

EventON

WordPress Event Calendar

Documentation

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Introduction:

Thank you for purchasing this plugin and I hope you this will come in handy for your need. If you come across any issues please feel free to leave a comment on envato website and I will do my best to get back to you. Follow me on twitter [@ashanjay](#) to stay in tune for the next release of the plugin update as I am planning to improve this plugin and add new features in the future.

Installation

Couple of ways to install the plugin.

1. download the zip file and in WordPress (WP) go to **Plugins> Add New > Upload** and select file and install plugin.
2. Unzip the content of the zip file to wp-content/plugins directory and then on WP back-end "activate" the plugin.

Once the plugin is activated

Go to **Plugins> Installed plugins** and you should be able to see "myEventON" plugin installed.

Important NOTE:

- When you install this plugin it will create a custom post type called Events with slug "ajde_events"
- Events created via this plugin uses a post slug of "events" and if you choose to place the event calendar in a page with a url like [www.ashanjay.com/events](#) - the calendar will not work. So please make a page with url like [www.ashanjay.com/events-directory](#) for the calendar plugin front-end to work on events achieve type pages.
- In order for the event calendar to properly work on front-end make sure to include `wp_header()` tag
- Google maps uses the javascript driven gmap API V3 setup and will only work for proper addresses

FAQ

How do I change the color and styles of the calendar?

myEventON > Appearance in this tab you can see lot of options to customize the look of the calendar.

How do I add events to calendar?

Once the plugin is installed properly, you should see a new menu appear on left side bar called "**Events**" under that you can add new events.

How are the events ordered by default?

By default events are ordered based on event start date.

How do you add custom language text?

Go to **myEventON > Language** you will find fields where you can enter custom text to replace default English language text.

This plugin also support custom language within wordpress. The text domain to hook into for custom language files is "eventon". Custom language files .PO and .MO should be uploaded to **../eventON/lang/languages**

How can I use the event post meta data to create my own calendar layout?

You can you **query_posts** to get event posts just like a regular custom post type.

(post_type=ajde_events)

These are the custom field names for each event data per event post.

evcal_srow - event start day unix value

evcal_erow - event end day unix value

evcal_event_color - event color hex code

evcal_organizer - event organizer

evcal_location - event location address

If you are using event featured image you can use below code to get the image.

<? the_post_thumbnail(\$size) ?>

Example: (how to get these data for front-end; inside loop)

<? echo get_post_meta(\$post->ID, 'evcal_start_date', true);?>

How can I create a template page for single event in my theme?

Because this plugin uses WP native custom post types to create events you can use a template page with a file name "**single-ajde_events.php**" to be used for single event page.

Why doesnt the google map not work?

Google maps API uses geocoding API to convert the address for event into a longitude and latitude and if the address you enter could not be found in google it will not show the map.

Also there are usage limitation to the google map API

<http://code.google.com/apis/maps/documentation/geocoding/#Limits>

Sometimes (occasionally) the google maps api javascript may not load and that can stop the gmaps working. In this case add the below code to your footer.

<script src="http://maps.gstatic.com/intl/en_us/mapfiles/api-3/9/1/main.js" type="text/javascript"></script>

Other Questions and comments

Please feel free to leave your questions on envato page and I will try my best to get back to you as soon as I can.

Note from author:

I want to thank you very much for purchasing this plugin. This plugin was custom build from scratch with best code practices for better optimization. If you have any questions regarding the customization or any issue related to this program please feel free to drop me a message from envato.

Also if you have an ideas or thoughts to improve this plugin, I would love to hear your thoughts!

Enjoy!