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NYPOST.com delivers up-to-the-minutes local and national news, plus sports, Page Six gossip, entertainment (including TV and music news), lifestyle, opinion, blogs, photos, videos and more!

The screenshot shows the NYPOST.COM website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for 'Today's Paper', 'Login', 'Register', 'Classifieds', 'Archives', and 'Home Delivery'. A search bar is located on the right side of the top bar. The main header features the 'NEW YORK POST' logo and the date 'Last Updated: Tue., Nov. 10, 2009, 10:39am'. A weather widget for NYC shows '57° CLEAR'. A prominent 'BREAKING' banner reads 'GUNMAN SURRENDERS AFTER HOLDING NY PRINCIPAL HOSTAGE'. Below this are navigation tabs for 'News', 'Page Six', 'Sports', and 'Entertainment', each with a dropdown arrow. Under 'News', there are sub-links for 'NYC Local', 'Business', and 'Opinion'. Under 'Page Six', there are links for 'Gossip', 'Celeb Photos', and 'PopWrap'. Under 'Sports', there are links for 'Teams', 'High Schools', and 'Scores'. Under 'Entertainment', there are links for 'TV', 'Movies', 'Events', and 'Travel'. The main content area is divided into several sections. On the left, there is a 'NYC Now' section with the sub-header 'The Latest News & Events'. It features a 'Manhattan' article about 'IIN sites in 'thrax scare'' and a 'Brooklyn' article about 'Refinance nix sparks suit'. The central section features a large article titled 'FORT HOOD MASSACRE FEDS KNEW' with a photo of a man in a white lab coat. Below this is a 'Story' section titled 'FBI blew off killer e-mail to al Qaeda' and a 'Video' section. To the right of the main article is a 'Latest News' section with three smaller articles: 'Prof busted in Columbia gal 'punch'', 'J'LO SEX TAPE SHOCKER', and 'GAL FALLS ON TRAX AND LIVES'. At the bottom right, there is a large advertisement for a Sony Cyber-shot camera, featuring a silver camera and the text 'Save up to \$50 on select Cyber-shot® Cameras through Saturday.' The ad also includes a 'Learn More' link and the 'HDNA' logo.



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Site Statistics

	Statistics
Unique Users	10.2M
Page Views	124.2 M
Section Page Views	
Homepage	22.5 M
News	20.4 M
Page Six/Entertainment	20.4 M
Sports	10.5 M
Mobile Page Views	9.3 M
Male/Female	58/42%
Median Age	37.0

Source: Unique Users Comscore December 09 NYPOST.com Hybrid; Page Views HBX March 10; Mobile HBX April 10; Demos Media & Plan Metrix March '10



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Page Six

1 out of every 4 Page Six readers has a HHI of over \$150,000.

	% comp.	Index
Gender		
Women	66.0	116
Age		
18-49	44.0	109
25-54	70.0	113
Education		
College Grad	40.0	137
Professional/Managerial	43.0	134
Household Income		
\$100K+	50.0	196
\$150K+	27.0	279

Source: @Plan, Page Six Custom Study

Geographic Reach

A powerful national brand with local geo-targeting capabilities.



Source: Omniture HBX, January 2010



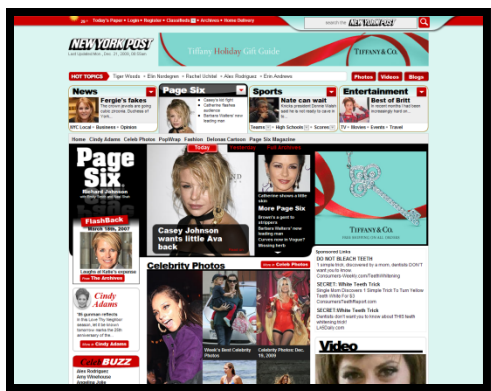
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Successful Advertisers

Starbucks



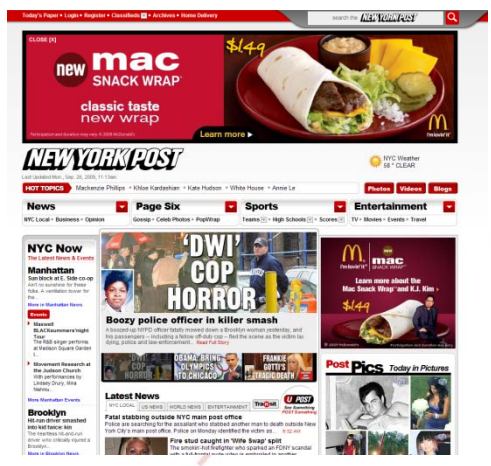
Tiffany & Co.



Norwegian Cruise Line



McDonald's



Promises



Corcoran



CW - Melrose Place



Bloomingdale's



Showtime - Nurse Jackie



Ad Positions – Homepage



Client Benefits

- Serves as the central portal to site
- NEW Local NYC

Opportunities

- Roadblock
 - 2 Box ads
- Rotational Media
 - 2 Box ads
- Takeover
 - Skin, Banner & 2 Box ads
- Mini takeover
 - Content module skin & logo
- Interstitial
- Push Down
- XXL Box
- Sponsorship of Post Pics, Video, Most Popular

Ad Positions – News, Sports, Page Six, Entertainment

The screenshot shows the New York Post website homepage with several ad positions and content sections:

- Top Navigation:** Includes "Today's Paper", "Login", "Register", "Classifieds", "Archives", and "Home Delivery".
- Search Bar:** Located at the top right with the text "search the NEW YORK POST".
- Hot Topics:** A horizontal bar with links to "Photos", "Videos", and "Blogs".
- News Section:** Features a "Photo finish" article about Anne Labovitz and a "Page Six" article about Fox's Sex Tape.
- Sports Section:** Includes a "Jolly St. Nick" article about Derek Jeter's walk-off home run and a "Job's no lock for ALDS" article about Jose Girardo.
- Entertainment Section:** Features a "Fashion Night Out" article about the fashion world.
- Scores Section:** Lists scores for various MLB teams like Rangers, Indians, Cubs, etc.
- Columnists:** Includes articles by Mike Vaccaro, Paul Schwartz, and Jon Sherman.
- Team Tracker:** A section for the New York Mets, including a "Mets RBI Leaders" table and a "2009 ML Best Startings" table.
- Most Popular:** A list of popular articles, such as "Z's screws loose" and "Alle wins gets support".
- Pets for Sale:** A section for adopting pets, including "Adorable New York Post Classifieds" and "Yellow Lab African Cocker Spaniel".

Opportunities

- Roadblock
 - *Leaderboard & 2 Box ads*
- Rotational Media
 - *3 ads Leaderboard & 2 Box ads*
- Takeover
 - *Skin, Banner, Leaderboard & 2 Box ads*
- Interstitial
- Push Down
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Please send all creative and ad tags to our traffic team at onlineadops@nypost.com

AD	SIZE	EXPANDABLE STATE	INITIAL LOAD	SECONDARY LOAD	NOTES
Standard Box Ad	300x250	500x250 Expands Left	40K	1200K	
Standard Leaderboard Ad	728x90	728x250 Expands Down	40K	1200K	
Half Page Ad	300x600	NONE	60K	1500K	
Standard Pencil Ad	970x30	NONE	40K	1200K	Auto-Expand cap at 1x per user per day Re-expansion on user click only
Pencil Ad – Pushdown	970x30	970x250 Expands Down	40K	N/A	
Pencil Ad - XXL Push Down	970 30	970x428 Expands Down	60K	1500K	Auto-Expand cap at 1x per user per day Re-expansion on user click only
Sponsorship Ad	150x30	NONE	20K	N/A	
Right Rail Ad	300x100	NONE	40K	N/A	
Homepage Masthead Ad	462x60	NONE	40K	1200K	Used in Takeovers Only
Fat Header Rollover Ad	300x100	NONE	20K	N/A	No Overlay Ads Accepted
Homepage XXL Box Ad	468x648	NONE	60K	1500K	Homepage Only
Transitional Ad	60x400	NONE	40K	1200K	15 Second Max
Peel Back Ad	125x100	500x500	40K	1200K	Appears at the Top Right of Browser
Newsletter - Box Ad	300x250	NONE	40K	N/A	No Animation/Flash
Newsletter – Leaderboard Ad	728x90	NONE	40K	N/A	No Animation/Flash
Takeover – Skin Pixel	1x1	NONE	2K	N/A	Impression Tracking Only
Takeover – Masthead Pixel	1x1	NONE	2K	N/A	Premium Takeovers Only, Impression Tracking Only
Mobile Ad – Blackberry	222x45	NONE	20K	N/A	.JPEG, .JPG, .PNG Only
Mobile Ad – iPhone/iTouch	350x50	NONE	12K	N/A	.JPEG, .JPG, .PNG Only



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TO ADVERTISE ONLINE

- Visit: <http://www.nypost.com/mediakit>
- Call: Online Advertising at 212.930.8104
- Email: asheeley@nypost.com

TO SUBMIT ONLINE CREATIVE/AD TAGS

Send an email to onlineadops@nypost.com following the below criteria:

- In the *Subject* line please state your New York Post representative and campaign name
- Creative/Ad Tags must be received **3 business days** prior to start of campaign run
- All Image and Flash files submitted for **standard advertising** must adhere to the **flash specifications** in this document
- All Images submitted for **takeovers and special sections** must adhere to the specifications in this document

ACCEPTABILITY GUIDELINES

All advertising is pending Publisher's approval. The New York Post does not accept tobacco or online gaming advertisements. The New York Post reserves the right to decline advertising that is inaccurate or misleading and does not comply with its decency standards.

Examples include but are not limited to:

- Illustrations or statements that are considered inappropriate
- Copyright, trademark, right to privacy, sale of real estate, sale of securities, and political advertisement
- Ads that include components affiliated with The New York Post editorial material (this includes but is not limited to New York Post-style headlines, bylines, news-style column arrangements or typography)

In addition, the New York Post reserves the right to brand an advertisement with the word "advertisement" when it is deemed necessary to make a clear differentiation between editorial material and advertising material.



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STANDARD ADS GUIDELINES

- Ads should be coded so that click-thrus launch a new browser window using **target="_blank"**
- Nested tables should be no more than four levels deep
- There is no capability to track clicks through forms

ACCEPTED IMAGE FORMATS

- .GIF / .JPG / .JPEG

HTML FORMATTING

- HTML attributes must be properly double-quoted
- Code should be submitted without HTML, TITLE, HEAD or BODY tags
- All form METHOD attributes must be set to "GET", not "POST"
- All tags should be correctly nested

FLASH SPECIFICATIONS

The New York Post does not accept or make changes to .FLA (Flash) files; all changes must be made by the client.

- A default/backup image must be submitted for all .SWF files
- All animated ads using Adobe Flash must be published for Flash plug-in 9 or lower
- All locally served Flash ads need to have a clickTag URL encoded (not a hard-coded click-thru URL)
- Clients must also supply a click-thru URL for each creative
- The New York Post is not responsible for .SWF files that are not properly coded using the clickTag variable
- The following code needs to be added inside a symbol or a button (not a movie clip) to the .SWF file prior to submission

```
on (release) {  
  if (clickTag.substr(0,4) == "http") {  
    getURL(_level0.clickTag, "_blank");  
  }  
}
```



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THIRD PARTY SPECIFICATIONS

We accept most Third party ad tags, however all third party ads are accepted conditionally and approved only after successful testing.

Streaming Media

- Audio only permitted with user interaction; must have on and off button
- User must click on or mouse-over conventional banner to initiate expansion
- Form elements must live within the table tags
- CGI scripting must reside on client's servers
- Method attribute for the form must be set to "GET" not "POST"

Plug-Ins

- Acceptable plug-ins include Shockwave, Flash and RealPlayer; any type not listed must be approved by the New York Post
- All plug-ins must be compatible with older browsers
- The New York Post must be given a Technical Contact
- The New York Post does not accept ads that require the user to download additional plug-ins

JavaScript, HTML & Other Media

This is accepted conditionally and approved on a case by case basis.

Java

The New York Post does not accept 3rd Party Java enabled advertisements.

Sound

Sound must be user initiated, cannot begin upon initial load and must have user controls (ie: stop or mute button)

POP-UP ADS

Pop-up ads may not spawn from another ad without the permission of The New York Post.

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FLOATING ADS (AKA: PRESTITIALS, INTERSTITIALS & OVERLAYS)

Prestitials, Interstitials and Overlays are creatives that appear over editorial content in such a way that the editorial content is not visible while the prestitial / interstitial / overlay is displaying. These creative types are not built by the New York Post but are available through our 3rd Party Rich Media Vendors. We will accept 3rd Party Code that follows these guidelines:

- Available in multiple sizes (size cannot exceed browser area)
- Animation can not exceed 10 seconds
- Should not interfere with other ads or other Flash elements
- Ad must have a clear and functioning skip or close button in the upper right quadrant of the ad
- Ad must be frequency capped at 1x per user, per day

NEWSLETTER ADS

- Newsletter ads must be .GIF, .JPG or .JPEG, less than 40k and **cannot animate**
- Tracking pixels cannot be used in newsletter ads
- Click-track URLs for newsletter ads may be used
- Newsletter ads cannot be geo-targeted

RICH MEDIA FEES

The New York Post is not liable for third party media fees. If you are interested in having the New York Post build and serve your Rich Media campaign please contact the New York Post for additional pricing information.

DECEPTIVE FUNCTIONALITY

All functionality within ads, including drop downs and navigation, should work as indicated. Buttons labeled as user navigation (ie: 'close') cannot be click thrus and must function as marked.

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ANIMATION / IN-AD VIDEO / EXPANDING ADS

- Animated ad units, which stay within fixed standard ad space (such as banners) , that run for longer than 30 seconds must provide the users with a prominent option to stop the animation/video
- Animated ad units extending from a fixed dimension ad unit can expand on click or mouse-over for a maximum of 10 seconds
- Animation cannot loop more than 3 times without a clear “stop” button
- Animated ads can be synchronized and must adhere to all animation guidelines
- All Flash files are required to have a backup image file and click thru url
- The maximum frames per second is 24
- No animation limits for pop-up and pop-under ads

PUSH DOWN ADS

- Must be designed to auto-expand with a frequency cap of 1x per user, per day
- The maximum run time on an animated push down is 10 seconds
- The maximum run time on a push down containing video is 20 seconds (with the video clip being no longer than 15 seconds)
- Must be built with a visible close button

The New York Post reserves the right to remove any ads that do not adhere to the requirements outlined in this Spec Document until a replacement ad is received.

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MOCKUP REQUESTS

Mockup requests must be submitted at **least 4 business days** prior to the due date

SOLD TAKEOVER REQUESTS

All takeover requests must be submitted **at least 2 weeks** prior to the go live date

DESIGN CHANGES

Design changes may be requested by the Advertiser up to **4 business days** prior to the go live date. Standard design communication is done in a 3-round design process:

- Phase 1A: Initial design submitted to client from New York Post Design Services
- Phase 1B: Client's changes submitted to your Account Executive
- Phase 2A: Second design submitted to client from New York Post Design Services
- Phase 2B: Client's second-round of changes submitted to your Account Executive
- Phase 3A: Final mock-up submitted to client from New York Post Design Services
- Phase 3B: Email required of approval of Phase 3A Mock **4 business days** prior to the go live date

MASTHEAD ANIMATION

The New York Post can create animated mastheads and/or animated ads. If mockups are requested for animations the New York Post will provide storyboards of what the animation might look like and behave.

- All animations are done using Flash
- If requested, different areas of the animation can be clickable
- Animation can not be geo targeted on Takeovers

SPECIAL SECTIONS, GAMES & CUSTOM AD UNITS

The New York Post offers extensive flash based games, special sections and ad units. These units are sold a-la-carte and are individually priced and built upon the need of the client. For more information on this type of ad please visit our flash example page. **URL:**

<http://www.nypost.com/tovers/flash>



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SUBMITTING ASSETS

Assets must be provided **at least 2 weeks prior to the go live date**

- We will accept layered .PNG / .PSD files as well as logos/branding in .EPS / .JPG / .GIF formats
- All Flash files to be used in Takeovers & Special Sections must be submitted in two format, .SWF and .FLA files
- Assets must be web based and no larger than 15M in size; please do not send print based (300 dpi) files
- E-mail submission to your Account Executive is preferred
- FTP submission is also accepted and can be accessed as follows;

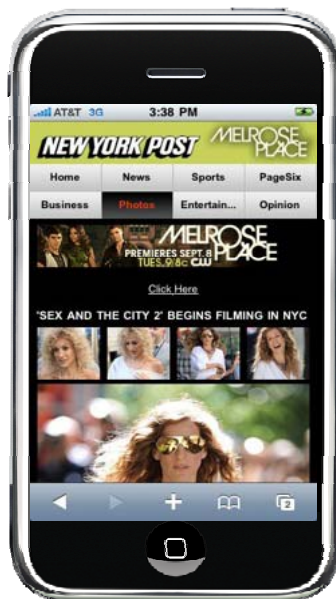
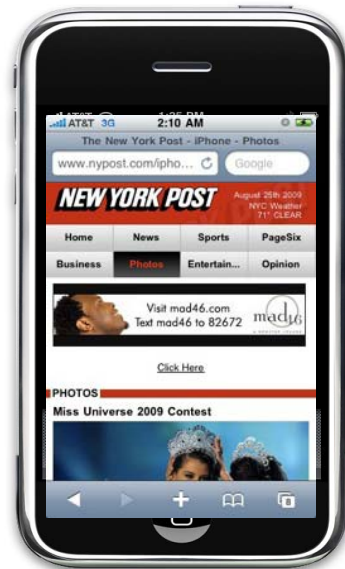
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Port: **21**
Username: **onlineads**
Password: **rAhE6u**
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NYP MOBILE

New York Post Mobile has the capability to develop creative and engaging advertising such as takeovers and other customized opportunities.

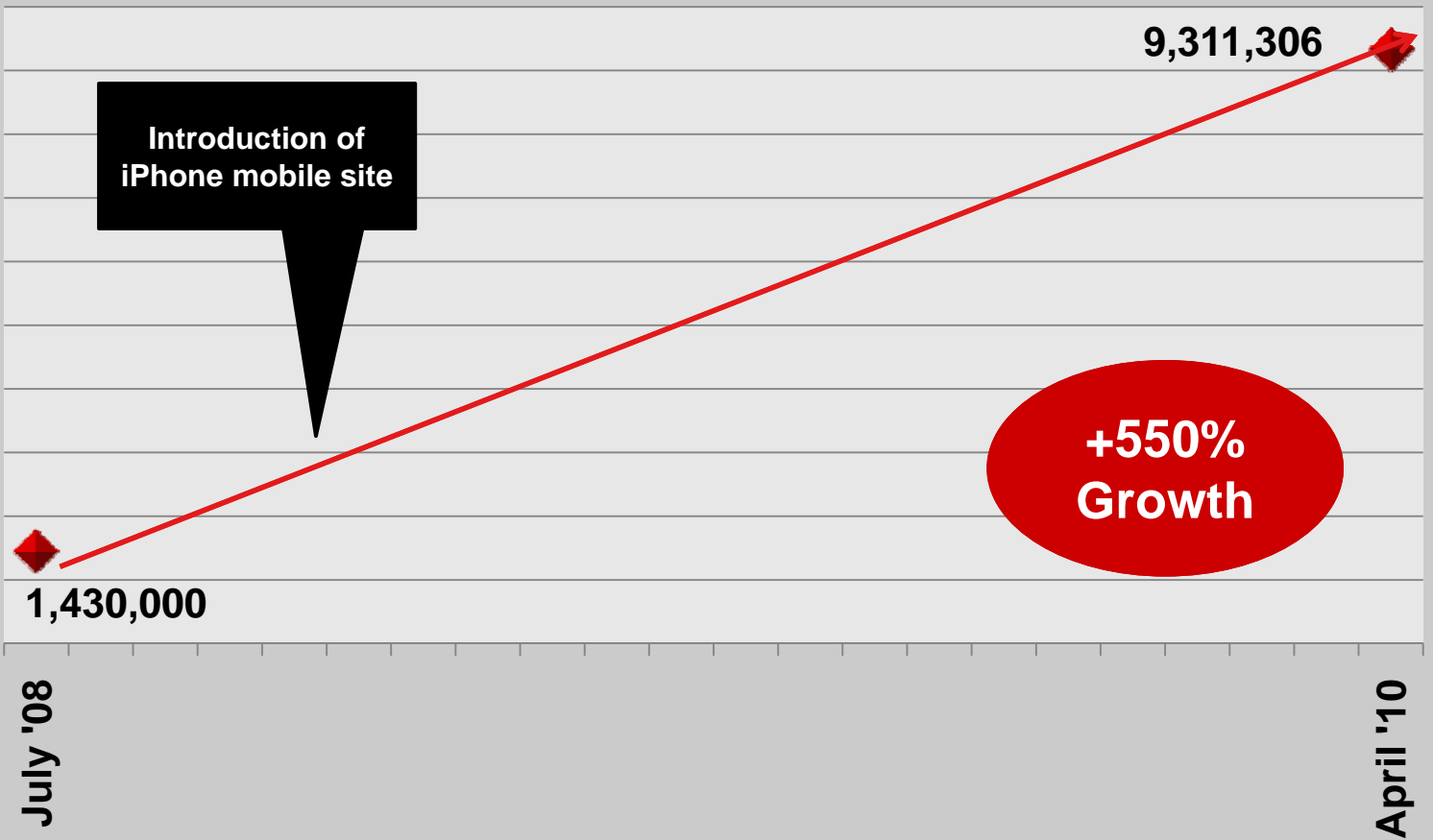
- News: Local & National
- Page Six and Entertainment
- Sports News and Live Scores
- Business News and Marketwatch
- Horoscopes
- Blogs
- Favorite Post Columnists



NYP MOBILE

New York Post Mobile has experienced triple digit growth over the past two years.

Mobile Page View Growth



Source: Mobile IQ July, 08-Oct, 08, Omniture HBX Nov, 08 – April 2010



NYP MOBILE

Opportunities

Banner Advertising



Takeovers





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Success Stories

The latest **Mad46** campaign experienced a **.60%** Click-Through Rate (CTR). While the average mobile ad CTR is .08%, New York Post Mobile delivered a whopping **65%** over the average for our client.



Running on mobile from September 4th through 8th, The **CW** chose to advertise its resurrection of the hit television show **Melrose Place** with New York Post Mobile. The campaign was a success with a **.80%** CTR and included a takeover of the site.



Donna Karan's launch of her iPhone App was a huge success on New York Post's iPhone optimized site, experiencing a **.57%** CTR.



Toyota Prius ads for the 3rd generation Prius ran on mobile and NYPOST.com. Mobile CTR was **.33%** for the three month campaign.





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