## The only marketing calendar you'll need in 2023

Marketing ideas, social posts, and promotions for October!

## October

## THIS MONTH'S MARKETING MUST

Video killed the radio star, and it's still on the rise. Video is a powerful marketing tool to help you connect with customers, share what your business is all about, and show-instead of tell-why people should do business with you.

## QUICK TIPS

$\Rightarrow$ Make a quick video from your cell phone walking through your location or introducing yourself and share it on social media.
$\Rightarrow$ Try going live on Facebook or Instagram to build engagement with your audience.
> Test YouTube Ads to further engage and reach your audience.

## MARKETING AND PROMOTION IDEAS

$\rightarrow$ Holiday shopping starts this month (we know, it seems early!)--make sure your holiday marketing is locked and loaded and maybe even running already.

- Everyone enjoys a three-day weekend - well, some states will this month! Implement long-weekend specials and make sure to update your opening hours on Google My Business if you're closing for the public holiday.

of customers would rather learn about a product or service through a video than text. Source: HubSpot
\#worldmentalhealthday, \#trickortreat, \#halloween, \#spooky, \#pumpkins, \#daylightsavings, \#worldvegetarianday

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| World Vegetarian Day | World Smile Day | 3 <br> Mean Girls Day \& Oktoberfest Ends | 4 | 5 <br> World Teacher Day | 6 <br> World Smile Day | 7 |
| 8 | 9 | $10$ <br> World Mental Health Day | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 15 | $16$ <br> World Food Day \& Bosses Day | 17 | $18$ <br> Ride to Work Day | 19 | 20 | $21$ <br> "Back to the Future" Day |
| International Stuttering Awareness Day | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29 | 30 | $31$ <br> Halloween |  |  |  |  |

## EMAIL SUBJECT LINES

- A Treat from Us, No Tricks
- Devilish Deals: Halloween Weekend Only


## SOCIAL CALENDAR IDEAS

Oct 5: World Teachers' Day
Create a special offer or discount for teachers and promote it across your social sites. Ask your followers to tag their favorite teachers in the comments to spread the world! \#worldteachersday

Oct 10: World Mental Health Day
Share social posts from reputable mental
health resources to your social media pages to raise awareness for this cause. \#worldmentalhealthday

## Oct 31: Halloween

Run a Halloween throwback contest Ask your followers to share pictures of their favorite Halloween costumes from when they were kids. Choose a winner for a special Halloween-themed prize at random! \#halloween

