

Promote & Market Your Book Online Course

How to Increase Sales & Put Your Book to Work for Your Business

Module 3 – Set Up for Sales Success

Lesson 3:

Build Your Launch Team



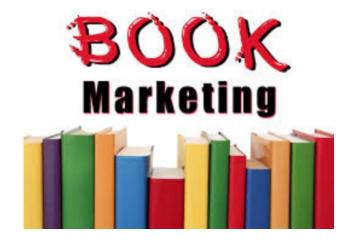
Learning Objective:

Identify the supporters who will promote your book for you

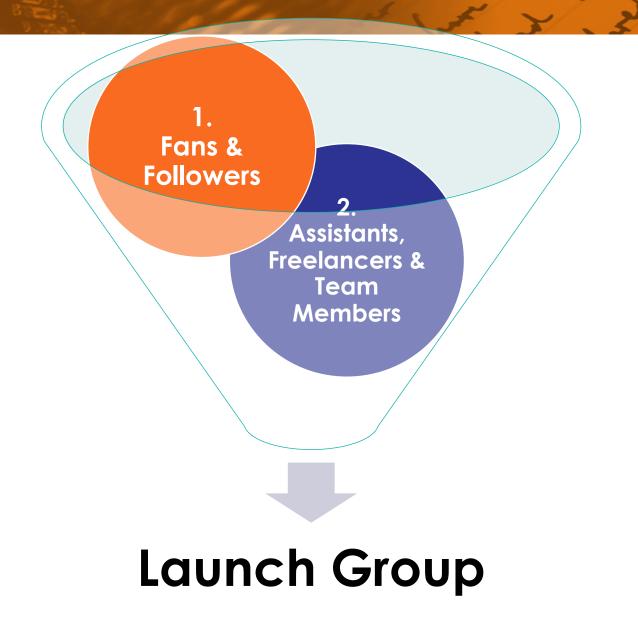


Fans and Followers

- You don't have to launch your book alone
- You need enthusiastic people on your side

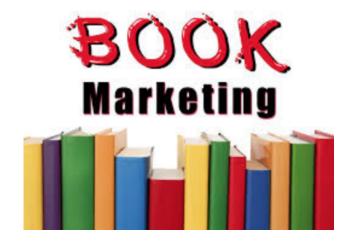








Get clear about what you expect from your launch team and visa versa





> Read your book

>Leave a review on launch day

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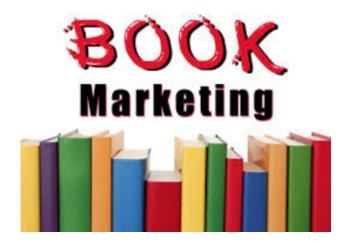
>Leave a review on launch day

>Share coming book news

>Take an active part in social media on launch day



Find ways to show your gratitude





A free, signed copy of the final printed version

Their name in your book

An exclusive webinar or group session

'Thank you' shout-outs on social media

• Gifts such as chocolates, cupcakes, flowers, fruit basket, etc

Coupons for substantial savings

Tactics to Build and Involve Your Team

- Set up dedicated email list with a sign-up page/box
- Start inviting people 3 months before launch

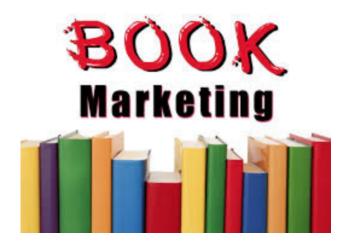


Send an invitation to your existing email lists with a link to a sign-up form

- Post an invitation on social media, especially in groups you run
- Put a sign-up form on your website and book blog
- Create a dedicated book launch team page

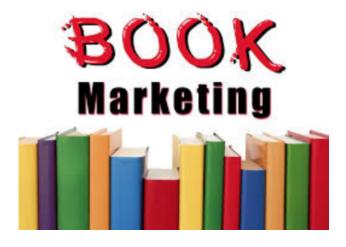


You don't have to accept everyone. Check their motivation with a short survey





Prepare to welcome your launch team





Run a welcome livestream or Zoom meeting

Set assignments in pre-launch phase

Run
livestreams in
the run up to
launch day

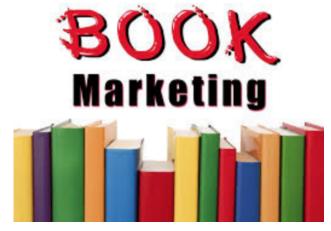
➤Offer free events or bonus materials

Plan a contest for launch day



Your Assistants, Freelancers, and Team Members

Inspire your paid team members with your book project





- Ensure clear communication by using a project management tool like Asana or Trello
- Make sure you use the expertise of your virtual assistant or team members (if you have them)
- Use the book launch process as an opportunity to develop skills in your team
- Invite them to join the launch team Facebook group and take part in the launch activities



Action Steps:

- 1. Write down:
 - a. Your expectations of launch team members
 - b. The benefits you will offer them
- 2. Compile a list of potential launch team members
- 3. Finalize your launch team membership and invite them to join the Facebook group.
- 4. In what ways can you best use your assistants, freelancers, and team members?



