KENTUCKY HUMANE

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Data collected for this report spanned from Aug. 1, 2015 to Nov. 1, 2016.

Crimson Hexagon generated 17,322 posts using our Buzz Monitor and 2,889 posts using our Twitter monitor.

To set our Buzz monitor, our Boolean search was:

"Kentucky Humane" OR @KYHumane OR "KY Humane"

We found data limitations due to @KYHumane's use of tweeting own their own handle in third person. This skewed the numerical representation of their own engagement.

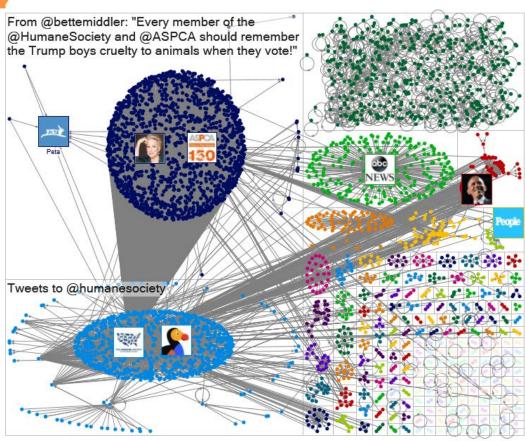
EXAMPLE: @KYHUMANE: "AT @KYHUMANE WE USE STAINLESS STEEL BOWLS BECAUSE THEY ARE EASY TO WASH & DISINFECT. WE'RE LOW ON THE SMALL BOWLS FOR CATS, CAN YOU HELP US?"

INSIGHTS

KY Humane could learn from the Humane Society of the U.S.'s social media strategies.

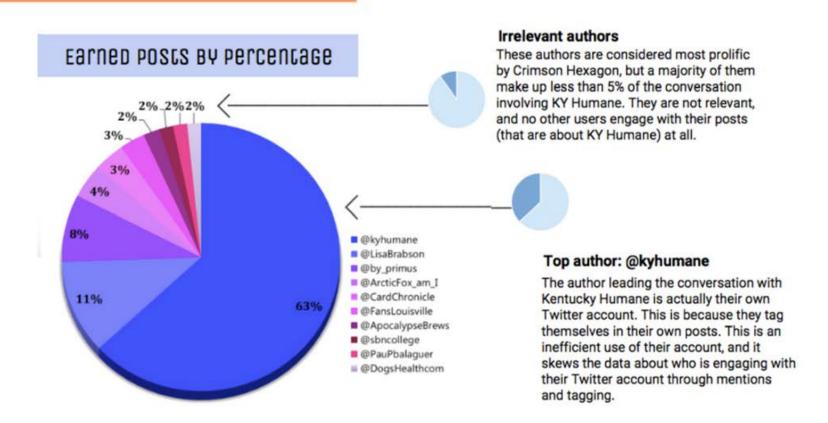
NETWORK ANALYSIS

- Due to the lack of Twitter interaction with Kentucky Humane and the small network, we choose to analyze the Humane Society of the U.S. using NodeXL.
- @HumaneSociety has a larger network, and KY Humane could learn from their social media strategies.
- A large portion of the conversation around the Humane Society of the U.S. is about animal advocacy.



Created with NodeXL Pro (http://nodexl.codeplex.com) from the Social Media Research Foundation (http://www.smrfoundation.org)

RELEVANT AUTHORS



TWEETS THAT WORK



WHAT DO YOUR FOLLOWERS WANT



- To see what animals are available for adoption.
- To hear success stories (can be incentive to adopt).
- To feel connected to the KY Humane Society mission.
- To feel like the donations are being used properly.
- To see results (i.e. animals getting adopted).





KHS' LONGEST RESIDENT GOES HOME! Merry has been w/ @kyhumane since she was 3-months-old. After a over a year w/ us, she has been adopted!





ACTIONABLE STRATEGIES

KY Humane should utilize their current news coverage and reach out to national news organizations to pick up the story.

Competitors are already getting national news coverage.

Followers of KY Humane go to their Facebook to share personal stories while they go to their Twitter to ask short questions or retweet posts about adoptable and lost animals.

This would increase the reach and potential audience for KY Humane.

KY Humane can establish more quality relationships with fans on Facebook while serving as a disseminator of information on Twitter.

ACTIONABLE STRATEGIES

Develop a stronger relationship with KY Humane's current audience by ensuring that KY Humane is being included in all relevant conversations.

KY Humane can include themselves in current conversation simply by conducting a Boolean search on Twitter and reaching out to users who may be talking about KY Humane but not tagging them.

Take the time to respond to users to create devoted fans who then spread positive information about you and your efforts.

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Be more interactive; fans like when they get responses.

THANK YOU!