

100.1 WJRZ-FM 3rd QUARTERLY ISSUES REPORT

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The following is the Quarterly Issues Report for WJRZ-FM for the third quarter of 2015. The report includes a synopsis of programs as well as a sampling of Public Service announcements, which aired between 7/1/15 and 9/30/15.

WJRZ-FM has identified the following issues of importance to its community of listeners:

- Health/Healthcare
- Community
- Consumerism
- Family Issues
- Entertainment

WJRZ-FM Public Affairs Program

Sunday -6:00am - 6:30am

"Radio Health Journal" is a syndicated show that talks with authors, professors and other professionals about medical and health issues of local and national concern.

Sunday - 6:30am-7:00am

"Around Ocean County" is a local, weekly interview show covering a variety of issues making news in the station's hometown and county. Featuring pre-recorded interviews, the show is hosted and produced by Lisa Anderson.

HOW PROGRAMMING ADDRESSED THE ISSUES

HEALTH/HEALTHCARE

7/3/15...*Around Ocean County*. **Holistic Medicine.** Guest: Dr. Veronica. Subjects: Discussion how Dr. Veronica's background and becoming a Medical Intuitive Doctor using medical knowledge and intuitive gifts to treat patients with a Holistic approach (13:00)

7/10/15...Radio Health Journal. TV DOCTORS: TRUTH OR FICTION? Host: Nancy Benson. Guests: Dr. Christina Korownyk, Assoc. Prof. of Family Medicine, Univ. of Alberta; Dr. Georgianna Donadio, Program Director, National Institute of Whole Health; Dr. Lindsey Meredith, Prof. of Marketing, Beedie School of Business, Simon Fraser Univ. Synopsis: TV doctors wield tremendous influence with patients, sometimes even more than a person's own doctor. Yet studies show that the advice you hear on TV is often unsupported by medical research. Experts discuss how celebrity doctors miss the mark and why they're so popular. (7:17)

7/17/15...Radio Health Journal. AIR POLLUTION AND LUNG HEALTH. Host: Nancy Benson. Guest: Dr. Steven Nathan, Director, Advanced Lung Disease and Lung Transplant Program, Inova Fairfax Hospital, Falls Church, VA. Synopsis: Air pollution is blamed for one of every eight deaths worldwide, including 200,000 in the US each year. A noted lung physician discusses some of the diseases smog can cause and ways to keep your lungs safe. (7:03)

7/24/15...Radio Health Journal. MATERNAL MORTALITY. Host: Reed Pence. Guests: Dr. Kate Menard, Prof. and Chief, Obstetrics & Gynecology, Univ. of North Carolina School of Medicine; Patricia Harman, certified nurse-midwife and author, The Midwife of Hope River novel series. Synopsis: The death rate surrounding pregnancy in the US has been climbing to the point it compares with some third world countries rather than the western European nations we once compared to. Experts discuss possible reasons for the increase and one possible way to reverse it--more reliance on midwives. (10:55)

7/24/15...Radio Health Journal. **THE JOY OF SINGING.** Host: Nancy Benson. Guests: Stacy Horn, author, Imperfect Harmony: Finding Happiness Singing With Others; Dr. Barbara Reuer, CEO and Founder, Musicworx, Inc. music therapy practice, San Diego; Karen Hesley, speech pathologist and director, Tremble Clefs singing group. Synopsis: Research shows that singing in a group has health benefits, as well as simply making people feel good. Experts and participants discuss this increasing singing trend in society, and how singing is being used to treat one serious disease. (8:24)

- 7/31/15...Radio Health Journal. YOUR BRAIN WITH TINNITUS. Host: Reed Pence. Guests: Dr. Richard Salvi, Distinguished Prof. of Communicative Disorders and Sciences, Univ. at Buffalo; Dr. Phillip Gander, Univ. of Iowa. Synopsis: Scientists have discovered that tinnitus, or "ringing in the ears," involves many more areas of the brain than just those involved with hearing. Experts explain why the findings mean it will be difficult to develop treatments for tinnitus, and what sufferers can do now. (9:19)
- 7/31/15...Around Ocean County. Multiple Sclerosis. Guest: Jack Osborne (son of Ozzy and Sharon Osborne) & Miss Kentucky Ramsey Carpenter. Subjects: Discussion about both guests early diagnosis of MS and the steps being taken to combat the illness. Jack discusses his website "You Don't Know Jack About MS" with information about technology and advances in treatment. (14:00)
- 8/7/15...Radio Health Journal. **TOWARD A MORE PEACEFUL DEATH.** Host: Nancy Benson. Guest: Katy Butler, author, <u>Knocking on Heaven's Door: The Path to a Better Way of Death.</u> Synopsis: It's a fine line between preserving life and prolonging death. An award winning science writer discusses her experience observing how medical professionals and patients differ in their acceptance of impending death, and what families need to know to navigate the end of life toward a "good death." (10:05)
- 8/14/15...*Around Ocean County.* **Go 4 The Goal.** Guest: Beth Stefanacci, founder of Go4thegoal.org. Subjects: Discussion about the 501C3 non-profit organization and September being designated as "Childhood Cancer Awareness Month." (14:00)
- 8/21/15...Around Ocean County. NJ Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. Guest: Julie Schuldner, Director of Events and Corporate Relations of the Greater NJ Chapter of Alzheimer's Association. Subjects: 2015 Walk to End Alzheimer's raising awareness and funding as well as the various services provided to families in Monmouth and Ocean Counties such as respite care, support groups and 24-hour hotline. (13:00)
- 8/30/15...Around Ocean County. "Gulp & Go" Lifestyle. Guest: Dr. Janet Angel. Subject: Dr. Angel discusses how Americans should plan and think about food for themselves and their families, make smarter choices and avoid eating to survive, not to thrive. Also discussed are food combinations that go well with each other and how to relax with your meals. (14:00)
- 9/13/15...Around Ocean County. Infantile Seizures & Cerebral Palsy. Guest: Laura Gaedt, Neptune Township mother. Subjects: The mother of triplets born prematurely discusses the plight of her son Jared, who suffers from Infantile Seizures and Cerebral Palsy. Also discussed a fundraiser held by the Hamilton Fire Department in Neptune to help alleviate some of the medical bills the family has incurred. (11:00)

9/20/15...Radio Health Journal. **EXPLODING HEAD SYNDROME.** Host: Nancy Benson. Guests: Walter Michka, health blogger and exploding head syndrome sufferer; Dr. Brian Sharpless, Asst. Prof. of Psychology, Washington State Univ. and author, *Sleep Paralysis*. Synopsis: A sleep disorder strangely named "exploding head syndrome" may keep more than 10 percent of people awake at night by inflicting them with crashing sounds that only they can hear. A sufferer and an expert discuss. (8:07)

COMMUNITY

- 7/12/15...Around Ocean County. **David's Dream & Believe Foundation.** Guest: David Calderella, founder of David's Dream & Believe Foundation. Subject: David discusses how he beat stage 4 cancer, which led to the creation of this non-profit organization. Also discussed, two upcoming fundraisers where proceeds raised go directly to patients battling cancer and their families with medical and household expenses. (14:39)
- 7/19/15...Around Ocean County. **Fight Hunger Campaign.** Guest: Hope Wissel, Independent Director of Thirty-One. Subjects: Discussion includes a campaign that draws awareness to making sure "no child goes hungry" in Ocean County. (10:00)
- 8/2/15...Around Ocean County. Hearts Of Mercy. Guest: Kristin Santorelli, Ocean County resident. Subject: Kristen discusses her non-profit organization, HeartsOfMercy.org which serves Ocean County families who are homeless, jobless and in need of food, clothing and shelter. She visits various motels in Ocean County to assess situations, and follows up with job training and supplies. (13:45)
- 9/6/15...Around Ocean County. **Toms River Rotary Club.** Guest: Pat Wallace, Toms River Rotary Club spokesperson. Subject: Pat discusses the 2015 Sailfest in Island Heights. With vendors, crafts, food and music along with over 50 sailboats, this event draws thousands of people to the waterfront in Toms River each year. Monies raised by the Rotary Club are spread throughout various Ocean County charities. (13:00)
- 9/6/15...Around Ocean County. "No Kid Hungry." Guest: Melissa d'Arabian, Food Network Celebrity Chef. Subject: Melissa discusses how 1 in 5 children in the US and in New Jersey goes without breakfast every morning. "No Kid Hungry" is a non-profit organization where consumers can contribute by simply dining at participating restaurants at the Jersey Shore. (9:00)
- 9/20/15...Around Ocean County. New Jersey Wine Week. Guest: John Cifelli, Executive Director of NJ Wine Growers Association. Subject: John discusses the beginning of the wine industry in New Jersey, NJ Wine Week and festivals across New Jersey. (11:00)

9/20/15...Around Ocean County. Southern Ocean County Chamber Of Commerce. Guest: Lori Peppenella, Director of Destination and Marketing for SOCCC. Subject: Lori talks about one of the biggest events of the year in Southern Ocean County, Chowderfest on Long Beach Island in October which draws thousands of people into the area every year. (12:00)

CONSUMERISM

7/5/15...Around Ocean County. **Belmar Mayor.** Guest: Matt Doherty, mayor of Belmar NJ. Subject: Mayor Doherty discusses the aftermath of Superstorm Sandy and how Belmar has recovered, the need to raise beach and parking fees, his political background and how he became interested in politics. Also discussed are issues regarding Gov. Chris Christie, the future of Belmar and how he has prevented taxes from being raised in his 5 years in office. (15:00)

7/26/15...Around Ocean County. **Point Pleasant Beach Mayor.** Guest: Vincent Barella, mayor of Point Pleasant Beach NJ. Subject: Mayor Barrella discusses his career as a college professor at Pace University specializing in tax laws, his years as mayor of Point Beach, as well as his accomplishments while in office. Also discussed, his hopes and frustrations along the way as he nears the end of his term as mayor. (23:00)

8/14/15...Radio Health Journal. **ONLINE PHARMACIES, FAKE DRUGS.** Host: Reed Pence. Guests: Carmen Catizone, Exec. Dir., National Assoc. of Boards of Pharmacy; Libby Baney, Exec. Dir., Alliance for Safe Online Pharmacies; Dr. Roger Bate, scholar, American Enterprise Institute & author, *Phake: The Deadly World of Falsified and Substandard Medicines*. Synopsis: Consumers who purchase medicines online for convenience and price are taking a big risk--experts say 97% of online "pharmacies" are rogue sites operating illegally. Often the medications they sell are counterfeit or substandard. Experts discuss the risks and how consumers can buy safely. (11:57)

8/14/15...Radio Health Journal. MULTITASKING. Host: Nancy Benson. Guests: Dr. David Strayer, Prof. of Cognition Neurosciences, Univ. of Utah; Dr. Jayson Watson, Assoc. Prof. of Psychology, Univ. of Utah. Synopsis: Multitasking seems like a necessity for most people, and most of us think it inproves our efficiency. However, studies show that only a tiny proportion of people can juggle tasks well. Researchers discuss why our brains can't do two things at once, and why "supertaskers" may be different. (8:06)

8/21/15...Radio Health Journal. THE RISK OF THE FRONT PASSENGER SEAT. Host: Reed Pence. Guests: Meghan Smeenge, injured in auto accident; Dr. David Pedley, consultant, accident and emergency medicine, Dumfries & Galloway Royal Infirmary, Scotland; Dr. Peter Cummings, Emeritus Prof. of Epidemiology, Univ. of Washington; Dr. Elisa Braver, Adjunct Assoc. Prof. of Epidemiology, Univ. of Maryland School of Medicine. Synopsis: Few people are aware that the vehicle occupant most likely to be hurt in a crash is the one in the front passenger seat. Experts discuss why this occurs, the different injuries that can occur there, and many ways car occupants can protect themselves from injury. (11:20)

8/23/15...Radio Health Journal. **ODD MEDICAL TREATMENTS OF THE PAST.** Host: Nancy Benson. Guest: Nathan Belofsky, author, <u>Strange Medicine: A Shocking History of Real Medical Practices Through the Ages</u>. Synopsis: An expert examines how far we've come in medicine by focusing on past practices, which lead him to conclude doctors in ancient Greece provided better care than those in the US 150 years ago. (7:38)

8/30/15...*Around Ocean County*. **Easing Summer Financial Anxiety.** Guest: Ernie Elmonte, Financial Expert. Subject: Ernie discusses ways to keep your finances in check while planning reasonable summer trips, managing summer financial anxiety and how much taking a family summer trip will cost. Pros and Cons of cash vs. credit card also discussed. (6:00)

FAMILY ISSUES

7/12/15...Around Ocean County. American Lung Association. Guest: Dr. Rizzo, American Lung Association. Subject: Dr. Rizzo discusses the difficulties associated with trying to quit smoking, and how it can be made easier with a "Quit Smoking App" available on smartphones. Also discussed are how quitting can have a positive influence on children and setting a good example at a young age. (7:15)

7/19/15...Around Ocean County. **Thermal Lunch Program.** Guest: Hope Wissel. Subject: Hope is an Ocean County resident who discusses her efforts to raise funds, supplies and awareness for her "Thermal Lunch Program" for children of Ocean County that cannot afford to bring lunch to school. Also discussed are the difficulties children face when they are bullied for not having these supplies. (15:00)

8/13/15...Around Ocean County. Ocean County Women's Connection. Guests: Patty Barnes & Gabriele Maychuck, Ocean County Women's Connection. Subject: The upcoming gatherings and guest speakers hosted by Ocean County Women's Connection, designed to empower women, educate and provide fellowship. (12:00)

8/20/15...Around Ocean County. Heroin Epidemic in Monmouth and Ocean Counties. Guests: Terry Camp/Lawyer and Entertainment Producer, Jesse James Warren/Entertainment Producer. Subject: Discussion on the live charity events along the Jersey Shore which will help raise awareness of the heroin epidemic in Monmouth and Ocean Counties. Money raised will directly benefit the CFC Foundation to provide support to recovering heroin users and their families.

9/4/15...Radio Health Journal. **GRIEF.** Host: Nancy Benson. Guests: Dr. Ronald Pies, Prof. of Psychiatry, State Univ. of New York Upstate Medical Univ. and Clinical Prof. of Psychiatry, Tufts Univ.; Danny Gregory, author and illustrator, <u>A Kiss Before You Go.</u> Synopsis: Everyone deals with grief at one time or another. An expert discusses how it's experienced by most people, and what separates normal grief from more problematic depression A writer/illustrator discusses his experience dealing with his spouse's sudden death. (7:50)

9/11/15...Radio Health Journal. **PET OBESITY.** Host: Nancy Benson. Guests: Dr. Ernie Ward, Veterinarian and founder, Association for Pet Obesity Prevention; Dr. Deborah Linder, Research Asst. Prof., Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine, Tufts Univ. Synopsis: Just as people face an obesity crisis in the US, so do our pets, who have many of the same health consequences as overweight humans. Experts discuss why pet obesity is a problem and ways pet owners can keep their furry friends healthy. (8:44)

ENTERTAINMENT

7/3/15...Around Ocean County. **Point Pleasant Beach.** Guest: Tony Bonnaro. Subject: Tony talks about all of the great family friendly events coming to Point Pleasant Beach including free concerts, attractions and more. (10:00)

8/9/15...Around Ocean County. **Miss Barnegat Light.** Guest: Karen Larson, owner/operator of Miss Barnegat Light. Subject: Director of the Barnegat Light Museum Karen Larson discusses her family business onboard the Miss Barnegat Light, which provides family tours, environmental tours for the fishing industry and the history of the museum and town. (14:22)

9/13/15...*Around Ocean County.* **Rob Schneider.** Guest: Rob Schneider, actor/comedian/screen writer. Subject: Rob discusses his past with Saturday Night Live, his movie career and his upcoming fundraising show in conjunction with Vetworks, which helps assist veterans with medical bills and various other services. (11:00)



100.1 WJRZ Public File: 7/1 - 9/30/15

6/11- 8/26: (60 pre-rec/ 90 live) Berkeley Township Sounds of Summer on 6/24, 7/8, 7/22, 8/5, 8/19, 8/26- Concert nights at Veterans Park in Bayville, NJ. Hosted by 100.1 WJRZ.

6/14- 8/26: (60 pre-rec/ 90 live) Manchester Concert Fest on 6/27, 7/15, 7/29, 8/12, 8/26- Concert nights at Harry Wright Lake in Whiting, NJ. Hosted by 100.1 WJRZ.

6/26- 7/2: (15 live) Freehold Fireworks on 7/2- Freehold Fireworks at Freehold Raceway in Freehold, NJ.

6/26- 7/23: (15 pre-rec/ 15 live each) Brick Township Summerfest on 7/2, 7/9, 7/16, 7/23- Concert nights with fireworks at Windward Beach Park in Brick, NJ. Hosted by 100.1 WJRZ.

6/28- 7/4: (25 live) Tuckerton Seaport Old Fashioned Ice Cream Social on 7/4- Old Fashioned Ice Cream Social at the Tuckerton Seaport in Tuckerton, NJ.

7/5- 7/11: (10 pre-rec/ 10 live) Ocean County Fair on 7/11- Annual community fair at Robert J. Miller Airpark in Berkeley Twp., NJ.

7/6- 7/12: (20 live) Freedom Fest State Fair on 7/12- Annual community fair in Allentown, NJ.

6/8- 7/13: (160 pre-rec/ 75 live) WJRZ's Hittin the Links Golf Outing on 7/13- Annual WJRZ Hittin' the Links Charity Golf Tournament to benefit Big Brothers Big Sisters of Ocean County at Sea Oaks Golf Club in Little Egg Harbor, NJ.

6/28- 7/18: (25 pre-rec/ 25 live) Summer in the Street on 7/18- Community festival in Downtown Toms River, NJ.

7/20- 7/26: (30 live) Monmouth County Fair on 7/26- Annual community fair at the Fair Grounds, Kozloski Road in Freehold, NJ.

7/16- 7/29: (25 pre-rec/ 25 live) Berkeley Township Summer Beach Party on 7/29-Berkeley Sounds of Summer Beach Party. Hosted by 100.1 WJRZ.

7/24- 7/30: (20 pre-rec/ live) Brick Township Car Show on 7/30- Annual Community Car Show in Brick, NJ.

7/28- 8/4: (30 pre-rec/ live) Brick Township Night Out Against Crime on 8/4- Brick Township, NJ annual National Night Out Against Crime and Kids Night Celebration with numerous displays and exhibits designed to educate residents about law enforcement and what they are doing to protect the community.

8/23- 8/29: (20 live) Manahopkin on 8/29- Stafford Township P.B.A. Local 29 "Manahopkin" Craft Beer and Music Fest at Manahawkin Lake Park in Manahawkin NJ.

9/6- 9/12: (25 live) Barnegat Pirates Day on 9/12- Celebrating the history of Barnegat, NJ.

9/6- 9/12: (25 live) Sailfest, Island Heights on 9/12- Event raising funds for scholarship programs in Toms River, NJ.

8/30- 9/12: (25 pre-rec/ 25 live) Berkeley Township Community Pride Day on 9/12-Celebrating the Inauguration Anniversary of Berkeley Twp., NJ.

9/13- 9/19: (25 live) Point Pleasant Festival of the Sea on 9/19- Seafood Festival on Arnold and Bay Avenues, celebrating the history of Point Pleasant Beach, NJ.

9/13- 9/19: (20 pre-rec/ live) Brick Kite Fest on 9/19- Kite event for kids in Brick, NJ.

9/27- 10/3: (30 pre-rec/ live) Bricktober Fest on 10/3- The inaugural Bricktober Fest and 5K in Brick NJ.

9/27- 10/3: (20 pre-rec/ 20 live) Chowder Cook-off Merchants Mart on 10/3- Annual Chowder Cook-off Merchants Mart in Beach Haven, NJ.

9/28- 10/4: (20 pre-rec/ 20 live) Race for the Cure at Six Flags on 10/4- 100.1 WJRZ at Six Flags in Jackson, NJ for the Susan G. Komen Foundation Race for the Cure event in support of Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

9/28- 10/4: (20 pre-rec/ 20 live) Chowder Cook-off Classic on 10/4- Annual Chowder Cook-off Classic in Beach Haven, NJ.

9/27- 10/17: (25 pre-rec/ 25 live) Toms River Harvest Arts Festival on 10/17- Fall Festival in Downtown Toms River, NJ.



100.1 WJRZ ON-AIR QUARTERLY PSA REPORT: 7/1 - 9/30/15

7/1- 7/5: All branches of the Ocean County Library will be closed Friday, July 3rd through Sunday, July 5th for the Independence Day holiday. All branches will resume their regular business hours on Monday, July 6th.

7/1- 7/6: Emmanuel Community Church in Bayville is looking for some adventurous explorers for their "Jungle Safari Vacation Bible School," July 6th through July 10th for children who have completed Kindergarten through 6th grade.

7/1-9/30: College students! Internships are now available at 100.1 WJRZ. Gain experience in radio, earn school credits and have fun!

7/1-9/30: WJRZ cares about our troops, as cell phones for soldiers are being collected for the "Support the Troops Project."

7/6-7/10: Brandon's Elves will be having a "Christmas in July Casino Night Fundraiser" on Friday, July 10th at the Ramada in Toms River.

7/6-7/10: The St. Francis Community Center of LBI will hold a "Fish & Chip Dinner" on Friday, July 10th from 5 to 7pm.

7/6-7/11: The Jay and Linda Grunin Foundation and Big Brothers Big Sisters of Ocean County present "Lemonade Day Toms River," on Saturday, July 11th.

7/6-7/11: The Pipes and Drums of Barnegat Bay present the "Jersey Shore Celtic Festival" on Saturday, July 11th from 8am to 5pm at the Christ Episcopal Church on Washington Street in Toms River.

7/6-7/11: The Kiwanis Club of LBI will hold a "Flea Market Fundraiser" on Saturday, July 11th at 9am at the Ship Bottom Boat Ramp.

- 7/6-7/11: Mermaids, Mermen and Sea Monsters of all ages are invited to strut their stuff on the Asbury Park Boardwalk in the inaugural "Promenade of Mermaids" on Saturday, July 11th
- 7/6-7/11: Help support the Ship Bottom Volunteer Fire Company at the 3rd annual "Summer Sizzle Block Party" on Saturday, July 11th from 4 to 10pm.
- 7/6-7/12: Ocean County Sheriff's PBA 379 will hold the "Aces Ride High for Hank Motorcycle Run" in support of Hank Steinbach with his battle with stage 4 Pancreatic Cancer on Sunday, July 12th.
- 7/6-7/12: The Lakewood Historical Society and the Lakewood Heritage Commission are holding the 2nd annual "Sheldon Wolpin Memorial Car Show" fundraiser on Sunday, July 12th from 2 to 5:30pm at the Clarence Brown Pavilion, Pine Park in Lakewood.
- 7/13-7/14: The Brick Garden Club will host their "Secret Gardens of Brick Tour and Tea" on Tuesday, July 14th from 10am to 3pm.
- 7/13-7/15: The Brick Chamber of Commerce will host the "Burgers and Beer" networking event on Wednesday, July 15th from 5 to 7pm at the Shore Acres Yacht Club on Drum Point Road in Brick.
- 7/13-7/16: The Point Pleasant Beach Chamber of Commerce presents their first "Ladies Night Out" on Thursday, July 16th starting at 4pm.
- 7/13-7/16: The American Red Cross will be at St. Francis of Assisi Church Hall, located at 4700 Long Beach Blvd., Long Beach Township, on Thursday, July 16th for the annual Blood Drive. Hours are 1 to 6pm.
- 7/13-7/18: The "Undy Run/Walk," a family and dog friendly 5k, that raises awareness and funds for colon cancer awareness and prevention, will take place on Saturday, July 18th at Pier Village in Long Branch.
- 7/13-7/18: Friends of Bradley Beach Library will hold a "Walk-a-Thon" on Saturday, July 18th on the Bradley Beach Boardwalk starting at 8:30am.
- 7/13-7/20: The "2015 Holiday Express Golf Classic" will take place on Monday, July 20th at the Manasquan River Golf Club in Brielle. Non-golfers can enjoy the cocktail hour and dinner.
- 7/20-7/23: Ocean of Love presents "A Splash of Summer Fun" on Thursday, July 23rd at the Crystal Point Yacht Club in Point Pleasant starting at 6pm to support Ocean of Love and their mission to help Ocean County children with cancer and their families.

7/20-7/23: The Believe Project presents "Christmas In July: The 12 Tastes of Christmas" at the Berkeley Oceanfront Hotel in Asbury Park on Thursday, July 23rd from 6 to 10pm.

7/20-7/24: The Ocean County Department of Parks and Recreation will be conducting a Lakewood BlueClaws Baseball Clinic at the Ocean County Park Beach Complex on Friday, July 24th from 9:30 to 11:30am.

7/20-7/26: Brick Children's Community Theatre presents "MARY POPPINS," Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 24th, 25th and 26th at the Strand Theater in Lakewood.

7/20-7/25: The Wounded Warrior Project will hold a "Car and Truck Show" on Saturday, July 25th at Baywick Plaza in Bayville from 10am to 3:30pm.

7/20-7/25: Enjoy music and wellness at the "Soulsational Festival" at Veterans Park in Bayville on Saturday July 25th from 11am to 8pm.

7/20-7/25: Ranchin' Vets, an organization that assists veterans in their transition from military to civilian life, will hold a Fundraiser event at the National Guard Training Center pavilion in Sea Girt on Saturday, July 25th from 11am to 3pm.

7/20-7/25: The Operation Injured Soldiers Charity Basketball Game will take place at 2pm on Saturday, July 25th at St. Barbara Greek Orthodox Church on Church Road in Toms River.

7/20-7/27: Athletics in Action Soccer Camp for boys and girls ages 5 to 13 will be sponsored by Emmanuel Community Church in Bayville, July 27th through July 31st from 6 to 8pm at Forest Hills Parkway Soccer Field in Bayville.

7/27-7/30: The Friends of the Stafford Library Book Sale will be held on Thursday, July 30th from 9am to 1pm at 129 N. Main Street in Manahawkin.

7/27-7/31: The Exit 82 Theatre Company kicks off their 7th season with "Rock of Ages" at the Strand Center for the Arts in Lakewood, Friday, July 31st through Saturday, August 8th.

7/27-8/1: Brick Township Volunteer EMS Station 16 will hold a "Classic Car Show" on Saturday, August 1st from 10am to 3pm.

7/27-8/1: Lacey United Methodist Church will host "Lacey Shorefest" on Saturday, August 1st from 11am to 4pm.

7/27-8/2: The 26th annual "Long Beach Island Foundation of the Arts and Science Fine Art Festival" will take place on Saturday and Sunday, August 1st and 2nd at the Foundation, located at 120 Long Beach Boulevard.

- 8/3-8/9: St. Francis of Assisi Parish will host the "Festival of the Sea" carnival, Wednesday, August 5th through Sunday, August 9th from 6 to 10pm on the St. Francis Parish & Center parking lot.
- 8/3-8/9: The Italian American Association will hold its "Italian Festival," Wednesday, August 5th through Sunday, August 9th at Joe Palaia Park on Deal Road in Ocean Township from 5 to 11pm each day.
- 8/3-8/6: Boy Scouts of America Troop 52 presents "A Night of Comedy" at Capone's in Toms River, with dinner and a show on Thursday, August 6th.
- 8/3-8/7: The annual Fish Dinner by "Thistle" from Kearny will be held on Friday, August 7th from 5 to 7pm at First United Methodist Church in Beach Haven Terrace.
- 8/3-8/7: The Ocean County Department of Parks and Recreation will be throwing a "Beach Ball-A-Palooza" on Friday, August 7th from 5:30 to 8:30pm at Bay Front Field in Toms River.
- 8/3-8/8: The Under My Skin For Life Charity Foundation will hold a "Custom and Classic Car & Bike Show" at the First Assembly of God Church on Bay Avenue in Toms River on Saturday, August 8th to benefit the Shore Hands Distribution Center and Autism Speaks.
- 8/3-8/8: The James Volpe Foundation will hold their 5th annual "Wiffle Ball Tournament" at the Holbrook Little League Complex on Bartley Road in Jackson starting at noon on Saturday, August 8th.
- 8/3-8/9: Long Beach Island PBA #175 will hold their 2nd annual "Water Summer Celebration and Fluke Fishing Tournament" on Saturday and Sunday, August 8th & 9th at the Ship Bottom boat ramp.
- 8/3-8/9: Hamilton Fire Company Auxiliary will hold a Breakfast on Sunday, August 9th from 8am to noon at the Hamilton Banquet Hall in Neptune.
- 8/3-8/9: The Kourtney Rose Foundation will hold the 10th anniversary "Kourtney's Challenge 2 Mile Fun Run/Walk" on Sunday, August 9th at Monmouth Park.
- 8/3-8/9: Camp Happy Times will hold their 14th annual "Fundraiser" at the Headliner on Route 35 in Neptune on Sunday, August 9th starting at 5pm to benefit their free overnight camp for kids with cancer.
- 8/10-8/12: The area's first "Google Maps event" will be held on Wednesday, August 12th from 10am to 2pm at the Southern Ocean County Chamber Visitor Center in Ship Bottom. The Southern Ocean County Chamber has partnered with Google to help every business in the region get on the map.

8/10-8/14: Jersey Shore United is hosting a benefit concert with Dove Award winner Chris August and special guest Dez Childs on Friday, August 14th at 7pm at Toms River High School North.

8/10-8/15: The Girl Scouts of the Jersey Shore will hold their first "G.I.R.L.S. Robotics Camp" on Saturday, August 15th at the Girl Scout Program Activity Center on Yellow Brook Road in Farmingdale.

8/10-8/15: The Knights of the Inferno "Biker Rodeo" will be held on Saturday, August 15th at the Brick VFW Post 8867 on Adamston Road, starting at noon to benefit Ocean of Love and the Burn Foundation.

8/10-8/15: The Howell Township First Aid and Rescue Squad #1 will hold a "Conquering Cancer Benefit" fundraiser on Saturday, August 15th from 1 to 6pm.

8/10-8/15: CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) for children of Ocean County will hold a Comedy Night at the Laurelton Firehouse on Route 88 in Brick, Saturday, August 15th from 6 to 10pm.

8/10-8/16: The High Point Volunteer Fire Company in Harvey Cedars will hold their 37th annual "Dog Day Road Race" on Sunday, August 16th.

8/17- 8/22: The Lacey Township Municipal Alliance will hold its 15th annual "5K Race, 1 Mile Fun Run, and Kiddie Dash" at Gille Park in Forked River on Saturday, August 22nd to benefit substance abuse prevention, the Recreation Department and the Lacey Food Bank.

8/17- 8/22: The Crestwood Village 5 "Classic Car Show" will be held on Saturday, August 22nd from 9am to 2pm at 325 Schoolhouse Road in Whiting. Proceeds will benefit the Wounded Warriors Project.

8/17- 9/30: Lacey Township Emergency Medical Service is looking for new members who are at least sixteen years of age or older to volunteer and staff one of their ambulances. Training provided and no experience is necessary.

8/24- 8/26: There will be a free Seminar for Business Owners on Wednesday, August 26th from 8am to noon at the Holiday Inn, Route 72 in Manahawkin.

8/24- 8/26: The Jersey Shore Animal Center and Seaside Heights will hold "National Dog Day" on Wednesday, August 26th.

8/24- 8/26: Join the fundraiser for Alzheimer's research "Purple Tie Gala," an evening of fine dining and music, Wednesday, August 26th at The Chelsea at Toms River.

8/24- 8/27: The Friends of the Stafford Library Book Sale will be held on Thursday, August 27th from 9am to 1pm at 129 N. Main Street in Manahawkin.

- 8/24- 8/27: Parents Got questions? Pastor Nick Connolly, Pastoral Counselor, and his wife Gina Connolly, Licensed Clinical Alcohol and Drug Counselor, welcome your input on Thursday, August 27th from 7 to 8pm in the meeting room at the Manchester branch of The Ocean County Library.
- 8/24- 8/28: TD Bank is proud to be hosting the "Make a Change Day" fundraiser on Friday, August 28th at 600 West Main Street in Freehold. Proceeds will benefit collaborative support programs of New Jersey, and will be used for educational and arts enhancements.
- 8/24- 8/29: The Lighthouse Alliance Family and Youth Center and Pinelands Regional Athletics will hold their 7th annual "A Community That Cares 5K Run and Family Fun Walk" on Saturday, August 29th at Pinelands Regional High School.
- 8/24- 8/29: Walking in Her Shoes will hold a "Domestic Violence Awareness Walk" on Saturday, August 29th in Neptune at 10am.
- 8/24- 8/29: The Little Egg Harbor Yacht Club in Beach Haven will host the Beach Haven 125th Anniversary Paddle Challenge on Saturday, August 29th from 1 to 4pm.
- 8/24- 8/30: The Mental Health Association of Monmouth County will hold the "Ride for Patriots" on Sunday, August 30th beginning at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial at the PNC Bank Arts Center in Holmdel.
- 8/24- 8/30: The Manasquan Tourism Commission will hold their annual Clambake at Mallard Park in Manasquan on Sunday, August 30th from 2 to 6pm.
- 8/24- 8/30: The Maximilian Foundation presents "Young Forever" on Sunday, August 30th from 3 to 7pm, hosted by The Dutchmans, 2500 East Bay Avenue in Manahawkin.
- 8/24- 8/30: The Headliner in Neptune will host the annual Monmouth County SPCA Benefit on Sunday, August 30th starting at 4pm.
- 8/31- 9/5: Bayville Elks MC Lodge #2394 will hold a "Poker Run" on Saturday, September 5^{th.}
- 8/31- 9/18: The Ocean County Library is holding "Food for Fines" in September. Donate cans or packaged items for the food bank and get credit towards overdue fines. September is also Library Card Sign-up Month and Hispanic Heritage Month.
- 8/31- 9/7: All branches of the Ocean County Library will be closed Monday, September 7th in observance of Labor Day.

- 9/7- 9/8: Literacy New Jersey-Ocean County will hold a "Literacy Read-a-Thon" at the Toms River branch of the Ocean County Library on Tuesday, September 8th from 10am to 2pm.
- 9/7- 9/9: Community Medical Center presents the "Guys' Night Out" Men's Health Event on Wednesday, September 9th at the Clarion Hotel in Toms River.
- 9/7- 9/10: Members of the Jackson Memorial High School Marching Band will take to the school's track for the "March 4 Music" fundraiser on Thursday, September 10th to help fund new instruments for the band and for upcoming trips and appearances.
- 9/7- 9/11: Autism Family Services of New Jersey will hold their "A Night Out for Autism" fundraiser dinner on Friday, September 11th at The Mill in Spring Lake.
- 9/7- 9/12: The annual BMAC (Brick Municipal Alliance Committee) Golf Tournament will be held on Saturday, September 12th at Eagle Ridge Golf Club.
- 9/7- 9/12: CONTACT of Ocean and Monmouth will hold their "4 Mile Run/Walk" on Saturday, September 12th at Ocean County Park on Route 88 in Lakewood starting at 8:45am.
- 9/7- 9/12: The Women's Club of Brielle will hold a "Craft Show" in Brielle Park, next to the Brielle Library on Saturday, September 12th.
- 9/7- 9/12: The Association of the United States Army Monmouth Chapter will hold a "Veterans Health & Wellness Expo" on Saturday, September 12th from 10am to 2pm at CentraState Medical Center in Freehold.
- 9/7- 9/12: A "Poker Run," "Harley Davidson Ride" and "Horseshoe Tournament" to benefit Nick's Smile of Quarters will be held on Saturday, September 12th starting at 11am. Proceeds will benefit the Cpl. Nicholas S. Ott Memorial Fund.
- 9/7- 9/12: The 13th annual "Walk with Joe Memorial 5K" takes place on Saturday, September 12th at Monmouth Battlefield State Park in Manalapan starting at 10am to honor the memory of Joe Driscoll, Chris Gray and Tom McCann, three of the thousands of heroes who lost their lives on 9/11.
- 9/7- 9/12: The New Egypt Elks will hold a Touch-A-Truck on Saturday, September 12th from 10am to 2pm at their lodge on Lakewood Road.
- 9/7- 9/13: Stafford Township's Town-Wide Yard Sale will be held Saturday and Sunday, September 12th and 13th from 8am to 3pm.
- 9/7- 9/13: The Ocean County Library will resume Sunday hours from 1 to 5pm at the Toms River, Lakewood and Stafford branches beginning Sunday, September 13th.

- 9/14- 9/15: Shore Acres in Brick will hold a "Golf Outing" on Tuesday, September 15th at Knob Hill Golf Club in Manalapan to help rebuild their community clubhouse that was destroyed by Superstorm Sandy.
- 9/14- 9/15: The "Benefit for the Broyles," an evening of drinks, food and rock & roll, will be held on Tuesday, September 15th from 6 to 9pm at the Shore House Bar & Grill on Ocean Road in Point Pleasant.
- 9/14- 9/17: The 2nd annual "Natalie Grace's With Event" fundraiser will be held on Thursday, September 17th from 6 to 10pm at McLoone's Pier House in Long Branch to benefit The Truth 365, an initiative of the Arms Wide Open Childhood Cancer Foundation of Marlboro.
- 9/14- 9/18: The Women of Christ Episcopal Church of Toms River will hold their annual "Fall Rummage Sale" on Thursday, September 17th from 10am to 3pm and on Friday, September 18th from 9am to noon.
- 9/14- 9/18: Big Brothers Big Sisters of Ocean County presents their 8th annual "Casino Night" on Friday, September 18th at the Ramada in Toms River.
- 9/14- 9/18: The Church of Grace and Peace in Toms River will be hosting the "Free Indeed" Concert on Friday, September 18th.
- 9/14- 9/19: The Arc's Ocean County chapter will hold a "Flapjack Fundraiser and Gift Auction" on Saturday, September 19th at Applebee's in Brick Plaza.
- 9/14- 9/19: Christ Lutheran Church in Whiting is having their annual "Country Fair" on Saturday, September 19th.
- 9/14- 9/19: St. Dominic School in Brick is hosting the "Blue Jay 5K" in celebration of the school's 50th Anniversary on Saturday, September 19th at Ocean County Park in Lakewood.
- 9/14- 9/19: Forked River Presbyterian Church will hold a "Family Fall Festival" on Saturday, September 19th.
- 9/14- 9/19: Mother Teresa Regional School in Atlantic Highlands will hold a "St. Jude Children's Hospital Fundraiser" on Saturday, September 19th.
- 9/14- 9/19: The Beach Haven "Boat Parade and Seafood Festival" will be held on Saturday, September 19th at 4pm on the bay at Taylor Avenue behind Bay Village.
- 9/14- 9/19: The "Benefit for Jared Gaedt Gift Auction" will be held on Saturday, September 19th at the Hamilton Firehouse Banquet Hall on Jumping Brook Road in Neptune.

- 9/14- 9/19: The R&M Foundation presents a "Comedy Show, featuring Rob Schneider" on Saturday, September 19th at Toms River High School North starting at 8pm to benefit Vetwork, a veteran assistance program serving Ocean County Veterans.
- 9/14- 9/20: The "Lakewood Lions Renaissance Faire," a charitable fundraising event in its 34th year, will be held at Pine Park in Lakewood on Saturday and Sunday, September 19th and 20th.
- 9/14- 9/20: The Rotary Club of Brick presents their annual "Dog Fest" on Sunday, September 20th at Windward Beach Park in Brick.
- 9/14- 9/20: "Senior Appreciation Day" will be held in the Hall of Records parking lot on Main Street in Freehold on Sunday, September 20th.
- 9/14- 9/20: "New Jersey Celebrates Recovery," organized by the Help Not Handcuffs campaign, will be held at the Paramount Theatre on the Asbury Park Boardwalk on Sunday, September 20th.
- 9/21- 9/24: Register now for the 16th annual "Harry T. Marti Memorial Golf Tournament" to benefit the High Point Volunteer Fire Company on Thursday, September 24th at Atlantis Country Club in Little Egg Harbor.
- 9/21- 9/24: Register now for the 11th annual "Mica Club Golf Tournament" to benefit St. Jude's for the Kids with Leukemia on Thursday, September 24th at Atlantis Country Club in Little Egg Harbor.
- 9/21- 9/24: The Friends of the Stafford Library Book Sale will be held on Thursday, September 24th at 129 N. Main Street in Manahawkin.
- 9/21- 9/24: The "Women Veterans Health Expo" will be held on Thursday, September 24th at James J. Howard VA Outpatient Clinic on Rt. 70 in Brick.
- 9/21- 9/24: D.O.V.E. (Defining Opportunities for Victim Empowerment) will hold a Painting Party on Thursday, September 24th from 6:30 to 8:30pm at the Pine Lake Park Clubhouse in Manchester Township.
- 9/21- 9/25: The Jackson Youth Football and Cheerleaders will hold their annual Gift Auction on Friday, September 25th at the Howell Pointe Swim Club in Howell.
- 9/21- 9/25: Register now for the 6th annual "FCCF Jersey Shore Golf Challenge" fundraising effort to benefit the Fighting Children's Cancer Foundation on Friday, September 25th at Sea Oaks Golf Club in Little Egg Harbor.
- 9/21- 9/25: Come support Childhood Cancer Awareness month with "Alex's Million Mile Walk," a 1 mile walk around Gille Park in Lacey Township on Friday, September 25th.

- 9/21- 9/25: The Emmanuel Cancer Foundation will hold their 2nd annual "Ignite the Night Gold" event on Friday, September 25th on Belmar Beach from 6 to 9pm, in support of pediatric cancer organizations.
- 9/21- 9/25: Ronald McDonald House of Central & Northern NJ will hold their 6th annual Wine Tasting on Friday, September 25th at Trump National Golf Course in Colts Neck.
- 9/21- 9/26: Ocean County Mental Health Services will hold their "Race4Respect 5K Run/Walk and 1 Mile Fun Run" on Saturday, September 26th on the boardwalk at Stockton Avenue in Seaside Park.
- 9/21- 9/26: The Alzheimer's Association will hold their "Walk to End Alzheimer's" on Saturday, September 26th at Arnold and Baltimore Avenues in Point Pleasant Beach.
- 9/21- 9/26: The Lacey Township Historical Society will hold their 26th annual "Fall Apple Festival" on Saturday, September 26th at the Old Schoolhouse Museum on South Main Street in Forked River.
- 9/21- 9/26: The Pleasant Plains Volunteer First Aid Squad will host their 2nd annual Car Show on Saturday, September 26th in the upper parking lot of Ocean County College.
- 9/21- 9/26: The American Foundation for Suicide Prevention Central New Jersey chapter will hold their 5th annual "Jersey Shore Out of the Darkness Walk" on Saturday, September 26th on the boardwalk in Manasquan at Leggetts Sand Bar.
- 9/21- 9/26: Emmanuel Community Church in Bayville will be hosting "The Last Blast of Summer-Chile Cook Off" on Saturday, September 26th.
- 9/21- 9/26: Manahawkin Elks Lodge #2340 will hold a traditional Octoberfest in their lodge's picnic grove on Hilliard Boulevard in Manahawkin on Saturday, September 26th.
- 9/21- 9/27: The 2nd annual "Memorial Charity Ride & Drive" in loving memory of Arthur Szymanski will be held on Sunday, September 27th, starting at Central Regional Middle School in Bayville.
- 9/21- 9/27: Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary Unit 24 will hold a "Craft and Vendor Show" on Sunday, September 27th at American Legion Post #129 on Church Road in Toms River.
- 9/21- 9/27: The American Cancer Society will hold their "Shoreline NJ Heart Walk" at FirstEnergy Park in Lakewood on Sunday, September 27th to raise funds to support lifesaving cardiovascular research in an effort to fight heart disease and stroke.
- 9/21- 9/27: The White Lotus Tattoo & Art Gallery of Toms River presents "Tattoos for the Pitties Campaign" on Sunday, September 27th to benefit the MCSPCA Pittie Project and Pitties and Pals Rescue.

9/28- 9/30: Register now for the "Bricktober Fest 5K & Fun Run" on Saturday, October 3rd at 8am at Windward Beach Park in Brick.

9/28- 9/30: Hope Sheds Light holds their 2nd annual "Celebration of Hope Walk" on Saturday, October 3rd on the Hiering Avenue Beach in Seaside Heights to support their mission to educate families on the disease of addiction by creating awareness, providing resources and instilling hope to support a healthier community.

9/28- 9/30: The Silverton Volunteer Fire Company will hold their 8th annual Poker Run on Saturday, October 3rd, beginning and ending at the firehouse, located at 15 Kettle Creek Road in Toms River. The Silverton Fall Festival will follow.

9/28- 9/30: The Jersey Shore Down Syndrome Association will hold their annual "Buddy Walk" on Saturday, October 3rd in the picnic area in Winding River Park in Toms River.

9/28- 9/30: Georgian Court University in Lakewood will hold their 4th annual "Homecoming 5K Race/Walk" on Saturday, October 3rd. Money raised will be used to help support all of the university's various sports teams.

9/28- 9/30: The Friendly Sons of the Shillelagh of the Jersey Shore are sponsoring the "Shillelagh 5k Run/Walk" on Saturday, October 3rd. The races begin at Bar Anticipation in Lake Como.

9/28- 9/30: The "Monmouth County Concours d'Elegance," Antique Car Show will take place on Saturday, October 3rd at Hop Brook Farm Airport in Holmdel, to benefit 180 Turning Lives Around, Inc., a non-profit dedicated to ending domestic and sexual violence in Monmouth County.

9/28- 9/30: The Jackson Memorial Jaguar Band will host its annual "Showcase of Champions" on Saturday, October 3rd at the school's Jack Munley Field.

9/28- 9/30: The Knights of Columbus Council 3828, Long Beach Island, Manahawkin and Barnegat presents the hit show "Late Nite Catechism" on Saturday, October 3rd at the Stafford Township Art Center.

9/28- 9/30: The Tanner Edwards Foundation presents the 6th annual "Tanner's Run," 5K & 1 Mile Fun Run/Walk on Sunday, October 4th at The Sawmill in Seaside Park.

9/28- 9/30: Teen Challenge New Jersey presents the "Men's Choir Ministry" on Sunday, October 4th at 10am at New Life Community Church in Little Egg Harbor.