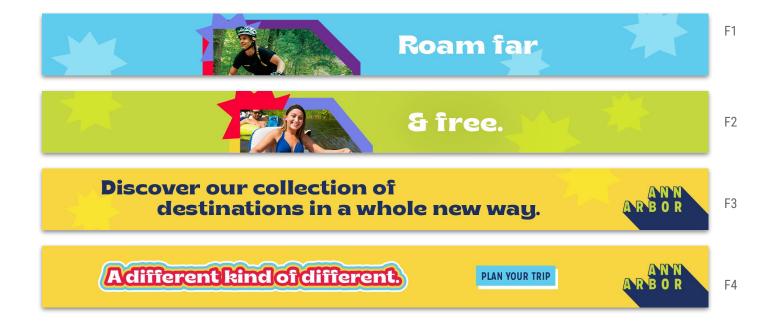


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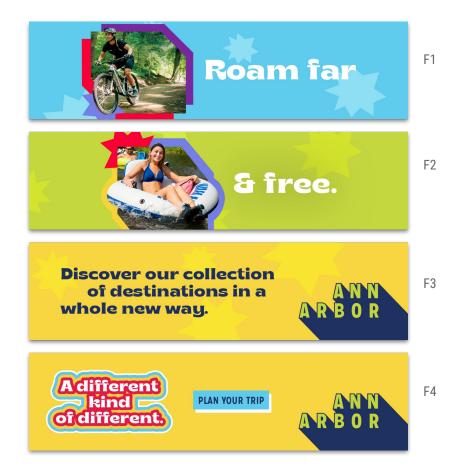
HTML BANNER / Leisure Activities 728x90



HTML BANNER / Leisure Activities 970x90



HTML BANNER / Leisure Activities 970x250



HTML BANNER / Leisure Activities 320x480



HTML BANNER / Leisure Activities 320x50 & 300x50 (mobile)



DOWNTOWN

HTML BANNER / Downtown 300x600



HTML BANNER / Downtown 160x600



HTML BANNER / Downtown 300x250









F1 F2 F3 F4

HTML BANNER / Downtown 728x90



HTML BANNER / Downtown 970x90



HTML BANNER / Downtown 970x250

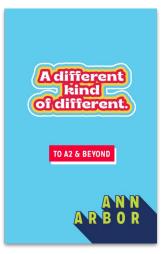


HTML BANNER / Downtown 320x480









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HTML BANNER / Downtown 320x50 & 300x50 (mobile)



DINING

HTML BANNER / Dining 300x600



HTML BANNER / Dining 160x600

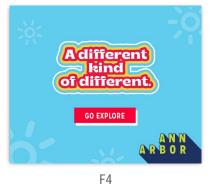


HTML BANNER / Dining 300x250









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HTML BANNER / Dining 320x480









F1 F2 F3 F4

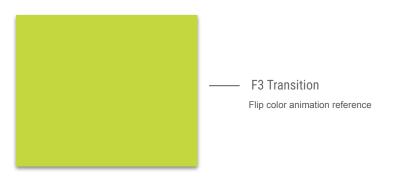
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MYCODE / A-CODE CAROUSEL 300x250





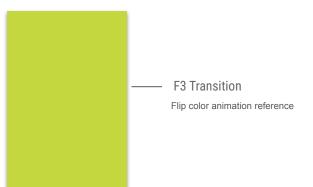






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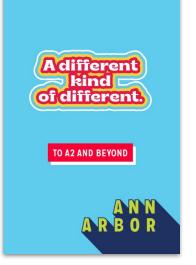
MYCODE / A-CODE CAROUSEL 300x480











F1

F2

F3

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MYCODE / A-CODE CAROUSEL 320x50



MYCODE / B-CODE CAROUSEL 728x90



MYCODE / B-CODE CAROUSEL 320x50



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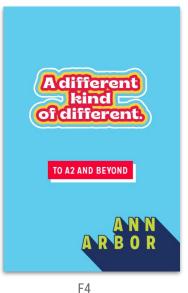
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MYCODE / B-CODE CAROUSEL 320x480









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MYCODE / H-CODE CAROUSEL 300x250









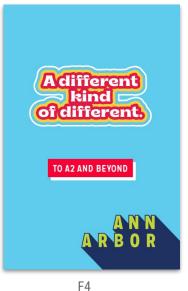
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MYCODE / H-CODE CAROUSEL 300x480









F1 F2 F3



MYCODE / H-CODE CAROUSEL 320x50



MYCODE / H-CODE MOBILE SKIN









F1

of the screen.

Unit begins with borders flanking all sides

As user scrolls or waits, borders begin to animate out toward screen edge.

F2

F3

Copy and CTA fade out. Video player fades on.

After video plays, copy and CTA fade back in

MYCODE / VIDEO (F3 from previous slide)



Video screenshot in mockup



Link to view video

MYCODE / F3 Transition Storyboard

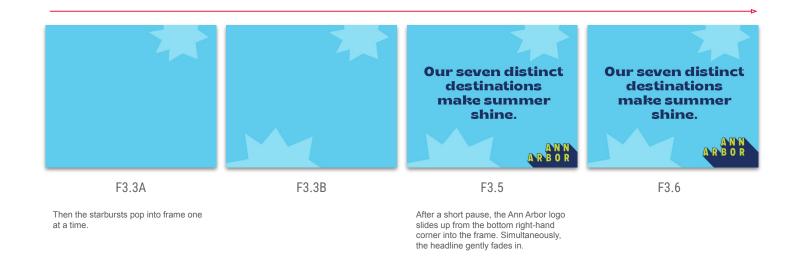


The animation begins with purple background. The brand polygon begins to grow to reveal the image of the ladies. The shape grows quickly from nothing, directly in the center of color to reveal the entire window polygon as full size. Once the image hits the full size (shown in the deck), the top color block slide out from behind the image with the starburst slightly behind it. Then the yellow highlight slide out slightly behind the starburst. Simultaneously, the headline 1 gently fades in. After a small pause, the window frame then shrinks back down.

The purple quickly cuts to the green background. Then the animation process begins once again to reveal image of the couple in the window. The brand shape grows from nothing in the center, to the full size shown in the deck. Then the color block slides out, then the starburst slides out from behind the image window. Simultaneously, the headline gently fades in.

Then the color flip transition happens to change the background from green to blue.

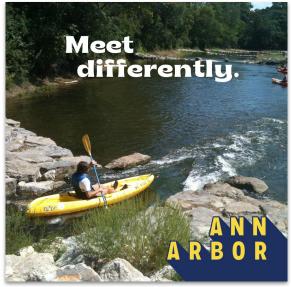
MYCODE / F3 Transition Storyboard Continued







Northstar Social / Version 1 (Please select 3)



1080x1080

Meet differently. ANN ARBOR

1200x628

Body Text:

Don't just connect minds. Inspire them. From cuisine and culture to outdoor adventure, Ann Arbor makes meetings mean more.

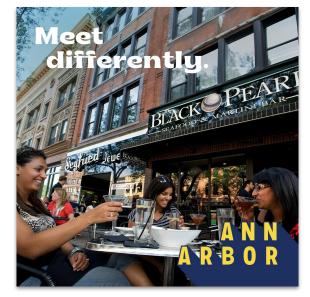
Headline:

Meet in Ann Arbor

Link Description:

Plan Your Next Big Event

Northstar Social / Version 2 (Please select 3)



1080x1080



1200x628

Body Text:

Don't just connect minds. Inspire them. From cuisine and culture to outdoor adventure, Ann Arbor makes meetings mean more.

Headline:

Meet in Ann Arbor

Link Description:

Plan Your Next Big Event

Northstar Social / Version 4 (Please select 3)



Meet ANN ARBOR

1200x628

Body Text:

Don't just connect minds. Inspire them. From cuisine and culture to outdoor adventure, Ann Arbor makes meetings mean more.

Headline:

Meet in Ann Arbor

Link Description:

Plan Your Next Big Event

1080x1080



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SPONSORED CONTENT COPY

TITLE

Ann Arbor: A Different Way to Meet

BODY

Planning a memorable meeting demands a fresh approach – and in Ann Arbor, we're all about doing things differently. The best connections don't just happen during the workday; they happen in places built to spark curiosity – whether that's around the dinner table or out on the trail. Across all seven destinations in the Ann Arbor area, visitors find the inspiration they need to bring out their brightest ideas.

There's a reason Destination Ann Arbor was named one of the best Mid-American DMOs by Meetings Today in both 2022 and 2023 – and it all starts with our outstanding facilities. The area features over 150 meeting spaces, ranging from intimate venues to The Big House, home to the 2024 college footbal nationall champions: the University of Michigan Wolverines. And with more than 5,000 guest rooms, we have space for any kind of event.

When work is wrapping up, the day has only just begun. Your attendees can stop by one of the 400-plus restaurants, pubs and breweries that dot the Ann Arbor area. Whether your attendees are thirsty for a locally brewed pint, ready to fill up on classic American fare or have a taste for diverse fusion cuisine, they'll find plenty of places to keep the conversation going.

Perhaps the most famous Ann Arbor eatery is Zingerman's Deli. Since opening in 1982, this internationally known sandwich shop has branched out into new dining concepts, including a bakery, coffee shop and creamery. Their newest restaurant is called Miss Kim, where you'll find Korean dishes rooted in tradition and prepared with only the freshest Michigan produce.

As a college town, Ann Arbor's youthful energy fuels the area's one-of-a-kind culture. The area is home to several art exhibitions, including the Jean Paul Slusser Gallery and the University of Michigan Museum of Art, known locally as the UMMA. The State Theater and Michigan Theater are pillars of the performing arts scene, bringing the best in concerts, plays and more to downtown Ann Arbor.

No trip to Ann Arbor is complete without spending time in the great outdoors. From exploring the Border to Border Trail to floating along the Huron River, our sights have to be experienced to be believed. Your attendees will find new levels of inspiration from taking in the fresh air around Washtenaw County – whether they prefer to hike, ride, paddle or play a round of golf.

Your attendees can do it all, and our expert planning team makes creating your next big event easy. They'll assist you in finding the perfect location, arranging transportation, planning networking opportunities and post-meeting activities, selecting catering options and more.

Start planning an event to remember. Call 800-888-9487, email asnow@annarbor.org or visit annarbor.org/meetings.

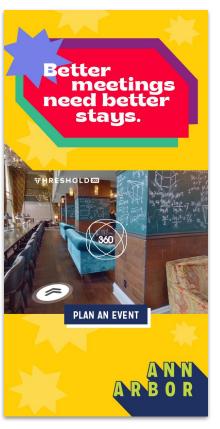


THRESHOLD 360 / Video Layout for A/B Testing Option 2





300x250



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300x250

HTML Banner / Static Image Layout for A/B Testing Option 1

300x600



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HTML Banner / Static Image Layout for A/B Testing Option 2

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HTML Banner / Static Image Layout for A/B Testing Option 2

300x250









MM&E NEWSLETTER STATIC BANNER / Revised Options (Please Select One)

300x250







Meet differently.

In the Ann Arbor area, great minds don't just meet in the conference room – they connect across the streets and trails of Washtenaw County. Discover all the places to bring people together, from diverse, delicious restaurants to the waterways and green spaces that make our seven distinct destinations shine.



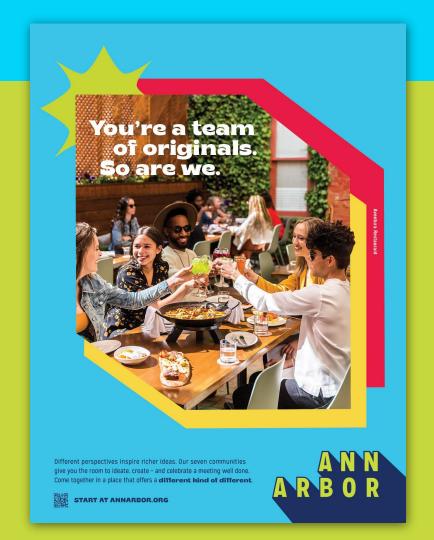
MME MEETING AD

HEADLINE:

You're a team of originals. So are we.

COPY:

Different perspectives inspire richer ideas. Our seven communities give you the room to ideate, create – and celebrate a meeting well done. Come together in a place that offers a different kind of different.





HTML BANNER / 300x600



HTML BANNER / 320x480



HTML BANNER / 160x600



HTML BANNER / 300x250







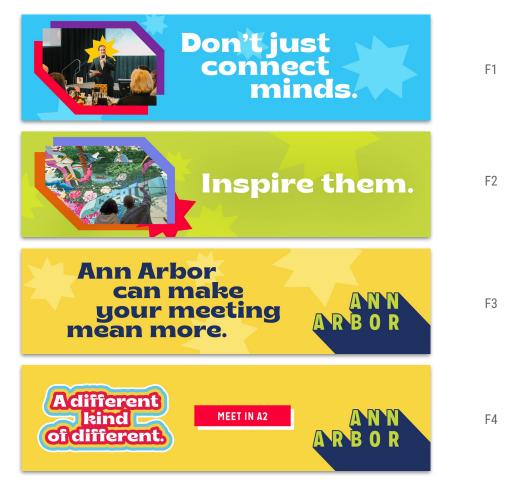


F1 F2 F3 F4

HTML BANNER / 728x90



HTML BANNER / 970x250



HTML BANNER /mobile sizes

300x50 320x50 Don't just connect minds. Don't just connect minds. F1 F1 Inspire them. F2 Inspire them. F2 **Ann Arbor Ann Arbor** F3 F3 can make can make your meeting mean more. your meeting F4 F4 mean more. Adifferent kind of different. Adifferent kind of different. MEET IN A2 F5 MEET IN A2



STATIC BANNERS / 3 Versions



Version 2



Version 3



Version 4

STATIC BANNERS





580x150





Don't just connect minds. Inspire them.

MEET DIFFERENTLY

ANN ARBOR

300x250

STATIC BANNERS





580x150



320x100

Teams that play together stay together.

300x250

STATIC BANNERS





320x100

Win the workday the after-five.

MEET DIFFERENTLY

580x150



300x250



NATIVE / Version 1





1200x627

Headline:

Meet Differently in A2

Description:

Ann Arbor is your break from basic meetings. Shop, dine and explore our walkable downtown.

CTA:

Start Planning



MEETINGS EMAIL

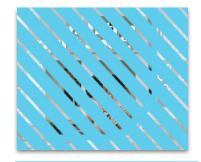






HTML BANNER / Bridal Guide

300x250

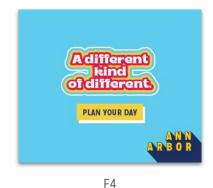


- Flip color animation reference









F1 F2 F3

The animation begins with an image of the couple on the screen. White opaque grows to shown size, hearts animate on, and color block grows out from opaque. Simultaneously, the headline gently fades in. Shrink down again to move to F2.

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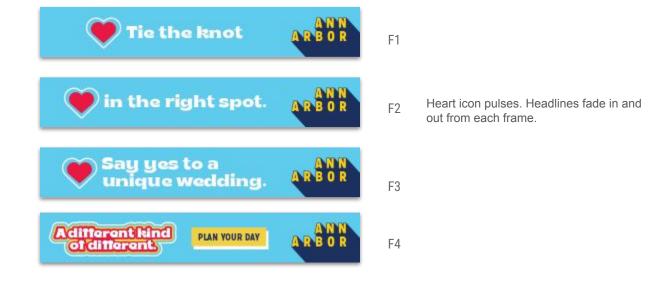
The animation flips through the color transitions, mimicking a video effect.

The starburst shapes gradually emerge, one at a time, while the Ann Arbor logo slides up from the bottom right-hand corner into the frame. It moves into positions higher than the final logo position. Simultaneously, the headline gently fades in.

The animation quickly cuts to introduce the new headline as it smoothly fades in. Once the text settles into place, vibrant colors radiate outward from behind the white text to emphasize the branding. The CTA pops in last slightly after the headline starts to fade in. (.25 seconds after the headline begins to fade in)

HTML BANNER / Bridal Guide

Mobile 320x50





SOCIAL 2 SIZES / Image Option 1



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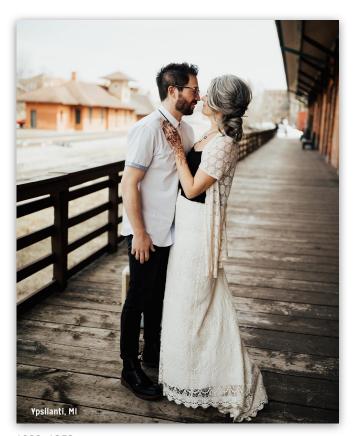


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SOCIAL 2 SIZES / Image Option 5



1200x800



1080x1350

SOCIAL 2 SIZES / Image Option 6



1200x800

SOCIAL PACKAGE - 250-300 characters Description:

Ready for a different kind of wedding? The seven destinations in the Ann Arbor area offer everything you need for a ceremony as unique as your love. Discover venues that range from rustic to urban chic – then start planning with the help of the Ann Arbor weddings team.

https://www.annarbor.org/meetings/weddings

BOOSTED SOCIAL PACKAGE - 150 characters max Description:

On your special day, say "I do" in a place that does things differently. Ann Arbor is made for unique nuptials.

https://www.annarbor.org/meetings/weddings/



NATIVE / Version 2 (Please select two)



1200x800

Headline:

Tie the knot in the right spot.

Description:

Choose Ann Arbor for a wedding as unique as your love. Whether you prefer classical elegance or rustic charm, there's a venue just for you.

NATIVE / Version 3 (Please select two)



1200x800

Headline:

We do weddings differently.

Description:

Your love is unlike any other. Your wedding should be, too. Discover the wealth of venues, vendors and experiences across our seven inclusive destinations.



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Do Your Wedding Differently in Ann Arbor

Create a wedding that reflects your unique love story. Whether your vision includes a big event with your whole circle or an intimate celebration for just a few, Ann Arbor's one-of-a-kind venues offer the right setting.

Break out of the traditional ballroom scene and find a place that perfectly matches your vibe – artsy, dreamy, rustic or elegant, it's all within easy reach. Picture an open-air ceremony with a 19th-century farmhouse and a classic red barn as your backdrop. Or imagine shouting "let's go Blue!" after you say "I do" when you host your event on the field at The Big House.

When you choose greater Ann Arbor for this milestone moment, you're not just getting access to one vibrant city; you're at the doorstep of a diverse collection of towns, villages and cities – Ypsilanti, Milan, Saline, Manchester, Chelsea and Dexter. Plan a rehearsal dinner in an award-winning restaurant and celebrate at your leisure in a craft brewery. Beyond the big events, soak up the magic of these friendly communities as you explore with your loved ones by your side, from morning coffee in a charming café to a day of discovery at hands-on museums and wide-open parks.

In the greater Ann Arbor area, diverse communities and a naturally welcoming culture invite you to celebrate in a style that's meaningful to you. Reach out to learn more.

A Wedding That's As Unique As You

Why stick with the same old wedding traditions when you could let your personality shine? Welcome to greater Ann Arbor, where self-expression isn't just allowed – it's our way of life.

With a collection of communities at the doorstep of Ann Arbor proper, your perfect venue most certainly exists. Get inspired by the bucolic backdrop of Zingerman's Cornman Farms in Dexter, an award-winning 27-acre farm complete with a picture-perfect red barn and historical farmhouse. Here, you can anticipate a charmingly rustic setting for small weddings, an inviting atmosphere for LGBTQ+ couples and a commitment to true farm-to-table dining.

Find a similarly scenic environment at Robin Hills Farm, a 129-acre landscape just outside of Chelsea. Perfect for sustainable and eco-friendly weddings, this working farm has two event spaces – the Glasshouse and the Pasture Barn – that you can customize to your taste. Design your robust, farm-inspired reception menu from the Nest Cocktail Bar & Kitchen.

When you're in the home of the Wolverines, you have a once-in-a-lifetime chance to go big and go blue. Say "I do" under a floral canopy on the field at The Big House.

Or keep it simple at the landmark Stone Chalet, where spaces include a charming gazebo and formal halls. At The Collins Off Main in Chelsea, you never have to step foot off the property; the venue accommodates your whole wedding party and invites you to enjoy your first night of wedded bliss in a suite just above the reception space.

With a variety of venues and vendors available throughout greater Ann Arbor, you can plan the wedding of your dreams – and maybe even come up with some fresh ideas that are new to you. Find your inspiration and reach out to us to learn more.

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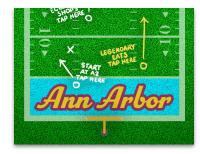




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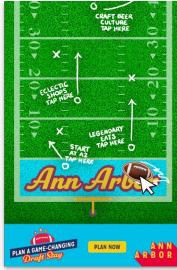
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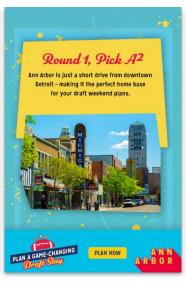


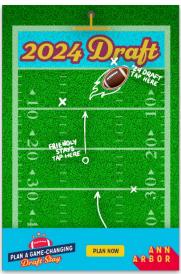


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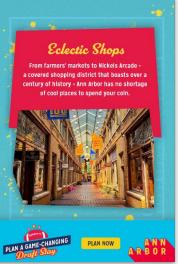




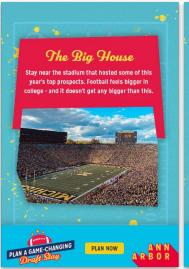


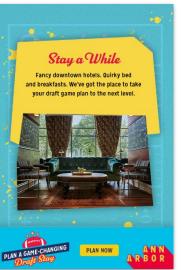
MOBILEFUSE RICH MEDIA PRE-DRAFT / Pop Ups







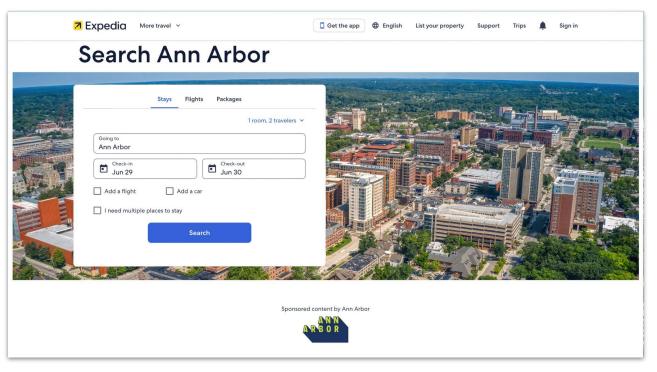






EXPEDIA PRE-DRAFT / Landing Page Image

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EXPEDIA PRE-DRAFT / Landing Page

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In Ann Arbor, our different runs deep

Together, Ann Arbor and its six surrounding destinations allow you to craft experiences unlike anywhere else.



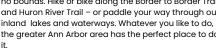
Add More Flavor

When it comes to dining in the Ann Arbor area, different is the order of the day. Satisfy your cravings at hundreds of eateries serving food from all over the globe - then wash it down with a craft beer at our renowned microbreweries



Know No Limits

In the nature of Washtenaw County, outdoor fun knows no bounds. Hike or bike along the Border to Border Trail and Huron River Trail - or paddle your way through our inland lakes and waterways. Whatever you like to do, the greater Ann Arbor area has the perfect place to do





Celebrate the Bold

Immerse yourself in our seven distinct communities places where artists are forever challenging, forever creating, forever new. From world-class museums like the University of Michigan Museum of Art to Chelsea's electrifying Purple Rose Theater, our creativity simply can't be contained

Dig In

Get Outside

Be Amazed

EXPEDIA PRE-DRAFT / Destination Gallery

Headline:

In Ann Arbor, our different runs deep

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*NOTE: Must be the same images as Marquee & Landing Page images

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Image crop 1



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Pre-expanded display

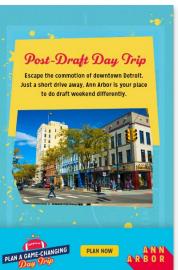


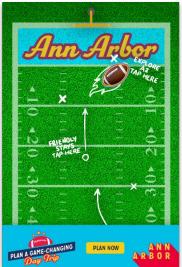


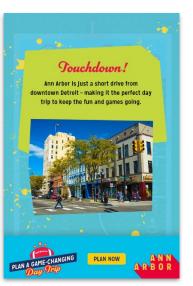
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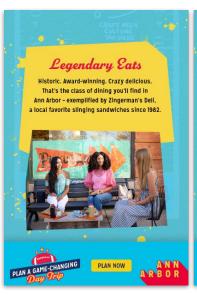


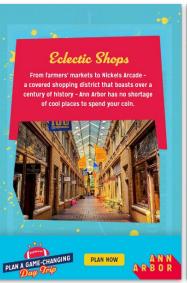




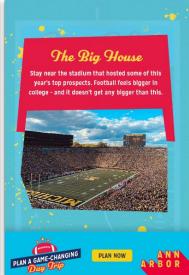


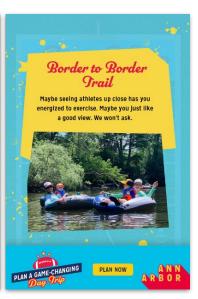
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Landing page: https://www.annarbor.org/blog/post/fun-in-the-sun-11-ann-arbor-activities-for-summer/

