# FEBRUARY 2019 **Marketing and Holiday Planning**

February is a time to spread the love, and we aren't just talking about Valentine's Day. Check out some of our suggestions below to help build relationships with your customers and make someone else's day.

#### **Content Ideas for February**

#### **Groundhog Day**

Groundhog day can either mean good news or bad new depending on whether the groundhog sees his shadow and your preference for winter or spring. Let your customers know that regardless of the results, you are here to help celebrate or soften the blow of disappointing results. Share a coupon, fun activity they can do in your community, or interesting tip related to your business.

## Valentine's Day

One of the fastest ways to someone's heart is through their stomach. Help your customers spread the love by sharing recipes for sweet treats they can give to let their friends, family, and significant other know how much they care. Encourage them to take it a step further by sharing a treat with someone who might not have a Valentine.

## Random Acts of **Kindness Day**

Share a few easy-to-implement acts of kindness that could make someone's day. For example, leave positive sticky notes for someone else to find, buy a coffee for the person behind you in line, compliment each person you talk to, or buy a small gift or flowers for someone just because.

#### February Holidays



- 1 National Freedom Day
- National Wear Red Day 1
- 2 Groundhog Day
- 3 Superbowl Sunday
- 5 Chinese New Year
- **14** Valentine's Day
- **17** Random Acts of Kindness Day
- **18** President's Day

#### **February Themes**

- Black History Month
- Relationship Wellness Month



- American Heart Month
- International Boost Self-Esteem Month



of the US email marketers sent newsletters according to a poll conducted by Clutch.

[Source: eMarketer]



**61%** of subscribers/customers would like to receive promotional emails every week, 38% - more frequently.

[Source: Marketing Sherpa]

