SELECTING AND UNDERSTANDING

Bar•Bat Mitzvah Entertainment

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UNDERSTAND YOUR NEEDS & VISION...

What is YOUR vision for the party? Please answer the following:

1. Is this **PARTY FOCUS** geared to the kids, the adults or both? _____

2. How many traditional **FORMALITIES** do you plan on involving? (Circle all that apply)

Grand entrance	Hora	Toasts
Candle lighting	Montage	
Kiddush/ Hamotzi	Honor Dance	

3. Is there a **THEME**? If so, what is it? _____

4. **PHOTO BOOTHS**... now as popular as having speakers and lights at parties, photo booths are practically an expectation at Bar/Bat Mitzvahs. Things to consider when exploring photo booth choices include: overall photo quality, digital delivery vs physical prints, back drop or enclosure, appearance and cost.

5. **LIGHTING**... there are four main categories of lights. If you don't understand the differences, ask a representative to get a better understanding.
   a. Ambient Room Lighting
   b. Dance Floor Lighting
   c. Gobo Projection
   d. Pin Spotting

6. **GAMES** are popular at Mitzvahs! Games can shape a party, games can define a party or games can derail a party. Envision how you foresee the party. Do you want any of the following:
   a. Rental of games like Air Hockey, Foosball, Ping Pong, etc.
   b. DJ driven games like Coke and Pepsi, Scavenger Hunt, Trivia, etc.

7. **ACTIVITIES/PERFORMERS**... there are stand out elements which can be added to your party to match your theme and ultimately help solidify unique memories. You may consider...

- Live Musicians	- Air Brush Artists	- LED Robot
- Magicians	- Costumed Performers	- Aerialists

Don't have all the answers yet? That's OK! Let's chat and brainstorm a few realistic scenarios to consider.

MEET YOUR XPLOSIVE ENTERTAINMENT TEAM...

1. The **DJ** handles the music mixing seamlessly and creating the audio landscape.

2. The **MC** is your event announcer, hype man (or woman) and becomes the face (and voice) responsible to coordinate all expected formalities, while keeping the energy up.

3. **DANCERS/MOTIVATORS** are extensions to the MC. These highly charismatic personalities immerse themselves on the dance floor with the guests while supporting the MC. These dancers/motivators are responsible to hand out swag, coral the audience, teach dance moves, befriend the kids and act as crowd control during important moments.

4. **TECHS/SUPPORT STAFF...** Photo booths, lighting, video screens, games, fun food stations, etc. all require additional support staff. These roles are often overlooked, yet they are vital roles to ensure a smooth flowing celebration while your primary performers can maintain proper focus and attention to their responsibilities.

5. **PERFORMERS...** in addition to the above crew, it's very common to employ additional talents to help elevate Bar & Bat Mitzvahs. These talents can include magicians, musicians, cirque styled performers, stilt walkers, airbrush artists and more!

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TALENT PACKAGES

	Essentials	Essentials +	Select Packages: XE-3	Select Packages: XE-5	Select Packages: X-clusive
Online Planning Portal	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Premium Reception Sound System	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Sound For Cocktail Hour	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Party Favors	✓	✓	Upgraded	Upgraded	Upgraded
Experienced DJ	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Charismatic MC	Assigned	Assigned	Choice	Choice	Choice
Dance Floor Motivators	Two	Two	Three	Four	Four
Stages (additional 4x4 blocks availale $200 each)		8 ft x 2ft Low	12 ft x 4ft Mid Height	12 ft x 4ft Two Tier	16 ft x 4ft Two Tier
POPULAR ENHANCEMENT options: *CO2 Gun, Dancing on the Clouds, Personalized Audio, Monogram Gobo, Intelligent Lights (2), Step and Repeat Banner, Goal Post Trussing, Room Up-Lighting, Snow Machine, Black Light Invasion, LED Hora Chair, T-Shirt Cannon, Additional Dancer, Zap Photos, Video Simulcast, Montage Creation, Spark Fountains (2), Confetti Blast*			Select Two	Select Three	Select Three
		Looking for more? *Popular Enhancements are available for $600 each.*			
PREMIUM ENHANCEMENT options: *TVs with Standard Montage Creation or Zap Photos, Intelligent Lights (4), Spark Fountains (4), Animated Gobo, Tattoo Parlor, Social Zap Photos, Black Light Neon Fantasy, Donut/Pretzel Wall, Roaming Photo Booth (without prints), Open Air Photo Booth Kiosk (with prints), Stage & Facade Decal Package*			Select One	Select Two	Select Two
		Looking for more? *Premium Enhancements are available for $1200 each.*			
BONUS FEATURES		Selfie Photo Booth (digital delivery only) OR two TV Displays			12′ x 7′ Video Wall & Six Moving Heads
SUNDAYS:	$4,250	$4,750	$7,250	$8,850	$15,000 SUN/ $16,500 SAT
JAN, FEB, MARCH, APRIL, JULY, AUG: OFF PEAK SATURDAYS:	$4,750	$5,550	$8,250	$9,850	
SEPT, OCT, NOV, DEC, MAY, JUNE: PEAK MONTHS SATURDAYS:	$5,250	$6,250	$8,750	$10,750	

DON'T SEE WHAT YOU WANT? THAT'S OK... WE LOVE TO PERSONALIZE! CALL FOR A CUSTOM QUOTE.

* *MANY ENHANCEMENT CHOICES HAVE UPGRADEABLE OPTIONS AVAILABLE*
* *SOUND SYSTEM FOR ON-SITE SERVICE (includes 1 hour early setup) $500*
* *ADD 15% TO NYC BOOKINGS AND EVENTS EXCEEDING 90 MINUTE DRIVE*

*pricing applicable for 2025 | add $300 for 2026 | add $400 for 2027

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VIDEO WALL & STAGING options

Video walls and stages transform rooms and become focal points of the space. These are the most popular trends in the Mitzvah industry.

12′ X 7′ VIDEO WALL
$4500

16′ x 9′ VIDEO WALL
$6000

STAGES
(in these photos you see 4ft x 4ft stages). The shorter stages are 16″ tall. The taller stages are 24″ tall. Most packages come with stages. Each additional platform is $200.

12′ X 7′ VIDEO WALL WITH 16′ STAGING

3 VIDEO WALLS WITH 24′ STAGING

12′ X 7′ VIDEO WALL WITH 16′ STAGING
WITH 6 MOVING HEAD LIGHTS - OUR XCLUSIVE PACKAGE

12′ X 7′ VIDEO WALLS WITH CUSTOM STAGING

16′ X 9′ VIDEO WALL WITH 16′ STAGING
WITH ELEVATED DJ AND COLD SPARK EFFECT

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LIGHTING & ATMOSPHERIC effects

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LIGHTING EFFECTS

INTELLIGENT MOVING HEAD LIGHTS

LIGHT TUBES

BLACK LIGHTS

UP LIGHTING

GOBO PROJECTION

Our BLACK LIGHT INVASION includes high powered UV lights, white gloves and glow props. This is an amazing way to add a jolt of energy into the last hour of the party!

Our NEON FANTASY is an upgrade to the above including all items within the invasion, but also adding glow body paints, dancer costumes and additional LED/glow props.

ATMOSPHERIC EFFECTS

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CO2 GUN

T-SHIRT GUN

DANCING ON THE CLOUDS

COLD SPARK FOUNTAINS

CONFETTI CANNONS

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Photo.tainment options

We are proud to offer a wide array of high quality photo booths. We employ trained personable attendants and use the latest premium equipment available.

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OPEN AIR PHOTO BOOTH

iPad Based Selfie Booth - text only $850

DSLR Based Photo Booth - text and prints $1200

- Includes choice of in-house backdrop, unlimited prints, on-site attendant and props.
- Option to add custom 8ft x 8ft step & repeat banner or green screen $300

IMMERSIVE ENCLOSURES

(does not include photo booth)

Soft Walls $3000 (3 custom printed interior walls, drapery exterior walls and printed floor)

Hard Walls $4500 (3 custom printed interior walls, printed exterior walls and printed floor)

- Add a swing for $500
- Also available: locker rooms, crinkle walls, mirrors and more!

FULLY CUSTOMIZABLE. HAVE A VISION? LET US CREATE IT!

360 BOOTH

$2000

(printed signage additional)

RING ROVER

(roaming photo station)

$1200 text only

GREENERY WALL, MAGAZINE ENCLOSURE, SKI LIFT RED CARPETS AND OTHER UNIQUE SETS AVAILABLE!

SOCIAL ZAPS (a crowd favorite, Zap Photos, with facial recognition technology to text attendee branded images throughout the event) $1200 digitial only

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GAMES & ACTIVITIES

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SPORTS GAMES | ARCADE | GAME SHOWS | CASINO | CARNIVAL | NOVELTIES

Games can be ordered a la carte or in bundles. Inquire for pricing (varies based on logistics).
Examples are below. ***Below are some popular chioces. Our inventory is always evolving.***

Basketball Connect - 4

Power Pong

Casino Games

Pac-Man

Larger Battle Royale also available

Atari Pong

Skee Ball

Wak-a-Mole

Boxing

Air Hockey

Traditional, LED or 6-Player

Digital Connect 4

Table Top Non-Digital also available

Foosball

Traditional, Regular LED or Giantor LED available

Basketball Madness

Urban Hoops and Pop-a-Shot also available

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LIVE TALENTS

Xplosive has long lasting trusted relationships with many incredible and unique talents. If you are looking for something special and super memorable, let us know!

COSTUMED PERFORMERS

CIRQUE ARTISTS

LED ROBOT

MAGICIANS/MENTALISTS

CARICATURISTS

AIRBRUSHING

LIVE MUSICIANS Saxophonist | Violinist | Keyboardists | Guitarists | Percussionists | Bands

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FUN FOOD Stations

We have built some great custom kiosks and offer fun food solutions to step up the presentation of your favorite treats!

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NYC NEWS STAND
WAWA & 7-11
DUNKIN' DONUTS
CHICK-FIL-A
CUSTOM SHOPS and MORE!

Kiosks starting at $1750 (kiosk and staff)
(cost of food additional TBD based on your selections)

BOBA TEA (up to 150 servings)

Two flavors - setup on table with one attendant $1500
Four flavors - includes kiosk and two attendants $2750

CANDY BUFFETS & STATIONS

Assorted Jars with Candy on a Cleverly Displayed Table Top: $1250
Kiosk, Signage and Favorite Candies $2750+

DONUT, BAGEL or PRETZEL WALLS

$950 with100 servings

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KIOSKS & SWAG SHOPS

HEAT PRESS SWAG SHOP STATION

Custom branded personalization stations outfitted with trained merch staff. Heat press hats, tees, sweatshirts and more!
Note: these kiosks can alternatively be used as swag stations and repurposed for a multitude of other functions.

GLAM BAR & TATTOO PARLOR

Air Brush Tattoo Parlor, Nail Art, Hair Bling, Foil Tattoos, Eye Art, Glam Lashes, Eye Shadow, Hair Extensions, Permanent Jewlery and more!

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SUPPORT TEAM

We believe the talent should focus on their primary roles and additional support staff should be included on higher level or more demanding events. This is the secret sauce to event perfection!

SWAG COORDINATORS

One of the most recent trends at bar/bat mitzvahs lately has become the distribution of incredible amounts of personalized swag. From tee shirts, to hoodies, hats, pajama pants, small electronics, stuffed animals, giant slippers, gift cards, candy and more, entertainment teams have become expected to distribute these items to guests. On top of all this swag, our dancers are expected to hand out DJ provided give-aways such as glow items, sun glasses, hats and more. To manage this process, keep control and organization to the overflowing boxes of swag and mostly to allow the performance team to continue performing, we have introduced a new and very valuable role called the SWAG COORDINATOR. The Swag coordinator is $450.

ENTERTAINMENT COORDINATORS

Want the MC to focus on his/her task? Want the dancers to dance non-stop all night? Do you have a photo booth, games, food kiosks, etc? With more elements added to your event's run of show, we are proud to introduce a role called the ENTERTAINMENT COORDINATOR. This person is the on-site liaison between the venue, vendors and performance staff. This person manages all entertainment and "extra entertainment" elements. As event expectations grow, the role of the MC gets confused. The MC is the master of ceremonies. He or she is best guided by an additional set of eyes and ears at demanding events. This vital role is required for all events with more than three unique event features. The entertainment coordinator becomes the glue holding your celebration together. An added EC is $750.

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FAQs

We love to get creative!

Our OFFICE TEAM consists of a DIVERSE group of professionals who are passionate about creating UNIQUE MITZVAH celebrations. We offer COMPLETE event package SOLUTIONS as you found earlier in this mitzvah packet.

Alternatively, we love to BRAINSTORM, BUILD and CREATE never before seen EXPERIENCES for your guests to RAVE about for years following the celebration of your son or daughter.

Got an idea or vision? Let's chat!

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What are the payment terms? For events under $7500 the required deposit is $1500. For events over $7500 the required deposit is $2500. In most cases, a second deposit is not required. A second deposit may be required when booking additional services or talents. Final balances are due 10 business days prior to the event date.

What forms of payments are accepted? The initial deposit can be paid using a credit card, cash or check. There are no fees to use a credit card for the initial deposit. If using a credit card for the balance payment, a 3% processing fee is added. We also offer an online ACH portal and accept wire transfers. Venmo, PayPal, CashApp are NOT accepted.

When should I reserve my date or book talent? Mitzvahs customarily book as far out as 2+ years in advance. We encourage you to book as soon as you can. This helps ensure you get your first choice of MC talent and gets you locked into pricing before potential increases. We suggest you lock in the important items early on, such as your package and MC choice. Other items such as lighting, photo booths, etc can be detailed at a later date.

What is the planning process like? Xplosive takes great pride in our planning process. You will be assigned a coordinator in our office. This full time employee will be available for you Monday to Friday to answer any questions you have. Additionally, we set you up with an easy to use event planning portal. Within this portal, you provide us with music requests and details for your formalities such as candle lighting, introductions, etc. Roughly 30 days before your event the coordinator will schedule a "finals" meeting to review all details thoroughly. The week of your event, the MC will have an additional call/zoom to align with your final vision.

After making a reservation, can I make changes? Yes! We fully understand that themes, trends, visions and budgets change. Your initial deposit is in place to hold the date and initial package. We can make changes to the details as your ideas and needs change. Changes to talent requests will be handled based on availability. You can always upgrade. Downsizing contracts is not permitted.

Are there any hidden costs? No! We strive for full transparency and clear communications. The contracted services should be the only billed services. It is common for clients to add or adjust services as the event date nears. This may change the final balance from the original contract, but fees are always clearly communicated. If we find the need to add a client coordinator or discover complications in regards to setup and/or parking, additional fees will be communicated to you upon the time of discovery.