



COOL IDEAS inside



# BUSINESS Bloom THIS SUMMER

Believe it or not, summer is upon us. Give or take a few weeks. Who goes by the official seasons now anyway?

The point is, warmth beckons. Igniting opportunities for your business to bask in its sunny glow. *Don't be left in the shade*. Now is the perfect time to make sure your business *gets noticed*.

In this guide, discover 8 dynamic strategies, each accompanied by a myriad of marketing tactics. From networking to social media, outdoor advertising, direct mail, and beyond. We've curated a comprehensive toolkit to elevate your summer campaigns.

Kick things off with our *growchart* to pinpoint a suitable strategy for you. Uncover *exclusive offers* on seasonal favourites and innovative ideas. Plus our 'cherry' on the cake: We've got some fabulous savings in our *Fabric Exhibition Range -* (see opposite for details).



# Our FABRIC RANGE BULK BUY OFFER

To celebrate the season of summer, we're offering a 10% discount on any item in our Fabric Exhibition Range when you buy 2 or more different products at the same time.

For example, you could get a *Fabric Wall* and a *Counter*, and *we'll knock* 10% off the print costs.

### All you have to do...

Get in contact with your local Nettl Studio!

call us **FREE** on **0800 466 388** 



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### GROW with the FLOW

NO

#### **START HERE**

Do you primarily sell products online?

YES

Summer-ify your ecommerce website with summer graphics and offers – See page 6



Do you serve primarily *local* customers?



NOPE WHEREVER DUH! WE'RE PRACTICALLY INFLUENCERS

Do you have a strong social media presence?







WELL, WE DO HAVE ONE FRIEND ON MYSPACE - DO YOU KNOW TOM?





MOSTLY YES

Do you have a *physical* shop?



YES, THE CENTRE OF OUR UNIVERSE

Focus on alfresco attention with outdoor ideas - See page 11



NOPE, NOT OUR THING

Do you offer sa **trade**?



MORE D.I.WHY NOT CALL A PROFESSIONAL, ACTUALLY

YES



Get people talking about you

(In a good way of course!) - See page 8





Run a social media competition - See page **10** 

Great! Showcase your beauties with travel-style postcards

- See page **12** 



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MORE BRAINS, THAN BEAUTY

YES





**B2B** business perhaps?

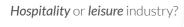


Make local connections

– See page **7** 



STILL NO



**FINALLY. YES!** 



OK. Go UGC: Up your 'gram game by encouraging sharable content - See page 9



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'SUMMER-IFY'
YOUR ECOMMERCE
WEBSITE

The start of summer is a splendid time to freshen up your eCommerce website. Warmer, brighter days have a hugely positive effect on people's moods. Capitalise on these good vibes by updating your website with summery graphics, featuring a summer sale, and using summer themed emojis in your email subject lines and social media posts.

Once your eCommerce website has a new summer wardrobe, you'll want to show it off, right? Channel more summertime surfers to your website with pay-per-click (PPC) advertising. Your advert will be shown to potential buyers, just as they're searching for the products you sell, but you only pay when a user is placed on your website.

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### MAKE LOCAL CONNECTIONS

If the idea of networking brings you out in a cold sweat, we have good news for you. It doesn't have to be awkward. Or boring. Networking can take many guises.

Consider hosting a summer BBQ and inviting people from the local community. Form partnerships with other businesses and organise an event in a local wine bar or cafe on a mid-week evening. Or hold a summer-themed workshop or class, such as gardening, outdoor yoga, or DIY crafts.

These ideas will not only help you make new connections and attract potential customers, but also position your business as a valuable resource within the community. Plus, you might just have some fun.

**ASK US ABOUT** DESIGN **FOLDED** STARMARQUE BUSINESS **LEAFLETS CARDS POSTERS SELLER** buy in bulk **A INVITES MARQUEES** LINKEDIN



#### GET PEOPLE TALKING ABOUT YOU

In a good way of course. We're not encouraging tawdry gossip here! Local referrals are essential for tradespeople. In fact, many rely solely on this marketing strategy to generate new business. Try hanging a banner outside of the premises you're working on. So passers-by can see who's responsible for the excellent handiwork. Whilst you're there, drop some leaflets into the surrounding houses too.

For people who'd rather talk about you online, make sure you request Google Reviews from happy customers. We have a clever solution for monitoring, tracking and responding to all online reviews.

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## UP YOUR 'GRAM GAME

People love to share; their jolly exploits on social media that is. Food.

Not so much. Create a fun Instagram-worthy feature for your followers to engage with and... BOOM! Your brand will be shared across social media without you having to do anything. If you have room, then Fabric Booths are a popular selfie setting. Or, if space is limited,

try a selfie-frame or a cut-out figure to create a fun scene.



### INSTAGRAM ESSENTIALS:





SELFIE FRAMES









**CUT-OUT FIGURES** 

A DISPLAY STANDS





#### **#WIN**

Oh. And people also love free stuff. Why not get some summer themed branded merch to give away in a social media competition?

Custom t-shirts, baseball caps and water bottles would all look great with your logo or slogan on.

Entries can be exchanged for likes and follows to grow your social media reach.





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▲ WATER BOTTLES



**POOL TOWELS** 



## TAKE IT ALFRESCO

Warmer, sunny days will draw more people outside. If you're a retailer or own a hospitality venue, now's a great time to invest in some outdoor signage to capitalise on this higher footfall. Advertise a special summer menu, alfresco events, or simply raise brand awareness in your local area.

Explore outdoor weather options for enticing ways to expand your audience.

FABRIC ARCHWAYS



CORFLUTE SIGNAGE V





BRANDED A FOLDING WINE TABLE

SAVE buy in bulk FABRIC RANGE -DISCOUNT



▲ FOOTPATH SIGNS

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Channel some summer holiday vibes by sending travel-style postcards or mailers to your customers and potential clients.

They could showcase your work, products or venue. Include a special offer or voucher code to increase engagement and keep track of your ROI.

Make it stand out from other post by using a special finish, like gold or silver print, or have fun with an unusual design. A leaflet disguised as a mini picnic basket, anyone? Or a booklet that looks like a travel catalogue.





## THINGS TO DO NEAR ME

People will be looking for things to do on sunny weekends, light evenings and during the school holidays. If your business lends itself to putting on events or hosting guests, use this to your advantage in the summer months with some local SEO. Tailor some of your content to include recommendations for local summer activities and attractions. This can help attract local audiences searching for things to do, or places to eat, in their area during the summer months.

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