

**2016 WTXF (Phila., PA)
QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST**

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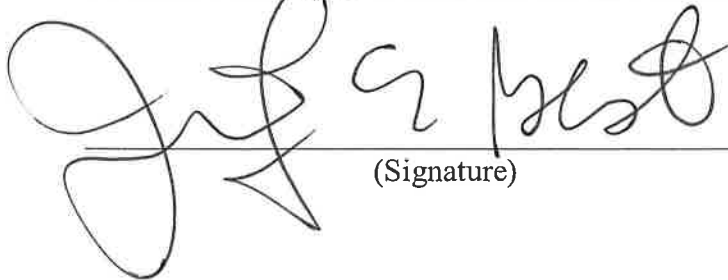
_____ January 1, 2016	through	March 31, 2016
_____ April 1, 2016	through	June 30, 2016
<u> X </u> July 1, 2016	through	September 30, 2016
_____ October 1, 2016	through	December 31, 2016

Attached hereto are descriptions of the treatment of local issues addressed by the station through programming, announcements or outreach during the report period.

The following pages indicate a listing of regularly scheduled programs and a listing of WTXF community outreach activities.

Programming addressing the educational/informational needs of children is listed separately in this file.

Submitted and placed in the public file by Jennifer Best, Community Affairs Director.



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October 11, 2016

(Date)

WTXF-FOX 29 Community Outreach and Involvement
3rd Quarter, 2016

Talent Appearances:

Thursday, July 21st: Mike Jerrick and Alex Holley were celebrity guest bartenders at the “Philly4Pulse” event in Philadelphia to benefit the Orlando shooting victims.

Thursday, July 28th: Bill Anderson was a celebrity guest bartender at “Sips and Tips” fundraising event for the Burlington County Animal Shelter in Mount Holly, NJ.

Saturday, July 30th: Lauren Johnson emceed the “Run for the Hill of It” event to benefit the Montgomery Child Advocacy Project in Philadelphia.

Saturday, July 30th: Quincy Harris emceed the “Jazz on the Ave” event to benefit Beech Community Services in Philadelphia.

Wednesday, August 3rd: Sean Bell played in the PAL Phillies Media Night game at Citizen’s Bank Park in Philadelphia.

Monday, August 22nd: Dave Warren gave a presentation on meteorology to children at summer camp at Chesterbrook Academy in Moorestown, NJ.

Thursday, September 1st – Chris O’Connell was a panelist at the National Adult Protective Services Association “7th Annual Summit on Elder Financial Exploitation” at the Loews Hotel in Philadelphia

Thursday, September 8th – Bruce Gordon was a guest speaker for the Lower Bucks County Chamber of Commerce business event in Morrisville, PA

Weekends of September 17th & 24th – Lucy Noland recorded the announcements made at the two local Bike for MS bike rides

Saturday, September 17th – Bill Anderson was a celebrity judge at the Rosenfeld Cancer Center of Abington Memorial Hospital’s Boob-B-Q Festival in Warminster, PA

Wednesday, September 21st – Bill Anderson was a celebrity grocery bagger at the Shoprite Partners In Caring “Help Bag Hunger” day in Philadelphia

Saturday, September 24th – Lucy Noland emceed the “Camp Can Do” Inaugural Gala at the Adventure Aquarium in Camden, NJ

Saturday, September 24th – Chris O’Connell emceed the Pediatric Brain Tumor Foundation’s “Starry Night Philadelphia” 8.5K Run/Walk at the Philadelphia Navy Yard

Sunday, September 25th – Bob Kelly emceed the Mothers Against Drunk Driving “Philadelphia Zoo Walk Like MADD” event

September 29th – Jenni Joyce was the panel discussion moderator at the General Building Contractors Association, Inc. “Back to School” membership dinner in Philadelphia, PA

Station Tours

Tuesday, July 12th: News Intern Emily Troisi gave a station tour to a group from the Community Integration Program of Arc of Camden County, NJ.

Friday, July 15th: News Intern Alex George gave a station tour to a group from Rowan University.

Wednesday, July 20th: Creative Services Intern Scott Hardesty gave a station tour to the Boys and Girls Club of Vineland, NJ.

Monday, July 25th: News Intern Cheyenne Dantzler gave a station tour to a group from the University of Delaware

Tuesday, August 2nd: Creative Services Intern Rachel Jarret gave a tour to a group from the University of Pennsylvania's Talent Search Program.

Monday, August 16th: News Intern Elizabeth Lapp gave a tour to a family and a friend of Jim Driscoll.

Wednesday, August 24th: HR Director Megan Young and Assistant News Producer Katie Byrne gave a tour to a group from Temple University.



**QUARTERLY LISTING
OF ISSUES AND PROGRAMS**

3rd QUARTER, 2016

July - September

**WTXF-FOX 29
Philadelphia, PA**

Summary of Major Issues Treated During the Quarter:

Business/Economy/Consumer – FOX 29 Gets Results for viewers who have been taken advantage of by local businesses or crooks and helps them get their money or products back.

Public Health/Safety/Welfare – FOX 29 Gets Results for viewers with unsafe situations in their homes or neighborhoods and helps them clean up or fix the problems.

Public Health/Safety/Welfare and Charity – Every Thursday morning, Good Day Philadelphia airs “FOX Fursday,” a segment featuring local charitable organizations that help rescue abandoned animals, and features animals available for adoption.

Business/Economy/Consumer Issues

07/01/16	6pm	2:06	A report on NJ casino strikes.
07/02/16	6pm	2:16	A report on a fire that closed a hoagie shack for business in Delaware County, PA.
07/05/16	10pm	4:13	A report on the amount of debt young adults are carrying in the Philadelphia area.
07/14/16	10pm	1:47	A report on a beer garden in Kennett Square, Philadelphia.
07/14/16	5pm	1:47	A report on the new PA smoking tax.
07/18/16	10pm	1:30	A report on storm damage in Havertown, PA.
07/19/16	10pm	1:38	A report on preparations for the DNC in Philadelphia.
07/27/16	5pm	1:36	A report on the positive business impact the DNC is having in Philadelphia.
08/18/16	5pm	1:40	A report on an expansion of the King of Prussia Mall in PA.
08/21/16	GDP	1:30	A "Tech Tank" report on back-to-school gadgets.
08/22/16	GDP	2:44	A report on how much local children can expect to get from the "tooth fairy."
08/31/16	10pm	1:39	A report on Philadelphia hosting the NFL draft in 2017, and the benefits to the city.
09/01/16	5pm	1:38	A report from the New Jersey beaches previewing the Labor Day weekend outlook at the shore.
09/01/16	6pm	2:25	A report on the City of Philadelphia getting the 2017 NFL Draft and how it will impact the city.
09/01/16	GDP	3:10	A preview of the "Made In America" festival coming to Philadelphia this weekend, and the best locations to hang out to see the performances for free.
09/03/16	GDP	2:30	A "Cashing In" report on how college students can make the most of the cash they have.
09/05/16	5pm	2:06	A live report from Ocean City, NJ, on the effects of Hermoine on the New Jersey beach town.
09/07/16	GDP	3:50	A report on local meal delivery services.
09/13/16	10pm	2:10	A report on a couple who started a Go Fund Me page for the Mount Holly Pumpkin Festival, which they ran for the past 12 years but cannot afford to do this year.
09/14/16	5pm	2:14	A report on controversial new construction on Jeweler's Row, a historic street in Center City Philadelphia.
09/15/16	10pm	2:00	A report on the end of free parking Wednesday nights in Center City Philadelphia.
09/26/16	11pm	1:40	A report on the Middletown Township, NJ residential vote on a Sunoco pipeline scheduled to run through the area.
09/30/16	10pm	1:47	A report on the increase of gas tax in NJ.

Charity Issues

08/04/16	6pm	2:11	A report on the development of an application to use leftover restaurant food to feed the homeless in Philadelphia.
08/28/16	10pm	1:50	A report on Olympic basketball player Kyle Lowry, who is spending his break time between the Olympics and the NBA hosting a basketball camp for disadvantaged youth in Philadelphia.
08/30/16	10pm	2:05	A report on a 5-year-old with cancer in Newark, DE, who has his "make a wish" granted to be a policeman for a day.

Civic Issues

07/04/16	5pm	1:44	A report on the Wawa Welcome America parade in Philadelphia.
07/07/16	10pm	1:37	A report on a protest in Philadelphia against police shooting African Americans.
07/12/16	10pm	2:06	A report on police aggression on two men who were suspected to be armed but were proven innocent in Northeast Philadelphia.
07/13/16	10pm	1:43	A report on a police rally in Philadelphia to thank police officers for their service.
07/13/16	10pm	1:34	A report on Philadelphia airport workers threatening to strike for the DNC if they don't get paid more per hour.
07/13/16	5pm	5:08	A report on Winslow Township, NJ boys' "Pictures for Peace," to promote positive people-police relations.
07/20/16	10pm	1:42	A report on the anger from the Fraternal Order of Police when they were not included as speakers for Hillary Clinton at the DNC.
07/22/16	10pm	1:33	A report on Philadelphia ready to welcome the DNC.
07/22/16	11pm	1:44	A report on Philadelphia Police in Cleveland, OH.
07/22/16	5pm	1:28	A report on Philadelphia ready for the DNC by Philadelphia Mayor Kenney.
07/23/16	10pm	1:12	A report on DNC visitors in Philadelphia.
07/24/16	6pm	1:43	A report the fight against fracking at the DNC in Philadelphia.
07/30/16	6pm	1:55	A report on a Bridgeton, NJ police officer involved in a shooting.
08/04/16	10pm	1:11	A report about a Jersey baseball team putting the names of lost officers on their little league jerseys.
08/05/16	5pm	1:42	A report on a federal investigation of John Dougherty, a Philadelphia union leader.
08/07/16	10pm	1:35	A report on the "Back in Blue" rally to support police officers in Philadelphia.
08/10/16	10pm	1:10	A report about multiple teens stung by Wasps on Willington Street in Philadelphia, police responded.
08/10/16	6pm	1:34	A report about Philadelphia Mayor Kenny taking a page out of Jimmy Kimmel's book.
08/17/16	10pm	2:00	A report about "mission barbeque" helping bring up communities in Philadelphia.
08/17/16	5pm	1:15	A report about the city of Philadelphia shutting down the Plaza Garibaldi due to roaches being found.
08/19/16	11pm	1:40	A report on residents of Oaklyn, NJ, painting a thin blue line on West Clinton Avenue to show support for the police force.
08/24/16	5pm	1:30	A report on a Winslow Township, NJ, boy saving up his allowance to buy lunch for the police officers in his town.
08/31/16	10pm	1:50	A report on a teenager who started cutting his neighbor's lawn after he spotted her cutting it with scissors. He refused payment from her.
09/11/16	10pm	2:00	A report on 9/11 ceremonies at the Garden of Reflection in Lower Makefield Township, PA.
09/11/16	GDP	2:13	A report on the 15-year anniversary of 9/11.
09/12/16	GDP	2:30	A report on Camden School District athletes taking a knee during the National Anthem in protest of police brutality around the country.
09/20/16	10pm	1:55	A report on the Blessing of the Badges Ceremony in Moorestown, NJ.
09/20/16	10pm	4:00	A report on community complaints involving Septa in North Wildwood, NJ.
09/21/16	6pm	2:33	A report on community and police relations in Philadelphia.

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09/21/16	6pm	2:04	A report on 41 new US citizens taking the oath of allegiance in Camden, NJ.
09/22/16	10pm	1:48	A report on Camden, NJ community members banning together to advocate on the importance of reporting crimes.
09/24/16	GD	1:40	A report on the T-shirt Memorial in Philadelphia for those who have lost their lives to gun violence.
09/25/16	6pm	1:47	A report on a breakfast for police officers held at the Muslim American Society Mosque in Philadelphia.
09/28/16	10pm	2:29	A report on "Black Guns Matter" which involves educating communities on gun laws.
09/29/16	11pm	1:49	A report on the funeral of the firefighters who died in Wilmington, DE.
09/30/16	10pm	2:24	A report on a social experiment involving clowns in Philadelphia, PA.
09/30/16	10pm	1:36	A report on the social media clown threat in Radnor, PA.

Crime Issues

07/13/16	10pm	1:32	A report on the return of a stolen American flag in North Wildwood, NJ.
07/19/16	10pm	1:40	A report on the replacement of a stolen iPad from an ill girl at CHOP in Philadelphia.
08/08/16	10pm	1:38	A report on home invasion patterns in Northwest Philadelphia.
08/10/16	5pm	1:40	A report about police using a video to figure out who murdered a man during a street race in South Philadelphia.
08/18/16	6pm	1:08	A report on a child pornography operation in NJ.
08/19/16	11pm	1:19	A report on the murder investigation and reward for a man killed while on his job in Camden, NJ.
08/24/16	10pm	1:57	A report on a man who took his neighbor to the hospital after he was shot and ended up detained and questioned for the crime.
08/24/16	5pm	1:46	A report on Anthony Wright, who spent 25 years in jail for a rape and murder he didn't commit. He was released from jail.
08/24/16	5pm	2:20	A report on predatory car towing in Philadelphia.
08/24/16	6pm	2:00	A report on a series of sexual assaults in South Philadelphia. The suspect rides a bike.
08/26/16	10pm	1:06	A report on the FBI raiding the Philadelphia home of local union boss John Dougherty.
08/26/16	10pm	1:49	A report on a rash of pickpocketings in Bensalem, PA.
08/26/16	10pm	1:55	A report on a community in Camden County, NJ, that is helping stop crime by hosting movie nights at a local park.
09/01/16	GDP	5:00	Interviews with local experts on how to handle the recent increase in crime against juveniles in Philadelphia.
09/05/16	10pm	4:38	A report on out-of-town graffiti artists coming into Philadelphia and the city's efforts to stop them.
09/07/16	10pm	1:41	A report on a rash of robberies targeting the Asian community in Northeast Philadelphia.
09/07/16	6pm	1:30	A report on a rash of car thefts in Berwyn, PA. All the cars were unlocked so it was easy for the thieves to steal out of them.
09/08/16	10pm	2:28	A report on a family who found their mother's hand at the scene of the auto accident that killed her.
09/12/16	5pm	2:10	A report on swastikas painted outside Haverford (PA) High School.
09/15/16	5pm	2:16	A report on a bandit stealing all the zeroes and ones from the homes in a Philadelphia neighborhood.
09/19/16	5pm	2:07	A report on a stolen gun from the National Guard Armory in Northeast Philadelphia.
09/20/16	10pm	1:53	A report on the burglarizing of the homes of Asian Americans.
09/26/16	11pm	1:45	A report on the contractor scam in Radnor Township, PA.

Culture Issues

08/22/16	GDP	2:48	A "Ya Gotta Try This" segment on a local Hawaiian restaurant and the poke they serve.
08/25/16	10pm	4:37	A report on DuPont Castle in Wilmington, DE.
08/26/16	5pm	2:15	A report on how people are celebrating National Dog Day, including the building of the first dog park in Hammonton, NJ.
08/29/16	GDP	2:30	A "Ya Gotta Try This" segment on Noodle House.
08/30/16	10pm	1:36	A report on a wedding that was moved up two months due to the groom's terminal diagnosis.
09/03/16	10pm	1:44	A live report from the Made In America Festival on the Ben Franklin Parkway in Philadelphia.
09/04/16	10pm	2:00	A live report from the second night of the Made In America Festival on the Ben Franklin Parkway in Philadelphia.
09/08/16	GDP	3:04	A report on the 50th anniversary of Star Trek and the fans who are celebrating it.
09/21/16	10pm	5:07	A report on Stefan Johnson, a Philadelphian who was able to defeat the odds of being a statistic.
09/25/16	10pm	1:36	A report on the Eagles' fans' reactions to the current football season.
04/15/16	5pm	1:42	A report about a USA Today survey that ranks a Pittsburgh cheesesteak shop over ones in Philadelphia.
05/04/16	5pm	3:10	A report about a stranded peacock in a Philadelphia suburb that locals have adopted into their community.
05/23/16	10pm	1:32	A report on the Wish Wall started by Simonetta Lein in South Philadelphia.
06/27/16	6pm	1:10	A report about Philadelphia kicking off the 4th of July weekend with the Annual Welcome America festivities.

Disabled Issues

08/23/16	10pm	1:53	A report on Clementon Splash World closing to the public for a special night for children with special needs.
08/23/16	GDP	4:30	A report and interview with a quadriplegic man who wrote a book about his experience being a disabled father.
09/08/16	10pm	2:07	A report on a Delaware County, PA, grocery store that has a check-out aisle for parents with autistic children.

Education Issues

08/19/16	10pm	1:39	A report on the Philadelphia School Reform Commission's new policy to no longer suspend kindergarteners as a method of discipline.
09/02/16	10pm	2:06	A report on the Temple University v. Army football game at Lincoln Financial Field, and the fans for both teams.
09/06/16	10pm	1:55	A report on the closing of all the ITT Tech locations and the impact on students and faculty.
09/06/16	6pm	1:38	A report on offensive tweets sent out by the Chairman of the Board at Ursinus College and the students and fellow board members who are upset by it.
09/07/16	10pm	4:54	A "FOX 29 Investigates" report on sexual harassment allegations against the head of a charter school group in Philadelphia.
09/08/16	5pm	1:17	A report on how the unusually hot weather is causing problems for schools and forcing them to close early.
09/09/16	5pm	2:15	A report on a charter school in the Lawncrest section of Philadelphia that did not close early due to the heat, unlike all other Philadelphia public and archdiocesan schools.
09/23/16	10pm	1:49	A report on the security at Camden High School in Camden, NJ.

Elderly Issues

08/18/16	6pm	1:27	A report on a Springfield, PA woman getting her ears pierced for her 100th Birthday.
08/31/16	5pm	1:30	A report on a 96-year-old man who tried indoor skydiving in order to complete his bucket list.

Environmental Issues

07/12/16	10pm	2:00	A report on the extremely clear New Jersey shore waters due to an increase in phytoplankton in the ocean.
09/21/16	6pm	1:38	A report on the Schuylkill River turning green in Philadelphia.

Family Issues

09/06/16	10pm	1:53	A report on a Million Father's March in Philadelphia to help get fathers involved in their children's lives more.
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Government Issues

07/01/16	6pm	1:47	A report on the DNC protests expected to take place in Philadelphia.
07/08/16	10pm	1:50	A report on protests against violence in North Philadelphia.
07/15/16	5pm	1:47	A report on PA and NJ officials introducing bills that make crimes targeting police hate crimes.
07/19/16	10pm	1:46	A report on NJ Governor Chris Christie at the RNC.
07/21/16	5pm	1:30	A report on water security via the Coast Guard for the DNC in Philadelphia.
07/22/16	10pm	1:54	A report on a local South Philadelphia activist called on to speak at the DNC.
07/22/16	11pm	1:35	A report about the DNC featuring NJ Senator Cory Booker.
07/24/16	10pm	1:19	A report on DNC security in Philadelphia.
07/24/16	10pm	2:55	A report on protests and rallies at the DNC in Philadelphia.
07/24/16	6pm	1:26	A report on the delegates of DNC's guide to Philadelphia.
07/25/16	10pm	1:30	A report on a pot protest in Philadelphia.
07/25/16	5pm	1:34	A report on protests at FDR Park by Bernie Supporters in Philadelphia.
07/26/16	10pm	1:48	A report on the DNC "Politicalfest" in Philadelphia.
07/27/16	10pm	1:42	A report on LGBT members at the DNC in Philadelphia.
07/29/16	5pm	1:36	A report on the oldest and youngest delegates, both women, at the DNC in Philadelphia.
08/05/16	6pm	2:14	A report on a new NJ distracted driving bill that plans to fine drivers for drinking coffee while driving.
09/02/16	5pm	2:15	A report on GOP Presidential Candidate Donald Trump's campaign stop in Philadelphia, and protestors outside the venue.
09/02/16	5pm	2:20	A report on Pennsylvania's Senate race and how the outcome will affect the U.S. Government.
09/07/16	5pm	2:25	A report on GOP Presidential candidate Donald Trump's visit to the Union League in Philadelphia.
09/13/16	10pm	2:09	A report on GOP Presidential Nominee Donald Trump's campaign visit to Aston, PA.
09/14/16	10pm	1:52	A report on soft drink companies and small businesses suing Philadelphia City government for instituting the beverage tax before it goes into effect in January.
09/20/16	6pm	2:04	A report on the Fraternal Order of Police, local Philadelphia chapter, and their Presidential candidacy support.
09/27/16	5pm	2:05	A report on Vice-President, Joe Biden, visiting Drexel University in Philadelphia.
09/27/16	6pm	1:49	A report on the issue of freedom of speech with those who work in the government in Darby, PA.
09/28/16	6pm	2:12	A report on First Lady Michele Obama visiting LaSalle University in Philadelphia to talk about the upcoming election.

Health & Medical Issues

07/01/16	5pm	3:19	A report on the book "Become a Fat Burning Machine."
07/06/16	10pm	8:55	A "FOX 29 Investigates" report on a podiatrist in Lancaster, PA who was indicted for performing plastic surgery and billing insurance carriers for it in NJ, who is reported to continuing performing illegal and unsuccessful plastic surgery in PA.
07/07/16	10pm	3:59	A report on a women's journey back to health after an epidural left her legs temporarily paralyzed.
07/22/16	10pm	1:50	A report on a woman's need for a new kidney.
08/04/16	10pm	4:47	A report on new glaucoma treatment funded by the CDC at the Mary Howard Health Center in Philadelphia.
08/06/16	10pm	1:48	A report on children getting myopia from playing video games.
08/15/16	10pm	3:27	A report on a NJ woman who found love while battling fibrodisplasia, a very rare disease.
08/18/16	5pm	4:50	A report on a Philadelphia youth's miracle surgery at CHOP.
08/20/16	10pm	3:27	A report on the wedding of a local couple in which the bride is suffering from fibrodisplasia, a rare disease that creates a 2nd skeleton in your body.
08/20/16	6pm	4:32	A report on a 3-year-old boy who underwent an innovative and delicate surgery called laryngeal reinnervation, or nerve rewiring.
08/22/16	10pm	4:10	A report on the growing problem of young women losing their hair, and how they can stop it.
08/23/16	GDP	3:15	A report on GDP co-anchor Mike Jerrick's visit to the eye doctor to get a prescription for reading glasses.
09/01/16	10pm	4:52	A report on Bryan Sadowski, a 6-year-old boy who had a stroke and was treated at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia.
09/02/16	GDP	4:20	An interview with Chris Nowinski, who wrote a book called "Head Games," that was turned into a movie. He then founded the non-profit "Concussion Legacy Foundation" and gives speeches about what he terms the "sports concussion crisis."
09/08/16	10pm	2:41	A report on Lilly, a little girl with a rare autoimmune disease called dermatomyositis, which affects skin and muscles and is a sun-sensitive disease.
09/14/16	10pm	3:58	A report on how things inside your house may make your fall allergies worse.
09/15/16	10pm	3:39	A report on a program at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia that helps families adopting children from overseas.
09/19/16	10pm	4:42	A report on stem cell cartilage repair at Jefferson University Hospital, in Philadelphia, which has just been approved by the FDA.
09/19/16	5pm	2:40	A report on a 20 year-old body builder, Nick Santonastasso, who is overcoming Hanhart syndrome in Bayville, NJ.
09/20/16	GD	4:21	A report on young cancer survivor, Leah, and her family visiting Good Day to talk about a walk they are participating in to benefit Children's Hospital of Philadelphia.
09/23/16	6pm	2:37	A report on the "Cal's Cupcake Challenge", of which the proceeds have gone towards building the nation's first Leukodystrophy Center for Excellence at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia.
09/27/16	GD	:56	A report on Philomena Stendardo, a seven-year-old from Philadelphia recently diagnosed with inoperable cancer, of whose honor a block party fundraiser was held.

Military Issues

07/04/16	10pm	7:14	A report on Fort Hancock in NJ.
07/20/16	10pm	2:03	A report on a WWII Veteran honored in Camden County, NJ.
09/23/16	5pm	2:15	A report on the Military Appreciation Day on Market Street, in Philadelphia.

Minority/Ethnic Issues

08/01/16	6pm	1:24	A report on a Black Lives Matter sign at First Unitarian Church in Wilmington, DE.
08/22/16	5pm	1:38	A report on Norristown, PA, police department and the NAACP getting together to talk about race relations.
08/23/16	10pm	1:15	A report on a local sports radio talk show that was making up "fake" callers to the program, using racial stereotypes.
09/13/16	5pm	2:25	A report on 14-year-old Mason Catrambone, who attended Camden Catholic High School until they found out he was transgender and threw him out.
09/30/16	6pm	2:05	A report on racist language used by a business owner in the Gayborhood neighborhood of Philadelphia.

Public Health/Safety/Welfare Issues

07/05/16	10pm	1:27	A report about fires in vacant homes in Camden, NJ
07/07/16	6pm	1:39	A report on security measures for the DNC later this month in Philadelphia.
07/08/16	10pm	1:44	A report on flooding in Bucks County, PA.
07/10/16	10pm	1:50	A report on the dangers of texting and driving, detailing a Washington Township, NJ family's loss.
07/12/16	5pm	1:58	A report on collapsed house on Germantown Avenue in Philadelphia.
07/12/16	6pm	1:11	A report on West Windsor, NJ police warning the people about safely using "Pokémon Go."
07/14/16	5pm	1:27	A report on the excessive heat in the Greater Philadelphia area.
07/14/16	6pm	2:00	A report about being able to text 911 in case of an emergency.
07/14/16	6pm	4:30	A report on a contractor who poorly built homes in South Philadelphia.
07/15/16	5pm	1:38	A report on the graduation of drug and bomb-sniffing dogs in the Philadelphia area.
07/15/16	6pm	1:34	A report on a Valley Township, PA building collapsing.
07/19/16	5pm	1:26	A report on the new fines against feeding seagulls in Ocean City, NJ.
07/22/16	5pm	1:22	A report on an excessive heat warning for the weekend.
07/27/16	10pm	1:55	A report on a loose pet snake in Paulsboro, NJ.
07/30/16	10pm	1:43	A report on flash floods in Mercer County, NJ.
08/01/16	10pm	9:12	A report on a fight between neighbors in Wildwood, NJ.
08/04/16	10pm	2:03	A report on an elevator crash in the criminal justice center in Philadelphia.
08/06/16	6pm	1:03	A report on the collapse of a railing at a concert at the BB&T Pavilion in Camden, NJ.
08/08/16	6pm	1:40	A report on a passport that was returned after being left on a Septa bus.
08/12/16	1pm	1:00	A report about Philadelphia Mayor Kenny keeping all the public pools open because of a heat wave.
08/13/16	5pm	1:11	A report about texting the police instead of calling during an emergency in Camden, NJ.
08/14/16	6pm	1:37	A report about the increasing heat wave in Philadelphia and how to stay safe.
08/15/16	5pm	1:11	A report on heat-related deaths in Philadelphia.
08/15/16	5pm	1:47	A report on hackable car remotes.
08/16/16	6pm	1:30	A report on cockroaches on the rise.
08/19/16	10pm	1:30	A report on a rabid bat found inside a home in Haddon Heights, NJ.
08/21/16	10pm	1:47	A report on a retirement ceremony in Jenkintown, PA, for "Rocky," a dog in the -9 police unit.
08/22/16	10pm	1:47	A report on Delaware County residents trying to stop a major natural gas pipeline planned near a school.
08/24/16	5pm	1:59	A report on the lawsuits being brought against Live Nation, Snoop Dogg and Wiz Khalifa, after a railing collapsed at BB&T Pavilion in Camden, NJ.
08/24/16	5pm	1:54	A report on a woman who died after falling from a zip line trail at a park in Newark, DE.
08/25/16	10pm	1:45	A report on poor water quality in Maple Shade, NJ.
08/26/16	5pm	2:10	A report on SEPTA police officers and a good Samaritan doing CPR to save a

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			passenger's life.
08/29/16	10pm	1:50	A report on residents of Horsham, Hatboro and Warrington Townships meeting to find out the results of water quality tests in the area.
08/29/16	10pm	7:01	A report on a woman who was a victim of sextortion and the warnings she has for other young women.
08/29/16	5pm	2:00	A report on a rescued sea turtle at the Marine Animal Stranding Center in Brigantine, NJ.
08/30/16	6pm	1:33	A report on Philadelphia Police department making free gun locks available after two accidental shootings killed children.
08/31/16	10pm	1:26	A report on parking regulations in South Philadelphia and the possibility of changing them to the regulations used during the Democratic National Convention.
09/01/16	10pm	1:49	A report on unsafe ocean conditions and rip currents at the beach this Labor Day weekend.
09/01/16	10pm	1:48	A report on the effects of tropical storm Hermoine on the Cape May, NJ, beaches.
09/01/16	10pm	2:02	A report on a Philadelphia police officer with a controversial tattoo and what is being done about it.
09/01/16	10pm	1:53	A report on lead in the water at Rowan University.
09/02/16	5pm	1:30	An update on tropical storm Hermoine and its impact on the New Jersey beach forecast for Labor Day weekend.
09/02/16	6pm	2:15	A report on how the New Jersey beach communities are preparing for Labor Day weekend with tropical storm Hermoine headed its way.
09/03/16	10pm	1:55	A live report from the Wildwood, NJ, boardwalk on Labor Day weekend storm preps for tropical storm Hermoine.
09/03/16	6pm	1:45	A live report from the Atlantic City, NJ, boardwalk on Labor Day weekend storm preps for tropical storm Hermoine.
09/03/16	6pm	1:30	A live report on the tropical storm from Fenwick Island in Southern Delaware.
09/04/16	10pm	2:00	A live report from Ocean City, NJ, on the effects of Hermoine on the New Jersey beaches.
09/07/16	10pm	1:55	A report on one of the most dangerous roads in our area: Township Line Road in Upper Darby, PA.
09/08/16	10pm	2:01	A report on a bear sighted in Willistown, NJ.
09/09/16	10pm	2:18	A report on the hot weather and its effect on people tailgating in South Philadelphia for the Adele and Bruce Springsteen concerts.
09/10/16	6pm	1:50	A report on the unseasonable heat wave and how Philadelphia area residents are coping with it.
09/12/16	10pm	4:12	A report on new technology designed in the Philadelphia area that is working to stop concussions before they occur.
09/12/16	10pm	2:05	A report on Middletown Township residents protests over a cross state high pressure gas pipeline being built in their town.
09/13/16	GDP	4:20	A report on the "Dignity Project," a program designed to give essentials to those in need and give them a chance to share their stories.
09/14/16	10pm	2:06	A report on senior citizens in Yeadon, PA, protesting a dangerous road by blocking it.
09/14/16	6pm	1:42	A report on "Paws For People," a program which uses therapy dogs in local courthouses.

Recreation Issues

07/11/16	6pm	1:45	A report on "Pokémon Go's" popularity.
07/14/16	5pm	1:21	A report on the health benefits of the "Pokémon Go" game by getting players up and moving.
07/20/16	5pm	2:34	A report on a community garden in Philadelphia.
07/25/16	5pm	1:05	A report on the Philly Food Feast Festival in Philadelphia.
07/26/16	10pm	1:47	A report on the party-like atmosphere at the DNC in Philadelphia.
07/28/16	5pm	1:39	A report on Lady Gaga's performance for the DNC in Camden, NJ.
07/31/16	10pm	1:33	A report on an open Philadelphia Eagles practice in Philadelphia.
08/04/16	10pm	1:46	A report on the dumpster pool parties occurring this summer in Philadelphia.
08/05/16	10pm	1:44	A report on the Schuylkill River Park Dog Run.
08/11/16	5pm	1:13	A report about free concerts at Dillworth Park in Philadelphia.
08/18/16	10pm	1:41	A report on Dinner en Blanc in Philadelphia.
08/24/16	GDP	3:00	An interview with Olympic swimmer Cierra Runge, who is from Cochranville, Chester County, PA.
09/07/16	GDP	3:00	A report on FOX 29 sports reporter Sean Bell learning how to swim.
09/10/16	GDP	2:15	A report on the sport of "ax throwing" and a new place people can go in the Philadelphia area to try it.

Religious Issues

07/18/16	10pm	1:24	A report on a church service for healing in the midst of violence in Atlantic City, NJ.
08/29/16	10PM	1:47	A report on a fire that burned a historic church in West Philadelphia.
08/31/16	10pm	3:05	A report on a local priest at the Camden Archdiocese in Collingswood, NJ, who knew Mother Teresa well.

Technology Issues

09/09/16	6pm	2:17	A report on the new driver's license test in New Jersey, which allows people to use parallel parking technology in their cars.
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Transportation Issues

07/01/16	5pm	1:34	A report on holiday traffic.
07/03/16	10pm	1:39	A report on anticipated Septa train closures in PA.
07/05/16	10pm	1:53	A report on Septa commuter delays in PA.
07/21/16	6pm	2:47	A report on how understaffed SEPTA is in the Greater Philadelphia Area.
07/26/16	5pm	1:31	A report on increased traffic in Philadelphia due to the DNC.
07/30/16	10pm	2:03	A report on parking on Broad Street in Philadelphia due to the DNC.
09/12/16	5pm	2:10	A report on the progress of repairs to SEPTA's Silverliner trains.
09/26/16	6pm	1:50	A report on the closing of Septa trains in Philadelphia.
09/29/16	11pm	2:05	A report on the update of the NJ Transit train crashes in Hoboken, NJ.
09/29/16	5pm	2:14	A report on the NJ Transit train crashes in Hoboken, NJ.
09/30/16	10pm	1:39	A report on the update of the Uber/Lyft temporary agreement law.

Women's Issues

07/12/16	5pm	4:36	A report on the increase in lip injections in the Greater Philadelphia area.
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Youth Issues

07/09/16	10pm	1:46	A report on local Philadelphia youth praying for the violence in our country.
07/09/16	5pm	2:15	A report on the athlete of the week, Zara.
07/16/16	5pm	1:38	A report on the athlete of the week, Rob.
07/23/16	5pm	1:50	A report on the athlete of the week, Tracy Yates.
07/27/16	5pm	1:32	A report on the benefits of bringing children to DNC events in Philadelphia.
07/30/16	5pm	2:25	A report on the athlete of the week.
08/08/16	10pm	3:40	A report on a youth empowerment summer lacrosse camp.
08/20/16	5pm	3:33	A report on Homeland Security Agents hosting a Cadet Camp for the Children at Nemours A.I. DuPont Hospital.
08/20/16	GDP	1:50	A report on the Good Day "Athlete of the Week."
08/27/16	GDP	2:02	A profile on the high school athlete of the week.
09/01/16	GDP	4:30	An interview with Marley Diaz, an 11-year-old girl who set a goal to collect 1000 black girl books for charity.
09/03/16	GDP	2:35	A report on the Athlete of the Week, Shelby Williams.

WTXF-TV PROGRAM INFORMATION REPORT

Program Title:

 X FOX News Sunday

 Chasing New Jersey

 Other:

Air Date/Time:

Sundays, 9am

Format:

 Animated

 X Live Action

 Taped

Program Type:

 Public Affairs

 X News

 Other

Origination:

 WTXF-TV

 Other Local

 X FOX/Network

 Syndicated

Length:

 X 60minutes

 60seconds

 30minutes

 30seconds

 15minutes

 20seconds

 2minutes

 Other

Title: FOX News Sunday

Issue: Government

Description of program:

This weekly news program, hosted by Chris Wallace, is broadcast live and covers issues of national interest. In addition to national stories, the program includes live guests and panelists covering a variety of national issues.

See attached program synopses for topics, guests, panelists, and issues addressed.

Guests (if applicable):**Name & Title**

See attached

Organization

See attached

City/State

See attached

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July 3, 2016- September 25, 2016

July 3

2016/HRC & Benghazi

Rep Xavier Becerra (D-CA), Chair, House Democratic Caucus/Clinton Supporter

Terrorism

Rep Devin Nunes (R-CA), Chair, Intelligence Committee

July 10

Dallas Police Violence

Charles Ramsey, Former Philadelphia Police Commissioner

Dallas Police Violence

Rev Jesse Jackson, Rainbow PUSH Coalition

2016/HRC

Tom Perez, Clinton Supporter

2016/Trump

Sen Jeff Session (R-AL), Chair, Trump National Security Committee

July 17

2016/Trump

Paul Manafort, Trump Campaign Chairman

2016/RNC

Reince Priebus, RNC Chairman

July 24

2016/HRC

Joel Benenson, Clinton Chief Strategist

2016/Trump

Paul Manafort, Trump Campaign Chairman

August 7

2016

Newt Gingrich, Trump Supporter/Former House Speaker/Fox News Contributor
Rep Xavier Becerra (D-CA), Chair, House Democratic Caucus/Clinton Supporter

Iran

Sen Tom Cotton (R-AR), Armed Service Committee

August 14

2016/Trump

Gov Mike Pence (R-IN), Vice Presidential Nominee

2016/HRC

Sen Claire McCaskill (D-MO), Clinton Supporter

August 21

2016/Trump

Rudy Giuliani, Former New York City Mayor/Trump Campaign Advisor

2016/HRC

Sen Ben Cardin (D-MD), Clinton Supporter/Foreign Relations Committee

August 28

2016/Trump

Kellyanne Conway, Trump Campaign Manager

2016

Gary Johnson, Libertarian Presidential Nominee

September 4

2016/Trump

Dr Ben Carson, Trump Advisor

2016/HRC

Rep Gregory Meeks (D-NY), Clinton Supporter/Chairman of Black Caucus PAC

2016

Dr Jill Stein, Green Party Presidential Nominee

September 11

9/11 Anniversary/ Homeland Security

Jeh Johnson, Department of Homeland Security Secretary

2016

Newt Gingrich, Trump Supporter/Former House Speaker/Fox News Contributor
Rep Xavier Becerra (D-CA), Chair, House Democratic Caucus/Clinton Supporter

September 18

2016/HRC

Sen Tim Kaine (D-VA), Vice Presidential Nominee

2016/Trump

Gov Chris Christie (R-NJ), Trump Advisor/Trump Transition Chairman

South Sudan

George Clooney, Actor/Activist
John Prendergast, Human Rights Activist

September 25

2016/Trump

Gov Mike Pence (R-IN), Vice Presidential Nominee

2016/HRC

Joel Benenson, Clinton Chief Strategist

WTXF-TV PROGRAM INFORMATION REPORT

Program Title:

 FOX News Sunday

 X Chasing News

 Other:

Air Date/Time:

Weekdays, 12midnight (July 1 – July 15)

12:30am – 1am (July 18 – present)

Format:

 Animated
 Live Action
 X Taped

Program Type:

 Public Affairs
 X News
 Other

Origination:

 WTXF-TV
 X Other Local
 FOX/Network
 Syndicated

Length:

 60minutes
 60seconds

 X 30minutes
 30seconds

 15minutes
 20seconds

 2minutes
 Other

Title: Chasing News

Issue: Various

Description of program:

This daily news and public affairs program features various segments and stories focusing on headlines and issues affecting the New Jersey area, featuring reports by a group of correspondents known as "chasers".

See attached program synopses for topics, guests, panelists, and issues addressed.

Guests (if applicable):

Name & Title
See attached

Organization
See attached

City/State
See attached

Date: July 1, 2016

Time: 3:15

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth

REQUIEM FOR A TODDLER

The funeral for Christopher Lassiter, the 4-yr-old boy who was accidentally shot in the head and killed by his 5-year-old brother, was held Friday afternoon at New Hope Baptist Church in East Orange. Family and friends of the young boy poured the church, which is just down the street from where the accident occurred. Many of the attendees were wearing Captain America shirts and shirts with pictures of Lassiter on them. Kimayah, 6, said she loved to play basketball with her cousin, and that Christopher wanted to be a doctor when he grew up. The boys' mother, Itiyanah Spruill, who is being held in jail on charges of endangering the welfare of a child and a weapons violation, was not at the main funeral service. According to the Essex County Prosecutor's office, Spruill had a private service in the morning.

Date: July 1, 2016

Time: 2:35

ISSUES: Community

DYING TO BE THIN

Chaser Jessica interviewed eating disorder expert Rachel Cohen of the Renfrew Center in Ridgewood, NJ. She sees a growing number of athletes coming in for treatment for anorexia. We talked to a former patient and yoga instructor, Kristen Brunello, about exercising to the point where it becomes abuse to your body.

Date: July 1, 2016

Time: 3:31

ISSUES: Community

BAD SANTA?

Take a good look at this picture of a blackface Santa Claus. It's the newly elected PBA Local 105 Executive Vice President, Michael Gallagher. PBA Local 105 is the NJ correction officers union. The story was on the front page of The Trentonian newspaper on Friday. Ashley spoke with the Trentonian reporter David Foster who says he got the picture as an anonymous tip after the paper published an article that some believed elections with the union were rigged. He says there's a lot of tension right now among PBA Local 105 because leadership has changed from primarily African American to all white. Foster says when he asked Gallagher about the photo he wasn't apologizing. It was taken at a Halloween party five years ago.

Date: July 1, 2016

Time: 2:58

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

RECKLESS COUNCILMAN

NYC Council Member Andy King is in hot water after incorrectly stating that more than a dozen girls were missing in the Bronx and linking their disappearance to a possible prostitution ring. Frances Arroyo is livid after the news. Her daughter, Emily, was found four days after she went missing in April. She said her daughter's reputation is now at risk after a number of major news organizations published the council member's inaccurate reports. NYPD said nine of the 14 girls listed by King have been found. Meanwhile, King said his effort all along was to raise awareness about the growing problem of human trafficking in New York, adding that he got his information from the media and Missing Persons Reports.

Date: July 1, 2016

Time: 3:12

ISSUES: Community

FURRY CONVENTION

Anthrocon 2016 is here. It's described as the world's largest event for the furry community, attracting nearly 6,000 people to the Pennsylvania city. The event celebrates a collection of artists, animators and everyday fans who enjoy human like characters and cartoons. Attendees wear festive fur suits, costing thousands of dollars.

Date: July 4, 2016

Time: 1:57

ISSUES: Community

LYME AND REASON

"Lyme And Reason: The Cause and Consequence of Lyme Disease" is FOX 5 NY special presentation that looks at the cause and effect of Lyme disease, testing controversy and issues with misdiagnosis. Ally Hilfiger, daughter of Tommy Hilfiger, shares her personal struggles with the disease. Chasing News talks with reporter Teresa Priolo to learn more about it!

Date: July 4, 2016

Time: 2:54

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

INDEPENDENCE DAY

What started with a midnight deal to raise your taxes ended with a huge win killing the proposed increase. Thanks to our viewers and listeners flooding the state house with calls and a contentious exchange between Chasing News host and NJ 101.5 radio morning drive host Bill Spadea and Governor Christie, the gas tax increase was DOA on Thursday. Happy [#GasTaxIndependenceDay](#)! Going forward we'll pick apart the state budget to find cuts that will help us fight any future tax increases.

Date: July 4, 2016

Time: 3:14

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

MIXED MARTIAL ARTS

After years of lobbying state legislators, New York Governor Andrew Cuomo signed a bill in April legalizing mixed martial arts in the state of New York making way for huge events at the world's most famous arena, Madison Square Garden. The sport, which was once called "human cockfighting," is now being considered to be an Olympic sport in the future. Millions of dollars will be brought to the state along with hundreds of jobs. UFC legend Frankie Edgar and legal analyst, Amy Dardashtian, give their thoughts on the big news.

Date: July 4, 2016

Time: 2:28

ISSUES: Community

SEA THE CITY

Schwartz is the owner of Sea the City, a guided jet ski tour company in New York. Tours allow customers ride independently on a Jet Ski and see some of New York's best sites from the East and Hudson rivers. It's one of the latest businesses to pop up to take advantage of New York's waterways, and according to Schwartz, business is booming.

Date: July 4, 2016

Time: 5:58

ISSUES: Community

CAMPING VS GLAMPING

Need a good laugh? Ashley and Sergio's glamping adventure will leave you in stitches. Glamping is a combination of the words glamorous and camping and the popular trend started overseas. The concept dates back to when wealthy tourists went on safaris in Africa and wanted luxury accommodations while experiencing the wilderness. This glamping chase took place at the Timberland Lake Campground in Cream Ridge, NJ. Sergio attempted to teach Ashley the standard way of camping, but she wasn't having it. She brought along everything from a margarita maker to a TV and lots of gourmet food to make the experience more luxurious. The duo bumped into a true camper who has the ultimate setup you just have to see for yourself.

Date: July 5, 2016

Time: 3:34

ISSUES: Community

NOT WITHOUT MY PUPPIES

An embattled New Jersey pet store owner is back in the headlines, this time for operating without a license. Vincent LoSacco has already closed two pet stores in New Jersey, currently fighting multiples charges of animal cruelty. Protesters have turned their attention to Just Pups in Emerson. LoSacco's license expired on June 30, and town officials say he didn't submit documents in time to renew. The town will now take up the vote Tuesday.

Date: July 5, 2016

Time: 2:39

ISSUES: Community

PANIC IN THE PARK

Connor Golden was in stable condition at Bellevue Hospital Tuesday following surgery to amputate part of his leg after he stepped on an explosive in Central Park Sunday. The 18-year-old University of Miami music major was visiting New York with friends for the holiday weekend. Officials said the device, which was under a rock, may have been a homemade firework. It is being tested and the investigation continues.

Date: July 5, 2016

Time: 3:18

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

CHRISTIE TRACKER 6000 6G

Governor Chris Christie is out of the state this week, but the effects of his line-item vetoes of budget items are facing scrutiny and praise back in New Jersey. As Governor, Christie has the power to strip specific pieces of spending out of the state budget. He exercised that power minutes before the midnight July 1 deadline, vetoing not just major expenditures but also late add-ons placed there by legislators. Referred to as Christmas tree items, as they adorn the finished budget like ornaments on a holiday tree, the spending has annoyed both Democratic and Republican Governors and has been criticized by good government advocates. Chasing News breaks down some of Christie's line-item vetoes in the new state budget and asks if the Governor could have done more.

Date: July 5, 2016

Time: 3:40

ISSUES: Community

JOHNNY REB IN JERSEY

The bloody carnage that was the Civil War came at the end of rifles like the Springfield, which fired an ounce of lead more accurately than in wars before, felling men in battles from Gettysburg to Vicksburg to Fort Myers and everywhere in between. Alex and Hank went to the range with New Jersey Assemblyman Michael Patrick Carroll, who as his hobby portrays a Union soldier in re-enactments of the campaigns of a century and a half ago. Re-enactments are done with blank cartridges so no one gets hurt, but on the range it's perfectly fine to use live ammo. Watch as Alex and Hank learn to shoot the Civil War way. Somebody call Ken Burns!

Date: July 5, 2016

Time: 2:23

ISSUES: Community

WELCOME TO HEAVEN

Reality is sinking in for many in North Jersey who laid to rest last week the well-known artist who created so many of the welcome signs throughout Essex County. The identity of the driver who hit and killed 59-year-old Matthew McGrath remains a mystery. A memorial marks the place where Matthew was hit the night of June 24 while crossing Bloomfield Avenue in Verona. Ashley spoke with Matthew's friend Ralph Cocci who owns the antique shop across the way. Friends and family want whoever did this to come forward. They say Matthew always went out of his way to help others.

Date: July 5, 2016

Time: 3:36

ISSUES: Community / Health

STUDENTS OF THE ER

Overlook Medical Center in Summit, New Jersey offers an internship program for undergrads looking into the medical profession. The highly competitive program allows students to experience hospital and doctor life as they shadow medical professionals for one month in the summer. These experiences could help with the decision to pursue a career in the medical field or turn them toward a different career path.

Date: July 6, 2016

Time: 3:20

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

YOU DECIDE

Presidential front runner Hillary Clinton took the stage on the Atlantic City boardwalk to address the failing casino town. She used her podium to highlight, what she calls the many failures of Donald Trump's business dealings in Atlantic City. She said these deals left many jobless and many contracts unfulfilled, while Trump walked away with millions.

Date: July 6, 2016

Time: 3:55

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

GRAND OLD TIME AT THE FAIR

Chaser Ashley bumped into Donald Trump and Hillary Clinton duking it out at the NJ State Fair in the Meadowlands, and boy did things get hog-wild. Actually it was really a pig race. What better way to predict who will be the next president? Donald Trump-Wild started off in the lead then Hillary Hog ham Clinton soared ahead, but Trump-Wild crossed the finish line first. After taking care of that important business, Ashley sought out more fun. Of course the rides are a hit, but she explored those hidden attractions. Thrill artist Rick Wallenda taught Ashley how to do the tightrope. She also caught the new high dive show, in which divers jump from 85 feet into a shallow pool. Dan Poor the leader of his pirate team has been diving for 40 years. Then for some yummy food Ashley tried Chester's Gators and Tators, in which she ate gator mac and cheese. Also you have to check out the stand Deep Fried, where they can fry everything and anything. Believe it or not, Ashley tried fried larvette eelworms. The fair continues through Sunday.

Date: July 6, 2016

Time: 3:08

ISSUES: Community

ROW, ROW, ROW YOUR BOAT

Eat, sleep, row is what Jessica saw on Carnegie Lake in Princeton, New Jersey. Luke McGee, head coach of the U.S. Men's Eight Rowing Team, took Jess out to a practice. "They qualified for the Olympics in May and then raced at World Cup and medaled there which we were pretty excited about but we know that the competition will be even stronger down in Rio," McGee said.

Date: July 6, 2016

Time: 3:23

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE: DAY OF RECKONING

Could the federal probe into Bridgegate be close to dropping more charges on former members of Governor Chris Christie's inner circle? That's according to an unconfirmed report in the New York Observer, which says that former Port Authority Chairman David Samson could plead guilty to a single felony count within a week. Samson has been little seen since resigning from the Port Authority in March 2014 during one of the most intense portions of the George Washington Bridge lane closure scandal. Federal authorities were said to be investigating Samson for what was dubbed the "chairman's flight," a twice weekly United Airlines offering that flew directly from Newark airport to Columbia, South Carolina 50 miles from Samson's vacation home in Aiken. The fallout over the flight led to the resignation of United Airlines' CEO last year.

Date: July 6, 2016

Time: 2:56

ISSUES: Community

THOSE DAMN BELLS

New Yorkers have flooded the 311 assistance line with complaints about ice cream truck jingle noise this summer. There have been over 1,000 complaints so far and the summer has just begun. Tara hit the streets Wednesday to see if the ice cream truck jingle complaints rang true.

Date: July 6, 2016

Time: 3:08

ISSUES: Community

HONEY, THE BEE WHISPERER IS ON!

For over 60 years, Stan Wasitowski has been rescuing New Jersey businesses and residents from bees. Wasitowski has been called on by hotels, churches, even prisons that find themselves with a hive they can't handle. Wasitowski is no amateur; he has been a beekeeper since 1955 and continues to run his own bee farm, S & F Honey Farm, in Flemington, New Jersey.

Date: July 7, 2016

Time: 3:27

ISSUES: Community / Education

THE WRONG KIND OF HOMEWORK?

South Plainfield High School teacher was arrested last week for allegedly sending inappropriate pictures to one of her male students. Authorities said Mallory Christ, 29, sent two improper pictures to a male student through social media sometime in February. Christ taught math at the school for the last two years and was a cheerleading coach. Christ is charged with endangering the welfare of a child, which if found guilty could face up to 10 years in prison, according to New Jersey law. According to the Middlesex County Prosecutor's Office, Christ is out on bail and a court date has yet to be set. The investigation is ongoing. Anyone with information is asked to call Detective Clifford of the South Plainfield Police Department at 908-755-0700.

Date: July 7, 2016

Time: 4:05

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE

The cellphone Governor Chris Christie was using at the height of the Bridgegate scandal is still MIA, and attorneys for defendants in the criminal case won't be seeing the phone anytime soon, a federal judge ruled Thursday. Rejecting arguments by lawyers for former Port Authority Deputy Executive Director Bill Baroni and former Christie Deputy Chief of Staff Bridget Ann Kelly as too late and overly broad, the judge quashed a subpoena filed for the electronic material. Baroni's lawyer Michael Baldisseri had said he wanted the Governor's phone to find out when 12 text messages between Christie and then-chief of staff Regina Elea were deleted. Randy Mastro, partner at law firm Gibson Dunn & Crutcher which Baldisseri unsuccessfully subpoenaed for the phone, said the firm returned the phone to Gov. Christie.

Date: July 7, 2016

Time: 3:24

ISSUES: Community

HANK TAKES A DIP

Dangerous heat warnings in several New Jersey counties had Chaser Hank Flynn looking for a remedy in Florence, New Jersey. What kind of swimming pool takes up no space in your yard and has zero maintenance costs? Other people's pools! So, Hank went pool hopping Wednesday and made some friends along the way. The National Weather Service is calling for this particular hot streak to last possibly into Saturday.

Date: July 7, 2016

Time: 2:44

ISSUES: Community

WHO'S GUARDING THE GUARDS?

He was once the leader of one of the most powerful unions in the country. Norman Seabrook spent over two decades leading the Correction Officers' Benevolent Association. It all came to an abrupt halt in June when he was charged with sending around \$15 million of union pension money to a risky hedge fund. He has since been removed from his post as he fights those charges in court, but activists for NYC jails say it's not enough. Former inmates, former correctional officers and activists describe a long history of sexual assault, abuse and cover-ups taking place under his watch. They say Seabrook has been a roadblock to change. Many are now calling to replace the existing members of the union's board.

Date: July 7, 2016

Time: 3:06

ISSUES: Community

'JERSEY SHORE' HOUSE

It's been almost four years since MTV's hit show "Jersey Shore" left the air, but the Seaside Heights, NJ house where the show was set is available for rent! 1209 Ocean Terrace is a six-bedroom, three-bath, 1960s beach house, located steps from the boardwalk and the beach. All the original decorations and furnishings seen in the show remain the exact same throughout the house, such as the notorious duck phone used by the cast. You and 11 of your friends (maybe even more!) can rent the house for \$1,200 a night. The property is listed by Larry Vecchio of VRI Homes in Keyport.

Date: July 7, 2016

Time: 3:06

ISSUES: Community

WELCOME TO CUNNINGHAM CORNER

Sibile joined NYC high school students Amrita Khan and Ryan Panetta in in the PENCIL nonprofit's "Boss for a Day" program. They met at the corner of East 57th Street and Fifth Avenue, which the city temporarily renamed for New York Times fashion photographer Bill Cunningham, who died last month. Chaser Sibile gave her guest chasers a few pointers.

Date: July 8, 2016

Time: 6:40

ISSUES: Community

JERSEY ON ALERT

Chaser Sibile chased the impact of the Dallas murder of five police officers in New Jersey. She caught up with Essex County Sheriff Armando Fonterra at the Essex County Office of Emergency Management in West Orange. He met with 300 officers and told them that the protests will continue, but that they need to be vigilant in order to keep the public and themselves safe. Ashley spent some good time in Camden going on ride along with police and she says this department seems to be getting it right. Chief Scott Thomson said since county police took over patrolling Camden in 2013 they've decreased the murder rate by more than 52% and violent crimes by more than a quarter. When asked about how they maintain law in order in one of the nation's murder capitals without killing people, Thomson credits the good relationship police have established with the community.

Date: July 8, 2016

Time: 4:22

ISSUES: Community

PATERSON IS PRICEY

Are senior citizens in Paterson improperly getting the boot from a new developer? That may be the case for some Colt Arms Apartments residents. Residents received a letter from company that purchased the complex last year, informing them that their income level is above the limit and that they had been asked, and agreed, to move. The Colt Arms Preservation Urban Renewal, in collaboration with Hudson Valley Property Group, bought the downtown senior complex under a federal Housing & Urban Development program that includes tax credits to the developer if they agree to rehabilitate the building.

Date: July 8, 2016

Time: 3:25

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

A BILLION HERE, A BILLION THERE

Republicans and Democrats in the New Jersey Statehouse agree on one thing: funding for transportation projects is critical and rapidly dwindling. The Transportation Trust Fund could need a billion dollars in funding to repair roads and bridges. To fix this problem, Governor Chris Christie and Democrats in the State Assembly in late June forged a deal that would have led to a 23 cent increase in the gas tax alongside a one-percent reduction in the state's sales tax. But the midnight negotiation and concerns about revenue led to a rebellion in the state Senate, which tabled the measure indefinitely as soon as the July 1 budget deadline passed. Chaser Alex Zdan wondered: could cuts in the state's \$34.5 billion budget provide the billion to fund transportation projects, plus \$3 million to fund a children's breakfast program Governor Chris Christie had excised from the budget add-ons?

Date: July 8, 2016

Time: 3:32

ISSUES: Community

SECRETS OF THE PRISON GUARD

Robin Miller calls Riker's Island a plantation, describing it as slavery for prisoners and correction officers. The retired NYC correction officer spent 20 years working inside NYC's jails. Now, she's ready to share her story in a tell-all book, "The Dark Underbelly of Riker's Island."

Date: July 11, 2016

Time: 4:18

ISSUES: Community

DO YOU HAVE THE VIDEO?

One man did have problem with the music, however, according to Eric, who says the complainant brought a side order of racism. Words were exchanged. Eric says he called the man rude, and apparently the man complained to police about the music. The family says one cop did approach them and told them that the volume of their music was fine. The mood gone sour, the Villaltas decided to leave, but it wasn't over. Eric says police asked what's up with the music, which he adds hadn't been playing since they'd packed up their things. The family says they were asked for IDs, and when they asked police why IDs were needed, they say cops moved in. Eric says he was tackled and tightly handcuffed in front of his family and children, thrown into a patrol car and mace.

Date: July 11, 2016

Time: 2:52

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

THE DAY TRUMP CHEATED DEATH

On October 10, 1989, Trump cheated death. A helicopter carrying three of his top executives crashed in a wooded area along the Garden State Parkway. All three executives died: Stephen Hyde, Mark Etyss, and Jonathan Benanav. Chaser Sibile chased this to Marlton, New Jersey, to the home of James Rutherford, who co-authored "Trumped!" with John O'Donnell, a former Trump executive. The day of the helicopter crash Trump could have died and it changed his life forever.

Date: July 11, 2016

Time: 3:46

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

KING OF HARLEM

Chaser Ashley Johnson sat down one on one with Rep. Charlie Rangel at his Harlem office Monday morning. She asked him about his long career and what he takes the most pride in being on the brink of retirement. He mentioned providing affordable housing and working on Obama's Affordable Care Act, but says it is really hard to pinpoint one thing. Rep. Rangel also spoke about the Black Lives Matter Movement.

Date: July 11, 2016

Time: 3:05

ISSUES: Community

DRIVING WHILE BLACK IN JERSEY

New Jersey native and hip hop producer Just Blaze was pulled over by police in Norther Jersey Thursday and live-streamed the whole thing. Blaze, who works with Beyoncé and Jay-Z, put his interaction with police up on Periscope and garnered nearly 50,000 views. The stop resulted in a simple warning but the reactions to the incident were anything but. The resulting backlash is a stark reminder of the state of the nation in the wake of last week's fatal shootings.

Date: July 11, 2016

Time: 4:01

ISSUES: Community / Transportation

MY BRIDGE HAS A HOLE IN IT

A bridge carrying a busy roadway over a Somerset County creek may be closed for two weeks or more after rain and water washed away an abutment wall, leading the state Department of Transportation to step in. On Sunday, an alert motorist notified police of a hole in Route 202 in Bernardsville on the bridge. Officers who investigated called out the DOT, which closed the highway between Whitenack Road and Douglass Avenue. The bridge was not slated for repairs, and work being done to fix it is on an emergency basis and not connected to the controversy over the state's Transportation Trust Fund.

Date: July 11, 2016

Time: 1:52

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE: CHRISTIE'S MYSTERY PHONE

Could Governor Chris Christie's cellphone have been in the possession of one of his attorneys all along? After a court hearing that unsuccessfully sought the cellphone Christie used during the lane closures on the George Washington Bridge in 2013 and confusing messages from the Governor, defense attorneys and the lawyer Christie used to investigate his office's role in Bridgagate, the phone was confirmed to be "found" by the New York Times Friday. A spokesman for the Governor told the newspaper that Christopher

Wray, who is representing Christie's interests as Bridgegate races toward trial, has the phone. During a news conference in mid-June, Christie vaguely referred to "lawyers" when asked where the phone was.

Date: July 12, 2016

Time: 4:01

ISSUES: Community

WHAT'S THAT ON MY PHONE BILL?

The state of New Jersey collects a fee from the wireless or landline provider that every New Jersey resident pays to their respective phone company called the "911 System and Emergency Response Fee." It's in the 2017 NJ budget for about \$125 million that will be collected from residents. The fee is 90 cents per month for everyone with a phone, landline or cellphone, collected by the phone provider and given to the state of New Jersey for 911 services and upgrades. Monmouth County officials say they have not seen a dime of that money since 2010 and before that, they only received a small fraction of the fees collected, at the most \$350,000 per year.

Date: July 12, 2016

Time: 3:02

ISSUES: Government/Politics

CLINTON VS. GARRETT

Hillary Clinton may have avoided FBI charges, but it's not over. House Republicans had FBI Director James Comey testify in front of Congress and explain why he viewed her handling of classified information as "extremely careless." The big question being why have some federal officials been indicted for gross negligence in the way they handled classified information, while she walked away without punishment. Chaser Sibille caught up with Congressman Scott Garrett to ask him if Republicans had accomplished their goals during Comey's grilling. The Congressman said they have unfinished business. Republicans now want to strip Clinton of her security clearance.

Date: July 12, 2016

Time: 4:30

ISSUES: Community

PIZZA PRANKED

Freddie's has been cooking up high-quality thin crust pizza in Long Branch for 40 years. It's gotten tougher over the last year, however, since phones used to take pizza orders are being bombed by preteen pranksters. Manager Oscar Martinez picks up a ringing phone. Oscar's installed a couple of new phone lines, but the problem persists. Oscar gives the issue 8 out of 10 on the problem scale, for the stress it brings to his workers and the difficulty it presents to customers. He's issued statements reiterating that nothing in the game exists in reality, but to Oscar and the others at Freddie's Long Branch, the horror is all too real.

Date: July 13, 2016

Time: 4:03

ISSUES: Community

CAUGHT ON TAPE

Some Jersey City police officers have been caught on film apparently not working when they were being paid to supervise "off-duty" police assignments for the city. According to OPRA'd documents, Lt. Terrence Crowley was assigned as a shift supervisor of "off-duty" police officers working what is called "off-duty" paid assignments on multiple dates in January and February, but he was caught on video, not at work. Video taken by Michael Shirin of RealJerseyCity.com, found him leaving his shift up to three hours early.

Date: July 13, 2016

Time: 3:10

ISSUES: Community / Substance Abuse

ZOMBIES ON THE STREETS

Authorities raided the Big Boy Deli at 930 Broadway Brooklyn, on Wednesday, a day after 33 people were hospitalized Tuesday after reportedly overdosing on the synthetic marijuana known as K2. Police on Tuesday morning responds to reports of multiple people unresponsive and littering the streets in Bedford-Stuyvesant. The city strengthened legislation against K2 last fall and the results had been positive until this latest incident. Tara headed to the neighborhood to get reaction from residents and business owners. Officials would not say whether K2 was found during the Wednesday raid on the Big Boy Deli.

Date: July 13, 2016

Time: 3:07

ISSUES: Community

AMAZING SAND SCULPTURE!

Belmar hosted the 30th Annual New Jersey Sand Castle Contest on Wednesday. Larry Murray says lot of hard work goes into building a castle before the fun can begin. The usual summer crowd was on-hand, plus the castle-builders and others that the contest attracted, making for a packed Belmar beach. Djai's Bar and Grill sponsored the event and did the judging they even had a DJ and a beach dance party. Castle sculptures ranged from nesting animals to political signs to more traditional, though very large, classic castles. Participants came from as far away as Montreal. The Best on Beach prize went to plumber Chris Kirsten and his friends and family for

their bathroom in the sand. They'd created a toilet and vanity sink out of beach sand. The contest takes place each year at the 18th Avenue Beach in Belmar on the second Wednesday after July 4.

Date: July 13, 2016

Time: 2:36

ISSUES: Community

I'M BLACK AND I'M A COP

Atlantic City Police Officer Michael Braxton is both black and a police officer. In the wake of these recent tragedies, he needed to send a message to the public. Stop the madness. He took to Facebook to recite an open letter he penned to not Black Lives Matter supporters, not Blue Lives Matter supporters but he instead wrote to America.

Date: July 13, 2016

Time: 3:19

ISSUES: Community

I'M 16 AND I'M GOING TO THE OLYMPICS

16-year-old Sydney McLaughlin of Dunellen is a track superstar who is headed to the Olympics! She's the youngest American track athlete to head to the Olympics in 44 years. She's the pride of Union Catholic High School, of New Jersey and of the USA. At the entrance to the Scotch Plains school, there are posters showing Sydney racing and the moment she qualified for the Olympics including her qualifying time 54:15. She holds the world junior record of all time and has the fourth-fastest time for the 400-meter hurdles going to the Rio 2016 Olympics.

Date: July 13, 2016

Time: 4:10

ISSUES: Community

GET JENNY MARRIED!

A New Jersey couple is without a wedding venue after their venue rental fell through. Jenny Fernandez says she rented a house in Alpine on Airbnb in April 2016 for \$5,780, planning to hold her wedding there on July 23. On July 4, Airbnb notified Jenny that her reservation had been canceled. Now less than two weeks before her big day, Jenny has yet to get a full refund and is now struggling to locate a new venue.

Date: July 14, 2016

Time: 1:34

ISSUES: Community

SAMSON PLEADS GUILTY

Former Port Authority of New York and New Jersey Chairman David Samson pleaded guilty to bribery inside the Newark federal courthouse on Thursday. He admitted using his authority at the Port Authority to pressure United Airlines into instituting a "chairman's flight" so he could fly from Newark and spend weekends at his second home in South Carolina. This is all fallout of Bridgegate which led to criminal charges for key players in NJ Governor Chris Christie's administration and the Port Authority. U.S. Attorney Paul Fishman announced that Jamie Fox, Christie's former transportation chief, is facing the criminal charge of conspiring to commit bribery.

Date: July 14, 2016

Time: 4:07

ISSUES: Community

#GETJENNYMARRIED

A New Jersey bride is overwhelmed by the outpouring of support after she asked Chasing News for help in finding a last minute wedding venue for July 23. Jenny Fernandez originally planned to hold her wedding at a private home in Alpine, NJ, which she found on Airbnb. The reservation was canceled July 4 and she has yet to receive a full refund from the renter. Since the story first aired on Chasing News, several organizations have agreed to host her wedding at a huge discount.

Date: July 14, 2016

Time: 4:13

ISSUES: Community

#PICSFORPEACE

A young man from Winslow Township, NJ has started a social media campaign called #picsforpeace to spread his message of peace. Andre Fooks visited Winslow Township Police Department to talk about the recent racial unrest and the relations between the Police and the community. It started with a conversation that led to a photograph and it ended with something much larger. Fooks and his two friends took a photograph with Winslow Chief of Police, George Smith, and he posted it to Facebook with the hashtag #picsforpeace.

Date: July 14, 2016

Time: 2:11

ISSUES: Community

DOLLARS FOR THE DOGGIE

Liberty Humane Society is raising money to help pay for the medical expenses of a severely abused Jersey City dog. Feather and her two puppies were rescued earlier this month while authorities were executing a search warrant for drugs at Farrakhan Williams' Jersey City home. Williams admitted to authorities that he punched the dog and locked her in the bathroom for "several days." He is charged with nine narcotics offenses as well as animal cruelty. Irene Borngraeber, executive director of Liberty Humane Society, said Feather will have a long road of rehabilitation. The shelter has set up a fundraising campaign to help with the medical expenses.

Date: July 14, 2016

Time: 4:30

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth

THAT'S NOT MY KID!

Abisai Moreno Iglesias is a 33-year-old man from Tyler, Texas, who for almost a decade has been embroiled in the one of the weirdest child support stories you'll ever hear. He's had thousands of dollars garnished from his wages by the state of New Jersey all to support a child that isn't his. And he could have had even more money taken out of his paycheck as recently as the first week of July if it weren't for a little help from Chasing News. Mr. Iglesias was accidentally attached to a child support case in Cumberland County, New Jersey because he has almost the same name as the father of nine year-old girl. After being contacted by Chasing News, NJ Department of Human Services refunded the money garnished from Abisai's wages and permanently removed him from the child support system.

Date: July 14, 2016

Time: 3:34

ISSUES: Community

POKEMON GO AFTER DARK

Pokémon Go has taken New York City by storm this week. By day gamers' play in the city streets but by night they hunt for Pikachu on Pokémon themed bar crawls. Pokémon Go users were out in full force throughout Lower Manhattan.

Date: July 15, 2016

Time: 3:46

ISSUES: Community / Substance Abuse

ZOMBIE ON THE STREETS

Videos have emerged in the aftermath of the massive K2 overdose in Brooklyn Tuesday. The first video is surveillance of a user attacking a family of tourists. The second was shot by a resident who captured the zombie-like users on his smartphone. Chaser Tara met the witness behind that video and retraced the steps he took that day, and then spoke to a current K2 user in Bedford-Stuyvesant who offered a glimpse into that life.

Date: July 15, 2016

Time: 2:39

ISSUES: Community

OMG, IT'S A TWISTER!

Severe weather ripped through parts of northern New Jersey Thursday afternoon. The most startling event may have been a possible tornado that touched down in White Township. Lifelong resident Tom Smith said his farm was destroyed by the wind, which tore a path through the barn and across his house blowing out the windows. Authorities are still investigating if it was a wind shear or a tornado.

Date: July 15, 2016

Time: 3:37

ISSUES: Community

BUDDY, KEEP THE CHANGE

Murray Perch has worked at New Jersey's Westfield train station newsstand for 33 years. Perch is retiring at age 65, but he's got young energy. He's retiring by choice family reassignment. Marsha Salisbury has been getting her morning coffee from Murray on the way to the train as long as she can remember. He's the first person she speaks to each day. Through his newsstand window, Murray's seen the decline of print newspapers. He still carries a dozen different papers but orders only a fraction of what he used to. As for the stand itself, it's declared historic and it can't be torn down. The loose plan is to renovate it and maybe find someone new to run it most likely the highest bidder.

Date: July 15, 2016

Time: 3:28

ISSUES: Government/Politics

CLEVELAND PREVIEW

The Republican National Convention descends on Cleveland the week of July 18, and Chasing News will be there to bring viewers on-the-ground coverage. Alex Zhan will be inside the convention hall as delegates move to formally nominate Donald Trump, and

outside on the streets where protesters are promising nightly disruption. Jim McQueen, host of My9 network's "NJ Now," will be providing insight garnered during nearly 30 years of covering political conventions for both parties. The 2016 Republican convention in Cleveland could be one of the most dynamic in years.

Date: July 15, 2016

Time: 2:31

ISSUES: Community

COCOONING?

Cocoons are no longer just for caterpillars, they're for people! Cocooning is a 45-minute class that gives your body and mind a workout using a hammock. The class starts out with an inversion, stretching, and finally the opportunity to nap in your hammock! According to the folks at the Antigravity Lab in NYC, benefits include calming the nervous system, and increasing range of motion. It also helps relieve tension. Christopher Harrison started the Antigravity Company in 1991 as an entertainment company. The fitness branch started in 2007 and classes are available worldwide. Classes are \$22.

Date: July 18, 2016

Time: 3:11

ISSUES: Community

#GETJENNYMARRIED

Fairy tales do come true! Just ask bride-to-be Jenny Fernandez. Jenny thought her dream wedding had been kicked to the curb after her wedding venue canceled without returning her money. But, with the help of strangers, her dream is now once again a reality. Galloping Hill Golf Course in Kenilworth, NJ has offered to host Jenny's wedding at a 50% discount on Saturday, her scheduled date! A wedding originally scheduled for that day canceled at the last minute after putting down deposits.

Date: July 18, 2016

Time: 3:44

ISSUES: Community

WELCOME TO NORTHLANDZ

Bruce Williams Zaccagnino knows a thing or two about enthusiasm. Northlandz is the self-proclaimed largest model railroad system in the world. Fifty thousand feet of track wander more than 8 miles through thousands of hand-built structures and terrain borne from tons of plaster, dotted with an estimated half-million lichen trees. Zaccagnino started building Northlandz nearly 40 years ago and has been on a vision quest ever since. He can't explain how he does it, and he's never finished since he's always adding on. Expect to spend at least two hours going through the display, and make sure to take in the many dolls and dioramas as well. You'll walk for about a mile and pay about what it costs to go to a movie. Northlandz can be found on the west side of Route 202 about two miles north of the Flemington traffic circle.

Date: July 18, 2016

Time: 9:01

ISSUES: Government/Politics

2016 GOP CONVENTION KICKOFF

The 2016 GOP Convention is underway in Cleveland and Alex is on the ground for Chasing News. Alex headed to Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church in Cleveland, where he spoke with the Rev. Larry L. Harris Sr. and members of his congregation about the prospect of a Trump presidency.

"NJ Now" host Jim McQueeney also is at the convention and offered his perspective via Skype.

Date: July 18, 2016

Time: 2:25

ISSUES: Community

HOP ON THE BIG PINK BUS

There are a lot of different icons that represent the Jersey Shore. Margate has Lucy the elephant, Atlantic City has casinos, and Long Beach Island has the Nardi's Party Bus. The current owner of Nardi's Tavern & Grille owner, John Brennan, met with Allison Gormly to give a quick history lesson on LBI's unsung hero.

Date: July 19, 2016

Time: 2:46

ISSUES: Community

CHASING A PHANTOM JOB

Jersey City-based NJ/NY Security Works Training and Placement promises lifetime employment in the security industry. According to the company's fliers, all you have to do is sign up for their courses. But former customers say that instead of setting them up for a good career, the company scammed them out of hundreds of dollars for courses they did not need.

Date: July 19, 2016

Time: 3:25

ISSUES: Community
BONNIE & CLYDE?

Police are looking for a Jeffrey Goul, man who police say fatally shot a romantic rival in a Philadelphia suburb last week, the first homicide there in decades. Edward Dubinsky, who was found dead on his porch in Warwick, had been seeing Zannatul Naim, Goul's girlfriend. Police say Goul, who is believed to be armed and dangerous, and Naim took off in a champagne colored Chevy truck and were last known to be in North Carolina.

Date: July 19, 2016

Time: 3:23

ISSUES: Community

TROUBLE IN THE PIPELINE?

An oil pipeline proposed for New Jersey and New York has residents in Chatham, NJ riled up. It's called the Pilgrim Pipeline and it's designed to carry Bakken crude from Albany to Linden. Each of the 28 New Jersey towns that lie along the proposed route is against the pipeline, including Chatham. Residents held a fundraiser to oppose it last week. While the pipeline route isn't finalized, Pilgrim Pipeline spokesman Paul Nathanson says critics are "trying to sow panic in the public," that pipelines are the safest mode of oil transportation, and that the project would create jobs.

Date: July 19, 2016

Time: 5:30

ISSUES: Government/Politics

DAY 2 OF THE RNC CONVENTION

Chaser Alex spends much of Day 2 of the 2016 Republican National Convention outside the Quicken Loans Arena taking the temperature of supporters and protesters alike. "NJ Now" host Jim McQueeney joined us from inside the arena where New Jersey Governor Chris Christie was getting ready to deliver a speech Tuesday.

Date: July 19, 2016

Time: 2:47

ISSUES: Community

CHARDONNAY GO!

It's no secret the mobile game, Pokemon Go!, has swept the nation. Millions of players of all ages take to the streets to find virtual creatures called Pokémon every single day. NJ mom and comedian, Dena Blizzard, does not share that sentiment. Dena used her comedic genius to make a spoof video, of a fake game she invented, called Chardonnay Go! It's a way for moms to find glasses of wine in their homes and in their neighborhoods. She posted the video to Facebook and millions of views followed! She joined Chasing News to talk about her surprise viral hit.

Date: July 20, 2016

Time: 1:51

ISSUES: Community

IS THAT A SHARK?

Coney Island beaches were closed Tuesday after shark sightings were reported just off the shore. One sighting was captured on video and posted to social media. An expert from the New York Aquarium confirmed the video showed a shark, but a harmless Basking Shark. The City Parks Department also confirmed the shark sightings and reopened beaches Tuesday afternoon.

Date: July 20, 2016

Time: 2:20

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth / Health

ARIANNA'S ANGELS

Who would steal an iPad from a 21-month-old girl with leukemia? Well, that's what happened in Philadelphia Monday. Arianna Mae Lewis can't leave the hospital and doesn't have a link to the outside world other than her iPad. However, when the family left the hospital room for an appointment, it was stolen. Two police officers came to the rescue.

Date: July 20, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

THE RAMAPOUGHS VS. TRUMP

As the Republican National Convention takes place in Cleveland, one of the big questions is whether Donald Trump will be who we are used to seeing and not biting his tongue or will he scale back a bit. Trump has ignited many fires for his remarks towards Muslims, but the Ramapoughs in North Jersey say they've had many nasty encounters with Trump going back to the 1980s when they started working on getting federal recognition. They say Trump made nothing but racist remarks. The Ramapoughs who live in Ringwood first filed for federal recognition in 1990. Trump at the time had a huge hold with Atlantic City casinos and raised concerns the Ramapoughs would open a casino in Mahwah and steal business. Until this day the Ramapoughs want federal recognition, which they say would have happened by now if it weren't for Trump.

Date: July 20, 2016

Time: 3:16

ISSUES: Community

THE RAPPERS' MONK

Shifu Shi Yan Ming was the first to bring Shaolin Kung Fu to the United States. Trained as a Shaolin Temple Warrior Monk in China, he was on a tour of the United States when he defected in 1992. By 1994, he had moved to New York City where he opened USA Shaolin Temple and began training students, including Wu-Tang Clan. The rest is history.

Date: July 20, 2016

Time: 5:39

ISSUES: Government/Politics

2016 RNC DAY 3

Chaser Alex spent Day 3 of the 2016 Republican National Convention talking to protesters outside the Quicken Loans Arena in Cleveland. "NJ Now" host Jim McQueeney talked to us about the Christie Effect.

Date: July 20, 2016

Time: 3:01

ISSUES: Community

HANK GOES TO THE FAIR

The Burlington County Farm Fair kicked off Tuesday in Columbus, NJ with a tractor-driving contest presented by the Future Farmers of America. Judge Jim Thackeray describes the intricacy of the required maneuvers. Young competitors perused the John Deere tractors being used in the contest, noting the differences in controls while trying to get any competitive advantage. A dozen future farmers then ran through four tasks that involved driving the Bobcat and hitching and backing up trailers. Organizers say they need to do a lot of things quickly, and safely. It's still a fair, though, so there's a full midway with plenty of rides, games, and food. Farms and food! That's the Garden State. The fair runs through Sunday with tractor pulls, goat races, cow milking contests, even a skillet-throwing contest for the women.

Date: July 21, 2016

Time: 3:00

ISSUES: Community

CHOKING 101?

A video released by Rutgers' student newspaper, The Daily Targum, shows a university staff member putting a student in a chokehold in a meeting room. In the video, you can see two males Rutgers student Patrick Gibson and an unidentified university employee. The incident took place just before Wednesday's board of governors meeting. Gibson is affiliated with the Rutgers Alliance, which advocates for better campus life and lower tuition. The student picked up a binder from the table for members of the meeting and started leafing through the pages while the faculty member followed him and told him to stop.

Date: July 21, 2016

Time: 3:25

ISSUES: Community

BUT JUDGE, IT'S A TOY GUN!

NJ actor and comedian Carlo Bellagio, who was facing up to 30 years in prison for possession of a BB gun on a movie set last year, joined us in studio Thursday to talk about the plea deal he accepted. While three years' probation is arguably better than 30 years in jail, Carlo isn't thrilled.

Date: July 21, 2016

Time: 3:13

ISSUES: Community

SEASIDE CATASTROPHE

Seaside Heights has passed a controversial ordinance to take control of its feral cat problem. The ordinance sets aside a trap, neuter, and release program. Instead, the cats will be put up for adoption or placed in a sanctuary once they are captured and neutered. Activists from all around the country voiced their concerns over the measure. But, according to the Mayor, all of the concerns came from outside Seaside Heights.

Date: July 21, 2016

Time: 4:55

ISSUES: Government/Politics

2016 RNC DAY 4

On Day 4 of the Republican National Convention, Chaser Alex gave us a delegate's-eye view from the floor of the Quicken Loans Arena in Cleveland. "NJ Now" host Jim McQueeney talked to us about Ted Cruz's fall from grace and Chris Christie's possible successor.

Date: July 21, 2016

Time: 2:54

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

PHILADELPHIA IS READY FOR ITS CLOSEUP

The Democratic National Convention is coming to Philadelphia July 25-28. The city is expecting around 50,000 visitors for the four-day event starting Monday at the Wells Fargo Center. Unlike during the Pope's recent visit, Philadelphia residents don't have to worry about massive road closures or how they'll get to work. Businesses will also have extended hours. According to a city spokesperson, the city will be spending \$659,000 on preparations. This includes the beautification process and overtime for the workers. As far as security is concerned, that cost is being covered by a federal grant.

Date: July 21, 2016

Time: 1:59

ISSUES: Government/Politics

HEADKRACK CHECKS IN!

Chaser Ashley caught up with "Dish Nation" Host Headkrack and this time she turned the focus to politics. Now more than halfway through the 2016 Republican National Convention in Cleveland she asked what's been the buzz on set about GOP presidential nominee Donald Trump. Headkrack is clear that "Dish Nation" is not a political show or do they take a stance on either candidate. But he does believe speeches from Trump's family has softened his image. Also hear what Headkrack has to say about the Black Lives Matter Movement.

Date: July 22, 2016

Time: 3:36

ISSUES: Community / Education

CHOKING 101?

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Date: July 22, 2016

Time: 2:42

ISSUES: Community

WAWA BANDIT

A local woman being called the Wawa Bandit, Ashley went in pursuit of the thief and had no luck, but police did. West Goshen PA police say 48-year-old Rebecca Julian was arrested in Delaware on Friday. She admitted to stealing numerous bags of Wawa coffee and returning them to a different location for cash. She visited Wawa's all over New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware and Maryland. Police say the stolen goods were worth a total of about \$3,000. Police say Julian has been released and charges are pending.

Date: July 22, 2016

Time: 2:38

ISSUES: Community

GIVE TREES A CHANCE

Two famous families are feuding over a tree that grows between their New York City brownstones. The parents of Marisa Tomei are suing their neighbor Sean Lennon, son of late musician John Lennon, over the tree. They say the tree is damaging the foundation of their Greenwich Village home and are asking for \$10 million.

Date: July 22, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

SOMETHING'S ROTTEN IN JERSEY CITY

The Coalition for Progress, a Super PAC associated with Jersey City Mayor Steven Fulop, a Democrat likely to run for Governor next year. Coalition for Progress made news after a watchdog organization filed a complaint with the Federal Election Commission over an anonymous million-dollar donation. It said that the company was created only one day before to provide cover for the donor. The Super PAC revealed the actual donor several days ago as an owner of three Hudson County hospitals, including Christ Hospital in Jersey City. Coalition for Progress has taken in more than \$3 million this year, according to OpenSecrets.org. Most of the money came from people with heavy business in Jersey City. Money in politics is a popular issue for elected officials to rail against. But judging by the lack of change in Trenton or on Capitol Hill, cash will remain king for years to come.

Date: July 22, 2016

Time: 4:22

ISSUES: Government/Politics

YOU DECIDE: BACKSTORY CONVENTION CHRONICLES

Presenting the Backstory Convention Chronicles! Take a look back at Chasing News' coverage of the 2016 Republican National Convention in Cleveland with Chaser Alex and guest Chaser and "NJ Now" host Jim McQueeny.

Date: July 22, 2016

Time: 3:01

ISSUES: Community

BOARDWALK BANQUET

Now you can cook all of your favorite New Jersey recipes at home. "The Jersey Shore Cookbook," written by food blogger Deborah Smith, is a compilation of secret recipes from popular NJ restaurants. The book also delivers what Deborah calls "a slice of life," offering the inside scoop that you won't find anywhere else.

Date: July 25, 2016

Time: 3:56

ISSUES: Community

MAYOR, DON'T TAKE OUR POOL AWAY!

It was well up into the 90s on Friday at Paterson's Lou Costello Pool. The crowd was glad to be able to cool off. It may not last. On Friday, word got out that Paterson's pools would not stay open through Labor Day weekend, as they always have. The city's Department of Recreation announced instead that the pools and other activities camps, boxing, fitness would close for the summer Aug. 12, more than three weeks before kids return to school. Friction between the administration of Paterson Mayor Joey Torres and City Council was apparent in a statement issued by Torres. It blames council for not passing third- and fourth-quarter tax levies, rendering the city unable to pay for services. Council members have retorted that recreation activities are cheap, a drop in the bucket for the city's budget, and don't have to be cut.

Date: July 25, 2016

Time: 2:59

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

TRUMP'S CHILDHOOD HOME

Trump's childhood in Queens is up for sale for \$1.65 million. Chaser Sibile took a private tour. Isaac Kestenberg is the current homeowner who has been living there for eight years. The home, located at 8515 Wareham Place in Jamaica, has five bedrooms, four and a half bathrooms, a five-car driveway, a two-car garage and the original mahogany floors from the '40s.

Date: July 25, 2016

Time: 4:54

ISSUES: Government/Politics

2016 DNC PREVIEW

Outside Philadelphia City Hall, a swarm of Bernie Sanders supporters were truly "Feeling the Bern" Monday afternoon. The hot topic was DNC Chairwoman Debbie Wasserman Schultz's resignation. It happened Sunday after thousands of her emails were leaked showing hostility toward Sanders. Protesters say it proves the election process was rigged in favor of Hillary Clinton. Protesters plan on having their voices heard all week.

Meanwhile, with 50,000 people expected to descend on the city through Thursday, there will be parties.

Date: July 25, 2016

Time: 3:39

ISSUES: Community

#JENNYGOTMARRIED

It was a day Jenny Fernandez thought would never come. The New Jersey bride was at a loss two weeks ago when her venue suddenly canceled and never returned her money. But, before long, fate stepped in and saved the day. Galloping Hill Golf Course in Kenilworth just so happened to have a wedding canceled for the same weekend as Fernandez's wedding. In need of a bride and groom, they offered to host Jenny's wedding at a 50% discount. The wedding took place Saturday and Jenny said it was better than she ever imagined.

Date: July 26, 2016

Time: 3:27

ISSUES: Community

LET'S EAT ALL THE DEER!

The deer population is rising nationwide, causing more and more vehicle accidents, injuring thousands and killing hundreds of motorists per year. A study from the University of Washington, says that if wild cougars were reintroduced into the area, it could help reduce the population.

Date: July 26, 2016

Time: 3:49

ISSUES: Community

LIKE A BRIDGE OVER TROUBLED MANHATTAN

A proposal to build a bridge over Manhattan is so revolutionary, that Chaser Sibile hopped into a plane in order to see what it would look like from high up in the sky. The Empire State Gateway consists of twin suspension bridges. It would use air rights above the 495 approach to the Lincoln Tunnel and soar 212 feet above the Hudson River over Manhattan and over the East River into Queens.

Date: July 26, 2016

Time: 2:32

ISSUES: Community / Religion

FAITH IS A TALL ORDER

Tuesday was the 106th Feast of St. Ann at St. Ann Roman Catholic Church in Hoboken. The church was full, but even outside, you could still be a part of it. Hank went to watch devotees pay tribute to the mother of the Virgin Mary and the patron saint of mothers.

Date: July 26, 2016

Time: 7:29

ISSUES: Government/Politics

YOU DECIDE 2016 DNC DAY 2

Philadelphia's FDR Park has become home to campers in support of Bernie Sanders. They've come to the 2016 Democratic National Convention with one purpose: to support Bernie Sanders. They are being asked to get behind Hillary Clinton for President amidst rallies and heckling at the convention. Among those preaching unity is New Jersey Assemblyman John Wisniewski, who was State Chair for Sanders' campaign. At a breakfast hosted by Jersey City Mayor Steve Fulop, there were some interesting Democrats, including NJ State Senator and possible gubernatorial candidate Ray Lesniak, former NJ Governor Jim McGreevey, and retired US Army General and 2003 presidential candidate Wesley Clark.

Date: July 26, 2016

Time: 2:54

ISSUES: Community

WHERE THE RAT IS KING

If you live in New York, you can smell a rat, lots of them. They're everywhere, including this Brooklyn Park Alex visited. Alleycat Exterminating has been fighting the rodents for three generations and now there's a fourth. One of the poisons they use smells like graham crackers. Owner Donnie Clark says the city has gotten soft on rats. Joe Gandolfo of Elite Exterminating also wages war on the city's vermin. And he has an opinion on a city program to distribute mint-scented trash bags intended to repel rats.

Date: July 27, 2016

Time: 3:20

ISSUES: Community

RACCOONS TERRORIZE HARLEM

New York City has a new non-human enemy and it is not rats. Harlem residents are reporting raccoons ravaging their gardens and even eating their pets. Chaser Tara spoke with residents about the ongoing issue that has recently escalated.

Date: July 27, 2016

Time: 2:46

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics / Religion

THE NATION SPEAKS

Ashley spoke with Minister Abdul Hafez Muhammad who leads the Nation of Islam at the historic Mosque No. 7 in Harlem about the heated presidential election. He is the voice for Minister Louis Farrakhan based in New York City. They talked about Isis and Trump's making a big point of contention about using the term "radical Islam." He said Trump's remarks about getting Muslims out to the country they don't support, but he agrees more needs to be done in ensuring America's safe. Hafez noted that the Nation of Islam does not support either candidate.

Date: July 27, 2016

Time: 2:58

ISSUES: Community

OMG, MODESTY IN THE GYM

New mom Candice Safdieh of Oakhurst, NJ wanted to get back in the gym but with her Orthodox Jewish beliefs, her outfit choices were limited. So Candice and her mother launched a line of attached skirt and leggings workout bottoms called Snogas. The business is flourishing with orders from around the world. They hope the message to be comfortable while maintaining the modesty you believe in will reach women of all backgrounds.

Date: July 27, 2016

Time: 7:04

ISSUES: Government/Politics

2016 DNC CONVENTION DAY 3

Telling stories of their meeting, courtship, family life and career, former President Bill Clinton delivered a testimony to his wife Hillary during a speech to the Democratic National Convention Tuesday night. Clinton wowed the delegates, but still uncertain is the role the former president would play if his wife was in the White House. Hillary Clinton briefly appeared at the end of the night via video link, introduced on the screen by an animated shattering of a symbolic glass ceiling. Hillary Clinton was officially named as the Democratic candidate for president on Tuesday, despite protesters crying out for Bernie Sanders. The protesters marched out of the Wells Fargo Center shortly after Bernie Sanders handed over his delegates to Clinton. They screamed "walk out" and spoke of a rigged system. Meanwhile, those inside the convention looked forward to a unity and cheered for the first female nominee.

Date: July 27, 2016

Time: 2:24

ISSUES: Community / Health

A HERO'S REQUEST

Mike Megna has taken his campaign to add kidney disease to the Center for Disease Control's list of approved conditions eligible for monetary compensation from the 9/11 Victims Compensation Fund to the streets with two billboards on Route 3. Megna, who originally went down to Ground Zero to look for his father who was a Port Authority officer, stayed for multiples days after the terrorist attack to help with search and rescue efforts. Now he says he suffers from numerous ailments, including respiratory problems for which the 9/11 Victims Fund has compensated him, but he is now suffering from a rare kidney disease that is not on the list for a financial settlement.

Date: July 28, 2016

Time: 4:13

ISSUES: Community / Health

THE SINGER WHO CAN'T BREATHE

What is it like to be a singer who can't breathe? That is what every day of Chloe Temtchine's life is like after she was diagnosed with severe pulmonary hypertension at age 30. Now not a day goes by that she is not attached to a portable oxygen machine. Temtchine says her career came to a screeching halt in 2013 when she was rushed to the emergency room unable to breathe. Doctors diagnosed her with the rare disease, the life expectancy of whose sufferers is only 2.5 years without treatment. Three years after her diagnosis Temtchine has transformed her condition and she is using her songwriting as a tool not only to heal herself but to help others. Temtchine's new song "Breathe" was just released on YouTube.

Date: July 28, 2016

Time: 3:18

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics / Education

CHRISTIE TRACKER 6000 6G

Governor Christie paid the Fair Lawn Senior Center a visit on Thursday for a town-hall style gathering to push his "Fairness Formula" for state school funding. Christie told the crowd that his plan would mean lower property taxes in Fair Lawn, an assertion met with mild applause. Christie was at home with the crowd, as he often is. His Fairness Formula would equalize funding per student across the state, which would mean a cut for many urban systems that the governor says are failing anyway. Why, he asks, should Fair Lawn families pay for Paterson's school system? A Christie staffer told Hank that the governor is putting the idea out there in an effort to popularize it. Changing the way schooling is funded in New Jersey requires a Constitutional amendment, and those only happen through voter referendum.

Date: July 28, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community / Economy

YOU WANNA JOB, MATEY?

Kingsborough Community College is offering a training program for those who want to be deckhands in New York City. The Brooklyn school strives to prepare participants hoping to land one of 150 new jobs on added ferry routes. Chaser Tara hit the high seas to see what it takes to pass the program. The school is taking applications now and starts August 22.

Date: July 28, 2016

Time: 7:31

ISSUES: Government/Politics

2016 DNC DAY 4

Chaser Sibile caught up with New Jersey Gubernatorial Candidate Phil Murphy at a reception for Senator Bob Menendez Wednesday night at the Kimmel Center. Murphy criticized Donald Trump for encouraging Russia to hack into Hillary Clinton's emails. Thursday morning, Sibile spoke with Senator Cory Booker at a delegate's breakfast. She asked if he wished he had been selected as Hillary Clinton's running mate. The Camden rising concert took to New Jersey on Thursday, ahead of Hillary Clinton's big speech at the Democratic National Convention. The concert attracted thousands of people, including many delegates from across the river in Philadelphia, but there was one group missing in action: the media. Performers at the event, hosted by the powerful political figure

George Norcross, reportedly requested the media ban. But some say it was the work of Norcross' daughter Lexie, who is the executive director of The Philly Voice, which is said to be the main media sponsor for the event.

Date: July 28, 2016

Time: 2:02

ISSUES: Community

SHAAAAAARK!

Throw your line into the salty breakers off Long Beach Island. If you're good, you might catch some dinner. If you're Joseph's 13-year-old son Gianni, you now know that you might catch much more. With bunker on the hook as simple bait, Gianni reeled in the catch of a lifetime just days ago. He and his dad pulled a 200-pound 7-foot shark right out of the surf. The guys gave it a quick inspection, took some pictures, and then sent the seagoing predator back on its way. Researchers have predicted a heavier year for shark presence off the Jersey Shore this year, though there have always been plenty there. Gianni says it's a bucket list catch, but he'll be angling for other game next time.

Date: July 29, 2016

Time: 4:02

ISSUES: Community

SHOW US YOUR RIBBONS!

A video of a man ripping down blue ribbons meant to honor police officers has gone viral. Steve Worono of Staten Island took the video and put it on Facebook, where it was racked up over 3 million views and many angry comments. The man in the video, Stephen Varvara, has since apologized but the backlash continues in the tightknit community. Tara headed to the borough to gauge reaction and put up some ribbons of her own.

Date: July 29, 2016

Time: 4:04

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

BUY MY TOXIC HOUSE

What do you do if you find out that your house is on top of toxic land? According to Herve Blemur, a Sayreville resident who bought his home over 15 years ago, you can't do much. This may soon change if the New Jersey Senate passes a bill allowing the Department Of Environmental Protection to buy homes where remediation efforts did not solve contamination problems. The bill was introduced by Assemblyman John Wisniewski, who says buying homes in this particular situation would actually save the state money. The bill has passed in the New Jersey Assembly and is waiting for a Senate vote.

Date: July 29, 2016

Time: 3:24

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

HILLARY ACCEPTS NOMINATION

Chaser Sibile was there when Hillary Clinton make history as the first female presidential candidate from a major party. Sibile caught up with U.S. Rep. Bonnie Watson Coleman (D-New Jersey) and asked her what Hillary Clinton's best strategy should be moving forward.

Date: July 29, 2016

Time: 3:19

ISSUES: Community

THE VIEW FROM THE TOP

For weeks, Chaser Ashley and Sergio have been chasing the streets of Harlem. This time, they acted like true tourists by hopping on the Big Bus Tour. Out of all times, the two brave the tour during rush hour and an extremely hot day. Along the way there were many laughs and both walked away learning more about Harlem's rich history. Sergio was excited to check out Columbia University, only to find out that it actually started off as King's College near Wall Street. Ashley fell in love with Cathedral Parkway. She's also been a fan of St. Patrick's Cathedral on Fifth Avenue, but looked forward to touring Harlem's string of beautiful cathedrals. Both never knew that 18th president of the United States Ulysses S. Grant was buried in Harlem and the Grant's Tomb was the big attraction that brought many people to the Big Apple before the Statue of Liberty became so popular.

Date: August 1, 2016

Time: 3:09

ISSUES: Government/Politics

MENAGE-A-TRUMP

Melania Trump is just one election away from being our First Lady. But does she have what it takes or does her body of work speak for itself? Our most beloved first ladies include Barbara Bush, Laura Bush, and Michelle Obama. And perhaps the most famous one of all, Hillary Clinton, is running for president and made history just for doing that.

Date: August 1, 2016

Time: 2:56

ISSUES: Community

JUSTICE FOR GEORGE

George Kavanaugh spent 50 years as a firefighter in Somerville, NJ. In 2015, George was killed by a hit-and-run driver right outside the fire station. His wife, Anita, searches for his killer. She, along with her attorney, has filed a wrongful death lawsuit so they can subpoena members of the fire company for questioning. They believe that someone must know something.

Date: August 1, 2016

Time: 2:37

ISSUES: Community

OOPS! SORRY WE SHOT YOU!

Gerald Sykes, the 76-year-old shot by a New Jersey State Police at his home late Friday evening, is recovering at Cooper University Hospital. As of Monday morning, he is in stable condition. The shootout occurred in Upper Deerfield when police were responding to me 911 hang-up calls traced to his house. Authorities later confirmed that the initial tracing information was wrong. The incident is current being investigated by a special unit at the New Jersey Attorney General's office. The two officers involved in the shooting were treated for minor injuries and are on administrative duty while the investigation is conducted.

Date: August 1, 2016

Time: 3:54

ISSUES: Community

LOVE IN A SHOEBOX

TD Bank Stadium in Somerset, NJ is known for its minor league baseball team the Somerset Patriots. However, the New Jersey State Society of Auctioneers and Operation Shoebox NJ took center stage this weekend. Chaser Jessica was alongside the auctioneers as a celebrity judge. Operation Shoebox NJ raises money, packs and ships personal care packages to US deployed troops. The service began sending shoeboxes to soldiers in Vietnam the 1970s.

Date: August 1, 2016

Time: 2:46

ISSUES: Community

HARLEM IS ART

Ashley and Sergio continue to explore Harlem's history, this time hitting the streets of East Harlem. The area is known for being primarily Hispanic, but it's also known for its wonderful artwork and creativity. Ashley and Sergio checked out sculptures by Jorge Rodriguez. Works by him and several others are being preserved and promoted by the Marcus Garvey Park Alliance. The two also head to Marcus Garvey Park in Central Harlem where they got a glimpse of Shakespeare in the Park, and how the arts play a major role in supporting Harlem's economy and preserving its history.

Date: August 2, 2016

Time: 2:37

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

DON'T TAX ME BRO

Chaser Sibile chased Governor Christie on Tuesday. He accused state Senator Loretta Weinberg of plagiarism, and also criticized Assemblyman John Wisniewski. Sibile asked him if he's mad at Weinberg and Wisniewski for costing him the vice presidential nomination and possibly the attorney general's position in the Trump administration. Christie got into a heated exchange with Sibile over his political future. Sibile also spoke to State Senate President Steve Sweeney about his push for the gas tax and future pension payments.

Date: August 2, 2016

Time: 3:36

ISSUES: Community

FRANK LLOYD ALL-RIGHT!

Have you ever wanted to own a piece of history? What if you could live in one? Maybe the James Christie House in Bernardsville, NJ is the place for you. It's the largest and oldest New Jersey example of the architectural work of American master Frank Lloyd Wright. Christie House, built in 1940, is an early example of Wright's Usonian design theme. Its modern style makes it appear more recent. The asking price is \$2.2 million and home lies on seven acres.

Date: August 2, 2016

Time: 2:58

ISSUES: Community

ANGEL FACE

A family is hoping a New York surgeon can perform a miracle. Sandy Diaz was born in Queens just over a year ago with a large mass on her neck, known as a lymphatic malformation. The noncancerous growth can be deadly if left untreated due to possible infection

and blocked airways. The family has tried a number of alternative methods to downsize the large growth, but nothing has worked. The final option is surgery, which is scheduled Wednesday.

Date: August 2, 2016

Time: 3:11

ISSUES: Community

TOP COP STEPS DOWN

NYC Police Commissioner Bill Bratton resigned Tuesday citing his acceptance of a position in the private sector. Mayor Bill de Blasio was at the City Hall news conference to thank Bratton for his work and to announce his replacement, Jimmy O'Neill. O'Neill is the NYPD chief of department and will replace Bratton when he leaves in September.

Date: August 2, 2016

Time: 1:09

ISSUES: Community

FBI TAG ALONG

The FBI's Newark Division has amped up the hunt to find a fugitive wanted for the murder of a Plainfield man. They bureau says his accomplice has been convicted and is serving time, now officials are searching for Honduras native Walter Jovany Gomez who has been on the run since 2011 and was last seen in Maryland. The FBI is offering \$20,000 for information that leads to an arrest. Gomez is said to be affiliated with the Plainfield gang MS-13 and is believed to be armed and dangerous.

Date: August 2, 2016

Time: 3:14

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

GETTING PAID IN THE POKEY

NJ State Senator Jennifer Beck has introduced a bill that would prevent convicted former public officials and state employees from collecting a pension. The problem is not new according to Beck, who introduced her first bill on this matter in 2008. William Braker, a former Hudson County freeholder who was convicted in 2004 for attempting to extort money and who collected a \$51,433 pension in 2015, said he thought it was fair to not collect his pension while in jail, but could not support this bill until he read all the details in it.

Date: August 2, 2016

Time: 3:15

ISSUES: Community / Health

LOVE THAT DIRTY WATER

A study from the environmental group, Clean Ocean Action, found elevated levels of fecal contamination in the waters of Navesink River in Monmouth County, NJ. That, however, has not stopped an event called "Paddle the Navesink Day". The free event allows people to come out and enjoy various water activities including paddle boarding and canoeing. This year the event will be held on September 10th.

Date: August 3, 2016

Time: 3:49

ISSUES: Community

IN THE PATH OF A KILLER

On Tuesday, 30-year-old Karina Vatrano went out for a jog alone in Howard Beach, Queens, around 5 p.m. When Karina didn't return by 7, her father, a retired firefighter, called authorities. After searching in nearby marshes, Karina's body was discovered. Authorities believe she was sexually assaulted and on Wednesday confirm the cause of death as strangulation.

Date: August 3, 2016

Time: 3:14

ISSUES: Community

BARING IT ALL

Bina Ramesh was celebrating her birthday last month at Six Flags Great Adventure in Jackson, New Jersey when she was denied entry for "inappropriate" attire. When she swapped her gray V-neck T-shirt for her boyfriend's red T, both were allowed into the park. Bina took to Facebook to voice her frustrations about sexism and double standards. Six Flags has since apologized for the incident.

Date: August 3, 2016

Time: 2:07

ISSUES: Community

ANOTHER ONE BITES THE DUST

Another figure in the Bridgewater case had his day in court on Wednesday. Former New Jersey Transportation Commissioner Jamie Fox appeared in court on a charge of conspiracy to commit bribery in connection with an alleged scheme. According to prosecutors, he worked with former Port Authority Chairman David Samson to force United Airlines to arrange a special flight from Newark to Columbia SC, near Samson's vacation home. Fox and his attorney declined to answer questions on their way into the courthouse.

Date: August 3, 2016

Time: 1:40

ISSUES: Community

BEAR ATTACK

Police are investigating a Hopatcong, New Jersey man's claim that he was attacked by a bear outside his home Wednesday morning. The man said he was on his porch around 9:30 a.m. when a 400-500 pound bear approached and swiped at him, scraping and cutting the man's arm. The bear fled into the woods and the man was treated at a nearby hospital. Police, however, question whether there was any bear encounter at all. The NJ Division of Fish and Wildlife was trying to trap the bear to learn more.

Date: August 3, 2016

Time: 2:48

ISSUES: Community

WHY A DUCK?

Chaser Ashley caught up with the ducks illegally abandoned in the Hackensack River. Since then, they've been saved by the Barnyard Sanctuary in Columbia, New Jersey. The Founding Director Tamala Lester says the birds are up for adoption by the USDA. Barnyard Sanctuary is also home to 700 farm animals including donkeys, pigs, horses and roosters. Fundraising is the biggest challenge. The sanctuary has to come up with \$21,000 each month, relying heavily on the support of volunteers.

Date: August 3, 2016

Time: 2:48

ISSUES: Community

ROBOTS IN THE SKIES!

Drone companies and race pilots came from all over the US to compete this week in The Liberty Cup, Liberty Science Center's first ever drone race.

However, only four can move on to the national competition next week being held on Governors Island. McKenna McClure, a drone pilot for team Lemonier said, in just one year the competition has grown.

Date: August 3, 2016

Time: 3:05

ISSUES: Community

HARLEM'S NOT HARLEM ANYMORE

Rapper Freestyle set the tone as Sergio and Chaser Ashley continued their quest through Harlem. This time they explored the area's heartbeat: 125th Street. There's still a huge hip-hop and urban presence, but many fear Harlem's history is being lost because of gentrification. Congressman Charlie Rangel describes Harlem when he first got into office in 1971. Rangel said since then crime has gone down and new buildings have popped up. But he says the biggest challenge is affordable housing.

Date: August 4, 2016

Time: 3:16

ISSUES: Community

INSIDE KARINA

Karina Vatrano's friends and family gathered for a candlelight vigil in Queens Wednesday evening. The 30-year-old went out for a jog alone Tuesday in Howard Beach and was later found strangled to death. Chaser Tara caught up with Petros Georgiadis, Karina's close friend and screenwriter of her feature film. Georgiadis told us about her writing, acting and more.

Date: August 4, 2016

Time: 2:26

ISSUES: Community

WHO KILLED KARINA?

Karina Vatrano was killed on Tuesday after she left her home for a jog in Howard Beach. Her body was discovered face down around 10:40 p.m. Tuesday night by her father. Police have made no arrests yet, but the search for her killer continued on Thursday. Sibille caught up with retired NYPD Detective Sgt. Joe Giacalone at the crime scene.

Date: August 4, 2016

Time: 1:07

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth

SAVING ANGEL FACE

A Queens toddler is expected to make a full recovery after undergoing lifesaving surgery to remove a softball-sized growth on her neck. Sandy Diaz was born with a lymphatic malformation in June 2015. The noncancerous growth forced Sandy to be fed through tubes. Doctors say the growth had the potential of blocking her airways or becoming infected. Sandy underwent surgery at Lenox Hill Hospital on Wednesday and doctors say they were able to remove 95% of the growth.

Date: August 4, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community

THE DEATH OF CAESAR?

Caesar, a 7-year-old pit bull from Staten Island, is in "solitary confinement" and on death row for killing a Chihuahua. But now his owners are fighting for his life. Kristina and Douglas Panattieri are contesting New York City's decision to euthanize their dog after he escaped from their yard and killed a neighbor's dog in May. The Panattieris are set to be in court August 15.

Date: August 4, 2016

Time: 3:29

ISSUES: Community

LIVING WITH MY SISTER'S KILLER

Why would you want to come back here? Simple enough question. But it's one Frank Harrison's been asking a lot since the man who killed his sister 30-plus years ago got out of prison and moved back to the same Toms River neighborhood. It was November 1985 when Frank's 13-year-old sister Barbara made an afternoon trip to a local convenience store. As she returned home, she was attacked by 15-year-old Shawn Milne, who lived four doors down. He raped her, beat her badly, and threw her into nearby Goose Creek where she drowned. Tried as an adult, Milne was convicted and sentenced to 30 years for the murder and 20 for the rape. He did 30 of the 50 years and was released last November on good behavior. Milne may go back to jail. He was arrested a couple of weeks ago and charged with failing to notify authorities that he was moving to Toms River, which he's required to do under Megan's Law as a Class 2 sex offender. If convicted of this charge, Milne could be sentenced to five years in prison and a \$35,000 fine.

Date: August 4, 2016

Time: 2:52

ISSUES: Community / Health

BEACH BLANKET BACTERIA

This week, dozens of Jersey Shore beaches have been under advisory because of elevated levels of bacteria from heavy rainfall. Some beaches have even closed.

Date: August 5, 2016

Time: 2:06

ISSUES: Community

A BEAUTY LAID TO REST

Karina Vatrano's wake took place Friday afternoon at the James Romanelli-Stephen funeral home in Queens, NY. Vatrano was the 30-year-old jogger who was sexually assaulted and murdered Tuesday evening. Sibille was with some of her friends as they prepared to cross the street and step inside the funeral home.

Date: August 5, 2016

Time: 3:12

ISSUES: Community

RETRACING THE KILLER'S STEPS

Information provided by NYPD Chief of Detectives Robert Boyce has helped provide a clearer picture of Karina Vatrano's final jog in Howard Beach. Vatrano left her home Tuesday at 84th Street and 165th Avenue in the 5 o'clock hour. Shortly after, she entered a path at 164th and 83rd. She probably ran north along this route, as her body was found in the brush near 161st and 78th roughly 20 feet off the path. It is likely that she was attacked there her phone was found around 30 feet from her body. It's also worth noting that a condom and a wrapper were recovered near 159th and 78th, but it's unclear whether they are related to this case. In a bizarre social media rant on Wednesday, famed mob boss John Gotti's grandson Johnny Gotti said Karina never would have been murdered if the mob were still running the streets. He had a lot of support from commenters. The next day, cops busted Gotti with drugs and \$40,000 in cash. He was held without bail and is due back in court August 1st.

Date: August 5, 2016

Time: 2:04

ISSUES: Community

DANGER ON THE PATH

Someone is setting booby traps in the popular High Mountain Preserve Park in Wayne, NJ. There are about 11 miles of wooded trails that people go to walk, hike, bike ride and take their kids but someone or some people have taken it upon themselves to carefully place dangerous booby traps along the dirt paths to seriously injure park goers. Wayne Police Department released photographs of the traps.

Date: August 5, 2016

Time: 3:44

ISSUES: Community

THERE'S MONEY IN THAT TRASH

NYC's "Designer Row" isn't typically the place you go for a deal, but at night it's a different story. Dumpster divers sort through garbage along NYC's Fifth Avenue on a regular basis. They search for paper shopping bags, shoe boxes and hangers that are thrown

out by high end stores, like Louis Vuitton and Chanel, then sell the items on eBay, reportedly sometimes for hundreds of dollars. The trend comes at a time when the fake fashion industry is soaring. In 2015, researchers say the counterfeit industry raked in around \$28 billion across the United States.

Date: August 5, 2016

Time: 3:03

ISSUES: Community

TROTTING FOR MONEY

Chaser Hank got a treat Wednesday courtesy of "Irish" Joe Henney and friends, a spin around the 1-mile Meadowlands Racetrack ahead of Saturday's Hamiltonian. For harness racers, this race is a big one. Henney, an Irishman, has friends like Seamus O'Donnell along to help with the demonstration. Seamus' 13-year-old son Alex showed Hank the horse's bit, reins, bridle and head-check. But it was time to mount up, and Joe took Hank for a ride on a sulky built for two racing versions have only one small seat. The Hamiltonian winner's purse is \$1 million matching Monmouth Park's Haskell.

Date: August 5, 2016

Time: 3:38

ISSUES: Community

GOING STIR CRAZY

Activists are still waiting for NYC's Department Of Corrections to fulfill its promise of ending solitary confinement at Riker Island for young adults. The promise was made in January 2015. DOC said it will end solitary for those 21 and under. Now, a year and a half later, solitary has ended for some but it still remains for those ages 19 to 21. The DOC says it is still constructing and staffing the secure units, an age-appropriate alternative to solitary.

Date: August 5, 2016

Time: 2:23

ISSUES: Community / Minority Issues

IN DEFENSE OF BLACK LIVES MATTER

The Black Lives Matter Movement has been a hot topic throughout the country and the force made its voice heard both at the Republican National Convention and Democratic National Convention. Minister Hafeez Abdul Muhammad of Muhammad Mosque No. 7 in Harlem spoke to the outrage from protesters. While the Nation of Islam stands by Black Lives Matter, it doesn't stand by the violence in Dallas.

Date: August 8, 2016

Time: 4:15

ISSUES: Community

DON'T JUDGE ME, BRO

A Long Island lifeguard is suing the State of New York for age discrimination because officials have banned his preferred swimsuit. Roy Lester, 66, has been fighting the state since 2007, when he was turned away from a qualifying speed test because he wore a "jammer," a longer swimsuit that resembles cycling shorts. He was forced to retire as a lifeguard from Jones Beach State Park after nearly four decades of employment. New York changed its rules in 2007, requiring lifeguards to wear speedos, briefs or boxers during the exam. The state says jammers make it easier for a swimmer to pass the speed test. Lester has sued for age discrimination.

Date: August 8, 2016

Time: 4:37

ISSUES: Community

KARINA: THE INVESTIGATION BEGINS

As the hunt for the murderer of Karina Vatrano entered its sixth day in Howard Beach, Queens, Chaser Alex examined the terrain where Vatrano was killed. High weeds mask the view from the neighborhood and streets, also offering an optimal hiding place for a potential killer. Though homeless men and vagrants who live in the area were questioned by police, Alex discovered their encampments are the opposite direction from where Vatrano was running. Police continue to run down leads, but no suspect description has been released in the case.

Date: August 8, 2016

Time: 2:27

ISSUES: Community

WASHINGTON SQUARE HOBOS?

The New York Post published an article Thursday with the title "Crackheads, bums, and hookers rule Washington Square Park." Chaser Tara investigated and the men mentioned in the article say they are innocent and want to fight back. They agree drugs are in the park they are just not a part of it. NYPD also agrees stepping up patrol in the area.

Date: August 8, 2016

Time: 2:15

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

DON'T TORCH MY TRUMP

A Staten Island homeowner said his sign in support of Donald Trump was set on fire, but he's determined to put up another. Sam Pirozzolo's giant "T" sign was set ablaze over the weekend. The fire comes about two months after Pirozzolo first set up his display. It was created by local artist Scott LoBaido, who plans to create an even larger Trump statue in the coming days. FDNY is investigating the crime.

Date: August 8, 2016

Time: 3:49

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics / Economy

STAND-OFF AT THE CAPITAL

New Jersey has a massive pension problem. The state is short \$43.8 billion of what it needs to pay for future benefits. Senate President Stephen Sweeney has tried to push for a pension bill that would allow voters to decide whether there should be a constitutional amendment requiring the state to make pension payments. Monday was the deadline for the state Senate to act on that public worker pension amendment. State Senator Ray Lesniak talked about New Jersey's pension crisis.

Date: August 8, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community

THOSE MUST BE DARNED GOOD CUPCAKES!

Jarets Stuffed Cupcakes in Totowa has been robbed three times in the last month by the same person. The first two times the robber took cash, the third time he was shocked to find out that cash was no longer on site. Police say there are no suspects at this time. If you have any information or recognize the suspect, contact the Totowa Police Department at 973-790-3700.

Date: August 9, 2016

Time: 3:39

ISSUES: Community / Health

IDOL'S BIGGEST BATTLE

East Brunswick's rising pop star Jax captured our attention as second runner-up on "American Idol" Season 14. Now Jax has our attention for a much different reason. On Monday, the singer revealed that she was diagnosed with both thyroid cancer and Hashimoto's disease.

Date: August 9, 2016

Time: 3:01

ISSUES: Community

TRUMP RISES FROM THE ASHES

Staten Island Trump supporters have put up a new sign, just days after their last one was destroyed. Local artist Scott LoBaido, who created the original "T" sign for homeowner Sam Pirozzolo, unveiled the new sign on Tuesday. Pirozzolo says his sign was burned down by an unknown suspect early Sunday morning around 1am. FDNY continues to investigate.

Date: August 9, 2016

Time: 3:14

ISSUES: Community

DANGER AT THEIR DOORSTEP

Days after Howard Beach, Queens woman Karina Vetrano was killed while out on a run in her neighborhood, residents' anger and search for answers was reaching a boiling point. An overflow crowd of Howard Beach residents gathered at St. Helen's church for a community meeting Monday night that featured updates from police, promises from elected officials to improve safety in the area, and verbal sparring with the U.S. Park Service. While detectives hunt for leads in Karina's death, many residents focused on getting rid of the high weeds that mask a view of the park from the streets. The land is part of Gateway National Park, and federal officials tried to mollify the crowd with proposed solutions, none of which most in the audience felt could happen fast enough. A majority of those gathered wanted only one question answered: Are we safe?

Date: August 9, 2016

Time: 4:42

ISSUES: Community

REAL LIFE VS BOARD GAME

Chaser Hank started on AC's main drag of Pacific Avenue, a "green" property on the game board. It's also where the defunct Atlantic Club Hotel and Casino are found. Hank was asked to leave the property by security guards when he went to have a look. Moving north, he wound up at Virginia Avenue, where the Trump Taj Mahal is slated to close in October, and striking workers continue to patrol the sidewalk in front. The Taj will be the fifth Atlantic City casino to close in two years, and it will put 2,500 workers out of a job when it does. Boardwalk is the priciest property on the Monopoly board, and a place where Atlantic City's heart beats strongly,

especially on an August afternoon. Golf carts carry tourists up and down the boardwalk as tour guides offer information on AC's various attractions.

Date: August 9, 2016

Time: 1:36

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE: FACING JUSTICE

Chaser Sibile caught up with Bridget Kelly, Governor Christie's former Deputy Chief of Staff, as she was entering federal court in the Bridgegate case and asked her if she'd like Governor Christie to testify at her trial.

Date: August 10, 2016

Time: 6:31

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

CHRISTIE GETS TESTY WITH 'CHASING NEWS'

Governor Chris Christie "flat out lied" about his involvement with the Bridgegate scandal, his former aide Christina Renna told a colleague in a text message, according to court documents filed by lawyers for former Port Authority executive director Bill Baroni. Chaser Tara caught up with Christie as he left a radio appearance in NYC Wednesday. She asked if Renna's text is proof of his Bridgegate knowledge. Christie responded, "Do you just hire stupid people at Chasing New Jersey?"

Date: August 10, 2016

Time: 1:11

ISSUES: Community

REWARD FOR INFO ON KARINA'S KILLER

Family, friends and neighbors of Karina Vetrano, the Howard Beach resident who was killed while jogging last week, have set up a GoFundMe.com page seeking to raise \$200,000 in order to increasing the reward offered for information leading to the arrest of her killer.

Date: August 10, 2016

Time: 3:38

ISSUES: Community

PROPHET OR POT PEDDLER?

Weedman's got a lot to think about. He'll be in Mercer County Court in Trenton on Thursday to answer a slew of charges stemming from an April police raid of his cafe and Rastafarian temple, which sits across the street from Trenton City Hall. Ed believes some charges will be dropped, like the one of maintaining a "fortified structure" he was hit with for having surveillance cameras on premises. Weedman adds he thinks that another charge of trafficking in drugs within 1,000 feet of a school will be dropped. But other charges such as possession and usage might be harder to fend off. To defend against them, Ed's appealing to a clause in the NJ constitution regarding jury nullification, or a jury's right not to convict if the jurors feel a law is unjust. Marijuana laws are changing. Some states have legalization on the ballot this November. In New Jersey, however, one can still be heavily punished for possession and use.

Date: August 10, 2016

Time: 2:58

ISSUES: Community

TALIBAN ON WHEELS?

Surjeet Bassi, an Indian national who has lived in the United States for 30 years, has filed a lawsuit in federal court claiming that Prestige Motors in Paramus, NJ would not sell him a car because he was from a "high risk area" to sell it to the Taliban. Bassi said that he spent five hours at the dealership trading in his current Mercedes-Benz ML350 for a newer model, when the sales manager called him into his office and told him that they would not sell him the car. Bassi also was given documents from the sales manager of a background search conducted by the dealership on him though the "known exporter list," an internal Mercedes-Benz database of people believed to be at risk of exporting the cars out of the country. Bassi is suing Prestige Mercedes-Benz for \$1.26 million in the Southern District of New York for blatant racial discrimination as well as refusing to extend credit under the federal Equal Credit Opportunity Act.

Date: August 10, 2016

Time: 2:36

ISSUES: Community

YOU CAN CHECK IN, BUT YOU CAN'T CHECK OUT?

After a number of inmate deaths at Nassau County Jail, New York state lawmakers are taking action. New York's Attorney General has filed a lawsuit against Armor Correctional Health Services, the medical provider for the jail in East Meadow. The lawsuit seeks to ban Armor, a Florida-based company, from operating in the state of New York. It also alleges that Armor carried out dangerous and inadequate health services. Armor has denied all claims presented by the Attorney General.

Date: August 11, 2016

Time: 3:25

ISSUES: Community / Minority Issues

NO SUIT, NO SWIM, SEE YA!

A battle over the lack of a swimsuit at a Palisades Park swim club escalated to the point where racism was charged, cops were called and a couple had to leave. Chasing News obtained exclusive video from viewer Jennifer Kwantes. Chaser Sibille met her at the swim club to get to the bottom of the story.

Date: August 11, 2016

Time: 3:18

ISSUES: Community

FREE AT LAST!

In 1988, Dion Harrell was convicted in the rape of a teenage girl as she walked home from her job at McDonald's in Long Branch. She identified Dion as the assailant but he has maintained his innocence since that day. Dion was found guilty in 1992 and spent the next four years in prison. During his incarceration, Megan's Law was enacted. When he got out, he was put on the sex offender registry, where he remained for 25 years. In July, a DNA test was finally performed, proving his innocence. Rohan talked to Dion about the emotional and tragic life he has endured.

Date: August 11, 2016

Time: 2:47

ISSUES: Community

WHO DIED IN MY HOUSE?

If you ever wondered what tales your home holds, there's one person to ask. Brian Hartig calls himself "The Brownstone Detective". He spends his days researching, collecting and sorting through a home's history, all in an effort to find out Brooklyn's forgotten past.

Date: August 11, 2016

Time: 3:35

ISSUES: Community

WEEDMAN GOES TO COURT

Court didn't start out well on Thursday morning for Ed "NJ Weedman" Forchion. He was late, and Judge Peter Warshaw was waiting for him. Forchion was in court to answer eleven marijuana-related charges, mostly for possession, distribution and other charges stemming from a raid on his cafe and Rastafarian temple in Trenton in April. Defense attorney Ed Heyburn requested surveillance video belonging to Ed that had been seized by law enforcement. He wanted it returned, saying that it proves Trenton police perjured themselves. Judge Warshaw asked prosecutor Stephanie Katz when the confiscated video would be available through discovery and she responded it should be available to the defense in a day or two. Mr. Heyburn expressed concern that the surveillance hard drives would be kept in the condition that they were taken in. Prosecution assured Heyburn that they would be, and that was it for this morning's hearing. Outside, Heyburn said the video mix-up is an intentional Mercer County Catch-22. The prosecution typically does not offer statements to the press during proceedings and Weedman will be back in court on August 23.

Date: August 11, 2016

Time: 3:49

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

ALL THE KING'S MEN...AND WOMAN

As much as NJ Governor Chris Christie has tried to bury Bridgegate and have us turn our attention to his White House aspirations as Donald Trump's transitional chief, he's clearly not off the hook. Now his nemeses, State Senator Loretta Weinberg and Assemblyman John Wisniewski have called on US Attorney Paul Fishman to deepen his investigation into Bridgegate.

Date: August 11, 2016

Time: 2:17

ISSUES: Community

HERO DOG

Melanie Verdigris and Nicole Boyle went for an evening stroll in their Northvale, NJ neighborhood last month. They didn't make it far before hearing a dog barking and glass shattering in a nearby house. They decided to investigate and found that a dog had broken a window to help save his owner. The police came and busted the door in. A 62-year-old widow, who lived alone, was semiconscious and unable to move. The woman was taken to a local hospital and is now recovering.

Date: August 12, 2016

Time: 3:15

ISSUES: Community

POOR DOLPHIN

Beachgoers on Long Beach Island saw a rare scene Thursday. Offshore, an injured dolphin was attacked by sharks at Spray Beach. Lifeguards cleared the water and no one was harmed, but it is believed the dolphin was fatally wounded. Chaser Tara headed to the Marine Mammal Stranding Center in Brigantine to find out if this is an imminent threat.

Date: August 12, 2016

Time: 3:15

ISSUES: Community

WHERE'D MY MURAL GO?

Jersey City has painted over a \$2,000 mural it commissioned on Newark Avenue earlier this year. The artist, Gary Wynans, said the city asked him in May to paint a design on one of the city's popular pedestrian walkways. However, shortly after it was completed, people complained. The controversy revolved around the jail square, which was a self-portrait of the artist behind bars. Many were upset because they thought it depicted an African-American in jail. Wynans agreed and also revealed that he is Puerto Rican and white. Jersey City Mayor Steven Fulop's office did not respond to requests for comment.

Date: August 12, 2016

Time: 3:46

ISSUES: Community

A MOTHER'S SURVIVAL STORY

In February, Pam O'Donnell lost her husband, Tim, and one of her daughters, Bridget, in an auto accident on the NJ Turnpike. Six months later, the Bayonne resident opens up about what life has been like for her and her surviving daughter, Ali. It hasn't been easy.

Date: August 12, 2016

Time: 1:56

ISSUES: Community

A HOT COUPLE OF DAYS

Brookdale Village, a senior citizen housing complex in Far Rockaway, was without power until Friday afternoon, leaving residents without air conditioning and water for nearly 24 hours. Rockaway Youth Task Force, a local organization that came to give the seniors cold water, worked all morning going door-to-door to check on residents. Marlene Croup, the daughter of a resident, said management never notified her of the problem. According to PSE&G, the problem was the result of a failed transformer.

Date: August 12, 2016

Time: 3:16

ISSUES: Community

BASEBALL DREAMS COME TRUE

Skyler Weisberg's nickname is The Voice of Watchung Hills for good reason. Despite suffering from cerebral palsy, the 21-year-old is the public address announcer for half a dozen men's and women's varsity sports for Watchung Hills Regional High School. His arms and legs may occasionally betray him, but his voice is strong and it's made him a fixture of the community. Skyler's studying broadcasting at the County College of Morris this fall, so Wednesday night Mike took him and his family to Citi Field to meet the Mets and their incredible announcers. Skyler toured the Mets dugout and talked with the coaches before meeting his favorite player, second baseman Neil Walker.

Date: August 15, 2016

Time: 1:53

ISSUES: Community / Religion

MURDERED IN BROAD DAYLIGHT

The NYPD is investigating the fatal shooting of an imam and his friend Saturday afternoon in Queens. NYPD Chief of Detectives Robert Boyce said Monday night that they believe the suspect in custody for a hit-and-run in Brooklyn is the same person who killed Imam Maulama Akonjee and his assistant Thara Uddin. Imam Maulama Akonjee was 55 and his assistant Thara Uddin, 64.

Date: August 15, 2016

Time: 2:13

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

CHRISTIE TRACKER 6000G

Chaser Sibile chased Governor Christie to Billian Legion Park in Bound Brook. Christie was joined by NJDEP Commissioner Bob Martin to talk about the multimillion-dollar Green Brook flood risk management project. The Governor assured residents in the area that a hurricane would not lead to devastating flooding thanks to this project. Sibile asked Christie about reports that Trump's campaign manager Paul Manafort received over \$12 million in cash payments from a former client who was president of Ukraine with ties to a pro-Russian political party.

Date: August 15, 2016

Time: 2:36

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

MY FATHER'S KILLER?

It's been four-and-a-half years since John Kingsbury was killed in the Mullica Township, NJ home of his son Glenn. A court hearing Monday would show how things will move forward, just as they have: Slowly. Since Glenn and his children walked into their home on Super Bowl Sunday 2012 to find his father shot, they've been looking for the person responsible. Michael Castro, Kingsbury's former employee, has been charged with the murder. But he was charged once before, and freed. Is he guilty?

Date: August 15, 2016

Time: 1:56

ISSUES: Community

WILL MONEY JOG YOUR MEMORY?

Donations to a GoFundMe account seeking to raise reward money to encourage tips in the case of murdered Queens jogger Katrina Vetrano have topped \$240,000, but no leads have been announced. Separately, police in Massachusetts may be closing in on the identity of the person who attacked and murdered 27-year-old Vanessa Marcotte, a New York resident who, like Vatrano, was killed while jogging near her mother's home. Though the two killings were just days apart and included similar circumstances, police in New York said they do not believe the crimes are connected. However, police investigating Vetrano's death are staying in contact and comparing notes with their colleagues in Massachusetts, the NYPD said last week.

Date: August 15, 2016

Time: 1:44

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth

A BOY'S CRY FOR HELP

A 13-year-old Staten Island boy took his life Thursday after being bullied in school. Danny Fitzpatrick attended Holy Angels Catholic School in Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, and was in 6th grade. Sibile attended his wake in Staten Island on Monday. Danny's dad said that his son was a victim of bullying in a recent Facebook video. Danny also left a note detailing his experience at the school.

Date: August 15, 2016

Time: 2:48

ISSUES: Community / Religion

THE MOST POWERFUL MAN IN HARLEM

As Chaser Ashley and Sergio continue to chase Harlem's rich culture, they received a profound history lesson speaking with Minister Abdul Hafeez Muhammad at Mosque No. 7. It's right off Malcolm X Boulevard. Malcolm X belonged to the mosque and was one of the most notable civil rights leaders who became frustrated with Martin Luther King Jr.'s nonviolent approach and urged blacks to fight against white oppression by any means necessary. The minister said the Civil Rights Movement is far from over. He breaks down that the first step in achieving is blacks establishing and building their own economy.

Date: August 16, 2016

Time: 4:00

ISSUES: Community

CAESAR'S LAST STAND

Caesar finally gets his day in court Caesar the pit bull that is. Caesar is an 80-pound pit bull from Staten Island, who is on death row for attacking and killing a 12-pound Chihuahua earlier this year. His owners, Kristina and Douglas Panattieri, are fighting the city's attempt to euthanize Caesar, contending the city's decision conflicts with state regulation and violates their rights. The case was in Manhattan Supreme Court Monday and no decision has been made. Richard Rosenthal, the Panattieris' attorney, said that the dog's health has deteriorated in the city's care and plans on filing a class action suit in federal court next week "on behalf of all dogs held under those circumstances."

Date: August 16, 2016

Time: 3:31

ISSUES: Community

DEMOLISHING A DREAM?

The home where Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. stayed as a student at Crozier Theological Seminary in the late '40s and early '50s remains one of Camden's untold legacies. Today it's boarded up and beside an alley filled with broken glass and trash. Articles from that time highlight how King's freedom fight began in the Camden area, when he and friends were denied service at a Maple Shade inn. Now to keep this history alive, Civil Rights Activist Patrick Duff, the local NAACP chapter and the Hunt family, who own the home, are on a mission to get the home federally recognized as a historical landmark.

Date: August 16, 2016

Time: 2:39

ISSUES: Community

YES, WE HAVE NO STRIPPERS TODAY!

It's been seven years since Billy Dean decided to open a Las Vegas-style cabaret club in Wantagh, NY. It has yet to open. Dean continues to fight the Town of Hempstead to obtain the necessary permits. He says the town has discriminated against him for his

other business in the neighboring village, Billy Dean's Showtime Cabaret, where women dance in G-strings. Dean says his Wantagh cabaret will offer a completely different type of entertainment and no nudity. But, that's not stopping locals from fearing the worst. Dean is now fighting back. He's filed a \$2.5 million lawsuit against Wantagh resident, Kevin Milano, who has reportedly launched a campaign to keep the cabaret from opening.

Date: August 16, 2016

Time: 2:14

ISSUES: Government/Politics

CLINTON CAMPAIGNS IN PHILADELPHIA

Democratic Presidential Nominee Hillary Clinton was greeted Tuesday with a huge round of applause at a voter registration event at West Philadelphia High School. Clinton opened speaking about the Rio Olympics and Donald Trump. While the majority of attendee was supporters, some voiced that they were "not with her." Clinton closed with encouraging voters to make it to the polls in November and also opened a campaign office in Southwest Philadelphia.

Date: August 17, 2016

Time: 3:16

ISSUES: Community

NOT WITHOUT MY BUNNY!

Brooklyn's infamous bunny hoarder, Dorota Trec, was back in court Wednesday morning. There, she defended her colony of nearly 200 rabbits seized by authorities in 2015. Trec, a self-proclaimed bunny lover, said authorities unlawfully took her rabbits in January 2015. She said the rabbits got sick at the Brooklyn Animal Care Center. But Trec is not letting this trial stand in the way of starting a new colony. Trec said she now has 60 rabbits in her backyard. Trec is charged with animal cruelty. Her trial is scheduled to begin September 29 in Brooklyn Criminal Court.

Date: August 17, 2016

Time: 3:39

ISSUES: Community

EVIL IN THE WEEDS

Symbolically taking back their neighborhood from a killer, hundreds of neighbors and friends joined the family of murdered Howard Beach resident Katrina Vetrano for a march retracing the steps she jogged August 2. Vetrano was found dead in the weeds of a park near her home after several hours missing. Her father, who called police when she did not return from her run, was the one who first discovered her body. The Vetrano spoke out again before the walk Tuesday night, calling out a killer who remains on the loose. A GoFundMe page has raised \$252,000 in contributions for a reward in just a week, in addition to \$25,000 offered by police.

Date: August 17, 2016

Time: 2:54

ISSUES: Community

THERE'S A CRETE ON MY STREET

A home in Bay Ridge could have you thinking you're in Greece. George Kortsolakis built a replica of his homeland of Crete in 2002. He filled it with thousands of pebbles and figurines, soon attracting tourists and students from near and far. He passed in April, but his creation is still in perfect condition thanks to his wife, Flora.

Date: August 17, 2016

Time: 3:17

ISSUES: Government/Politics

G. I. DONALD

Who was Donald Trump before he became a billionaire? To find out, Chaser Sibile went to his Alma mater, the New York Military Academy in Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY. There, she checked out his yearbooks and spoke to the commandant about him.

Date: August 18, 2016

Time: 4:21

ISSUES: Community

A DAY IN THE LIFE OF NAZI DAD

Nazi Dad is fresh out of the Somerset County Jail after serving a four and a half month term. Late last year, he was wanted by police after being charged with assault, resisting, and evading law enforcement. Campbell says he didn't go far. Campbell became known as "Nazi Dad" because he has fathered nine children by five women. He doesn't have custody of any of them, in part because he gave them names like Eva Braun Campbell and Adolf Hitler Campbell.

Date: August 18, 2016

Time: 3:03

ISSUES: Community

TEARS FOR TYRITA

Tyrita, who lived in Linden, went to lunch in Long Branch on March 8 with a friend, Jennifer Sweeney, of Tinton Falls. Afterward, Sweeney dropped Tyrita off at the Long Branch train station to get herself home, and Tyrita wasn't seen alive again. Authorities recovered a body in a shallow grave in a Long Branch backyard earlier this week, and now they're charging Tyrita's so-called friend, Sweeney, and the man in whose yard Tyrita's body was found, Andre Harris, with murder and other charges. What's mind-bending about the story is that when Tyrita went missing and was killed, she was recovering from a mysterious shooting four months prior, one that police hadn't solved. Police are now saying that the same two people, Sweeney and Harris, who allegedly killed Tyrita, are the same ones who shot her four months ago. Ms. Julius said she knew Sweeney, calling the accused killer a "clingly" type of person. Julius said she did not know Andre Harris, and doesn't know how Tyrita knew him. Bail for both suspects is set at \$1.5 million, cash only.

Date: August 18, 2016

Time: 3:24

ISSUES: Community

NORTH OF 96 JAPAN IN HARLEM

On one of Chaser Ashley and Sergio's chases in Harlem, they came across a unique restaurant called Nabe. It offers the community an authentic taste of Japan and the name of the restaurant is after a delicious Japanese dish. Owner Larry Parker is a Harlem native who lived in Japan for years teaching English. When he came back home he realized Harlem needed a Japanese flair. Sergio and Ashley got to be the first to try the restaurants infamous Nabe put together by Jonni Gartrelle who wears many hats at Nabe.

Date: August 18, 2016

Time: 2:58

ISSUES: Community / Health

NEEDLES LESSEN PAIN

Needle exchange programs in New Jersey say they're running out of supplies and the impact, they say, could be deadly. Needle exchange programs effort to reduce HIV and hepatitis C among drug users by providing clean needles to addicts. New Jersey has never funded needle exchange programs in the state, but the programs say funding from federal grants and private donations are growing scarce. They are now pleading for the state to take action. In June, Governor Christie vetoed \$95,000 from the budget, which would have gone toward funding for the needles.

Date: August 19, 2016

Time: 2:39

ISSUES: Community

FATAL NEWARK BUS CRASH

Two NJ Transit buses collided Friday morning in Newark. The crash resulted in at least two deaths and an estimated 18 passengers were injured. A No. 59 bus was heading west on Raymond Boulevard when it T-boned a No. 13 traveling south on Broad Street. The Essex County Prosecutor's Office is investigating.

Date: August 19, 2016

Time: 3:47

ISSUES: Community / Transportation

A SHOULDER TO REST ON

Millions of trucks roll through the New York metro area each year carrying everything from food to fuel. Truckers can drive 11 hours out of a 14-hour work day, according to the law. Push it and you're risking your license, so you've got to stop even if it's on the side of the road. Dorsey had his 18-wheeler pulled off on the shoulder of I-287 last night, just short of the Mahwah exit. There's a small truck stop there, but he doesn't pull off. There's room for maybe 15 big rigs at the truck stop. There are other truck stops, but if they're in the wrong direction or expensive to get to or use, drivers say the side of the road isn't their favorite option, but depending on circumstances, it's not the worst one.

Date: August 19, 2016

Time: 3:25

ISSUES: Community

KEEPING OUT THE RIFF RAFF?

Bars on Long Island are coming under scrutiny for different age requirements for men and women. At Cabo Restaurant in Rockville Centre, women must be 23 or older to enter on Friday and Saturday nights, while men must be at least 25. The owner says the requirements is to keep a safe bar, telling Chasing News men mature at a different age than women. Meanwhile, others say it's sexist. The American Civil Liberties Association says it's against the law, calling the policy classic gender discrimination.

Date: August 19, 2016

Time: 2:08

ISSUES: Community / Health

THE POWER OF THE MUFFIN JOKE

On Thursday, Danielle Ricci spoke to a crowded ballroom at Fiddler's Elbow Country Club in Bedminster about how her life was affected by breast cancer. The event was organized by Weichert Realtors and raised money for the American Cancer Society. Bill and Jessica were there to help out, but you can't give Bill a microphone without expecting him to tell the muffin joke.

Date: August 19, 2016

Time: 2:41

ISSUES: Community

WE NEED A VAN!

On Aug. 8, a nine-car pileup in Jersey City sent 11 people to the hospital, including six toddlers who were returning from a field trip to the Turtle Back Zoo in West Orange organized by the York Street Project. None of the children was injured, but the van was totaled. Now the York Street Project, a nonprofit needs help to raise funds for a new van. Field trips are just one way the York Street Project supports women and their children. The Jersey City organization's mission is to provide shelter, food and education. According to Jennifer Mehr, the organization helps 300 families a year.

Date: August 19, 2016

Time: 2:30

ISSUES: Community

NORTH OF 96: HARLEM DANCE

Summer Stage 2016 is taking place at the Marcus Garvey Park in Harlem, and of course Ashley and Serge leaped at the opportunity to catch great performances but also put their own dance moves to work. First the two caught the dynamic duo of both the ASE Dance Theatre Collective and Rock Artist Tamar-Kali rehearsing. Then they took a master dance class open to the community with Dance Instructor Calvin Wiley. He taught routines that were a mix of jazz, hip-hop and Latin style dance. The summer festival allows the Harlem community to engage in the arts free of cost.

Date: August 22, 2016

Time: 3:46

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

ALL I WANT IS JUSTICE

Advocates in New Jersey are fighting to change the way the judicial system handles police-involved fatal shootings. Jerome Reid was shot and killed by the Bridgeton Police in 2014. The incident was caught on police dash cam. Reid's Mother, Sheila, said her son was the passenger in the car with his hands in the air when officers shot him. A grand jury did not return an indictment against the officers involved in the shooting. Sheila is working with Walter Hudson of the National Awareness Alliance to make Bill 2469 a law. It would transfer the investigation and prosecution of police-involved shootings away from the local prosecutors office and instead be overseen by the Attorney General's Office.

Date: August 22, 2016

Time: 3:13

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

ELECTION DEJECTION

At the state Election Law Enforcement Commission, vacancies have left the board unable to assign violations or fines or even meet for five months. With two of the four commissioners dying since 2011 and the third resigning earlier this year to take a seat on the state Supreme Court, the lone member left is chairman Ronald DeFilippis. DeFilippis said ELEC's doldrums mean New Jersey voters suffer without the information they need to vote on candidates this November or in 2017 for the next governor's race. Yet ELEC is still functioning, with its lawyers and investigators still working. The backlog is just piling up. Governor Chris Christie nominated another member to ELEC, but the State Senate failed to act on the nomination and it lapsed in January.

Date: August 22, 2016

Time: 2:52

ISSUES: Community

THE POWER OF THE DRONES

You may remember when Chaser Ashley got all dressed up to go to senior prom at Brandywine Senior Living in Princeton celebrating centenarians. She joined her friends for another fun adventure, this time at NJ Drone Academy in Ringos, NJ. In teams of two seniors got the chance to build their own drones, which they do in four sessions over several weeks. Ashley caught up with them doing the wiring for their drones, and Theresia Klein shared how many drones spoke to her heart. The seniors did an awesome job. NJ Drone Academy founder Jim Barnes said seniors are some of their best students. The seniors will officially launch their own drones during Brandywine's Assisted Living Week on September 12. They are hoping to set a Guinness World Record having a 103-year-old being the oldest person to fly a drone.

Date: August 22, 2016

Time: 2:56

ISSUES: Community

RAPPELLING ON THE DELAWARE

Summer is coming to an end, but there is still time to let loose your wild side and chase adventure. What better way to get outside than to rappel down a waterfall. Joseph Vulpis, President of Northeast Mountain Guiding, said it's important to always be safe and bring a survival pack when venturing into the outdoors. Vulpis' water falling trip in the Delaware Water Gap to Slatford Falls takes two to three hours. The waterfall is an old quarry, so adventurers will see some mining equipment. Vulpis promises "just an awesome time."

Date: August 23, 2016

Time: 3:22

ISSUES: Community

MYSTERY IN BERGEN COUNTY

Two best friends, 17-year-old Mary Ann Pryor and 16-year-old Lorraine Kelly, started a normal day on Aug. 9, 1974. They planned on taking a bus near their North Bergen homes to the Garden State Plaza mall in Paramus to buy bathing suits for a weekend down the Shore. The girls never returned. Their bodies were found five days later, abused and tortured in Montvale, NJ. Now, 42 years later, police are asking for your help or any helpful information to identify their killer.

Date: August 23, 2016

Time: 3:08

ISSUES: Community / Religion

EAT'S A LIVING

Paula Kucera, who brought the sheep down from White Barn Farm in New Paltz, said it's particularly meaningful to have sheep working at the church because "they are mentioned thousands of times in the Bible." Frank Alfieri, Director of the cemetery, said the Cathedral was originally a farm that was purchased as a cemetery in the 18th century. The sheep cost about \$1,000 to maintain, including transportation and veterinary fees, but though this is a lower cost option of maintaining the grounds than traditional methods they still could use some help.

Date: August 23, 2016

Time: 2:07

ISSUES: Community / Education

WHAT'S THE DEAL, MAN?

Princeton University has asked its teachers and staff to use more inclusive language, according to directives issued by its Human Resources department. Pronouns like "he" and "she" are discouraged in favor of "them" for instance. "Man-hours" becomes "people-hours" and "freshman" "frosh." It's important to note that this is not new; Princeton says the guidelines were issued about two years ago. The university's statement went on to say that "no words have been banned at Princeton," and cites a "high value on free expression."

Date: August 23, 2016

Time: 3:20

ISSUES: Community

A WING AND A PRAYER

White nose syndrome has wiped out almost the entire NJ population of brown bats. Officials are doing what they can to research why the bats are dying off, but it remains a mystery. Bats are imperative to insect control so local farms and the agricultural industry are being affected to the tune of billions of dollars now having to be spent on pesticides.

Date: August 23, 2016

Time: 2:59

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

CHRISTIE TRACKER 6000 6G

NJ Governor Chris Christie held a town hall on Tuesday in Bordentown, discussing the proposed Fairness Formula, Christie's plan to tackle high property taxes and take control of the failing urban education system in the state. The plan would lower property taxes in many suburbs while equalizing state aid in education to \$6,599 per student. Protesters met the Governor outside the event. They say it will take away state funding for school districts that need it the most.

Date: August 23, 2016

Time: 3:11

ISSUES: Community

UNPACK MY STUFF!!!

New York couple John Morgan and Lauren Bush have launched a unique service for New Yorkers on the move, after they move. For \$200, the couple will unpack a studio apartment for a tenant through their service called Unpacked. The service cost up to \$1,000 for a penthouse apartment unpacking.

Date: August 24, 2016

Time: 3:54

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth

CHASED BY POLICE

Earlier this month, Newark Police chased a 10-year-old African American boy around his neighborhood with guns drawn. Newark Police were attempting to find and arrest an armed robbery suspect in the area and mistook young Legend Preston for the suspect. Preston's basketball rolled into the street and saw the police as he was retrieving it. He thought he was in trouble for being in the street, saw guns drawn and ran. Mayor Ras Baraka said the matter is being investigated.

Date: August 24, 2016

Time: 3:48

ISSUES: Community

SOMETHING'S FISHY DOWN THE SHORE

Thousands of dead fish have surfaced and lined the banks of tidal creeks in Keansburg, NJ. The sight not to mention the smell has raised concerns. According to Dave Vacca, a charter boat captain, there's nothing to worry about. Bob Considine of the NJDEP said that though it's not common, such things do happen, and cleanup is usually a job for the local municipalities. The fishermen say that the dead bunker will sink to the bottom after a few days, where they'll disintegrate with the help of bottom-feeding scavengers like crabs.

Date: August 24, 2016

Time: 2:06

ISSUES: Community

ROCK THE FARM

Chasing News was joined in studio by Daniel Regan and his mom Lynn Regan. Daniel is going strong now five years after his victory over heroin. Daniel, his mom, and their organization, CFC Loud N Clear Foundation, are there to help drug recovery efforts and inspire a healthy, positive lifestyle. On Saturday, Bill Spadea will be joined by his Chasing News colleagues, Jessica Nutt, Diana Blass, and Hank Flynn as well as Lt. Governor Kim Guadagno at the third annual Rock the Farm event at Brookdale Community College in Lincroft, NJ. Proceeds will benefit CFC Loud N Clear Foundation. The event will features live music, various activities and food trucks.

Date: August 24, 2016

Time: 4:10

ISSUES: Community

HEY, LEGGO MY MONEY!

Mary Minnow is a hardworking home health aide who was stunned last month when she went to her bank and realized nearly \$1,000 was missing, taken from her account in what she says without warning, only one word on her statement providing a clue: "garnishment." At first she thought she may have been the victim of mistaken identity, or worse, identity theft. But the court said the money was seized as part of a collection action by a debt buying company. Minnow said she can't recall having a credit card that still had outstanding debt. Mary said she stopped using credit cards about seven years ago. With no proof provided to her so far that she actually incurred this debt, how does she know they have the right woman?

Date: August 24, 2016

Time: 3:23

ISSUES: Community

A GAME OF CHICKEN!

LGBT activists in Queens are up in arms about the scheduled opening of a Chick-fil-A restaurant in the borough. The opening is scheduled for September 1, but not if local Councilman Danny Dromm has anything to say about it. Chaser Tara met with him at the Queens Center location to hear his side of the chicken fight.

Date: August 25, 2016

Time: 3:13

ISSUES: Community

A MYSTERY IN BERGEN COUNTY

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Date: August 25, 2016

Time: 3:33

ISSUES: Community

WHERE DID NAKED TRUMP GO?

The naked Trump statue in Union Square in NYC last week got national attention. Huge crowds gathered around it, taking pictures. The statue was confiscated by the NYC Department of Parks & Recreation and is now in NYPD custody.

Date: August 25, 2016

Time: 3:26

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

CHRISTIE STICKS TO HIS GUNS

NJ Governor Chris Christie sided with the NRA on Wednesday, vetoing two gun laws aimed at tightening state regulations. Christie urged lawmakers to consider making New Jersey a "shall issue" state, in which gun owners can obtain a permit to carry after passing basic regulations. The vetoed bill would have required gun owners to show a "justifiable need" to carry a concealed weapon on top of passing basic requirements. The founder at Gun for Hire in Woodland Park welcomes the support for the Second Amendment, but adds that the Legislature will likely block regulatory changes from taking effect.

Date: August 25, 2016

Time: 3:58

ISSUES: Community / Economy

FATE WORSE THAN DEBT

The story of Mary Minnow, the NJ home health aide who found nearly \$1,000 taken from her bank account due to what a law firm said was outstanding debt, is not the only one of its kind. Across the United States, lawsuits are being filed by debt buying companies, which purchase old and unpaid debt for pennies on the dollar then litigate to get the full amount, which they are then allowed to keep. And 95% of people targeted by these companies and their lawyers don't raise any objection in court, meaning the debt buyers win with what's called a default judgment, said attorney John Skiba. What should you do if you receive a letter from a debt buyer asking to collect? Go to court, Skiba said, and do not ignore the case or you could wind up like Minnow and have the money taken from you.

Date: August 26, 2016

Time: 3:41

ISSUES: Community

WASTED IN WILLETS POINT

Mechanics in Willets Point, Queens, say the "Iron Triangle" has become overridden by debris and potholes as a development project looms. A commercial and residential development project has been in the works since 2009. A judge recently blocked the development of a mall and now the developers are in court appealing that decision. In the meantime, vacant properties have been demolished, but debris is piling up. Mechanics say they're now facing the struggles of working alongside empty properties.

Date: August 26, 2016

Time: 3:49

ISSUES: Community

NEW JERSEY GETS MALLED

Chaser Alex headed to the New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority in East Rutherford Thursday to watch a \$1.2 billion giveaway. The cash flow is intended to help jump start the American Dream Meadowlands mall project, formerly known as Xanadu. It's the unusual building in the shadow of MetLife Stadium just off the New Jersey Turnpike. Development has been stalled for 14 years. Now it's being turned into a mall, and the company says the bonds representing 45% of the \$2.7 billion construction costs will help put the project back on track. The bonds are to be paid back by sales tax revenue from the shops in the mall. There was some opposition at the meeting. But when it came time to vote, it all went down short and sweet. The construction process is set to resume soon, and the company says it's on track to open the mall in the summer of 2018. But shoppers will not be able to patronize it on Sunday thanks to Bergen County's blue laws; the stores will have to be shut down.

Date: August 26, 2016

Time: 3:55

ISSUES: Community

DIG THIS!

Digger land in West Berlin, NJ bills itself as a different way to have a good time. Ilya Girlya and his brother built and own the park. Digger land is in its third season of offering backhoes modified into spin rides, diggers that 5-year-olds can drive cars, and more. The notion seems to be working; The Park had a good crowd at noon on Thursday. Girlya adds that he's constantly adding on, with two or three secret rides in the works. Girlya said he has a multimillion-dollar investment in Digger land and is looking to open new parks. New Jersey has a reputation for an overwhelming regulatory bureaucracy, but Girlya said if you're persistent in the process, you can build something beautiful.

Date: August 26, 2016

Time: 3:16

ISSUES: Community

NEW JERSEY'S OTHER SECRET POLICE

Chaser Alex brought you stories this week about money being garnished by debt collectors, but what is it like to be on the other side? The long arm of the law extends through special civil part court officers, the people who deliver levies to banks, garnishments to employers, and eviction notices to renters. Part bounty hunter, part process server, and part small businessman, these independent

contractors are employed by every county Superior Court in New Jersey and sworn in for a lifetime appointment. Alex caught up with two this week in two different parts of the state to see what a day in the life is like for them.

Date: August 26, 2016

Time: 1:46

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

NEW FEMA PROGRAM FOR TOWNS HARD HIT BY SANDY

Governor Christie came to Toms River on Friday, announcing a new program for Hurricane Sandy victims. Starting Monday, state and local government entities can apply for the FEMA Non-Federal Cost Share Match Program. Under the program, local governments in the nine most impacted counties that have a 10 percent match for debris removal projects or emergency protective measures can apply to the Department of Community Affairs for funding to reimburse those costs. Christie praised the recovery efforts in New Jersey, telling the media we're seeing great results in less than four years as compared to other disasters like Hurricane Katrina.

Date: August 29, 2016

Time: 3:27

ISSUES: Community

IN THE NICK OF TIME

Heart-pumping security video shows NJ Transit police officer Victor Ortiz pulling a suicidal man off the tracks at Secaucus Junction station on Friday just seconds before a train came. Hank talked to a mental health expert who explained why trespasser fatalities are high in New Jersey compared with other states and talked about the devastating effect on the engineer.

Date: August 29, 2016

Time: 2:45

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

THE NEXT MAYOR OF NEW YORK?

Ashley caught up with the Reverend Dr. Johnnie Green, who leads the Mount Nebo Baptist Church, which has over 1,500 members. He spoke out against New York City Mayor Bill de Blasio, who the pastor feels took advantage of the black vote and has done nothing to help the black community. He said de Blasio refuses to help provide affordable housing, but his biggest point of contention is the city's low number of minority- and women-owned businesses. Green wants de Blasio unseated. Green said he stands firm in supporting anyone but de Blasio running next term.

Date: August 29, 2016

Time: 1:53

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics / Health

MEDICAID EXPANSION

NJ Governor Chris Christie praised his decision to expand Medicaid in New Jersey on Monday. More than 500,000 residents in New Jersey are now said to be covered who otherwise would be left uninsured. The Governor said the costs per beneficiary have decreased more than 7% in 2015 from \$9,690 in 2014 to \$8,940 in 2015. Critics say the expansion will only raise costs in New Jersey. The Heritage Foundation says costs will begin to rise in 2017, ultimately costing New Jersey \$1.2 billion by 2020. Christie told Diana the Heritage Foundation is wrong.

Date: August 29, 2016

Time: 3:23

ISSUES: Community

I'LL HAVE A NEEDLE & A LATTE

The team behind The Hangover Club IV drip concept is at it again in NYC. This time they have teamed up with East Village health mecca Alchemist Kitchen. The collaboration, called Drip Alchemy involves nutrient-rich IV drips and plant-based elixirs all served at a bar. Tara headed to the hip spot to try out the NutriDrip experience which will be open to the public September 9 to November 19.

Date: August 29, 2016

Time: 2:41

ISSUES: Community / Substance Abuse

THE POWER OF MUSIC

Over 4,000 people came out Saturday to the third annual Rock The Farm music festival. The event which benefited the CFC Loud N Clear Foundation, which helps people navigate the first year of addiction recovery. Bill was joined by Jessica, Diana and Hank as well as Lt. Governor Kim Guadagno for the event at Brookdale Community College in Lincroft, NJ. The organization plans to use the money raised to expand to new locations around New Jersey.

Date: August 29, 2016

Time: 2:58

ISSUES: Community

JUMP THIS!

The H.O.N.E.Y. Bees, a double-dutch program in Jersey City, just won an international competition and the team is still shaking things up. H.O.N.E.Y. stands for Helping Others Now by Empowering Yourself. There were 30 members when the nonprofit started last year and now there are 90. Co-founder Takeria Clark said double-dutch is unique. It's an "urban sport that was lost in our own community that kept us happy." The group has brought back the sport as a way of rebuilding community relationships and empowering young men and women. Their next competition is in December at the Apollo Theater in New York City.

Date: August 30, 2016

Time: 2:39

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics / Economy

CHRISTIE VETOES MINIMUM WAGE BILL

A minimum wage hike won't be coming to New Jersey anytime soon. Governor Chris Christie vetoed the measure during a news conference on Tuesday, arguing that the initiative would make doing business in New Jersey completely unaffordable. The Governor said self-service kiosks would be the future, along with higher-priced food and drinks. The bill looked to increase the minimum wage to \$15 an hour over five years. Democratic lawmakers reportedly plan to put the question on the ballot in 2017, letting voters decide on whether to increase the wage. Christie urged for supporters of his veto to keep fighting until November.

Date: August 30, 2016

Time: 2:57

ISSUES: Community

LEAVE MY TRUMP ALONE

Michael Ricatto is a Donald Trump supporter whose campaign signs keep getting stolen off his lawn in Kew Gardens, Queens. Ricatto was able to capture a surveillance photo of the thief stealing the sign from his lawn and is offering a \$5,000 reward for his arrest and conviction.

Date: August 30, 2016

Time: 2:43

ISSUES: Community

SHOOTOUT ON THE PARKWAY

NJ State Police arrested five men Tuesday in connection to a fatal shootout on the Atlantic City Expressway in Egg Harbor Township. Those charged were identified as Lenardo Caro, Yahshaun Stukes-Williams, Shaun Stukes and Anthony Hicks. A 16-year-old male is also in custody. Bail has been set at \$250,000 full cash for each suspect. Police are searching for a black Dodge Ram pickup truck they believe to be involved in the shooting. The truck sports a temporary Delaware license plate XC988134 and has damage along its rear left bumper.

Date: August 30, 2016

Time: 2:53

ISSUES: Community

NYPD MYSTERY JOGGER NOT LINKED TO KARINA VETRANO CASE

It has been four weeks since Karina Vetrano was murdered while jogging on a trail near her home in Howard Beach, Queens. One possible lead that the victim's father, Phillip Vetrano, had identified in the search for Karina's killer turned out to be a dead end. Vetrano went on Curtis Sliwa's radio show Monday evening and said he had not seen a jogger he had seen at least four times a week for several years. But the man Vetrano described in detail on the radio recognized himself and went to police to clear his name.

Date: August 30, 2016

Time: 3:36

ISSUES: Community / Health

A FAMILY'S TRIUMPH OVER TRAGEDY

The Ramirez sisters of Levittown PA share a devastating disease, a rare brain disorder called Chiari Malformation. The girls have had about 40 brain surgeries among them. Doctors who originally believed the disease is not genetic are now conducting a study on the girls to make that determination. The Conquer Chiari Walk across America is an annual fundraising and awareness event featuring a series of local walks held on the same day. This year it's scheduled for September 17.

Date: August 30, 2016

Time: 4:03

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth

JUSTICE FOR GABRIELLE

As 7-year-old Ariel Hill-Carter danced and played in front of her Camden home, she called to Hank, who was shooting video. "Take a picture with me and Gabby!" she commanded, standing in front of the mural painted to commemorate her older sister's life. A smart, funny little girl, Ariel's a lot like the way her parents describe Gabby. "Gabby" is Gabrielle Hill-Carter, the 8-year-old who was killed last Wednesday night as she sat on her Eighty Street stoop. She was hit in the head by a stray bullet from a shootout on a nearby corner, the unintended victim of a careless, reckless squabble down the street. What would she have been? Her parents say she wrote

up a storm. It's been cops, candlelight vigils, and news vans since last Wednesday. Most of that's gone, though police are still maintaining a presence. But there's nothing new on what matters most: Gabby's still gone, and somebody knows who the triggerman is. A GoFundMe account has been started with a goal of \$12,000 to pay for Gabby's funeral called "Home Going for Gabby." A reward for information leading to the arrest of the shooter has swollen to better than \$75,000 with help from South Jersey's Norcross family, Gabby's charter school, and even the Philadelphia 76ers. But no arrests have been made.

Date: August 31, 2016

Time: 4:21

ISSUES: Community

ANGELS IN HOWARD BEACH

The NYPD has released a sketch of a man being sought for questioning in connection with the investigation into Karina Vetrano's death. The police also announced that a full DNA profile has been compiled, but no matches have been found. Since Karina, a 30-year-old Howard Beach resident, was murdered while jogging nearly a month ago, the Guardian Angels have patrolled the area multiple times. Guardian Angels Founder and CEO Curtis Sliwa asked the community to come forward with any information. A GoFundMe page has been set up to raise funds for a reward for information leading to the arrest of the killer. More than \$250,000 has been raised.

Date: August 31, 2016

Time: 3:36

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE 2.0

They're calling it Bridgegate 2.0. Residents in Rocky Hill, NJ say Governor Christie's decision to shut down all nonessential road projects in the state has caused traffic to spiral out of control. They say trucks barrel down their quiet streets, often exceeding the speed limit. Businesses also say their profits have declined, some forced to lay off all of their employees. Meanwhile, Christie said it's up to the state Senate to come up with a deal to replenish the Transportation Trust Fund.

Date: August 31, 2016

Time: 3:18

ISSUES: Community

NOT WITHOUT MY TROLLS

Jen Miller was recently evicted from her Lower East Side apartment, which was not only her home but also New York City's first and only troll museum. Without a place to go, a friend offered Jen gallery space for a limited time. But that time is up and Miller is in search of a new home for her collection.

Date: August 31, 2016

Time: 2:48

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics / Minority Issues

TRUMP & THE BLACK VOTE

Recognizing the need to attract more black voters, Donald Trump has recently spoken to blacks in blunt terms. An AP/GFK poll from earlier this summer suggests that up to half of Americans view Trump as racist and that he is viewed favorably by only 7% of African-Americans. Another Wall Street Journal/Marist poll indicated that he gets 0% of the black vote in the key swing states of Ohio and Pennsylvania. Although he was a fervent supporter of Trump, controversial Harlem Pastor James Manning says he no longer supports him.

Date: September 1, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community

A FATHER'S GRIEF

It's been almost a month since Karina Vetrano's body was found face down by her father after being brutally beaten, sexually assaulted, and strangled to death in Howard Beach. Sibile caught up with Karina's dad Philip on Thursday and asked him about the progress of the police's investigation into his daughter's murder. A GoFundMe page has risen over \$250,000 toward a reward for info leading to the arrest of Karina's killer. Phil Vetrano said he has set a new goal of \$400,000 for the fundraising campaign.

Date: September 1, 2016

Time: 3:19

ISSUES: Community

SUB WITHOUT A BASE

What would the Great Falls of Paterson look like with a submarine? Don't laugh. It's an idea Paterson Mayor Joey Torres has floated for the endangered NJ Naval Memorial and the USS Ling. Paterson Historic Preservation Director Gianfranco Archimedes calls it a natural fit. The USS Ling is currently marooned in the Hackensack River behind the old Bergen Record building in Hackensack and it's threatened by impending development. Trouble is, how do you get it there? Ling Memorial Association President Gil de Laat says that's the hard and expensive part.

Date: September 1, 2016

Time: 3:00

ISSUES: Community

FIGHT CLUB

Overthrow Boxing Club is an underground boxing center located in the NoHo neighborhood in downtown NYC. It offers a hip alternative version to basic boxing classes in a building filled with history. Chaser Tara headed to the Bleecker Street secret to see what the entire buzz is about.

Date: September 1, 2016

Time: 2:00

ISSUES: Community

TROPICAL STORM HERMINE

Will Hurricane Hermine ruin your outdoor plans this Labor Day weekend? AccuWeather's senior meteorologist Brett Anderson is predicting wind and rain for Saturday night through Monday as Hermine passes through the tristate area. The storm, which made landfall along the Florida panhandle Thursday evening, was upgraded from a tropical storm to a Category 1 hurricane Thursday afternoon.

Date: September 1, 2016

Time: 2:57

ISSUES: Government/Politics

PLEASE SAVE THE VETS

The suicide of veteran Peter Kaisen has brought more scrutiny to the Northport VA Medical Center. Congress is investigating, with a hearing scheduled in late September. Kaisen shot himself in the parking lot of the hospital last month. Some say the veteran was denied treatment from the emergency room, which the hospital denies. The incident is also being investigated by the FBI. The Northport VA Medical Center has faced criticism in recent months for its operating rooms, which officials closed in February as a result of black particles falling from the air ducts.

Date: September 1, 2016

Time: 2:39

ISSUES: Community

UNDERGROUND TACOS

There's a new breakfast spot in town and it is found underground. Jalapa Jar Breakfast Bar is located at the Clark Street subway station in Brooklyn Heights New York. It serves up breakfast burritos right outside the turnstile Monday Through Friday. Tara headed to the stop to try out the shop.

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 3:20

ISSUES: Community

HURRICANE HERMINE MAKES LANDFALL

Hurricane Hermine has blasted the Southeast with heavy rain, wind and flooding, and it's headed up the East Coast. AccuWeather Senior Meteorologist Brett Anderson breaks down what we can expect Labor Day weekend.

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 3:40

ISSUES: Community / Education

STARVING TO WORK

Juan Rojo has been a professor of Spanish at Lafayette College in Easton PA for eight years. He believed he had respect from his peers and applied for tenure. He was denied tenure and vehemently disagrees with the decision. He decided to protest. His method? A hunger strike!

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 3:00

ISSUES: Community

BOO-TIFUL ATTRACTION

Shipwrecked Mini Golf is New York City's only miniature golf course that is indoor and themed. The Brooklyn 18-hole course is fun for all ages and open late for potential dates. Chaser Tara headed out to Red Hook in Brooklyn to take some swings out on the pirate-themed greens.

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 2:15

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

TRUMP'S OUT OF HIS GOURD?

Thieves keep taking Donald Trump signs off of Chatham resident Libby Hilsenrath's lawn. It's happened six times in recent weeks, but Thursday night's theft took a turn for the weird when the burglar left a note on a summer squash on her stoop. Libby's home security system recorded the whole incident on camera, so if you recognize this political prankster let Libby know!

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community

A SEASON TOO FAR

Springfield Township High School in Glenside, PA, home of the Spartans has a proud football tradition. But that tradition is coming to an end after the school was forced to cancel its upcoming varsity football season because there weren't enough players. Fans, families and locals have poured into their stadium for years on Friday nights to watch the Spartans play, but this season, the field will be empty and the Friday night lights will not even be turned on.

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community

THE RABBI & THE PLAYMATE!

Actress Pamela Anderson and Rabbi Shmuley Boteach co-wrote an op-ed for the Wall Street Journal about the dangers of pornography. Shmuley said Anderson is uniquely positioned to be a champion of the fight against pornography. "She's a woman who is very bright," Shmuley said. "We've had extremely deep conversations about relationships, marriage, parenting and she knows firsthand the kind of degradation and humiliation that women suffer when they are exposed to pornography and to the kind of objectification that follows from it."

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 3:15

ISSUES: Community / Health

A FAMILY'S TRUMPH OVER TRAGEDY

The Ramirez sisters of Levittown, PA share a devastating disease, a rare brain disorder called chiari malformation. The girls have had about 40 brain surgeries among them. Doctors who originally believed the disease is not genetic are now conducting a study on the girls to determine whether that is indeed the case. The Conquer Chiari Walk Across America is an annual fundraising and awareness event featuring a series of local walks held on the same day. This year it's scheduled for September 17. For more info and to find a walk nearby visit conquerchiari.org!

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 2:10

ISSUES: Community

A STICKY SITUATION

While thinking of ways to record video and take pictures, two NJ social media marketers came up with the GOATCase. GOATCase is an anti-gravity cellphone case that adheres to almost any surface. Thousands of microscopic suction cups along the back of the case allow the phone to stick to most smooth surfaces including glass, wood, metal and computer screens.

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 3:05

ISSUES: Community

BOCCE BALL WITH THE BOYS

Some of the best bocce players you're likely to meet get together at the north end of Branch Brook Park in Newark. They take no prisoners and never miss a day. "They're here 365 days a year," says Phil Alagia, chief of staff to Essex County Executive Joseph DiVincenzo Jr. and a devout player himself. "When it's 20 degrees out they come. They're not as good because they play with gloves." They showed off a trophy that they won for winning the Anthony Fasano Tournament. Fasano is a football player for the Baltimore Ravens and an avid bocce player. Alagia says the team had to show Morris County whose boss. Alagia adds that his late father brought him to the courts when he was a kid, "I come here, the Italian guys ... I feel his spirit here more than going to the cemetery." Hank had been set up to play Alagia's team, and play them he did. The result was predictable humiliation for Hank.

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 2:10

ISSUES: Community / Health

CENTRAL PARK WORKOUT

How would you like a sweaty history lesson of Central Park? Personal trainer and certified tour guide Junius Morgan is offering outdoor group workouts that will stimulate both your body and your mind. The amateur boxer and founder of Unlimited Fitness NYC gives group tours of Central Park, combining outdoor calisthenics and history lessons of several important park landmarks. The hour-long classes cost \$20 per session and are available four times a week.

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 3:30

ISSUES: Community / Homeland Security

FBI DROPS THE BALL?

The FBI is drowning in data and chasing false alarms, causing the bureau to miss the clues to detect terror attacks before they begin, a retired undercover agent says. Mike German, who was forced from the FBI after revealing problems including an illegal wiretap with an anti-terror investigation more than a decade ago, now works at NYU's Brennan Center for Justice. He spoke with Alex about how the FBI's approach to counterterrorism results in too many false alarms that distract from real threats.

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 3:00

ISSUES: Community

HANDSOME DAN'S

Dan Levin quit the corporate world at age 25 and went after his true passion: candy. In 2011, he opened his first candy shop in Williamsburg, Brooklyn, and now has a second location in NYC. Chaser Tara headed to the shop aptly named Handsome Dan's in the East Village and tried making snow cones and cotton candy.

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community

LABOR DAY LOBSTER

Lobster fishermen are looking forward to Labor Day. The holiday stands as one of the busiest for lobster fisherman and this year fishermen in Connecticut say they're seeing their best catch in years. In recent years, the catch has plummeted in Connecticut. Scientists link the dramatic lobster drop to global warming. Fisherman Mike Kalamian believes the decline was due to the use of pesticides to control mosquitoes in the northeast.

Date: September 2, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

NEW SHERIFF IN TOWN

While everyone is focusing attention on the national election, there is one local election that is heating up, and that's the race for Passaic County sheriff. There are three men campaigning for the office: incumbent Sheriff Richard Berdnik, Republican challenger Frank Feenan, and a last-minute addition, former Passaic County sheriff's officer Darren Woolridge. Woolridge is shaking up the race. The former officer was laid off in 2008 and filed a whistleblower lawsuit, which he recently settled. "The basis of the lawsuit was corruption. It took about seven years. The case is finally settled." Woolridge isn't happy with the settlement but said, "I feel like with what I went through during those years I can bring experience to the department." His entrance into the race came as a surprise. He entered as an independent, submitting a petition with 300 signatures. Woolridge says he has the community's support because they know he will "clean house" and "clean up the streets". The other candidates have not responded to requests for interviews. The election is in November.

Date: September 5, 2016

Time: 3:45

ISSUES: Community

NO MORE BULLDOGS?

New research shows a bleak future for English bulldogs. Dr. Niels Pedersen says inbreeding is to blame in his latest study, describing a number of health problems the breed now faces as a result. Pedersen said the breed has very low genetic diversity and he questions whether there's enough diversity remaining in the breed to improve its health. Bulldogs stand as the fourth most popular dog in the United States. The Mid-Atlantic Bulldog Rescue Group in Lyndhurst said many pet owners don't realize that the dogs suffer from a number of health challenges, resulting in many dogs being given up for adoption.

Date: September 5, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community / Minority Issues / Government/Politics

I'M BLACK AND I VOTE

You may remember a few weeks back when Ashley spoke with the Rev. Dr. Johnnie Green who leads Mount Neboh Baptist Church in Harlem about denouncing Mayor Bill de Blasio and wants to ensure he is not re-elected. Green mentioned blacks have to get out of the mindset of feeling that they can only vote Democrat. Ashley cut straight to the chase and asked Green about Republican presidential nominee Donald Trump. He said Trump made a good point when he said Democrats have not done enough to help the black community. Still, Dr. Green said Trump is too divisive to receive his vote and says he fully supports Democratic presidential nominee Hillary Clinton. "I would push strongly for people to vote for Hillary. Many say it would be a continuation of the Obama

administration. I don't think so. I think Hillary is going to charter her own course. She's smart enough, wise enough, married to a very brilliant individual. And I think being married to Bill it's going to add to her presidency," Green said.

Date: September 6, 2016

Time: 1:00

ISSUES: Government/Politics / Education

CHASING THE GOVERNOR

Governor Christie came to Grover Cleveland Middle School in Caldwell on Tuesday, where he announced reforms for the coming school year. He approved several bills on reforms including substance abuse instruction for public school students and a state aid program for security services for non-public school students. Christie also spoke on his latest battle with the New Jersey Education Association, which he is battling in court over health benefit changes.

Date: September 6, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community

THE ULTIMATE CSI

One man down, bullets and a gun paint the picture for where Chaser Ashley joined the FBI Newark Division's Evidence Team along the Passaic River. These highly trained and sought after agents show how collecting evidence from crime scenes is much different than what's depicted on TV. Their work takes a lot of time, and in the big picture this team helps generate 3D depictions of scenes which often are the key to cracking big cases. Ashley said members of this team have covered everything from 9/11 to the Pulse Night Club Shooting in Orlando. Watch to see the technology they use and the precision that's necessary for gathering evidence.

Date: September 7, 2016

Time: 2:30

ISSUES: Community

SPADEA GOES NUCLEAR

PSE&G Power president Bill Levis invited Bill and Jessica in for a tour of the Salem County site for three of NJ's four nuclear reactors. They spent some time in the control room simulator, on the firing range right on site to train security personnel and toured the "protected" area seeing the security and safety measures in place to prevent a Fukushima-like disaster and a terrorist attack.

Date: September 7, 2016

Time: 1:15

ISSUES: Government/Politics

TRUMP AT THE UNION LEAGUE

Republican presidential candidate Donald Trump revealed his plans for increased national security Wednesday at the Union League of Philadelphia. Trump walked in to a supportive crowd that both chanted his name and gave him a standing ovation. He was not as boisterous as we've seen him and spoke calmly. He talked about the size of our military and how it's shrinking. The Republican nominee also took a shot at Hillary Clinton calling her unfit for the presidency.

Date: September 7, 2016

Time: 2:00

ISSUES: Community / Substance Abuse

ARSENAL DAD IN COURT

It was an emotional bail reduction hearing for the anti-drug activist now in jail for more than two months after being busted with an arsenal of weapons headed into the Holland Tunnel on what he calls a rescue mission. In June a judge posted bail at \$75,000 in full for John Cramsey and the same amount was set for the other two people who were with him on their way to help a teenage girl in Brooklyn who they feared would be another victim of the heroin epidemic. All three belong to the organization Enough Is Enough which Cramsey started after losing his own daughter to a drug overdose. Wednesday, the judge changed bail to \$175,000 cash or bond option, which his attorney says means Cramsey could soon walk free. He is facing a number of weapon and drug charges but has not been indicted.

Date: September 7, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community

HOLY CATRIMONY

The Morbid Anatomy Museum in Brooklyn opened a unique exhibit on September 1. "Taxidermy: Art, Science & Immortality" features a kitten wedding that showcases showcasing 15 felines. The taxidermied cat masterpiece dates to the late 1800s. Chasing News headed to the museum to check out the exhibit and hear more about it from the curator.

Date: September 7, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Government/Politics

CHASING THE GOVERNOR

More changes are on the way for New Jersey's capital city. Governor Christie came to Trenton Wednesday, praising the redevelopment of the Roebling factory and announcing new construction projects for the struggling city. Christie says two office buildings, the taxation office and the agriculture/health buildings, will be demolished and redeveloped.

Date: September 7, 2016

Time: 3:35

ISSUES: Community / Religion

GOD HATES FLAGS?

Pastor James David Manning is well known in his Harlem neighborhood for posting anti-gay messages outside his Atlah Worldwide Church on West 123rd Street. There have been legal attempts to strip him of his church, but he recently won a court victory preventing the sale and foreclosure. Manning has said he wants to celebrate by burning a gay flag. "My retaliation is, 'The hell with you. I'm gonna burn your flag. You're gonna burn our Bibles, we'll burn your flags,'" Manning said.

Date: September 7, 2016

Time: 2:30

ISSUES: Community

CAESAR'S FINAL DAYS

On Tuesday, New York Supreme Court Judge Barbara Jaffe denied the appeal of Kristina and Douglas Panattieri to release their 80-pound pit bull, Caesar, who has been on death row since May for attacking and killing a chihuahua on Staten Island. The Panattieris were fighting for his release on the grounds that the city's procedures did not match New York State's regulations in handling a dog involved in an attack. The couple's lawyer, Richard Rosenthal, said he believes there was no in-depth analysis of the statute or the law in the judgment and that they are appealing the ruling.

Date: September 7, 2016

Time: 2:25

ISSUES: Community

BULLETS OVER PATERSON

Gun violence like Paterson has seen over the last month, five dead after nearly two dozen shootings in the last five weeks, is more than disturbing. William Paterson University professor Vince Perrillo grew up in the city and said the ingredients for gun violence are all there -- illegal guns, poverty, gangs, drugs. Parrillo's documentary "Paterson and Its People" will be shown at New Jersey's Golden Door Film Festival, which runs from September 22-25.

Date: September 8, 2016

Time: 3:25

ISSUES: Community

DANGER ON THE LAKE

Four people were injured, two critically, as an easy Labor Day evening boat trip on West Milford's Greenwood Lake turned into two families' worst nightmares. "An 18-foot Bayliner boat was struck by a suspect vessel that did not stop," said Sgt. Jeff Flynn of the New Jersey State Police. "The individual operating that vessel didn't stop and right now detectives are searching for that person." The victims are Edwin and Mary Lane and their friends, Robert and Eileen Roon. Both couples are in their 70s. They were returning from dinner via the Lanes' boat when another boat tore out of the black night and ripped into the stern of the Lanes' boat. The men took the weight of the speeding boat and they are in critical condition at St. Joseph's Regional Medical Center in Paterson. The wives, who were riding up front, were also hurt, but not critically. Police say they got the boat back to its marina and called 911, despite their injuries.

Date: September 8, 2016

Time: 1:50

ISSUES: Community

GIVING NEW YORK THE BIRD

It's been nearly a century since a bald eagle was born in New York City. Now there's a question about whether a baby bald eagle that has been seen in Staten Island was born here or migrated. The issue is that no nest has been found. Lawrence Pugliares, a local wildlife enthusiast who has been photographing the bald eagles since they first arrived on Staten Island, said he is sure that the baby is a native New Yorker. "We had a juvenile show up in late July and that wasn't unusual, but then we started seeing them interacting, and then we start seeing them actually feeding the juvenile."

Date: September 8, 2016

Time: 2:30

ISSUES: Community

MAMADOU THE RIGHT THING

Mamadou Diallo had all charges dropped against him Wednesday in the case where he killed his wife's would be rapist in May. Career criminal Earl Nash entered the couple's Bronx apartment building and started to attack the woman. She broke free and called her

husband, who came in and beat Nash to death. With the help of Nash's family the manslaughter and assault charges against Diallo were dropped. Chaser Tara went to the Bronx to get reaction.

Date: September 8, 2016

Time: 3:20

ISSUES: Community

ROCKABYE JAWS

A great white shark nursery has been discovered off the South Shore of Long Island. The OCEARCH research team made the discovery during a recent expedition. He called it the most significant shark-related finding ever in the North Atlantic.

Date: September 8, 2016

Time: 2:10

ISSUES: Community / Education

TECH TUMBLE

ITT Technical Institute, the national education chain, has permanently shut down with little or no notice to students or faculty, leaving about 40,000 students and 8,000 employees in the lurch. After the US Consumer Financial Protection Bureau filed a lawsuit accusing the national education chain of pushing students into high-risk loans when federal aid wouldn't cover their tuition, the US Department of Education's determined the school was unfit to receive federal student aid, preventing the enrollment of new students and forcing the shutdown.

Date: September 8, 2016

Time: 1:15

ISSUES: Community

HEADKRACK'S HEADS-UP

It's one week out from the top television honors, the 68th Annual Emmy Awards. One of the hosts from "Dish Nation" will be out on the red carpet but they're keeping it a mystery for now. Meanwhile Headkrack says the big talk this year surrounds the issue of diversity because last year there were several stars who boycotted the Oscars because of the issue.

Date: September 8, 2016

Time: 2:10

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

TRUMP'S 9/11 ECHOES

Ahead of the 15th anniversary of the 9/11 terror attacks, Chasing News uncovered a phone interview with presidential candidate Donald Trump the day the Twin Towers fell. The phone interview originally aired on WWOR-TV.

Date: September 9, 2016

Time: 3:15

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics / Economy

HELP, WE'VE BEEN TRUMPED!

A small business is hard work. Sixty percent of small businesses in New Jersey fail in New Jersey within five years so there's something to be said for John's Friendly Market in Haddon Heights, NJ. They've been open, busy and a staple of their community for over 40 years. That's why owners Josephine Doto and her sister Grethe Kiley were surprised, to say the least, when their storefront showed up front and center of a "Donald Trump for President" campaign commercial. The problem is that the Trump campaign never got their permission.

Date: September 9, 2016

Time: 3:20

ISSUES: Community

AIR GUITAR HERO

What does it take to be a world champion in air guitar? Well, according to Matt Burns, a 27-year-old from Staten Island and the recent winner of the World Air Guitar Championship, it takes a crew, practice, and a killer character. "It's something I worked really really hard on, for a long time, perfecting an interesting subculture performance," Burns said, "and to say you're the best in the world at anything is not something a lot of people can say."

Date: September 9, 2016

Time: 3:30

ISSUES: Community

BEAUTY ON THE BOARDWALK

The Miss America Pageant is back in Atlantic City. Chaser Diana got a preview of the festivities Thursday, talking with girls about behind-the-scenes moments and their lifelong dreams of becoming the next Miss America. The crowning will take place on Sunday, airing on ABC. A pageant tradition is the "Show Me Your Shoes" parade. Whether the shoes were made by the contestants or the professionals, it's clear a lot of time and effort are put into these sparkly show stoppers! Ariane spoke to Miss New York, Camille

Sims, about her hand-painted "I Love New York" shoes and Shannon Patterson (Miss DC 2005) who brought Cierra Jackson, Miss DC 2017's White House/DC skyline shoe design to life in 3D!

Date: September 9, 2016

Time: 2:35

ISSUES: Community / Education

JERSEY'S BIGGEST EAR

It didn't bristle with guns or fire lasers, but the massive satellite dish at Camp Evans in Wall, New Jersey, was a weapon all the same in the decades-long Cold War between the US and former Soviet Union. "This site proved that with the right radio equipment, you could pierce the ionosphere," says Fred Carl, director of the InfoAge museum at Camp Evans. "And the exciting thing about that is that now people could envision satellites and travel to other planets." InfoAge's stated mission is to preserve scientific history, both for its own sake and for that of future generations of young scientists. Several years ago, the group secured a \$15,000 donation from the Harris Corp., which originally built the dish, in order to preserve and repaint it. But a team from Princeton University came along and took the renovation several steps further, all the way back into operation, albeit in a new role. What is it doing now? "It is collecting emissions from pulsars and other bodies out in the Milky Way," said Carl, sitting at a newer bank of electronics installed by the Princeton team. He added that the gear is turning those emissions into data that can be studied by the students to learn more about the universe.

Date: September 9, 2016

Time: 2:05

ISSUES: Community

LINING UP FOR Q

FOX29 in Philadelphia is set to launch a new daytime talk show "The Q" featuring Philadelphia on-air personality, Quincy Harris. Chaser Ashley stopped by their last rehearsal before the big debut. Celebrities, a resident DJ and audience participation make up the recipe for what FOX29 hopes will be a huge success.

Date: September 12, 2016

Time: 1:53

ISSUES: Community

LAST LOOK AT KARINA

Karina Vetrano was murdered a month ago after going for a jog in her neighborhood of Howard Beach, Queens. Chasing News obtained surveillance footage taken just minutes before Karina was murdered. The footage was reportedly taken at 5:46 p.m. According to the NY Post, PIX's "Crime Watch Daily" TV show obtained the surveillance footage and got an exclusive interview with NYPD chief of detectives Robert Boyce on Monday. It was Karina's father who discovered her body. She had been viciously beaten, punched in the teeth, and is believed to have tried the best she could to fight for her life.

Date: September 12, 2016

Time: 4:00

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth / Education

TOGETHER WE KNEEL?

A Camden high school football team has joined the national movement with NFL players kneeling during the national anthem to protest police brutality and oppression of black people. Video shows Woodrow Wilson High School Coach Preston Brown and several of his players kneeling during the national anthem before the Tigers' home opener against Highland Regional High School on Saturday. Brown said he felt compelled to join the movement after San Francisco 49ers Quarterback Colin Kaepernick sat for the national anthem several weeks ago. Coach Brown said he felt the need to draw attention to social injustices and economic disparities in Camden which is primarily black and plagued with poverty. Camden City School District released this statement: "The District supports standing for the flag, but this is a personal issue, and we strongly respect our students' experiences and their exercising our country's First Amendment rights. Whether our students choose to stand, kneel, or otherwise, we're proud of their engagement with what is more broadly a very important social justice issue."

Date: September 12, 2016

Time: 3:10

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

TRUMP THE TREE-KILLER?

Trump supporter Michael Ricatto is facing the heat after his plan to catch the thief who stole a Trump sign from his lawn backfired. Ricatto, who lives in Kew Gardens, Queens, installed cameras on his lawn, got a picture of the thief and then stapled fliers onto trees around his neighborhood, offering a \$5,000 reward for his arrest and conviction. Now the NYC Parks Department has estimated that the damage done to the trees that had the fliers stapled to them is \$40,000.

Date: September 12, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth

CASH FOR SNEAKERS

Sixteen-year-old Dominick Ruiz of Monmouth County is making thousands of dollars by reselling high-end or trending sneakers. How does he do it? Instagram!

Date: September 12, 2016

Time: 2:00

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE

The Bridgegate trial is now formally underway, as the prosecution and defense started the process of choosing a jury Monday morning. Prosecutors said 253 people had been called to be candidates for the jury, and that the prosecution and defense had agreed to take 114 off the list. The potential jurors will be interviewed by both sides and the judge in open court Tuesday. Lawyers for both defendants, Bridget Anne Kelly and Bill Baroni, who are accused of shutting down the George Washington Bridge for political retribution three years ago, said their clients will testify during the trial. Michael Critchley Sr., Kelly's lawyer, and Baroni's attorney Michael Baldassare, were equally adamant that their clients would take the stand during the trial. Baldassare said he and Baroni welcomed the trial as an opportunity to clear Baroni's name.

Date: September 12, 2016

Time: 3:05

ISSUES: Community

NEW GRIEF FOR GENNY

He brought medical marijuana to the forefront in New Jersey, fighting for his daughter's right to take her medicine in school. On September 1, Roger Barbour lost his own fight, suffering a fatal heart attack. His family says it was a complete shock. Lora Barbour, his wife, says she's now prepared to take over Roger's work. She's hoping Gov. Christie will sign legislation allowing for nurses to administer medical marijuana in school. Right now, Lora has to go to the school daily to give her daughter her medicine.

Date: September 13, 2016

Time: 2:10

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth / Education

FRESHMEN PREY?

The first week of college should be filled with excitement, but for some University of Pennsylvania students it was a rocky start. The off-campus fraternity OZ emailed a party invitation to freshmen women, asking them to wear tight clothes, among other things. About 950 sorority members signed an open letter in protest of the invitation. Pa. Governor Tom Wolf and Senator Bob Casey also expressed their support. Chaser Ariane talked to some organizers of the protest.

Date: September 13, 2016

Time: 1:30

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

Obama In Philly

President Obama campaigned for Democratic presidential nominee Hillary Clinton at Eakins Oval in front of the Philadelphia Art Museum on Tuesday, while the nominee herself remains off the campaign trail as she recovers from pneumonia. Obama never mentioned Clinton's health but said GOP presidential nominee Donald Trump is not for the working class. The president said there's never been a man or woman more qualified to become president than Hillary Clinton. "I could not be prouder of a leader that we have nominated to take my place. Even though I won my last campaign, I'm going to work as hard as I can this fall to elect Hillary Clinton as our next president of the United States of America," Obama said. Supporters said they weren't worried about Clinton's recent health news. Clinton's Campaign vowed to release an update on her health over the next few days. Meanwhile Tuesday Donald Trump campaigned in Iowa and Pennsylvania.

Date: September 13, 2016

Time: 1:55

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

JURY SELECTION BEGINS

Jury selection began Tuesday in the Bridgegate trial.

Date: September 13, 2016

Time: 2:45

ISSUES: Community

SNEAKERS IN DISTRESS

Luxury brand Golden Goose is selling the Distressed Superstar sneakers for a hefty price tag. Chaser Tara headed to Barneys and tried on the line of designer shoes meant to look destroyed. Social media is up in arms about the \$400-\$700 price range of the shoes so Tara went to a bargain shop to make her own pair for a lot less.

Date: September 13, 2016

Time: 2:45

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

CORY & CLEO

Does Senator Cory Booker have a girlfriend? Cleo Wade has publicly become the center of attention ever since she was reportedly seen holding hands with Cory Booker at a party in Brooklyn last week. Cleo is in her late 20s, is from New Orleans, and lives in New York. According to her website, she's been featured in the New York Times, Vogue, W Magazine, and People magazine among other publications. She was Katy Perry's stylist and she says they're best friends. She's also been described as an Instagram poet where she has over 150,000 followers. We had a veteran poet check out her work.

Date: September 13, 2016

Time: 3:05

ISSUES: Community

TO SUE OR NOT TO SUE

Loved ones of those who died on 9/11 are pleading for the president to allow them to sue Saudi Arabia. Congress passed the Justice Against Sponsors of Terrorism Act unanimously on Friday. President Obama has since expressed that he will veto the bill, which will end a longstanding American policy that grants immunity to foreign officials whose government are suspected of terrorism. Families say holding Saudi Arabia accountable will make others think twice about financing terrorism.

Date: September 14, 2016

Time: 2:30

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

SUPER TRUMP!

A billboard was unveiled in Times Square Tuesday featuring a 55-foot depiction of Donald Trump as Superman. The ad, paid for by supporters of the presidential candidate, reads "Super Trump," sits high above 47th Street at Broadway and will play on loop through the end of the week. Tara headed up to gauge reaction from pedestrians.

Date: September 14, 2016

Time: 1:15

ISSUES: Community

JESUS IN JAIL?

In May, Mike Grant, aka "Philly Jesus," entered an Apple store in Center City Philadelphia bearing a 8-foot wooden cross. Grant dresses up like Jesus and shares Bible stories with anyone willing to listen on the streets of the city. He's a recovered heroin addict who turned to God to turn his life around. On Wednesday Grant had his trial in Philadelphia Municipal Court on trespassing and disorderly conduct charges after he refused to leave the Apple Store with his cross after being asked multiple times. Rohan went to court to see what happened.

Date: September 14, 2016

Time: 1:35

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

JURY SELECTION CONTINUES

Jury selection continues in the Bridgeway trial.

Date: September 14, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community

SKYNET IS HERE

With the loosening of drone regulation, developers and engineers are chomping at the bit to find new ways to use the fascinating technology. Rohan went to see a man about drones, Paul Gentile of the New Jersey Drone School in Green Brook, NJ. He also runs the website DroneVibes.com.

Date: September 14, 2016

Time: 2:05

ISSUES: Community

COP SHOP SHOCKER

For eight to 10 years, a dead body has been lying in a locked cell in Paterson's former police station and no one knew. The medical examiner is now trying to identify the person. Sibille headed to the former Paterson police station on Washington Street for details and spoke to the property's current owner, Susan Greenbaum. "It seems that it was a homeless person (who was) living there for quite some time," Greenbaum said.

Date: September 14, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community

THROUGH THE EYES OF THE LAW

Newark has seen a drop in quality-of-life crimes as a result of its new policing strategy, Operation Neighborhood Focus. Public Safety Director Anthony Ambrose took Bill and Diana for a ridealong. The program has drastically increased the walking patrols in the high crime areas and many residents say they welcome the change.

Date: September 15, 2016

Time: :30

ISSUES: Community

HIGH SPEED CHASE- SENIORS WITH DRONES GRADUATE

Seniors at Brandywine Senior Living in Princeton kicked off their Assisted Living Week launching drones they made themselves. Chaser Ashley J caught up with this talented group at NJ Drone Academy in Ringos, NJ. After several sessions the seniors were able to enjoy the fruits of their labor, and at 90 years of age and up they prove seniors can still achieve a lot. Many share that they hope drones in the future can help keep track of those with Alzheimer's.

Date: September 15, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community

TEARS FOR CHERELLE

An attorney for the family of Cherelle Jovanna Locklear says there's no question the William Paterson University student took her own life last year but doesn't believe it was suicide. Peter Till, who filed a lawsuit against the university on behalf of the family, would not elaborate, saying more information would be revealed in court. According to the suit, Cherelle was raped at the Sigma Pi fraternity house on Sept. 25, 2015, but Cherelle didn't report the rape immediately. She attempted to kill herself on Oct. 15 by overdosing on pills. She was hospitalized and later reported the incident to a campus university victims coordinator, but the assault was not brought to the attention of campus police until Nov. 15, the suit states. The family's attorneys believe this series of events played a part in Cherelle's death by hanging in a dormitory bathroom. William Paterson University would not comment on the suit. The family is seeking compensation for the loss of Cherelle and wants the university to take strict measures to prevent similar situations.

Date: September 15, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community

WHO YA GONNA CALL?

Zippy is a 3-year-old German shepherd with a very important job: to search for and rescue missing persons. He is a member of New Jersey Search and Rescue, an elite team of certified volunteers who respond to missing person emergencies. Owner and handler Lieutenant. Stu Mavros said Zippy is an "air scenting" dog. "He doesn't need a piece of clothing from the missing person in order to work," Stu said and that is a good thing because an article of clothing is not always available when they begin their searches.

Date: September 15, 2016

Time: 1:35

ISSUES: Community

FATAL CRASH IN HAMILTON

The family of a woman who died after the vehicle of a man being chased by police crashed into her car was in court Thursday for the man's arraignment. Deja Farrior, 22, of Hamilton died Monday night when the car she was driving was hit by a car driven by Chandler Heaviside, 22, of Jackson, who was fleeing police who had tried to arrest him during an apparent heroin buy. Heaviside faces death by auto among other charges. After allegedly running a red light, Heaviside's car crashed into Farrior's at an intersection in Hamilton, slamming her vehicle into a telephone pole and killing her. "She was an angel, heaven sent, gone too soon," Deja's mother Olga Quinones said.

Date: September 15, 2016

Time: 2:45

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth

URBAN CADDYSHACK

Essex County Executive Joe DiVincenzo and his chief of staff Phil Alagia took Jess out on Weequahic Golf Course in Newark to discuss The First Tee of Essex County, a golf program for young county residents. Coach Katie Brenny and her student Tyree Bishop gave Jess lessons on the fundamentals.

Date: September 15, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community

UNHOOK THE HOOKERS

The ACLU of New Jersey released a statement Monday slamming the Newark Police Department for a sting operation that led to more than a dozen arrests for prostitution. The lobbying organization has been working to decriminalize prostitution throughout the state. Part of the statement reads, "Using our criminal justice system to harass, arrest and incarcerate consenting adults who agree to

exchange sex for money is a poor use of the NPD's limited resources." Ashley spoke with Public Safety Director Anthony Ambrose, who says prostitution is against the law and is a quality-of-life crime.

Date: September 15, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community

SANDY ART

"Rockaway!" is a spectacular exhibit at a former U.S. Army installation in Far Rockaway, Queens. The dilapidated building was decommissioned after WWII and heavily damaged by Hurricane Sandy. German artist Katharina Grosse was invited by MOMA PS1 to transform the building into art. The building is expected to be leveled after November.

Date: September 15, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

CHASING THE GOVERNOR: WAS IT BRIDGEGATE?

NJ Governor Chris Christie says Bridgagate probably cost him the vice presidential nomination. The admission came on MSNBC with Brian Williams Wednesday night. Christie went on to detail his innocence in the scandal.

Date: September 16, 2016

Time: 3:40

ISSUES: Community

BOMB IN A BAG!

On September 11th, a beloved Louis Vuitton Neverfull bag, just one year old, was tragically lost forever at the Freehold Raceway Mall in a senseless crime involving an uncovered lithium battery pack. The bag was on active duty at the time of his death. A devoted holder of all things personal and necessary for a great day of shopping, "Louie" was a constant support system for those that needed him. He is survived by Mara Mcinerney of Matawan, NJ, her adorable daughter Tessa and doting grandparents.

Date: September 16, 2016

Time: 1:10

ISSUES: Community

BIG YELLOW SPEED DEMON

A school bus driver in Lakewood and a FedEx truck have been fired after a video was released showing the vehicles in what appears to be a road rage incident. The video originally posted to Facebook by Stephen O'Connor shows the bus trying to pass the truck, which then swerved toward the bus, with both ending up in the opposing lane. The Lakewood School District said no children were on the bus at the time, but police are investigating what could have been a very dangerous matter.

Date: September 16, 2016

Time: 3:55

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth

GET YOUR GOAT!

What do you get when you mix an ex-rock star and a goat? A match made in heaven. On May 2, 2012, Steven Wescott and LeeRoy Brown started a 3,800-mile walk from the space needle in Seattle to Times Square in NYC to raise money for Uzima Children's Home in Nairobi, Kenya, which helps drug addicts as well as children impacted by drugs. Unfortunately, heaven is where half of that relationship now lives. Yesterday, Ariane Datil met up with Steven and his new walking companion Miles at Hunterdon County Fairgrounds in New Jersey to see what life is like when you're walking across country with a goat.

Date: September 16, 2016

Time: 2:15

ISSUES: Community

OUR EYES ARE UP HERE

It is a first in New York City, possibly the first of its kind in the nation. Hoops Cabaret and Sports Bar is giving a whole new meaning to fantasy sports with a new sports bar gentlemen's club. "It's really exciting bringing something different to the gentleman's club industry," said Shaun Kevliff, the Rick's Cabaret International regional manager who opened the club.

Date: September 16, 2016

Time: 2:15

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics / Health

MENENDEZ ON ZIKA

Senator Bob Menendez is facing federal bribery and corruption charges and fighting to save his career and stay out of jail. He failed to get the charges against him dismissed in a federal appeals court and could be facing a trial unless the Supreme Court chooses to get involved. But the Zika virus outbreak in Florida has given Menendez a different battle: the fight for a healthy grandchild. His daughter Alicia is now 6 months pregnant and living in Miami. The outbreak in Miami-Dade County is so worrisome, with seven more cases

confirmed Thursday, that Governor Rick Scott announced that the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention would send more staff to speed up test results.

Date: September 16, 2016

Time: 2:20

ISSUES: Community

FRIGHT FEST

With summer coming to an end, it's time for Halloween, and for Six Flags Great Adventure in Jackson, NJ, it's time for FrightFest. The theme park transforms into a haunted park with scare zones, haunted walks and scary shows, but how? We went behind the scenes to see what it takes to make the park come alive for the Halloween season.

Date: September 19, 2016

Time: 7:20

ISSUES: Community / Homeland Security

TERROR IN THE TRASH!

A 28-year-old Elizabeth NJ man was in custody Monday in connection with a terror plot that straddled New York and New Jersey. Ahmad Khan Rahami was tracked to Linden, where he was arrested after a shootout with police. Rahami was the subject of a manhunt after a cellphone belonging to him was found with a bomb placed in Manhattan's Chelsea neighborhood Saturday. Rahami is now being linked to another bombing attempt in Elizabeth as well as one found Saturday in Seaside Park. According to the FBI, Rahami was born in Afghanistan and is a naturalized US citizen. Elizabeth Mayor Christian Bollwage said he has lived above the family's restaurant First American Fried Chicken with his father and two brothers and possibly other family members. From 2010 to 2012, Rahami attended Middlesex County College, where he was a criminal justice major but did not graduate. Rahami was taken to University Hospital in Newark after his arrest.

Date: September 19, 2016

Time: 6:00

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE: DAY 1

On Day 1 of the Bridgegate trial in federal court, opening arguments from the prosecution and two defense attorneys containing surprises ranging from humorous to shocking. Governor Chris Christie was told about the traffic nightmare in Fort Lee, NJ while it was going on in 2013, prosecutors said, contradicting years of the governor's public statements. Former Port Authority deputy executive director Bill Baroni was an FBI informant for four years while in the state Legislature, his own lawyer said. And expected government witness David Wildstein is "crazy," Bridget Anne Kelly's lawyer Michael Critchley Sr. said. The openings broadly showcased some of the strategy on both sides. The prosecution painted Kelly and especially Baroni as masters of their domains, able to close lanes to the George Washington Bridge on a whim. Both defense attorneys downplayed their clients' power and influence, maintaining that both Kelly and Baroni were actually subordinate to Wildstein, who operated with Christie's blessing. As the trial began, Christie, who was holding a town hall meeting in Whippany, reminded New Jerseyans to be vigilant after the weekend bombings in New Jersey and New York. Christie said he had every reason to believe the events in Seaside Park, Elizabeth and Manhattan were connected. The Governor declined to comment on the trial.

Date: September 19, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community

HOME SWEET MLK HOME

Civil rights leader and US Rep. John Lewis (D-Ga.) paid a visit to Camden Monday to see the home where his friend Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. once lived. A few months ago, Ashley went to the home at 753 Walnut St., which received a demolition notice. The local NAACP, several NJ lawmakers and activist Patrick Duff are on a mission to make this home a recognized historical landmark. They are hoping Lewis' support will push their efforts along. The city has made progress with cleaning up the property. The ultimate goal is to turn the boarded up home into a civil rights museum.

Date: September 19, 2016

Time: 1:25

ISSUES: Community

BLUE FRIDAY

NJ State Police, Detective Sgt. Adam Polhemus, gathered his friends and members of his church to clean up the house of an elderly neighbor who was living in shambles. She was going to be fined thousands by Hamilton Township for her house looking in a state of disrepair. Detective Polhemus and his wife spent their summer cleaning up. He told Jessica Nutt how he did it.

Date: September 20, 2016

Time: 3:35

ISSUES: Community

REQUIEM FOR A HUMPBACK

Have you been dreaming about what Jonah saw while he was in the stomach of a whale? Well now you can see it with your own eyes! On Saturday the Marine Mammal Stranding Center performed an al fresco necropsy on the whale that washed ashore on Friday around 20th Street in Sea Isle City. Ariane Datil went there to make sure the whale was truly resting in peace.

Date: September 20, 2016

Time: :40

ISSUES: Government/Politics

CHASING THE GOV

NJ Governor Chris Christie spoke at the grand opening of Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey at University Hospital in Newark on Tuesday. University Hospital is where accused terrorist, Ahmad Khan Rahami was taken after a police shootout on Monday. While Christie spoke about the institute, he did not address the bombings in New York and New Jersey.

Date: September 20, 2016

Time: 3:00

ISSUES: Community

A SIGN OF TROUBLE

The city of Hoboken is threatening to fine salon owner David Adier \$40,000 just for using a flag-style sign to advertise his business, saying it is against the "sign code." Shear Madness is located on the ground floor of a residential building with tiny windows and is easy to miss. Adier got the sign to boost sales. After Hurricane Sandy resulted in 4 feet of water in the salon, Adier reopened but said he needed a way to let passersby know he was open, so he dropped \$200 on an advertising flag sign.

Date: September 20, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community

SAVE THE SS UNITED STATES

It was a trip down memory lane for members of the SS Conservancy. On Saturday, they boarded the Spirit Of Philadelphia, watching in awe as they passed the SS United States. The ship was once the most fashionable way to cross the Atlantic. It was retired 47 years ago, but to this day it remains the world's fastest ocean liner. Members of the SS Conservancy have been working tirelessly to keep the ship afloat. It's docked in Philadelphia and costs \$60,000 a month to operate.

Date: September 20, 2016

Time: 3:10

ISSUES: Community / Homeland Security / Government/Politics

TERROR IN THE FAMILY

Ahmad Khan Rahami is now in custody after a massive manhunt and gunfight on Monday afternoon. Rahami, 28, is a naturalized US citizen from Afghanistan. He lived with his family in their home above their restaurant, First American Fried Chicken, in Elizabeth reportedly after being evicted from his previous home in 2013. Court documents show Rahami was sued in 2008 Maria Mena of Edison for \$996 in child support. Mena confirmed to FOX News that has a child with Rahami. She said he was a "class clown" before he made a series of trips to Afghanistan and Pakistan. Tamara spoke to Congressman Albio Sires, who said Rahami contacted him multiple times about passport issues regarding his wife and child. Rahami is charged with five counts of attempted murder.

Date: September 20, 2016

Time: 2:10

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE:DAY 2

Speaking from the witness stand about gridlock that paralyzed their town, Fort Lee NJ's mayor and police chief testified during Day 2 of the Bridgegate trial. Meanwhile, the full list of potential witnesses for the entirety of the six-week trial was released. The dozens of names include NJ Governor Chris Christie, NY Governor Andrew Cuomo, former Christie aide Matt Mowers and Christie's 2013 gubernatorial opponent Barbara Buono. Some surprises on the list, or those who were listed for reasons that remain unclear, are West New York Mayor Felix Roque, former Hamilton Mayor John Bencivengo, Assemblywoman Holly Schepisi and Assemblyman Declan O'Scanlon.

Date: September 20, 2016

Time: 2:15

ISSUES: Community

TAKING A KNEE

A NYC artist has created a controversial piece and hung it all over Brooklyn. Jeff Rothberg made a poster of an NFL star under fire that reads "We Sit With Kaepernick." The message refers to the 49ers quarterback refusing to stand during the Star Spangled Banner in recent weeks. The backlash from around the country has been large on both sides but as Tara found out, many in New York support the message Kaepernick and now Jeff are trying to convey.

Date: September 21, 2016

Time: 2:15

ISSUES: Government/Politics

WEINER ACCUSED AGAIN

The Daily Mail reported Tuesday that former US Rep. Anthony Weiner is accused of carrying on an alleged online sexual relationship with an underage girl since January. The UK news outlet shared a video interview with the 15-year-old who shared racy text messages she exchanged with Weiner. Tara headed to Weiner's neighborhood.

Date: September 21, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community / Education

LONG LIVE THE TAILGATE

Rutgers University announced Tuesday via tweet that The Alley, a newly designated student tailgating area, is no longer available because of "safety concerns." The announcement came after video of athletic director Patrick Hobbs drinking beer at a tailgate on Saturday went viral with over 40,000 views. Chasing News spoke to Charlie Kratovil, editor of New Brunswick Today, about the incident.

Date: September 21, 2016

Time: 2:30

ISSUES: Community

THOSE AREN'T CANDLES!

Lee Parker is being praised as a hero for finding and reporting to the police the backpack left by the suspected Chelsea bomber, Ahmad Khan Rahami, over the weekend. Parker, who until yesterday was homeless, came across the backpack on a trashcan near the train station in Elizabeth Sunday evening after watching the football game. He said he grabbed the backpack because he needed it. "It was nice," Parker said. "You'd have liked it, too." But as soon as he opened it and saw the bombs inside he went to police. Norma Bowe, who founded Be The Change, sought out Parker and his friend Ivan White after seeing news stories on them. With the help of a GoFundMe page, Bowe is helping Parker get a permanent residence, food, and next step is a job.

Date: September 21, 2016

Time: 2:50

ISSUES: Community

ROBOT REVOLUTION

Drones and robots are taking over! Chasing News has shown you the capabilities of drones watching our skies, but what about ground control? Well, the brains at Make-A-Move Robotics in Lakewood, NJ have developed some amazing robots to aid humans in security, pest control and bird control. They are completely customizable and programmable to learn routes and processes for the needs of an individual or business.

Date: September 21, 2016

Time: :30

ISSUES: Community / Transportation

NEW BUS TERMINAL OK'D

It's official: There's a new Port Authority bus terminal coming to the West Side of Manhattan. Five designs were to be unveiled Thursday.

The current terminal opened in 1950 and about 110,000 commuters pass through it every day.

Date: September 21, 2016

Time: 4:10

ISSUES: Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE: DAY 3

Fort Lee Mayor Mark Sokolich nearly broke down on the witness stand in the Bridgegate trial Wednesday as he testified he feared there would be more traffic delays like those that paralyzed his town for weeks afterward. Sokolich was asked by the prosecutors why he wrote a November 2013 letter to the editor stating the lane closures to the George Washington were not political retaliation even though he believed they were. "Because I was petrified," Sokolich said, his voice cracking. "I was petrified. I was petrified of further retribution." The prosecutors' questions were an effort to recover after Bridget Anne Kelly's lawyer Michael Critchley Sr. got Sokolich to admit he publicly lied by penning a letter to the editor he knew was false. It was published two months after the lane closings, but just under two months before the discovery of the "time for some traffic problems in Fort Lee" turned the story into a scandal known around the world. A point of interest in the story has been a list of unindicted co-conspirators announced months ago by the US attorney and finally released last week. Asm. Declan O'Scanlon (D-NJ District 13), who was on the list joined Chasing News in studio via Skype.

Date: September 21, 2016

Time: 1:45

ISSUES: Government/Politics / Education / Community

Chasing The Gov: New Phillipsburg HS

NJ Governor Chris Christie was in Phillipsburg, NJ Wednesday for the ribbon cutting of the new local high school. It's a project seven years in the making. Students said they were happy to be back in classrooms after years of learning inside trailers. Christie credited his administration for finishing the project and made a point of referencing a number of other completed schools across the state.

Date: September 21, 2016

Time: 1:45

ISSUES: Community

BE GOOD TO YOUR LIPS

When it comes to creating perfect look women have so many things think about every morning. Huffington Post reports that 78 percent of women spend an hour a day on their appearance. Part of that time is probably spent yelling at Mother Nature to make the humidity go away or staring into the closet trying to figure out how you spend so much money on clothes and still don't have anything to wear. Well, we can't change the weather or pick out your clothes for you every day, but Ariane went down to Bite Beauty Lip Lab in SoHo where they make finding or should we say creating the perfect lipstick to complete your look a lot easier!

Date: September 22, 2016

Time: 2:15

ISSUES: Community

2BDS, RVR VW, BOMB PROOF

New York City is still recovering from the bombing that took place Saturday. Many buildings in the Chelsea neighborhood were badly damaged in the blast. The people behind the residences at 124 West 23rd Street say they weathered the blast better than most. Chasing Tara headed to the site to hear from the builder and architect who claim their building design may have saved lives.

Date: September 22, 2016

Time: 2:20

ISSUES: Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE DAY 4

The defense in the Bridgagate trial appeared to keep blunting any momentum by prosecutors Thursday, again calling into question the reliability of prosecution witnesses on the fourth day of the court proceeding. "Anybody who was in there today had better come out with the notion that today was a great day for the defense," said Mike Baldassare, Bill Baroni's attorney, after court as Baroni nodded alongside him. Michael Critchley Sr., Bridget Anne Kelly's lawyer, lit into Port Authority Executive Director Pat Foye, who testified that issuing public statements that were false was "immaterial" and "depends on the circumstances." "When a public official allows a false statement to go out, that's problematic," Critchley said after court had concluded for the day. "Especially on an issue of significance where the news media is asking questions, repeated questions, it's not inadvertent. It was calculated, it was thought about."

Date: September 22, 2016

Time: 3:15

ISSUES: Community

YOUR PHONE IS WATCHING YOU

Forget emails and start worrying about your printers and phones. Hackers are now targeting ordinary office equipment and few customers have the firmware to detect them. Chasing News met with Red Balloon Security in New York City, who discovered the vulnerability of this equipment in graduate school. They say computer monitors can be hacked by manipulating the pixels from afar, while office phones can be hacked through their microphones.

Date: September 22, 2016

Time: 3:00

ISSUES: Community / Economy

THE GREAT NJ REEF

On Wednesday, September 21, 2016 a 68-foot trawler named the Austin was sunk off the coast of Manasquan for NJ's Artificial Reef Program. The boat was used for decades and decommissioned in 2013. The reef gives fish and marine organisms a place to live and hide from predators, creating "marine habitat," said OceanReef Foundation of NJ co-founder Ken Warchal. "The ocean is a desert, if there were no water there, it would look like a desert," Warchal said. The program was actually suspended for about seven years due to conflict and lack of funding. Getting the boats ocean floor ready is expensive and takes a lot of manpower. Just sinking the Austin cost around \$18,000. Preparations for the Austin were funded by the Grady family, who did it in memory of their son John Grady III.

Date: September 22, 2016

Time: 2:05

ISSUES: Community / Transportation / Economy

PORT AUTHORITY NEW TERMINAL

The Port Authority board meeting on Thursday was interrupted by airport workers screaming, "Shame on you!" Sibile found out why they were so mad and gave us an update on the new bus terminal.

Date: September 22, 2016

Time: 3:45

ISSUES: Community

SECRET LIFE OF AN OFFICER

A 22-year veteran of the Trenton Police Department who spent most of his years as a K-9 handler, committed suicide at his Gloucester County home Wednesday! Ed Leopardi was loved by his colleagues but he was being investigated by the Mercer County Prosecutor's Office in a prostitution sex probe. According to The Trentonian, Leopardi had sexual relations with a prostitute inside Trenton Police K-9 headquarters. On the same day the article was published, Leopardi took his life. Some former law enforcement officers and city officials say the article was in bad taste as no charges had been filed against Leopardi.

Date: September 23, 2016

Time: 3:15

ISSUES: Community

PETS ARE NOT YOUR SLAVES!

That's what two Rutgers law professors say in their essay, "The Case Against Pets." The professors say the domestication of animals takes away their rights and is similar to torture. The authors are now pushing for animal lovers to adopt and are urging for an end to breeding.

Date: September 23, 2016

Time: 2:30

ISSUES: Community / Minority Issues

IVORY FOR EBONY

The Universalist Unitarian Congregation of Monmouth County in Lincroft, NJ is holding a Black Lives Matter rally Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Ashley headed to Christ Church in Summit where she caught up with teenagers who belong to the STAR -- Standing Together Against Racism. They are participating in the rally and were making banners. Whitney Porter, a senior at Wardlaw-Hartridge High School in Edison, talked about the need for such an event like this and shared experiencing racism at a young age. She said she remembered "certain things like 'you're not pretty because you're black,'" Whitney said. She said it made her feel "upset and bad about myself." The youth organization is diverse and made up of many white children who are participating in the Black Lives Matter march.

Date: September 23, 2016

Time: 3:45

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE: DAY 5

The witness in the Bridgegate trial who everyone has been waiting for took the stand Friday: David Wildstein, the former Port Authority executive who pleaded guilty in the Bridgegate scheme and flipped to help the government make its case. Wildstein told the court he had "one constituent" at the Port Authority: Governor Chris Christie. "If something was good for Gov. Christie, it was good for us," Wildstein said. "If something was bad for Gov. Christie, it was bad for us." Wildstein is a former high school classmate of Christie's who went on to be the mayor of Livingston and start a political blog with an acerbic view under the pseudonym Wally Edge.

Date: September 23, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community

(TIOLET) OYSTER REGATTA?

The New York Harbor Regatta is the city's largest charity regatta. This year, 26 boats raced next to the Statue of Liberty to raise money for two marine restoration and education programs: the New York Harbor School and the Billion Oyster Project. "We are uniting all the students restoring 1 billion oysters to New York Harbor in a way that increases harbor literacy, increases their awareness about the maritime workforce in general, and ideally creates a better generation of young people." said Murray Fisher, New York Harbor Foundation executive director.

Date: September 26, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community

SOMEBODY'S WATCHING YOU

The couple that bought "The Watcher" house in Westfield, N.J., are petitioning the town to level the existing home and build two new homes in its place. Derek and Maria Broaddus, who bought the home in 2014 for \$1.3 million, in a lawsuit say that soon after the purchase they received threatening letters from someone calling himself "The Watcher." The house is on the market, listed for \$1.2 million. The planning board has scheduled a hearing on the rezoning application for October 5th.

Date: September 26, 2016

Time: 2:15

ISSUES: Community

LOVE AMONG THE MISERY

Steven Schminke of Egg Harbor Twp. had a loving family and two beautiful little girls with his girlfriend Elizabeth. His parents Tammy and Bill Schminke watched him struggle with addiction to heroin for years until their worst fears came true. Days before Easter, Tammy walked into her 26-year-old son's room to find him lifeless. He had overdosed and died from heroin. His girlfriend was 3 months pregnant with a third child at the time. They named the baby Steven Jr. in memory of his father.

Date: September 26, 2016

Time: 2:55

ISSUES: Government/Politics

WHAT ABOUT IMPEACHMENT?

Could NJ Governor Chris Christie face impeachment? Assembly leaders have been floating the idea that Christie could be impeached -- that is, charged with misconduct -- amid repeated allegations in the Bridgegate trial, now in its second week, that the governor knew about the George Washington Bridge scandal -- and covered it up. State Sen. Loretta Weinberg and Assemblyman John Wisniewski, who headed up the joint Bridgegate investigative committee, told Alex that talk of impeachment is premature. Weinberg and Wisniewski said they would like to reopen the committee's investigation. Diana spoke with John Weingart from Rutgers University's Eagleton Institute of Politics, who said an impeachment is highly unlikely.

Date: September 26, 2016

Time: 2:45

ISSUES: Community

GOTTA GET YOUR PORK ROLL

On Saturday, Bill Spadea, ate six and a half pork roll sandwiches at the second annual Trenton Thunder World Famous Case's Pork Roll eating championship. Competitive eater Joey Chestnut defended his title, eating 43 sandwiches. Joey Chestnut's biggest challenger, the world's fourth-ranked eater Carmen Cincotti from East Windsor, joined us on set at Chasing News.

Date: September 26, 2016

Time: 1:45

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics / Transportation

BRIDGE OVER TROUBLED WATER

Counties in New Jersey are taking on the burden of financing road projects in the state as lawmakers continue to battle it out at the Statehouse. Somerset County has agreed to shell out the \$2.7 million needed to fund the Route 518 Bridge after locals got so frustrated by the incomplete project they dubbed it "Bridgegate 2.0". Governor Christie shut down non-emergency road work a few months ago when lawmakers were unable to pass a deal on how to fund the Transportation Trust Fund. Negotiations are still ongoing.

Date: September 26, 2016

Time: 3:30

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

ARE YOU MY PRESIDENT?

If neither Donald Trump nor Hillary Clinton is making the cut for you, then why not throw in your get to become president? Dozens of political nobodies in New York have filed paperwork with the Federal Election Commission to run for president. Ashley caught up with Neil Grimaldi from Queens who is a former district attorney, author and minister. He's passionate about ending hunger if he were to become president. "I would fast and sit with them like Gandhi fasted," Grimaldi said. "I would fast for children dying around the world. It hurts my heart too much -- 21,000 people a day dying. ... Now President Obama with African roots has not done enough to highlight this problem nor has Mrs. Clinton or anyone else. I will end this problem."

Date: September 26, 2016

Time: 2:30

ISSUES: Community

PINK IS THE NEW BLACK

Have you ever taken Pepto Bismol at night and woken up with a black tongue? Does it happen to everyone? Well, that's exactly what happened to Ariane. Dr. Charles Simone explained what causes your tongue to turn black and suggests other methods to combat acid reflux that don't turn your tongue black.

Date: September 27, 2016

Time: 3:10

ISSUES: Community

TEARS FOR THE BRAVEST

A man has been arrested in a Bronx house explosion that killed an FDNY chief Tuesday morning. Julio Salcedo, who had been renting the two-story home on West 234th Street in the Kingsbridge section, was arrested in Cliffside Park NJ later Tuesday. Firefighters responding to neighbors' reports of a natural gas odor found a marijuana-growing operation at the house, which exploded during the investigation. Chief Michael Fahy of the 19th Battalion was fatally hit by falling debris. About 20 other people were injured. The cause of the explosion is being investigated.

Date: September 27, 2016

Time: 3:00

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth

WHAT'S HURTING OUR KIDS?

There's still no clear diagnosis for the illness plaguing four children in Teaneck, NJ. The siblings suffer from the same form of muscular dystrophy, which leaves them weak and nearly helpless. But could good news be on the way? The eldest daughter has recently completed a new round of genetic testing, which traces the illness to a problem in building collagen. The family is hoping more information will come from that discovery.

Date: September 27, 2016

Time: 2:30

ISSUES: Community / Minority issues

RACISM CUTS BOTH WAYS

A viral video showing the aftermath of a car accident in Lakewood has sparked controversy after a black man was charged with a hate crime and put in jail. It happened Wednesday at the intersection of East Kennedy Boulevard and Clifton Avenue. Police say Elijah Chandler of Jackson is in custody. The accident involved three cars, one of which ran a red light, hitting the car Chandler was in. In the video you hear him screaming and cursing and at one point telling occupants of another car to "go back to your country." Ashley spoke with Jews in the area who say they weren't offended. Another Hispanic man in the area feels that putting Chandler in jail was wrong. "I personally don't feel like its justice for someone to go to jail for what happened. I personally don't think the guy did something bad to the Jewish people for him to go to jail," Marco Borjorges said.

Date: September 27, 2016

Time: 4:20

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE: DAY 7

NJ Governor Chris Christie joked and laughed with his top Port Authority executive when he was told about a "massive traffic jam" ongoing in Fort Lee three years ago, the key witness in the Bridgegate trial testified. David Wildstein said he and Bill Baroni told Christie of the 2013 lane closures on their third day just prior to a 9/11 event at the World Trade Center site. Christie was pleased and Wildstein and Baroni were happy they had satisfied their boss, Wildstein said. In a news conference Tuesday, Christie broke his silence on the trial, maintaining his innocence. Separately, Chasing News takes you inside the \$825,000 Florida retreat where Wildstein moved after pleading guilty to his role in the Bridgegate scandal, and where he had been prepping for his cooperation on the stand.

Date: September 27, 2016

Time: 1:15

ISSUES: Government/Politics

AN USHER'S VIEW OF CLINTON VS. TRUMP

Millions tuned in to the first presidential debate between Democrat Hillary Clinton and Republican Donald Trump on Tuesday night. Sibile got a glimpse behind the scenes through the eyes of Hofstra University student and Mia Thompson, who volunteered as an usher for the event, which was televised live from the Hempstead NY campus.

Date: September 27, 2016

Time: 2:00

ISSUES: Community

URBAN COWBOY GOES TO COURT

Staten Island lawyer Richard Luthmann is at it again. The colorful lawyer, previously gaining fame for his "trial by combat" case, is now defending self-described cowboy Doc Mishler. Mishler is facing animal cruelty charges after riding his horses along the Outerbridge Crossing, which connects New Jersey and State Island, in June. Veterinarians found the horses to have bleeding sores and to be dehydrated.

Date: September 28, 2016

Time: 2:30

ISSUES: Community

CRAZY, DRUNK & NAKED

A naked man was taken into custody Tuesday night in the same Howard Beach Park where jogger Karina Vetrano was killed in August. He was taken to Jamaica Hospital Medical Center for a psychiatric evaluation. The NYPD does not believe he is connected to her murder. It has been nearly two months since the murder of 30 year old Karina Vetrano. There have been no arrests.

Date: September 28, 2016

Time: 1:55

ISSUES: Community

HOMELESS HERO GETS A JOB

Lee Parker has gone from homeless to a hometown hero after finding and reporting a backpack full of bombs. It happened last week outside the Elizabeth train station. Parker is moving into a permanent residence and deciding between several job offers with the help of community organization, Be The Change. Parker said he is "overwhelmed" by the support he has received. "I did what I had to do," Parker explained. "We found the bag of explosives and we notified the authorities."

Date: September 28, 2016

Time: 3:00

ISSUES: Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE: DAY 8

Coverage of the eighth day in the Bridgegate trial where former Port Authority Executive David Wildstein testified for a fourth day!

Date: September 28, 2016

Time: 3:25

ISSUES: Government/Politics

CHASING THE GOVERNOR ON LESTER HOLT

NJ Governor Chris Christie called NBC anchor Lester Holt an "idiot" following Monday night's presidential debate. The Governor's comments came on NJ 101.5's "Ask The Governor" program Tuesday night. Christie said Holt was "out of bounds" when he challenged Donald Trump on his support for stop-and-frisk, a controversial policing strategy. Christie also doubled down on his innocence in the Bridgegate scandal.

Date: September 28, 2016

Time: 2:40

ISSUES: Community

LODGING WITH THE CAT'S MEOW

In the oldest hotel in New York, where the legendary literary round table was established and the New Yorker was founded, lives a very lucky ragdoll cat named Matilda. Now this isn't any ordinary cat, Matilda is part of a long line of rescue cats that have had the pleasure of calling the front window at the Algonquin Hotel home. Matilda has a dedicated staff that answers her fan mail and now, thanks to Leslie Martini, she even has her very own children's book.

Date: September 28, 2016

Time: 3:40

ISSUES: Community / Transportation

UBER FOR ALL

Evesham, NJ became the first town in the country to offer free Uber and BeMyDD rides home for residents from their bars and restaurants. They've extended the program for another year because of its great success, with accidents and DUIs decreasing dramatically.

Date: September 28, 2016

Time: 2:20

ISSUES: Government/Politics

WHAT'S GOING ON IN TRENTON?

Could Trenton be the next destination for millennials? Diana got an inside peek at the Roebling Lofts, a new luxury apartment complex in Trenton. The apartments are expected to be the most expensive in Trenton, but the developer is confident that the complex will be successful, with easy access to transportation and shops. Christie has announced more initiatives to improve Trenton. In a recent news conference, the Governor said three state buildings will be demolished.

Date: September 29, 2016

Time: 4:45

ISSUES: Community / Transportation

FATAL TRAIN CRASH ROCKS HOBOKEN

One person died and more than 100 were injured Thursday morning after a NJ Transit train crashed around 8:45 a.m. into Hoboken Terminal. Fabiola Bittar de Kroon, 34, of Hoboken, was standing on the platform when the train crashed into a station wall at high speed. The corporate lawyer was killed by falling debris. The 7:23 a.m. train from Spring Valley on the Pascack Valley line was scheduled to arrive in Hoboken at 8:38 a.m. Jessica interviewed some crash witnesses as they left the scene. Train service was suspended and ferry service from New York City to the terminal was halted a few hours after the crash. Drivers sat in bumper-to-bumper traffic in neighboring Jersey City, with gridlock spreading all the way to the Holland Tunnel. As Sibile tried unsuccessfully to get to the scene of the crash, she spoke to commuters who were also having problems getting around.

Date: September 29, 2016

Time: 1:30

ISSUES: Community

DEER FIGHTS BACK

While driving on Oak Glen Road in Howell NJ earlier this month, Ellen Snyder's car hit a male deer. She pulled over and opened her door to check on the deer, which then tried to get into the car. Ellen grabbed the animal's antlers and tussled with it before kicking it out of the car, where it stumbled away before dying. A police officer had pulled up behind Ellen and captured the whole incident on dashcam.

Date: September 29, 2016

Time: 3:00

ISSUES: Community

THE ART OF BEING NAKED

In a cozy basement in SoHo a group of artists gather every other week to take turns posing and drawing each other naked. Yes, naked! They're called the Men's Naked Drawing Group of New York. Ariane went down to check out what all of the fuss was about and maybe even try her hand at drawing.

Date: September 29, 2016

Time: 1:50

ISSUES: Community

"THE BOSS" BLOCKED ME!

Chasing News' ringleader Bill Spadea was recently blocked on Twitter by "The Boss," Bruce Springsteen. Why? We're not really sure! But Ariane went down to the Philadelphia Free Public Library to chat with Bruce's biggest fans to see if they had any insight.

Date: September 29, 2016

Time: 2:00

ISSUES: Community

JUSTICE FOR TAMARA

Former Neptune police sergeant Philip Seidle was sentenced Thursday to 30 years in prison for killing his wife, Tamara Wilson-Seidle, in full view of their 7-year-old daughter on June 16, 2015. Seidle had previously pleaded guilty to first-degree aggravated manslaughter and endangering the welfare of a child. Before Judge Joseph Oxley handed down his sentence, Seidle apologized to his children and his law enforcement colleagues. Two of his children, Kirsten, 25, and Philip Jr., 23, were unmoved. Both requested the maximum sentence allowable by law. Seidle will not be eligible for parole until 2040.

Date: September 29, 2016

Time: 3:05

ISSUES: Community

HELP! THERE'S A CLOWN AFTER ME

Pohatcong police have cited someone who was riding around the Walmart parking lot on a hearse while wearing a clown suit. Tamara had spoken with Pohatcong Police Chief Jeff Greenemeir about Tuesday's incident, the latest in a series of creepy clown sightings up and down the East Coast.

Date: September 29, 2016

Time: 2:45

ISSUES: Community

YOU AIN'T GOIN' NOWHERE

The Barnacle is the brainchild of a company called Ideas That Stick. The company believes the giant yellow device is the future of parking enforcement. Scofflaws, be afraid. Be very afraid. The device sticks on your entire windshield and cannot be removed until your penalty is paid in full.

Date: September 30, 2016

Time: 3:00

ISSUES: Community / Transportation / Government/Politics

HOBOKEN TRAIN WRECK FOLO

Investigators continue to piece together what caused NJ Transit train No. 1614, a Pascack Valley line passenger train carrying 250 people, to crash into the Hoboken New Jersey transit terminal Thursday morning, killing one person and injuring more than 100. Tahir Qureshi, a passenger who was sitting right behind the engineer when the crash occurred, said it felt like an "explosion." Qureshi, who also survived the 9/11 terrorist attacks on the Twin Towers said, "Next thing I knew I was on the floor, basically the whole roof had collapsed and I was on the floor kind of lodged underneath." The event, however, has not detoured him from riding NJ Transit. Qureshi said because this was not a terrorist event, it was an accident, he expects to be riding the train again on Monday. Meanwhile Governor Chris Christie came to Annandale Friday for a town hall promoting the Fairness Formula, a school funding plan calculated on an equal per-pupil basis. The Governor opened his remarks with an update on the Hoboken crash. Christie confirmed the high speed as the cause but had no further details. He added it would take at least a week before investigators determine the cause.

Date: September 30, 2016

Time: 2:25

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

WHAT'S CHRISTIE WEARING?

As NJ Governor Chris Christie continues his tour in promotion of the Fairness Formula, the real question we're asking: What is he wearing? Vanity Fair magazine reported that the governor was sporting \$4,000 Cartier cuff links at a recent news conference. Diana took the question to the experts, asking stylists if the governor is dishing out the dough when it comes to his fashion. Reviews were mixed, but all agreed the Governor should invest more in his style.

Date: September 30, 2016

Time: 3:10

ISSUES: Community / Government/Politics

BRIDGEGATE: DAY 10: WTC STEEL

The Bridgegate trial became about far more than just the George Washington Bridge lane closures on its 10th day Friday, as a star prosecution witness for the first time alleged potential criminal conduct by NJ Governor Chris Christie. Under cross-examination by a defense attorney for Bridget Anne Kelly, David Wildstein, the former Port Authority director of interstate capital projects, said Christie made a clear quid pro quo job offer unrelated to the lane realignment scandal. Passaic County Sheriff Jerry Speziale was offered and accepted a \$198,000 per year job at the Port Authority in 2010 because Christie did not want Democrat Speziale to run for re-election. Separately, Wildstein had said pieces of steel from the destroyed Twin Towers and flags that flew over Ground Zero on the anniversary of 9/11 were used as to incentivize local mayors to support Christie. Alex headed to North Arlington, where a memorial complete with a piece of World Trade Center steel faces Manhattan, to see what was behind the building of the town's remembrance display.

Date: September 30, 2016

Time: 3:00

ISSUES: Government/Politics / Transportation / Economy

GAS TAX APPROVED

NJ Governor Chris Christie announced a bipartisan agreement to fund the barren Transportation Trust Fund at a last minute news conference Friday afternoon with Senate President Steve Sweeney and Assembly Speaker Vincent Prieto. The deal would impose a 23-cent tax hike on every gallon of gas sold in New Jersey, but the governor couched the proposal as a tax cut, citing a reduction in the state sales tax from 7 percent to 6.625 percent over the next two years. The bill would also eliminate the estate tax by 2018, raise the Earned Income Tax Credit for the working poor to 35 percent and provide personal exemption on state income taxes for honorably discharged members of the military. According to the Governor, the tax will add \$2 billion to the Transportation Trust Fund over the next eight years. The federal government will match those contributions, bringing the expected total to revenue to \$16 billion by 2024. The Legislature failed to pass a similar bill over the summer due to lack of support, but Speaker Prieto and Senate President Sweeney believe they have enough votes to get the bill onto the Governor's desk this time around.

Date: September 30, 2016

Time: 3:00

ISSUES: Community / Children/Youth

6 YEAR OLD SENSATION

Samaya Clark-Gabriel is already on her way to fame -- and she just turned 7. The Brooklyn basketball star has mastered tough drills and even added her own flair. The Bed-Stuy baller gained thousands of fans after her father uploaded videos of her skills to social media.

Date: September 30, 2016

Time: 1:55

ISSUES: Community

THE DISH WITH HEADKRACK

Ashley caught up with "Dish Nation" host Headkrack to get the latest scoop in entertainment news. Fans are still in shock after Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie announced they were getting a divorce, but now another high-profile couple have called it quits. Headkrack also weighed in on the first presidential debate.

Date: September 30, 2016

Time: 2:45

ISSUES: Community / Health

A TICKING TIME BOMB

"A Ticking Time Bomb" is a film premiering at the NJ Film Festival at Rutgers on Sunday. It's a deeply personal story about the devastating effects of Lyme disease. Award winning filmmaker Tom Balsamides and his wife Tamara made the film together. Their goal was to raise awareness of the disease.