## Annual planning calendar - 2014

January	February	March - 20 <sup>th</sup> = spring
25 <sup>th</sup> – Burns Night (Scotland)	7 <sup>th</sup> – Sochi winter Olympics	1 <sup>st</sup> – St David's Day (Wales)
25 <sup>th</sup> – RSPB Big Garden Birdwatch (UK)	10 <sup>th</sup> – Chatterbox challenge (UK)	4 <sup>th</sup> – Shrove Tuesday – pancakes (Christian)
26 <sup>th</sup> – Australia Day (Australia)	14 <sup>th</sup> – Valentine's Day (global)	17 <sup>th</sup> – St Patrick's Day (Ireland)
31st - Chinese New Year (China)	22 <sup>nd</sup> – World thinking day	30 <sup>th</sup> - Mothering Sunday (Christian)
April	May	June – 21 <sup>st</sup> = summer
1 <sup>st</sup> – April Fools Day	1 <sup>st</sup> – May Day	2 <sup>nd</sup> – Healthy eating week (UK)
20 <sup>th</sup> – Easter Sunday (Christian)	11 <sup>th</sup> – Christian Aid week (global)	8 <sup>th</sup> – World oceans Day
22 <sup>nd</sup> – Earth Day (global)	13 <sup>th</sup> – Wesak (Buddha's birthday)	15 <sup>th</sup> – Father's Day (UK)
23 <sup>rd</sup> – St George's Day (England)	25 <sup>th</sup> – Africa Day (Africa)	17 <sup>th</sup> – Picnic week (UK)
July	August	September – 23 <sup>rd</sup> = autumn
Wimbledon (UK – and end of June)	8 <sup>th</sup> – World cat day (UK)	13 <sup>th</sup> – Roald Dahl's birthday (UK)
4 <sup>th</sup> – Independence Day (America)	13 <sup>th</sup> – International left handers day (global)	14 <sup>th</sup> – Harvest Festival
14 <sup>th</sup> – Bastille Day (France)	24 <sup>th</sup> – Notting Hill carnival (UK)	19 <sup>th</sup> – Jeans for genes day (UK)
23 <sup>rd</sup> – Commonwealth Games (Scotland/global)	28 <sup>th</sup> – Eid-Ul-Fitr (Muslim - end of Ramadan)	26 <sup>th</sup> – Johnny Appleseed's birthday (USA)
October	November	December – 21 <sup>st</sup> = winter
1 <sup>st</sup> – the big draw (UK)	5 <sup>th</sup> – Bonfire Night (England)	6 <sup>th</sup> – St Nicholas Day (Europe)
4 <sup>th</sup> – World space week (global)	11 <sup>th</sup> – Remembrance Day (UK)	13 <sup>th</sup> – St Lucia's Day (Europe)
23 <sup>rd</sup> – Diwali (Hindu)	17 <sup>th</sup> – Road safety week	16 <sup>th</sup> – Hanukkah (Jewish)
31 <sup>st</sup> - Halloween	30 <sup>th</sup> - St Andrew's Day (Scotland)	25 <sup>th</sup> – Christmas (Christian)