

# THE FUTURE **OF SPORTS RADIO**





### FROM ZERO TO INFINITY IN ENGAGEMENT & REVENUE

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### THE RESULTS

Comparing first half of 2020 to first half of 2021:

630%

400%

**Increase in Page Vews** 

**Grew Digital Advertising Revenue** 

## **50 MILLION**

**Monthly Page Views** 

+ Live Stream of On-Air Show

### THE SOLUTION

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#### SUCCESS NOTES

- · Grew digital audience from 60,000 monthly page views to 500,000
- Greater station reach, with 60 million monthly impressions
- · Monetization opportunities for podcasting, influencer-brand deals, and live-listener interaction
- Provided programmatic relationships originally unavailable to Dickey Broadcasting

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Improved visibility in specific environments positioning Newsweek above industry

benchmarks for maximized revenue.

Improved Newsweek's programmatic margins by 15% in some cases for their programmatic

marketplace business.

Optimized target and floor CPMs to deliver maximum yield resulting in improved margins, RPMs. and revenue.

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