















Feeding the Beast USPA 2016





Today's Workshop

- What ways do we get and give info?
- Why you/your local should connect.
- Review the USW's new media tools.
- Quick tips for effectively connecting, feeding local union networks.
- Connect with USW networks and resources.

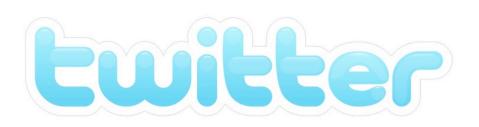
Icebreaker: Who are you and name one piece of information you encountered today and how.







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We Connect. Me Counect.

Discussion: What ways do you share information with your local union members?

Why Web?

- Keeping your members and community informed builds solidarity, a good image
- A website can be the catalyst for all your traditional and social media communication
- Today's websites should be mobilefriendly and easy to navigate

Three elements to a good website:

- 1. Clean, mobile friendly layout and design
- 2. Updated, easy to read content
- 3. Credible and accurate information

What makes good Web content?

www.usw.org and www.usw.ca

LATEST NEWS

APR 28, 2015

District 13 Local Urgent Need for HELP!

Many locals have made donations to Local 13-1 and we are eternally grateful for all donations. As we enter into week 13 and day 85 of our strike there are some

2015 NATIONAL OIL BARGAINING

APR 22, 2015

Rally at Marathon Petroleum Shareholder Meeting

Members at Marathon are still fighting a tough fight

GET CONNECTED

- How You Can Help
- Flyers and Leaflets

Global

En Français

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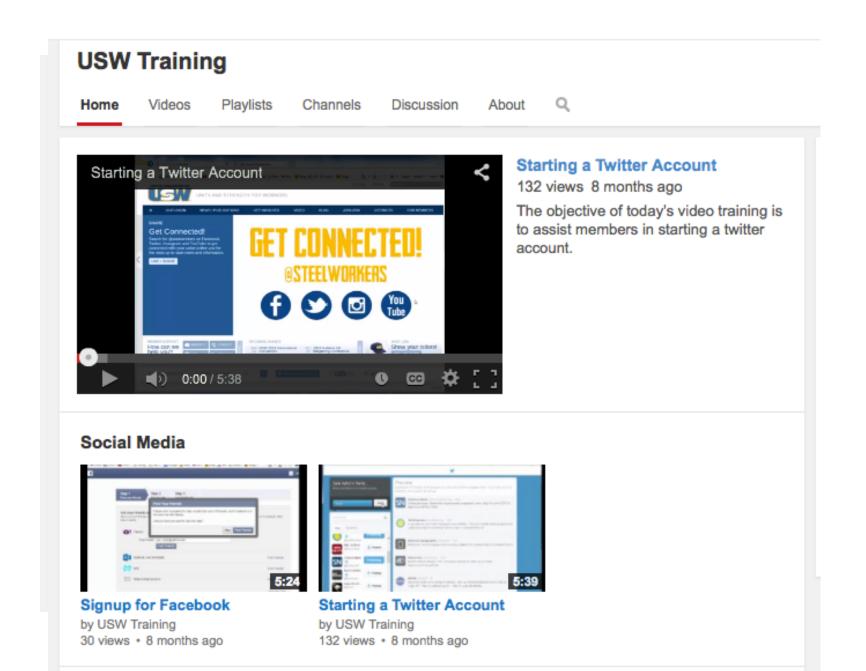
UNITY AND STRENGTH FOR WORKERS



www.usw.org/localweb



https://www.youtube.com/user/USWTraining





For more info on Local Union Web Sites:

www.usw.org/localweb

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Canadian Accounts:

Facebook.com/uswmetallos (French: Facebook.com/metallosCA)

Twitter.com/SteelworkersCA (French: Twitter.com/MetallosCA)

YouTube.com/uswmetallos

Instagram.com/uswmetallos



Facebook



- A free, online social networking site.
- Connect: Use it to build your online network connecting with supporters and like-minded organizations.
- Share: Union news and events; share photos, video and other media; start a discussion and get instant feedback from supporters.

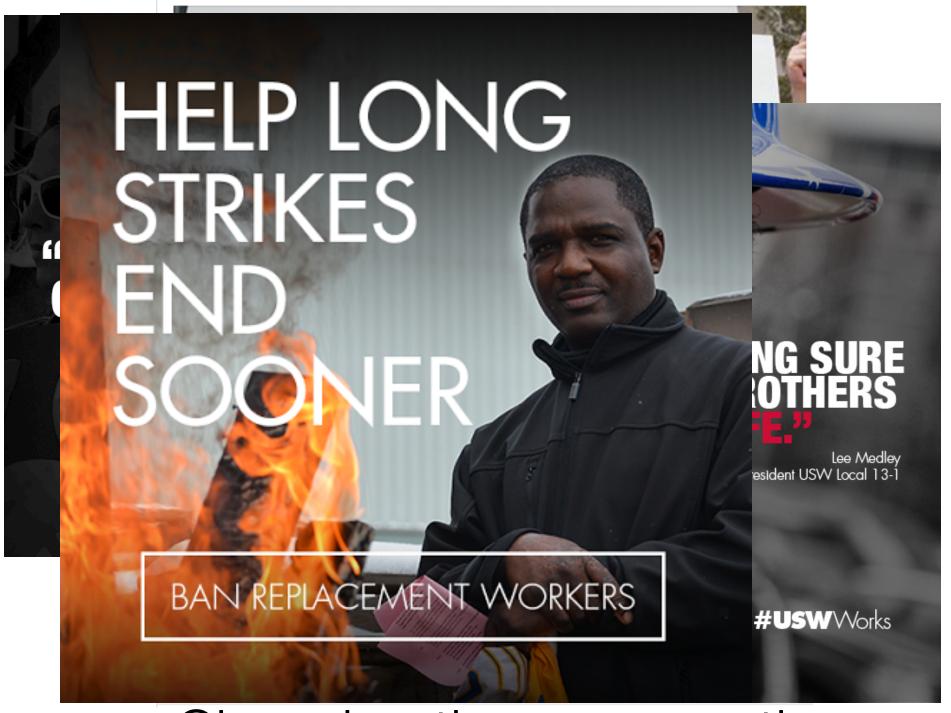


Facebook



Ways to Share

- Tag a friend or page in your posts.
 (@steelworkers)
- 2. Check-in to a location.
- 3. Use a hashtag (#USWWorks #USPA50)
- Use a photo or graphic to draw attention to your posts.
- 5. Share other's content



Changing the conversation.



LIKE & SHARE to join the fight, then make a call to tell Congress to say no to Fast Track:
1-844-505-4449.
#StopFastTrack.



LIKE & SHARE to show Sarah Leidy from USW Local 6787 some love. Our #WCW is one of thousands whose jobs are on the line because of unfair trade. Help us save her job: call 1-844-505-4449 and tell your reps to #StopFastTrack.

Our message. Our Terms.

United Steelworkers - Syndicat des Métallos March 22 · 🚱

Congratulations to Steelworkers at the Ray of Hope in Kitchener, Ontario for negotiating a new and fair contract! Improvement in benefits and wage increases were a couple of highlights from the new three-year agreement.

More: http://www.usw.ca/.../steelworkers-ratify-new-contract-at-ray...



United Steelworkers - Syndicat des Métallos January 28 · Toronto, ON · 🕙

"We wanted a stronger voice for our members, and we looked to the Steelworkers," said Jeremy Wray. Workers at Rocanville Potash mine voted 70% in favour of voting to join. Welcome to the Steelworker family!!!



Rocanville Potash Employees, Welcome to the Steelworkers!

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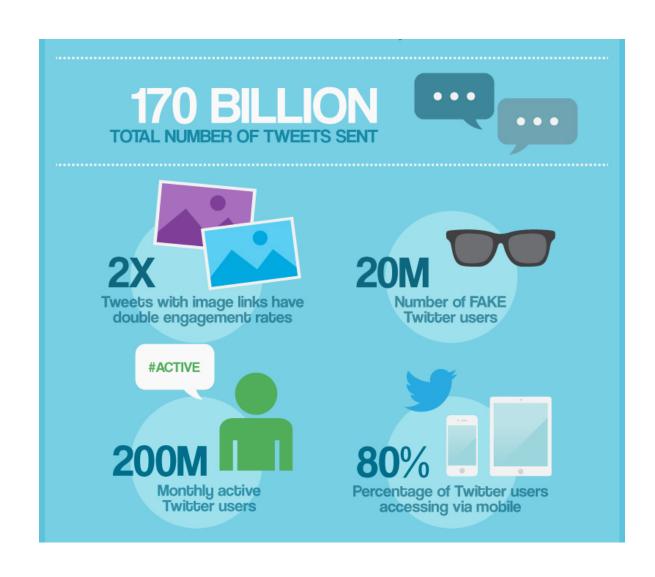
An online social networking service that enables its users to send and read text-based posts of up to 140 characters, known as "tweets."

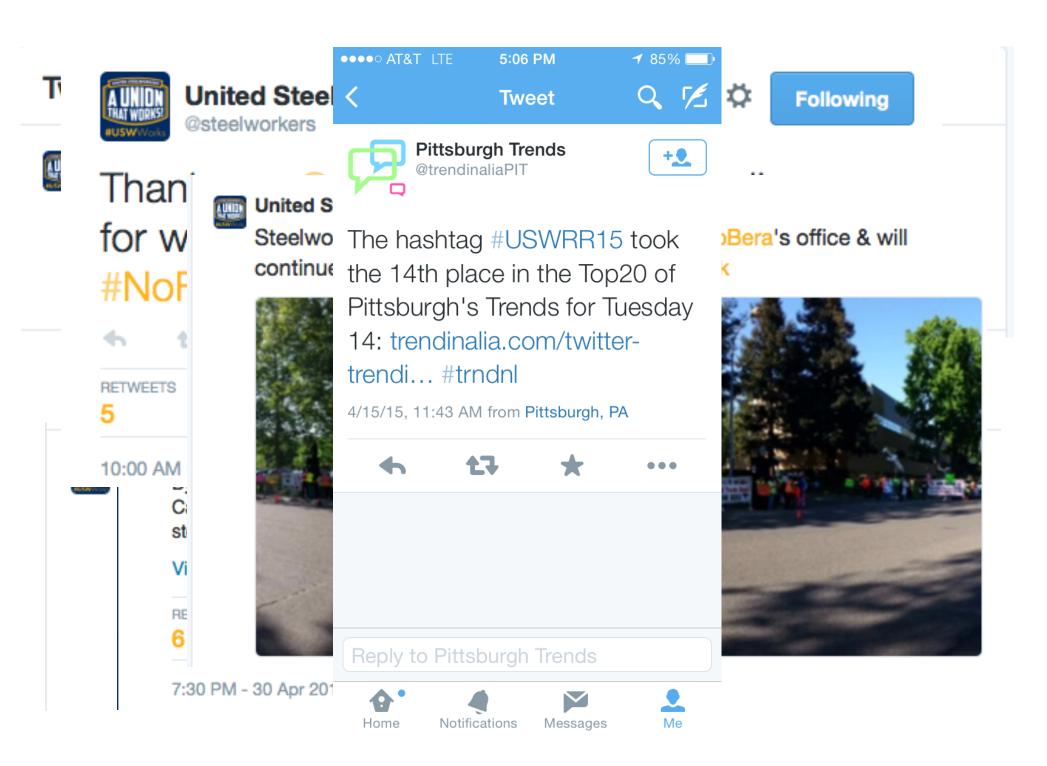


Twitter Statistics

•170+ billion Tweets sent

- 200 million active monthly users
- •80% of users access their accounts from a mobile device





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Instagram



An social networking service available on iPhone and Android devices that lets a user share photos.

What is a social media content calendar?

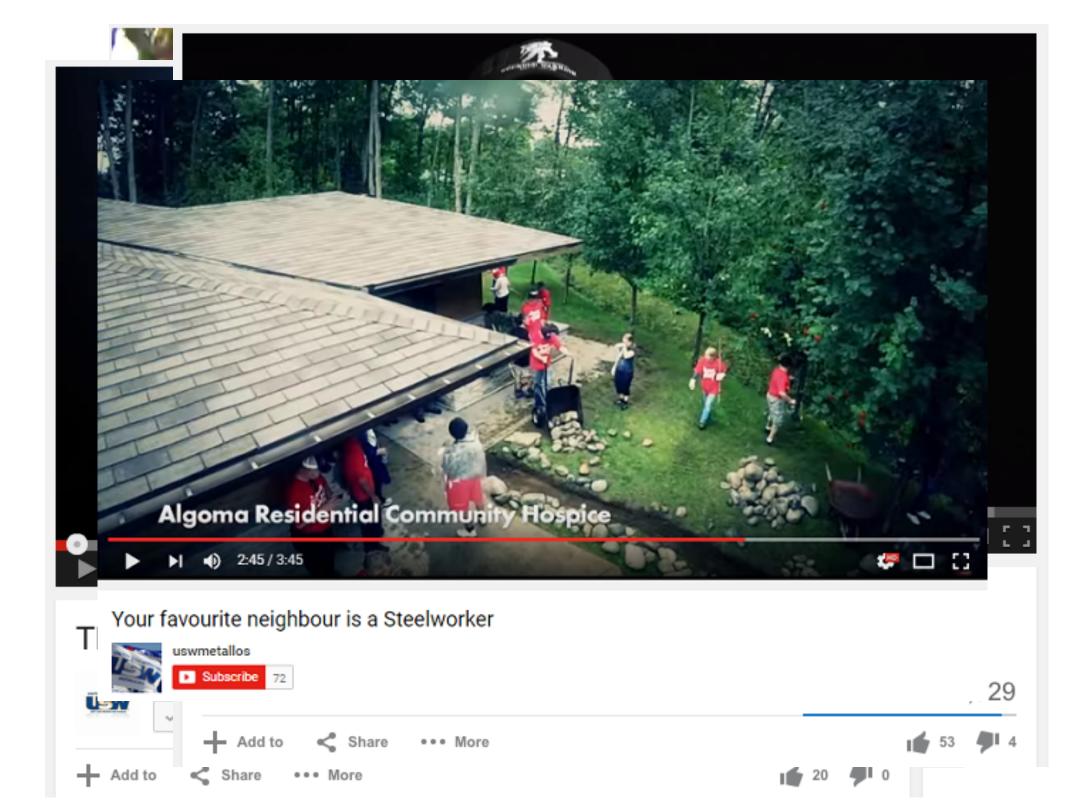
A social media content calendar should organize the way you curate and create content, and help develop your editorial strategy. A social media calendar cuts extra time out of your content strategy and helps you allocate your resources wisely, to help ensure your brand consistently publishes high-quality, well-written, high-performing content pieces.

Sample Content Calendar

	Author	Facebook	Twitter	LinkedIn	Google+	Instagram
Monday						
Third-party post						
Blog post						
Picture						
Promotion						
Tuesday						
Third-party post						
Blog post						
Picture						
Promotion						
Wednesday						
Third-party post						
Blog post						
Picture						
Promotion						
Thursday						
Third-party post						
Blog post						
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Friday						
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Exercise: Assume your local has a website, Facebook, Twitter and Instagram. Using what you've learned today, plan content for a week: what will you post and where will you get this content?

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