Application Note: Events





Event Security

Criminal gangs fly to the UK with the specific goal of hitting festivals*

- Anti-social Behaviour
- Drug Misuse
- Acquisitive Crime
- Emergency Planning
- Health & Safety
- Future Licences
- Crowd Management



*Source: Chief Superintendent Andy Battle, Divisional Commander of West Yorkshire Police and Chair of the APCO Music Advisory Group.

There are 7000 major outdoor events held in the UK every year, each representing a unique combination of culture, venue and attendees. Effective event security is required not only to provide a safe and secure environment for attendees and exhibitors, but also to protect and enhance the brand reputation of the event and its sponsors. Diverse, sometimes remote locations demand self-sufficient CCTV systems that can operate without power and external lighting, especially during build-up and break-down when supporting services are necessarily limited. During the event itself, effective co-ordination with local Police and an array of security professionals is paramount.

The VPS Site Security event solution addresses all these concerns with a combination of JCB Smart Towers, fully integrated, networked CCTV systems powered by emission-free hydrogen fuel cells, and a portable control room facility that can be installed anywhere on the site.

- Complete monitored CCTV solution including cameras, lighting, detection, recording, transmission and viewing
- Deployable in remote locations with no power, lighting or mobile data network
- Towers can be first on-site to provide secure environment for exhibitors and contractors
- Extremely cost effective compared to guards

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with the security provision to protect the site from intruders, but the open field area also meant they could be subject to intense conditions of rain and wind. The VPS Site Security risk assessors and installation team used their expertise brilliantly and the Smart Towers delivered on all aspects of the project.



