About the Social Content Type

The Social Content Type can be used to link to various social media accounts related to your website. Social Content is unique as it is only displayed through the Social Media Icon Sidebar Content Set, the Header, or the Local Footer Content Types.

This guide provides...
A step-by-step walkthrough on how to create Social Content as well as tips on various elements.
Content Type Entry Page

1. Select the **Sub-type** that best fits your content. Sub-types include: Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn, and YouTube, RSS, Other.

2. Enter your **Title**. The **Body** and **Summary** are not required fields.

3. The **Social Media Icon** will display next to your Title. Adding an Icon can be done in two ways: 1) You can use the **Upload** approach and select an image from your computer, or 2) You can select an existing image using the **File browser**. The ideal image dimensions are 16x16. **Alternate Text** is required for compliance and SEO (Search Engine Optimization) purposes. The **Title** is optional.

4. Use the **Link Title** field for the text you wish to have appear next to your icon, and enter the link to your social media account into the **URL** field. Check the **Open URL in a New Window** checkbox to force the link to open in a new window.

**Note:** To learn how to add Social Content to your site, see the Daily GW Drupal Social Media Icon Sidebar Content Set, Header, and/or the Local Footer Content Types reference guides.

Examples of the Social Content Type.