Happening this month...

**Tuesday 1st November**
Dream Chaser launch – Florida, USA
Dream Chaser – the US's space shuttle replacement – will launch atop an Atlas V rocket from Florida’s Kennedy Space Centre. Its maiden voyage will be an unmanned, autonomous flight.

**Wednesday 2nd November**
80 years since BBC One began - UK
The British Broadcasting Corporation launched from Alexandra Palace on 2nd November 1936, becoming the world’s first regularly scheduled high definition public television.

**Sunday 6th November**
MTV Europe Music Awards – Rotterdam, Netherlands
Beyoncé and Justin Bieber lead the way with five nominations each, while Adele has four. Other nominees include Rihanna, Drake, Ariana Grande and Kanye West.

**Monday 7th November**
Web Summit 2016 – Lisbon, Portugal
Europe’s largest tech event is held in Lisbon for the first time. 50,000 attendees, including CEOs, start-ups, investors and political leaders, will come together to discuss the technological revolution.

**Monday 7th - Friday 18th November**
COP22 – Marrakech, Morocco
The UN Climate Change Conference meets annually to discuss reducing greenhouse gas emissions and fighting climate change.

**Tuesday 8th November**
US Presidential Election - USA
America goes to the polls to elect its new president. Hillary Clinton and Donald Trump will vie for the most votes in each state. The winner will be inaugurated on 20th January 2017.

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Sunday 13th November
1st anniversary of Paris attacks – Paris, France
It is one year since gunmen and suicide bombers targeted a concert hall, a stadium, restaurants and bars, leaving 130 people dead and hundreds wounded.

Monday 14th November
Supermoon
The full moon will present the closest supermoon of the year (221,524 miles or 356,509 kilometres). The moon won’t come this close to the earth again until 25th November 2034.

Wednesday 16th November
Bataclan concert – Paris, France
British singer Pete Doherty will mark the reopening of Le Bataclan with a concert at the Paris music venue.

Thursday 17th – Friday 18th November
International Wildlife Trade Conference – Hanoi, Vietnam
Prince William will attend the third International Wildlife Trade Conference in Hanoi. The prince is President of United for Wildlife.

Wednesday 23rd November
10 years since death of Alexander Litvinenko – London, UK
The investigation into Alexander Litvinenko’s murder was one of the most extensive in British criminal history. A report concluded that Dmitry Kovtun and Andrei Lugovoi poisoned former spy Litvinenko with polonium on the orders of Vladimir Putin and the Russian state.

Friday 25th November
Black Friday - worldwide
Black Friday was originally an American tradition, taking place on the day after Thanksgiving. Retailers offer massive discounts on masses of products in an attempt to encourage shoppers in the run-up to Christmas.