

# Member spotlight on social media

Client spotlight posts are a powerful way to showcase the heart and soul of your fitness business: your members.

These highlights are more than just testimonials; they're inspiring stories that resonate with potential clients and build stronger bonds within your community.

Here's how to do it.



### 1 Gather the story

Think of this step as uncovering the moments that make your members shine. A quick member interview helps you create a narrative that celebrates their journey.





**Pro tip:** Keep it casual and conversational—like catching up over coffee after a great workout. If you can't chat in person, ask participants to email their answers.

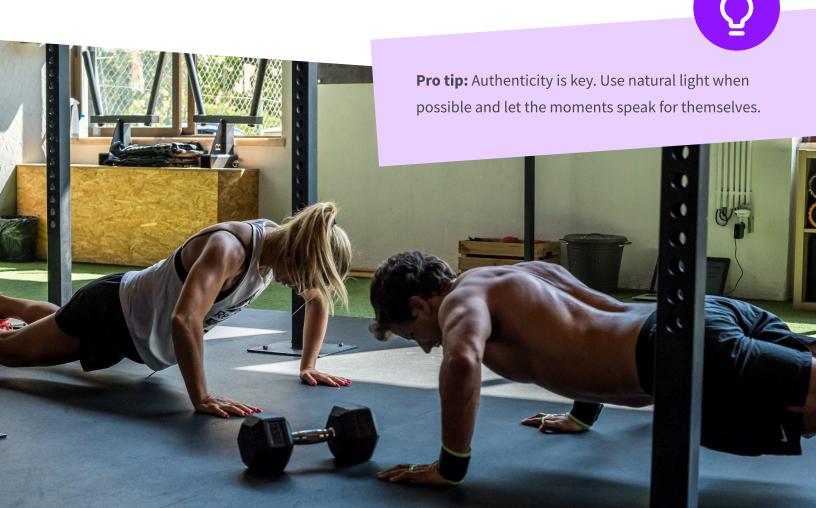
Start with these simple, open-ended questions:

- 1 What brought you to the gym?
- What's your favorite part of being part of our community?
- What's a personal milestone or breakthrough you've achieved since joining?
- What advice would you give to someone starting their fitness journey?

## 2 Bring it to life

Great stories come alive with the right visuals. Capture natural, high-quality photos or videos of your member in their element. Your phone's camera should do the trick in a pinch. Some ideas to get started:

- 1 Mid-workout, showing focus and determination.
- Post-workout, smiling and connecting with others.
- 3 Celebrating a personal milestone or accomplishment.



### 3 Craft your social post

This is where their story shines. Write in a way that feels warm, inviting, and real:

**Pro tip:** Change up the copy at least a little bit for each post to avoid any redundancy. A great call to action ensures maximum engagement from your audience.

#### 1 Headline example:

"Meet [Member Name]: from [challenge] to [triumph]"

#### 2 Body copy example:

"[Member Name] joined [Gym Name] up looking for [specific goal], and now they're crushing it. They've [specific milestone or achievement], and we couldn't be prouder. Watching their journey has been so inspiring—[Member Name], thank you for being part of this amazing community and reminding us all what it means to stay consistent and keep growing."

#### 3 Call to action example:

"Let's give [Member Name] some love in the comments! Thinking about starting your journey? Message us—we'd love to help you take the first step."



## 4

### Create a stunning visual

Make their story stand out with a clean, professional design that reflects your gym's brand.

Key elements to include:

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Your gym's logo for recognition.

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Consistent colors and fonts that match your gym's vibe.

A compelling photo or video of the member.





**Pro tip:** No designer? Use a Canva template with your gym's brand colors or ask ChatGPT for ideas to keep it simple and polished.

Once your post is live, it's time to connect. Share on your preferred social networks and be ready to keep the momentum going:



Reply to comments to build connections.



Tag the member (if they're comfortable) to expand your reach.



Use these posts as an opportunity to highlight what makes your community special.

#### **Execution plan:**



Plan for 1-3 member spotlights per month to keep your content fresh.



Assign tasks to your team: identify members, create posts, and secure approval.



Track success with engagement metrics and inquiries from new members.





The best part of celebrating your members?
It's not just about recognition—it's about
connection. These spotlights will show your
community (and beyond) why your gym is
the place where people feel supported, seen,
and inspired to grow stronger together.