Monthly SEO Case Study

SEO Analytics based on ongoing work provided for a website for company of furniture stores in the Midwest.



Website Pages Indexing in Growth

The Request

ZenFires was tasked to create a new website and provide SEO and website enhancements and maintenance on monthly basis for a furniture store owner. The website is for two furniture stores in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Our Work

Starting monthly at beginning of 2015 we began executing a new website, technology and hosting platform for this client, new SEO, ongoing editing, etc. We employed many strategic SEO initiatives to achieve results. We executed geo-local SEO and listings optimization, YouTube video optimization, keyword integrations into descriptions and social media pages, backlinking and link-sharing, and Google Images SEO with social media and website images. Our monthly SEO work (at a minimal cost/hours investment per month) has achieved a lot of work output, search results, awareness and end purchasing for the client. Importantly since our SEO efforts have represented the majority of the client's marketing efforts for year 2015.

The Results

In the following pages we compare the same period of comparison of 2 months between the previous provider (Dec. 2014 - Jan. 2015), and our services (Dec. 2015 - Jan. 2016). For organic searches (SEO; non-paid website traffic from search engines), results went from 6,000 sessions (website visits) in the previous year/provider to 8,500 organic search-based sessions in the new period with our services. "Average session duration" (the amount of time users spent on the website) also went up when comparing same periods, from 3:45 to 5:00 per user, indicating higher quality leads.

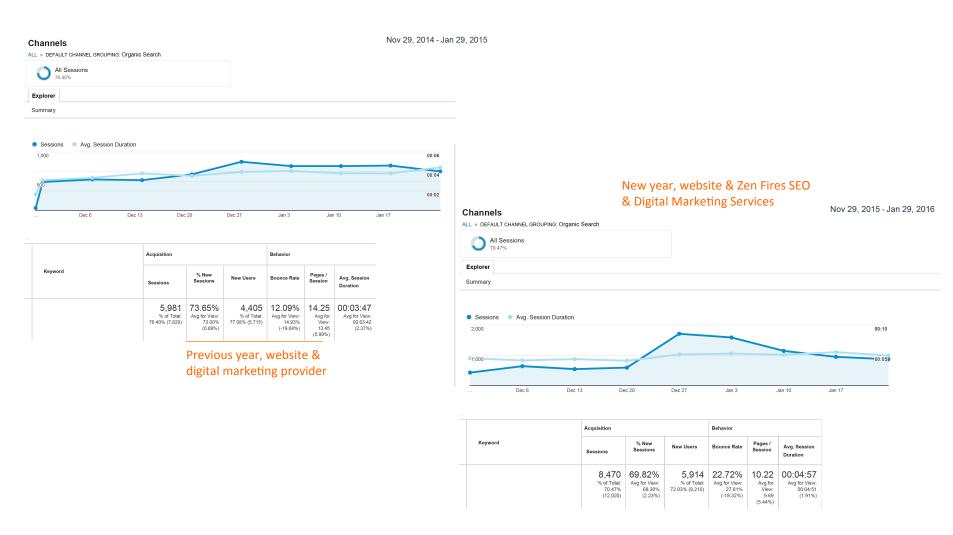
Zen Fires was also able to achieve number 1 Google local listings results for relevant non-brandname keywords for the client (including within YouTube for video optimization).

Top 20 keyword phrases driving traffic, for specifically new users to the new client website/new period, include important industry (non-brandname) words: 'furniture stores in indianapolis', 'furniture stores indianapolis', 'indianapolis furniture stores', 'discount furniture indianapolis', 'furniture indianapolis', 'furniture stores' and 'discount furniture'. The above keywords had not come up well for the previous period/website provider. Since new prospects should be less familiar with the brandname, and searching for their own furniture needs, SEO needs to provide for these searchers with keywords above. We have achieved new Google first-page results for website pages, Google reviews listings and even videos on primary Google results.

Zen Fires optimization efforts have been the primary marketing efforts for this company. Results were strong enough to enable the organization to announce a new store opening at end of 2015/beginning 2016.

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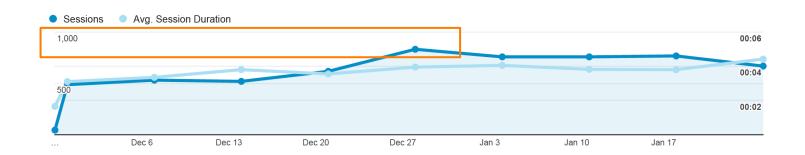
Note the 2 periods below compared between years. And note the change in ceiling from 1,000 sessions to 2,000. Detailed data blow-ups shown in following pages.



Previous Year, Website & Digital Marketing Provider

Note the flat average session duration below, and the data never to reach 1,000 website visits/week for results specifically from organic searches (previous website and digital marketing services provider).

Channels ALL » DEFAULT CHANNEL GROUPING: Organic Search All Sessions 76.40% Explorer Summary

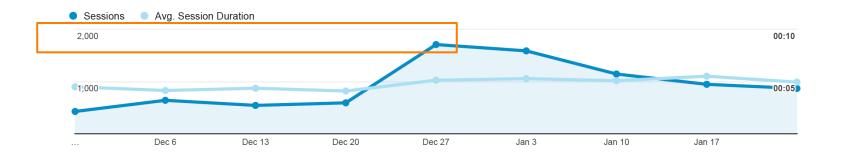


Keyword	Acquisition			Behavior		
	Sessions	% New Sessions	New Users	Bounce Rate	Pages / Session	Avg. Session Duration
	5,981 % of Total: 76.40% (7,829)	73.65% Avg for View: 73.00% (0.89%)	4,405 % of Total: 77.08% (5,715)	12.09% Avg for View: 14.93% (-19.04%)	14.25 Avg for View: 13.45 (5.99%)	00:03:47 Avg for View: 00:03:42 (2.37%)

New Year, Website & Zen Fires SEO & Digital Marketing Services

Note the 2,000 website visits/week ceiling, from organic search results specifically below, for our work period.

Channels ALL » DEFAULT CHANNEL GROUPING: Organic Search All Sessions 70.47% Explorer Summary



	Acquisition			Behavior		
Keyword	Sessions	% New Sessions	New Users	Bounce Rate	Pages / Session	Avg. Session Duration
	8,470 % of Total: 70.47% (12,020)	69.82% Avg for View: 68.30% (2.23%)	5,914 % of Total: 72.03% (8,210)	22.72% Avg for View: 27.81% (-18.32%)	10.22 Avg for View: 9.69 (5.44%)	00:04:57 Avg for View: 00:04:51 (1.91%)

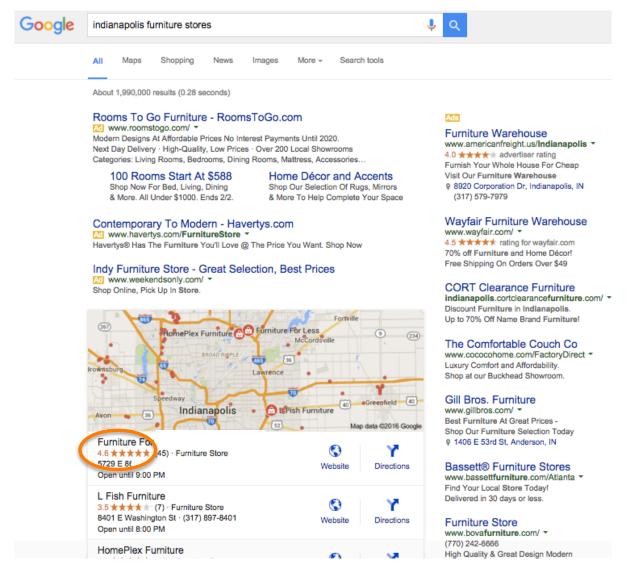
Business Prospect Quality Search Keywords Driving Traffic to New Website

Here are sample keywords from the list of top keyword phrases driving traffic to the new website under Zen Fires SEO and digital marketing services. Because these are non-brandname keywords, representing actual prospect demand searches, these are qualitative results. (Many of the other keywords in top 15 were brandname searches).

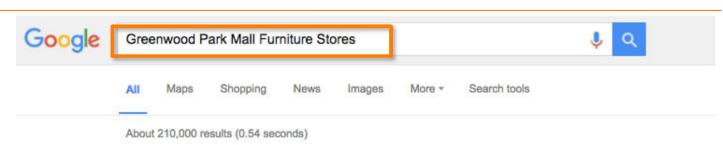
Keyword	Sessions	% New Sessions	New Users	Bounce Rate	Pages / Session	Avg. Session Duration
furniture for less	266	60.90%	162	24.81%	12.46	361.94
furniture stores in indianapolis	35	62.86%	22	20.00%	12.31	390.77
furniture stores indianapolis	21	85.71%	18	14.29%	8.86	180.14
indianapolis furniture stores	7	100.00%	7	42.86%	8.14	85.43
discount furniture indianapolis	7	85.71%	6	0.00%	13.86	345.43
furniture indianapolis	7	85.71%	6	14.29%	9.57	281.29
furniture stores	6	100.00%	6	33.33%	4.67	59.17
discount furniture	7	71.43%	5	42.86%	6.29	61.00
furniture	3	100.00%	3	66.67%	4.67	107.67

Number 1 Listing Result for Google Local

Zen Fires, employing geo-local SEO techniques, was able to achieve the number 1 spot for relevant keyword phrase 'indianapolis furniture stores'



Google Search Engine Results



YouTube video is number 7 organic search result in Google for keyword phrase "Greenwood Park Mall Furniture Stores," as a result of the optimization of the YouTube video for this location.

Furniture Store Greenwood Park Mall - Macy's Greenwood ...

I.macys.com > IN > Greenwood > 1251 U.S. 31 North • Macy's •
Shop for Home Goods, Furniture, Bed and Bath and more at Macy's Greenwood
Park Mall in Greenwood, Indiana and find deals and events going in store right ...

Furniture For Less - Greenwood, Indiana 46142 ... - Coaster www.coasterfurniture.com/StoreProfile.aspx?StoreId=55367 *

Furniture For Less located in Greenwood Indiana 46142 Coaster Fine Furniture ...
1251 US 31 South space P160 / The Outdoor Shops of Greenwood Park Mall

Complete List Of Stores Located At Greenwood Park Mall ...

www.simon.com/mall/greenwood-park-mall/stores * Simon Property Group * Get a complete, print friendly list of all of the stores, dining and entertainment options located at Greenwood Park Mall.

Mall Map - Women's Fashions - Shoes & Footwear - Rack Room Shoes

Welcome To Greenwood Park Mall - A Shopping Center In ...

www.simon.com/mall/greenwood-park-mall • Simon Property Group • Among the 150 plus stores, Greenwood Park Mall provides a diverse shopping experience featuring Von Maur, Macy's, jcpenney, Forever 21 and The Buckle. Store Directory - Mall Map - Open today from 10am to 9pm. - News & Events

Greenwood Park Mall Department Store - JCPenney in ...

stores.jcpenney.com > Indiana > Greenwood * J. C. Penney * Visit Greenwood Park Mall JCPenney department store and discover all of your ... with our inspiring selection of home decor, furniture, bedding and houseweres.

Sears Greenwood Park Mall - Greenwood, IN 46142 ...

www.sears.com > Sears Store Locator > Indiana * Sears *

317-865-8300 - Sears Greenwood Park Mall has everything from appliances to
tools. ... Sears Store Locator - Indiana; Sears Greenwood Park Mall ... You can find
furniture, appliances, clothing and more to keep you and your home chic and

Greenwood Park Mall Furniture Stores - YouTube



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dWtR_7sqUlo Dec 31, 2015 - Uploaded by Furniture Visit us online at http://www.indvfurnitu See your ad here »

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