

Calendar of days of celebration

January

- 1st World Day of the Family/ A Day of Peace and Sharing/ World Day of Peace
- 27 International Day of Commemoration in Memory of the Victims of the Holocaust
- 3rd **Sunday**
World Religion Day

February

- 2 World Wetlands Day
- 20 World Day of Social Justice
- 21 International Mother Language Day

March

- 8 International Women's Day and United Nations Day for Women's Rights and International Peace
- 14 International Day of Action for Rivers
- 15 World Consumer Rights Day
- 21 International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination
- 21 World Poetry Day
- 22 World Water Day
- 23 World Meteorological Day
- 25 International Day of Remembrance for the Victims of Slavery and the Transatlantic Trade
- 27 World Theatre Day

April

- 2 World Autism Awareness Day
- 4 International Day for Mine Awareness and Assistance in Mine Action
- 7 World Health Day
- 16 World Entrepreneurship Day
- 21 World Day of Creativity and Innovation
- 22 International Mother Earth Day
- 23 World Book and Copyright Day
- 25 World Malaria Day
- 26 World Intellectual Property Day
- 28 World Day for Safety and Health at Work
- 29 International Dance Day

May

- 1st Labour Day
- 3 International Press Freedom Day
- 4 International Firefighters Day
- 15 International Day of Families
- 17 World Information Society Day
- 18 International Museum Day
- 21 World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development
- 22 International Day for Biological Diversity
- 29 United Nations International Day of Peacekeepers
- 31 World No Tobacco Day
- 1st **Tuesday**
World Asthma Day
- 2nd **Saturday** World Fair Trade Day
- 2nd **Week-end** World Migratory Bird Day

June

- 1st World Children's Day
- 4 International Day of Innocent Child Victims of Aggression
- 5 World Environment Day
- 8 World Ocean Day
- 12 World Day Against Child Labour
- 17 World Day to Combat Desertification and Drought
- 20 World Refugee Day
- 23 United Nations Public Service Day
- 23 International Day Against Torture
- 26 International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking

July

- 11 World Population Day **1st Saturday**
International Day of Cooperatives

August

- 9 International Day of the World's Indigenous People
- 12 International Youth Day
- 19 World Humanitarian Day
- 23 International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade and its Abolition

September

- 8 International Literacy Day
- 10 World Suicide Prevention Day
- 15 International Day of Democracy
- 16 International Day for the Protection of the Ozone Layer
- 21 International Day of Peace
- 22 International Car-Free Day
- 27 World Tourism Day During the last week **During the last week**
World Maritime Day

October

- 1st International Day for Older Persons
- 2 International Day of Non-Violence
- 4 World Animal Day
- 5 World Teachers' Day
- 9 World Post Day
- 10 World Mental Health Day
- 14 World Standards Day
- 15 International Rural Women's Day
- 16 World Food Day
- 17 International Day for the Eradication of Poverty
- 20 World Statistics Day
- 24 United Nations Day
- 24 World Development Information Day
- 1st **Monday**
World Habitat Day
- 2nd **Wednesday**
International Day for Natural Disaster Reduction

November

- 6 International Day for Preventing the Exploitation of the Environment in War and Armed Conflict
- 10 World Immunization Day
- 14 World Diabetes Day
- 16 International Day for Tolerance
- 20 Africa Industrialization Day
- 21 World Television Day
- 25 International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women
- 29 International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People
- 3rd **Sunday**
World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims **3rd Tuesday**
Philosophy Day

December

- 1st World AIDS Day
- 2 International Day for the Abolition of Slavery
- 3 International Day of Disabled Persons
- 5 International Volunteer Day for Economic and Social Development
- 7 International Civil Aviation Day
- 9 International Anti-Corruption Day
- 10 Human Rights Day
- 11 International Mountain Day
- 18 International Migrants Day
- 19 United Nations Day for South-South Cooperation
- 20 International Day of Human Solidarity