Things you should consider when looking for Entertainment and Event Equipment Suppliers

How long has an entertainment supplier been in the entertainment and event industry, are they really entertainment suppliers or just equipment suppliers?

There is a big difference. We have been in the entertainment business providing events both nationally and internationally for 30 years.

How long does it takes a company to respond to messages, are they available 24/7? In the entertainment industry you should at least have a 24/7 event manager's contact number. Do they provide you with an experienced and dedicated event manager?

All our event managers have a minimum of 7 years full time experience in the business.

Social media presence, has your entertainment supplier got any? If so it's a great way for you to do some research, do they have any up to date reviews or a testimonial page on their website? Can they provide you with companies or people who will offer recommendations?

We have 5* reviews on Facebook and numerous testimonials throughout our website.

If you require international entertainment, equipment or events does the company have the expertise to provide this? Are their staff able to provide a professional service to your clients or guests?

Our first international event was in 1992, and has continued until the present day, from European countries such as Belgium and France, to further afield including Hong Kong.

Does the entertainment company you chose provide you with the confidence they are going to exceed your expectations with everything they are to provide? Are they willing go that extra mile?

We are proud to have never failed to deliver an event in 30 years and pride ourselves in exceeding expectations.

Do your entertainment suppliers stay ahead of the game and supply you with new products on a regular basis, helping to make your event stand out from the crowd?

Over the years we have been instrumental in the design and presentation of new products and equipment.

Can your event company supply you with information regarding your event, the event manager's experience and images of any equipment to be provided?

This can be a useful tool for you, helping you to choose the right entertainment company and with the promotion of your event. We can provide you with any information you need to ensure your event is a success.

Check all the relevant Health and Safety documents including public liability insurance, Section 11(6) certificates, event authorization, PAT test certificates, food hygiene qualifications, ADIPS, DBS certificates? All of which may be necessary to cover you on your event. Manual handling is also a very important consideration in our industry. All of our staff are suitably trained and are certified where necessary.

Is your chosen provider prepared to arrange site visits with you or prepared to let you visit their office or premises and view equipment? Here at LMS we have nothing to hide.

Check the terms and conditions, if you are unsure ask.

We are happy to answer any questions regarding these.

Does the company you have chosen have a good fleet of vehicles to ensure safe equipment delivery on time?

All our vehicles are up to date, well presented and unbranded.

The bottom line for many people is cost, however please ensure quotes are like for like and the entertainment you book is going to exceed your expectations. Inferior entertainment delivery and equipment can reflect negatively on you.