

WAPJ
TORRINGTON COMMUNITY
RADIO FOUNDATION, INC

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter-2023

(January 1 through March 31, 2023)

COMPLIED BY John Ramsey, General Manager

THE FOLLOWING IS A LISTING OF SOME OF THE SIGNIFICANT ISSUES RESPONDED TO BY WAPJ, TORRINGTON, CT ALONG WITH SIGNIFICANT PROGRAMMING TREATMENT OF THOSE ISSUES FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY THROUGH MARCH, 2023. THE LISTING IS BY NO MEANS EXHAUSTIVE. THE ORDER IN WHICH THE ISSUES APPEAR DOES NOT REFLECT ANY PRIORITY OR SIGNIFICANCE. ALL TIMES ARE EASTERN TIME.

WAPJ RADIO

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 1/8/23

Time: 2:30 pm

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 30 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson, Paul Hudson

Issue(s): The airlines industry, FAA, asylum

Title/description: Discussion of Airline Meltdown,
Melissa Crow on Asylum Policy.

WAPJ RADIO

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 1/15/23

Time: 2:30

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 60 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson, David Sirota

Issue(s): Journalism, the media.

Title/description: David Sirota on Accountability
Journalism

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 1/22/23

Time: 2:30

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 60 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson

Issue(s): World affairs

Title/description: Discission of world events.

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 1/29/23

Time: 2:30PM

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 60 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson, Michael Mechanic

Issue(s): The IRS

Title/description: Michael Mechanic on Underfunding the IRS.

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 2/5/23

Time: 2:30 pm

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 60 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson, Shelby Green and Selah Goodson Bell.

Issue(s): Utility shutoffs, the economy.

Title/description: Shelby Green and Selah Goodson Bell on Utility Shutoffs & Profiteering

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 2/12/23

Time: 2:30 pm

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 60 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson, Evan Greer

Issue(s): Government regulation, the FCC.

Title/description: Evan Greer on the Fight for the FCC

WAPJ RADIO

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 2/19/23

Time: 2:30 pm.

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 60 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson, Maritza Perez Medina

Issue(s): Drugs, social security.

Title/description: Fentanyl, Nancy Altman on Social Security

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 2/26/23

Time: 2:30 pm

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 60 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson

Issue(s): Politics

Title/description: Ellen Schrecker on the New
McCarthyism.

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 3/52/3

Time: 2:30 pm

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 60 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson

Issue(s): Water

Title/description: Makani Themba on Jackson Crisis

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 3/12/23

Time: 2:30 pm

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 60 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson

Issue(s): Disability policy, Unemployment, Race.

Title/description: Kim Knackstedt on Disability Policy,
Algernon Austin on Unemployment & Race

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 3/19/23

Time: 2:30 pm

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 60 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson

Issue(s): Police, government

Title/description: Kamau Franklin on Cop City Protests

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 3/26/23

Time: 2:30 pm

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 60 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson

Issue(s): Iraq

Title/description: Norman Solomon on the Iraq Invasion,
20 Years Later

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

Date: 3/28/23

Time: 12:30 pm

Program: Counterspin

Duration: 60 min

Host/Guest(s) Jeannie Jackson

Issue(s): World events.

Title/description: Discussion of world events.

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

DATE: 1/8/23

TIME: 3:30 pm

PROGRAM: 51 Percent

DUR: 30 min

HOST/GUEST(S): Jessie King

ISSUES: Dieting

DESCRIPTION: Discussion of health and dieting.

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

DATE: 1/15/23

TIME: 3:30 pm

PROGRAM: 51 Percent

DUR: 30 min

HOST/GUEST(S): Jessie King, Dolly Chung

ISSUES: Racial justice.

DESCRIPTION: A More Than Just Future

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

DATE: 1/22/23

TIME: 3:30pm

PROGRAM: 51 Percent

DUR: 30 min

HOST/GUEST(S): Jessie King, Tracy Heather Strain, filmmaker.

ISSUES: Space

DESCRIPTION: The future of space exploration.

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

DATE: 1/29/23

TIME: 3:30pm

PROGRAM: 51 Percent

DUR: 30 min

HOST/GUEST(S): Jessie King, Samara Bay, author

ISSUES: Interpersonal communications.

DESCRIPTION: Power of Presentation

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

DATE: 2/5/23

TIME: 3:30 pm

PROGRAM: 51 Percent

DUR: 30 min

HOST/GUEST(S): Jessie King, Nan Bauer-Maglin, editor

ISSUES: Love

DESCRIPTION: Looking for Love

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

DATE: 2/12/23

TIME: 3:30pm

PROGRAM: 51 Percent

DUR: 30 min

HOST/GUEST(S): Jessie King

ISSUES: Recycling, the economy

DESCRIPTION: Break and Repair Society

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

DATE: 2/19/23

TIME: 3:30

PROGRAM: 51 Percent

DUR: 30 min

HOST/GUEST(S): Jessie King, Charance Lusane, author

ISSUES: Various

DESCRIPTION: Discussion of the book Twenty Dollars and Change

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ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1st Quarter, 2023

DATE: 2/26/23

TIME: 3:30pm

PROGRAM: 51 Percent

DUR: 30 min

HOST/GUEST(S): Jessie King, Alisha Fernandez Miranda

ISSUES: Civil rights. The pay gap.

DESCRIPTION: The Path not taken

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1st Quarter, 2023

DATE: 3/5/23

TIME: 3:30 pm

PROGRAM: 51 Percent

DUR: 30 min

HOST/GUEST(S): Jessie King, Jennifer Herrera

ISSUES: Woman's rights.

DESCRIPTION: Discussion of Women's History Month

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1st Quarter, 2023

DATE: 3/12/23

TIME: 3:30pm

PROGRAM: 51 Percent

DUR: 30 min

HOST/GUEST(S): Jessie King, Dr Adelia Moore

ISSUES: Parenting

DESCRIPTION: Discussion of Parenting

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1st Quarter, 2023

DATE: 3/19/23

TIME: 3:30pm

PROGRAM: 51 Percent

DUR: 30 min

HOST/GUEST(S): Jessie King

ISSUES: Equal pay

DESCRIPTION: Bridging the Pay Gap

In addition to the above, WAPJ aired the following programs and segments during this quarter:

The 60min daily news program Democracy Now, aired Monday through Friday during the quarter.

Nutmeg Chatter, a locally produced 30 minute program which aired weekly at 1:00pm on Sundays and deal with arts and culture.

Making Contact, a 30 minute program aired weekly at 2pm on Sundays.

Earthwise, a 2 minute, daily program dealing with environmental and climate issues that ran 3-4 times each day, Monday through Friday during the quarter.

Birdnote, a 2-minute, daily program dealing with birds and nature that ran 3-4 times each day, Monday through Friday, during this quarter.

Sharon Audubon Report, a 2:30 weekly program dealing with nature and the environment that ran several times each day in November and December.

Star Date, a daily, 2 minute program dealing with astronomy ran daily throughout the quarter.

This Week in CT History, a 30 second daily segment dealing with the state's history aired throughout the quarter.