



# CASE STUDY

### SITUATION

Hooters addresses the 2020 menu safety and promotion challenges while driving sales growth.

#### **OUR SOLUTION**

Hooters of America (HOA) and Bruce Skala became an early adopter of BeerBoard's Smart Menus, a centralized real-time location specific dynamic QR-code based complete food & beverage management solution that includes targeted video promotion capabilities! Each restaurant is able to feature their complete food, draft & packaged beer, featured drinks, liquor, and wine offerings. In this case, HOA featured Lagunitas IPA in all restaurants using SmartMenu's video capabilities.

#### **RESULTS**

The featured brand (Lagunitas), which was already the #1 brand in the style, increased volume sales 10 **TIMES** the overall beer growth at 82% and share over 60% - at FULL MARGIN. Overall, Hooters increased draft growth 8% over the prior six weeks.





"The SmartMenus video campaign **OUTPERFORMED** expectations producing dramatic results at full margin with a brand that was already the #1 style.

SmartMenus' dynamic approach engages our customers through digital content. We now have the ability to monitor menu traffic and lift from promoted items – insights we never had with print menus.

BeerBoard is a valued strategic partner that we can count on to provide innovations to drive results, even in the most trying times."



Bruce Skala SVP Marketing

## VIDEO CAMPAIGN RESULTS



HALF A MILLION user views of the content on SmartMenus.



+82%

Lagunitas IPA volume was +82%, roughly **10X** the overall Hooters draft growth.



+68%

Lagunitas IPA's share growth nationally was **5.3%**. Within Hooters, growth was 68%, outpacing the national performance more than 12X.



Craft share decreased at Hooters and nationally. IPA style share grew though — +31% at Hooters, compared to just +4.6% nationally.



**Hooters' Success Story** 

To see the video promotion, more details about the campaign and connect with BeerBoard use following

link: