

WABI TV/DT1  
Quarterly Issues/Programs List  
July 2012 (for 2<sup>nd</sup> qtr, 2012)  
Compiled By Steve Hiltz, Program Director

TEENS/        5/19/12     IT JUST TAKES A SECOND  
SAFETY       7:00PM     30 MINUTES

Local public affairs program featuring discussion and scenario dramatization on the dangers of alcohol consumption by teenagers.

5/19/12     ONE FOR OVER THE LINE  
7:30PM     30 MINUTES

Local public affairs program that featured a 1998 educational video titled "One For Over The Line." The video depicts the tragic outcome of a teen's decision to drive while under the influence of alcohol. Local experts also discussed the issue in studio segments.

TEENS/        4/14/12     THE ROAD BACK  
HEALTH       7:00PM     60 MINUTES

**MEDIA ARTS**

Local public affairs program featuring an uninterrupted presentation of a dramatic short film addressing teen anxiety and depression. The production, The Road Back, was written and directed by Faith Bishop, a Hermon (Maine) High School student, and features students and other locals in the cast and crew. The film was shot in Hermon and Old Town, Maine. The program also included discussion of the subject matter with Ms. Bishop and primary members of the cast, and a local doctor who treats anxiety and depression.

CHARITY/        6/2/2012 CMN Telethon  
HEALTH        4:00pm     4 Hours

WABI TV was the local Children's Miracle Network Station, airing live segments and locally-produced taped content.

POLITICS  
Religion

4/8/12 FACE THE NATION  
10:30AM 60 MINS

Topics include: current positive state of religion and the Catholic Church in America; the current political controversy over President John F. Kennedy's 1960 speech to the Baptist Convention, stressing the importance of a separation between church and state / importance of religion in politics; issue regarding contraception insurance coverage for female employees at religiously affiliated institutions / belief that religion should not be too involved in politics and vice versa; assertion that Republican presidential candidate Mitt Romney's Mormon faith should not deter people from voting for him; his greatest challenge as a Catholic leader

HEALTH  
Medicine

5/20/12 60 MINUTES  
7:00PM 60 MINS

Topics included an interview with Dr. William Gahl, who runs the Undiagnosed Diseases Program at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Maryland. The program tries to diagnose illnesses which the best medical professionals have been unable to identify. Includes interviews with patients.

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LOCAL SPORTS	01/04/12 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bears hosted Vermont.
	02/03/12 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bears hosted Alabama-Huntsville.
	02/17/12 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bears hosted Massachusetts.
	01/07/12 UMaine Basketball 12:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college basketball, as the Maine Black Bear women hosted Univ Maryland Balt. Cty
NATIONAL SECURITY	01/29/12 60 Minutes 7:00pm 60 Minutes	<b>“Defense Secretary Panetta”</b> - an interview / profile of Secretary of Defense Leon Panetta. Among the topics of discussion are the potential response of the United States should Iran develop a nuclear weapon; and the elimination of Osama bin Laden when Panetta was head of the CIA, including his personal suspicion that someone in the Pakistani government knew of bin Laden’s presence there.

## HEALTH

01/08/12 60 Minutes  
7:00pm 60 Minutes

**“Stem Cell Fraud”** - a second report (see also “21st Century Snake Oil” OAD: 04/18/10) on the growing Internet trade in fake stem cell cures, where medical conmen are offering false hope for currently *incurable illnesses*. This report focuses on Dan Ecklund - an American doctor whose license has been revoked - and his Ecuador-based Stem Tech Labs.

## HEALTH

02/19/12 60 Minutes  
7:00pm 60 Minutes

**“Treating Depression”** - a report on the controversy over the claim by Harvard psychologist Irving Kirsch that the difference between the effect of a placebo and the effect of an antidepressant drug is minimal for most people. Also includes interviews with: Dr. Michael Thase, professor of psychiatry, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine; Dr. Walter Brown, clinical professor of psychiatry, Brown University Medical School; Dr. Tom Laughren, director of the FDA’s division of psychiatry products; Dr. Tim Kendall, psychiatrist. .

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LOCAL SPORTS	10/7/11 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bears hosted Merrimack.
	10/15/11 UMaine Football 1:00pm 3.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college football, as the Maine Black Bears hosted Rhode Island.
	11/19/11 High School Ftbll 11:00am 2 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of the Maine Class A High School State Championship.
	11/19/11 High School Ftbll 2:30pm 2 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of the Maine Class C High School State Championship.
	11/19/11 High School Ftbll 6:00pm 2 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of the Maine Class B High School State Championship.
RELIGION	12/4/11 CBS Culture & Religion: "Finding Common Ground"	A report focusing on how the interfaith movement has evolved over the years and become more mainstream, especially since the 9/11 terrorist attacks. Examples include: The work of the Chicago, Illinois based "Council for a Parliament of the World's Religions", which hosts the world's largest interreligious gathering and the "Interfaith Youth Core" (IFYC), a nonprofit organization based in Chicago, focuses on the notion that the most powerful common ground between all faith traditions is the inspiration to serve others.

POLITICS

11/12/11 CBS News :  
Republican Presidential  
Primary Debate  
8:00pm 60 mins

Live CBS News coverage of a debate  
between Republican candidates for U.S.  
President.

12/11/11 60 Minutes  
7:00pm 60 mins

An interview with President Barack Obama,  
recorded on December 6 in Osawatomie,  
Kansas, and on December 9 at the White  
House. Among the topics covered are: the  
economy; his leadership and his record; his  
prospects for reelection; the failure to reach  
an agreement on deficit reduction; his  
Republican challengers in the 2012 election.

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ARTS/CULTURE

8/26/11 6:00am	TV5 Morning News 150 minutes	WABI TV aired a special edition of its morning Newscast regarding the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
8/26/11 Noon	TV5 News at Noon 30 minutes	WABI TV aired a special edition of its Noon newscast, regarding the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
8/26/11 5:00pm	TV5 News at 5 60 minutes	WABI TV aired a special edition of its 5:00pm newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
8/26/11 6:00pm	TV5 News at 6 30 minutes	WABI TV aired a special edition of its 6:00pm newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.

ECONOMY            7/10/11    Face The Nation  
                         10:30AM    30 Minutes

Topics include: Proposed budget deal to raise the debt ceiling. President Obama's commitment to preserving retirement benefits such as Medicare and Social Security / pledge not to burden the elderly or middle class / examples of the repercussions of not raising the debt ceiling before August 2nd / speculation as to why Speaker of the House John Boehner backed away from a tentative deal. Also: call for a national discussion regarding the budget negotiations in order to keep the American public informed / contrasts between the budget plans of the Republicans and Democrats.

PUBLIC SAFETY    8/28/11    Face The Nation  
                         10:30AM    30 Minutes

- 1) Latest update from the National Hurricane Center on "Irene" -- recently downgraded from a hurricane to a tropical storm -- as it moves up the east coast of the United States
- 2) Current conditions in Long Beach, New York and New York City due to Tropical Storm Irene
- 3) A report from Ocean City, Maryland on the impact of Hurricane Irene
- 4) A report from the Outer Banks of North Carolina, where Hurricane Irene first made landfall

Children/Teen Issues    9/16/11    **48 HOURS SPECIAL: "Bullying: Words Can Kill"**  
                                 8:00PM    60 minutes

An investigation into bullying and how the explosion of social media technology is only making it worse, as victims cannot find relief from their tormentors in a 24/7 digital world. For six months, 48 HOURS producers and camera crews were allowed in-depth access to the classrooms, cafeteria and gym at a North Providence, Rhode Island middle school that is one of the few in the United States that has openly acknowledged it has a bullying problem and has taken action to address it. Featured on the broadcast are: (1) Johnny Cagno, a bullying victim who attempted suicide at age 14, and whose case was a wake-up to social workers at the Rhode Island school and where countless more stories of bullying were discovered. (2) The Bullycide Project, which tells the stories of over 150 children who have taken their lives, rather than take another day of bullying, and Kevin Epling, whose son Matt, was a bullycide victim; (3) Cynthia Logan, who recounts how her daughter Jessica Logan, an Ohio teen, committed suicide because of cyber-bullying; (4) Ohio teen, Dara Genovese, who was a bullying victim for seven years. Interviewed are: Rhode Island teens Aislyn Doer, Jacob Kaufman, Genesis Johnson, Alexa Papgiotis, Tyree Berdecia; Liz Vachon, social worker; Tonianne Moniz, Assistant Principal; Kevin and Tammy Epling; Cynthia Logan; Samantha Bruce, Jessica Logan's best friend; Sarah Ramsey, a Logan friend accused of torment; Dara Genovese and her mother Toni Genovese. (C: Tracy Smith - P: Deborah Grau, Judy Rybak)



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	5/21/11 7:30PM	ONE FOR OVER THE LINE 30 MINUTES	Local public affairs program that featured a 1998 educational video titled "One For Over The Line." The video depicts the tragic outcome of a teen's decision to drive while under the influence of alcohol. Local experts also discussed the issue in studio segments.
CHARITY/ HEALTH	6/4/2011 4:00pm	CMN Telethon 4 Hours	WABI TV was the local Children's Miracle Network Station, airing live segments and locally-produced taped content.
Community Events/Sports	4/16/2011 10:00am	Kenduskeag Canoe Race 2 Hours	WABI TV provided live coverage of Bangor's Kenduskeag Stream Canoe Race- an annual community event that attracts thousands of spectators, as well as race participants.
POLITICS Economy	4/10/11 10:30AM	FACE THE NATION 30 MINS	Topics include: compromise reached between President Obama and Congressional leaders, avoiding a government shutdown and including \$38 billion dollars in cuts to federal programs / Wisconsin Republican Rep Paul Ryan's budget plan.

POLITICS 5/12/11 The Early Show  
Economy 8:00am 60 MINS

The 8:00-9:00am hour of THE EARLY SHOW on CBS was devoted to a special town hall meeting on the economy with President Obama.

Children's 6/26/11 60 MINUTES  
Issues 7:00PM 60 MINS

A report on the impact of the economic recession on children, who are experiencing homelessness, hunger and poverty in record numbers.

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	01/28/11 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bears hosted Boston Univ.
	01/29/11 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bears hosted Boston Univ.
	02/20/11 UMaine Basketball 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college basketball, as the Maine Black Bear women hosted Vermont.
ECONOMY	02/20/11 Face The Nation 10:30am 30 Minutes	Topics included speculation that the Senate will not pass the \$61 billion in budget cuts approved in the House of Representatives; Criticism against Republicans from Representative Van Hollen over their proposed budget cuts / response from Representative Ryan
HEALTH	01/23/11 Face The Nation 10:30am 30 Minutes	Topics include: reaction to Senator McConnell's call for a vote on repealing health care / Senator Schumer's letter to Republican Representative Eric Cantor on the impact of repealing health care; commitment to focusing on spending cuts / reaction to possible cuts in cancer research.

HEALTH

01/02/11 60 Minutes

7:00pm 60 Minutes

**“Bad Medicine”** - an interview with Cheryl Eckard, a former quality control manager for GlaxoSmithKline, the pharmaceutical company. In 2002, she discovered numerous serious drug manufacturing flaws at a Glaxo plant in Cidra, Puerto Rico. She informed her superiors, but no corrections were implemented. Eight months later, she sent a detailed report of the ongoing problems to seven executives. Within weeks, she was dismissed, supposedly because of downsizing. She then turned the same information over to the FDA, and her lawyers filed suit under the federal whistleblower law. Glaxo pleaded guilty to a felony, and eventually paid \$750 million to settle the criminal conviction and Eckard's suit.

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	11/20/10 High School Ftbll 11:00am 2 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of the Maine Class B High School State Championship.
	11/20/10 High School Ftbll 2:24pm 2 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of the Maine Class A High School State Championship.
	11/20/10 High School Ftbll 5:54pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of the Maine Class C High School State Championship.
ARTS/CULTURE	12/18/10 Spirit of Christmas 7:00pm 1 Hour	WABI-TV aired a one-hour holiday special: <i>The Spirit of Christmas</i> – featuring traditional Christmas songs performed by local group the Al Corey Band. The program was Produced by students of the New England School of Communications at Husson College in Bangor.
	12/24/10 Spirit of Christmas 12:30am 1 Hour	A rebroadcast of the local holiday music special.
	12/25/10 Spirit of Christmas 5:00pm 1 Hour	A second rebroadcast of the local holiday music special.
ECONOMY	12/05/10 Face The Nation 10:30am 30 Minutes	Included discussion of and reactions to Senate vote against extending the Bush tax cuts for people earning \$250,000 or less, as well as President Obama's compromise on the Bush tax cuts / packaging of the unemployment benefits along with the tax cuts / perceived anger from the Democrats for what they see as "caving" by the White House.

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CHARITY/  
HEALTH

9/5/10-9/6/10 11:00pm-6:30pm	MDA Telethon 19.5 hours	WABI served as local affiliate for the Muscular Dystrophy Association Telethon. The station produced live local fundraising segment each hour from 11pm-to midnight on Sunday, and from 7:00am to 6:30pm on Monday.
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ARTS/CULTURE

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8/27/10 5:00pm	TV5 News at 5 60 minutes	WABI TV aired a special edition of its 5:00pm newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.

8/27/10 TV5 News at 6  
6:00pm 30 minutes

WABI TV aired a special edition of its 6:00pm newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.

SOCIAL  
ISSUES

7/25/10 Face The Nation  
10:30AM 30 Minutes

Roundtable discussion on "Race in America": removal of Agriculture Department employee Shirley Sherrod from her job on the basis of an out-of-context video snippet posted to a conservative website / Obama administration's handling of the incident / controversy over the Obama administration's decision to drop most of the charges against the New Black Panther Party for voter intimidation / comments made by Ms. Thernstrom, accusing conservatives on the U.S. Civil Rights Commission of partisanship / racist elements in the Tea Party / belief by many people that Barack Obama's election signified that America had entered a post-racial society

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TEENS/  
SAFETY      5/22/10      IT JUST TAKES A SECOND  
                 7:00PM      30 MINUTES

Local public affairs program featuring discussion and scenario dramatization on the dangers of alcohol consumption by teenagers.

                 5/22/10      ONE FOR OVER THE LINE  
                 7:30PM      30 MINUTES

Local public affairs program that featured a 1998 educational video titled "One For Over The Line." The video depicts the tragic outcome of a teen's decision to drive while under the influence of alcohol. Local experts also discussed the issue in studio segments.

CHARITY/  
HEALTH      6/5/2010 CMN Telethon  
                 Noon 8 Hours

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                 4/11/10 FACE THE NATION  
POLITICS      10:30AM 30 MINS  
SOCIAL ISSUES

Reasoning behind the Obama Administration's agreement with Russia regarding nuclear security and nonproliferation / clarification of the major change to U.S. nuclear strategy -- that the United States will not use nuclear weapons against a non-nuclear state that attacked using chemical and biological weapons -- and the rationale behind it.



5/9/10 FACE THE NATION  
PUBLIC SAFETY 10:30AM 30 Mins

Discovery that the Times Square bomber Faisal Shazad was working on behalf of the Tehrik-I-Taliban Pakistan (TTP), and not alone, as had originally been believed / update on the ongoing investigation in the United States and Pakistan / praise for the intelligence and human effort that goes into preventing terrorist attacks / speculation as to the motive behind Shazad's attempted attack / strengths and weaknesses of the current system in place for monitoring potential terrorists

6/27/10 60 MINUTES  
HEALTH 7:00PM 60 MINS

**"Fight For A Cure"** - a report on epilepsy, a brain disorder affecting nearly three million Americans and which may not be getting the research and funding it deserves. President Obama's senior advisor David Axelrod and his wife, Susan, talk about their oldest daughter, Lauren, who was diagnosed with epilepsy. Susan and two other mothers started CURE, a nonprofit organization to raise awareness and fund innovative epilepsy research. Also interviewed: Dr. Frances Jensen of Children's Hospital in Boston; Captain Pat Horan, a veteran who developed epilepsy after sustaining head injuries in Baghdad, and his wife, Patty; Monica Lovelace, an epilepsy patient who is part of a clinical trial at California Pacific Medical Center in San Francisco; and Dr. Peter Weber, a neurosurgeon who is treating Monica. (C: Katie Couric - P: Kyra Darnton) (OAD: 10/25/09)

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	02/06/10 UMaine basketball 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college basketball, as the Maine Black Bear men hosted Binghamton.
	02/21/10 UMaine Bsktball Noon 2 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college basketball, as the Maine Black Bear men hosted Hartford.
	02/06/10 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bear men hosted UNH.
	02/20/10 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bear men hosted UMass-Lowell.

MILITARY/DEFENSE 03/21/10 FACE THE NATION  
10:30AM 30 MINS

Topics included: strategy in Afghanistan, / the need to focus attention on al Qaeda and to ensure that neither Afghanistan or Pakistan can serve as a safe haven / the obligation to work with Pakistan and Afghanistan on both a military level and on a diplomatic level, as well as through aid assistance and development,

PRIVACY/SECURITY 03/28/10 60 MINUTES  
7:00PM 60 MINS

**"The Internet Is Infected"** - a report on computer viruses, focussing specifically on the feared Conficker Worm. Proliferating on the Internet and infecting PC's, these malicious programs enable hackers and cyber gangs -- often young, male, and from Russia -- to learn the information they need to electronically rob bank accounts. Interviewed: Steve Trilling, Vice President at Symantec, the company that makes Norton anti-virus software; Mary Rappaport, victim of a computer virus that transferred funds out of her bank account; Vint Cerf, one of the founding fathers of the Internet and now a Vice President at Google; Don Jackson, director of threat intelligence at SecureWorks in Atlanta, which protects corporations against cyber-attacks and tracks the hackers who launch them; Louie Pelaez, a network engineer at CBS.

HEALTH/DIET 03/14/10 60 MINUTES  
7:00PM 60 MINS

**"Alice Waters"** - an interview with Alice Waters, who has been cooking and preaching the virtues of fresh food grown in an environmentally friendly way for decades. Waters has become famous for her "slow food" approach, an antidote to fast food. Also interviewed: San Francisco Mayor Gavin Newsom; and John Lagier, farmer.

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HEALTH	11/1/09 60 Minutes 7:00pm 1 Hour	A report on concerns about the effectiveness- and safety – of the H1N1 Flu Virus.

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8/28/09 TV5 News at 6  
6:00pm 30 minutes

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NATIONAL  
SECURITY

7/5/09 Face The Nation  
10:30AM 30 Minutes

Topics included: the U.S. counterinsurgency strategy in Afghanistan and its impact on the current situation in that country / reaction to a recent article in The Washington Post that commanders are unable to request more troops / importance of economic progress in stabilizing Afghanistan; removal of American troops from certain cities in Iraq / commitment to keeping troops levels intact, in order to provide security for upcoming elections and then the eventual drawdown; North Korea's threat to shoot a mid-range missile towards Hawaii / yesterday's firing of seven missiles -- a violation of the United Nations Security Council resolution / need for the international community to continue to bring pressure and unite against those actions / the Kang Nam's -- the Korean ship containing suspicious cargo -- decision to turn back towards North Korea; renewal of a military relationship with Russia / Russia's concern over the U.S. anti-ballistic missile system in Eastern Europe; reaction to Vice President Joe Biden's statement that the United States is powerless should Israel decide to launch a strike to stop Iran's nuclear capability / concern over Iran's decision to continue to state sponsor terrorism and develop nuclear weapons; positive progress made by the Pakistani government against the Taliban

ECONOMY 8/2/09 Face The Nation  
10:30AM 180 Minutes

Topics included: current state of the economy with regards to recovery -- is the recession over? / need to get the federal deficit under control by implementing a substantial reform of the health care system / President Obama's commitment to not increasing taxes for middle-income Americans / pledge to work with Congress to make sure that unemployment insurance benefits are extended if necessary / support for the stimulus package as a positive and significant impact on the economy

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CHARITY/ HEALTH	5/30/2009 Noon 8 Hours	CMN Telethon	WABI TV was the local Children's Miracle Network Station, airing live segments, mixed with some national taped pieces, and other locally-produced taped content. The local segments included telethon fundraising, as well as profiles of local families helped by the CMN.
ECONOMY	4/5/09 10:30AM	FACE THE NATION 30 MINS	Topics included: current unemployment rate of 8.5% and whether or not a rise will necessitate the request for another stimulus from Congress / encouraging signs indicating possible economic recovery; recent forced removal of Rick Wagoner as CEO of General Motors (GM) / idea of a managed bankruptcy for GM / President Barack Obama's commitment to restructuring the auto industry; reaction to the criticism that the Obama Administration is being tougher on the automotive industry than it is on financial institutions / plan to create public-private partnerships to purchase toxic assets, allowing banks to raise equity and start lending again / response to the claim that Secretary Geithner is unaware as to

exactly how much money from the TARP fund has been funneled to the banks / ongoing commitment to transparency; refutation of a Washington Post article claiming that the Treasury Department is working on an arrangement which would allow banks and their executives to evade the limits set forth by Congress concerning executive compensation

4/19/09 60 MINUTES  
7:00PM 60 MINS

**"401K Recession"** - recent losses in the stock market are drawing attention to the shortcomings of a retirement system that has jeopardized the financial security of millions: 401(k)s. Originally they were planned as a savings plan to supplement Social Security and pensions and were never created to be the mainstay of workers' retirements, but became just that -- effectively replacing pension funds. Interviewed are: investors Alan Weir, Kathleen Coleman, Terry and Donna McNally; David Wray, President, Profit Sharing/401k Council of America and lobbyist; Brooks Hamilton; and Rep. George Miller (D-CA). (C: Steve Kroft - P: Ira Rosen)

7/7/09 60 MINUTES  
7:00PM 60 MINS

**"The Chairman"** - in a rare interview with a sitting Federal Reserve Chairman, the first in twenty years, Ben Bernanke talks about what went wrong with America's financial system, how it caused the current economic crisis, what the Federal Reserve is doing to help fix it and when he expects the crippling recession to end.

CHARITY/HEALTH 5/3/09 CBS RELIGIOUS AND CULTURAL SPECIAL  
Noon 30 Minutes

**"Poverty: A Time For Sharing"** - A presentation and discussion on poverty in Africa, Asia, and Latin America and how Protestant, Catholic and Mennonite Christians, Jews and Muslims -- all sharing a common thread of responding to immediate need and empowering indigenous peoples so they can control their own lives -  
- serve the poor and confront world poverty.  
1) In Africa, a poor child dies of malaria every thirty seconds. Rick Reilly, sports columnist; Elizabeth McKee Gore of the UN Foundation; and Bishop Thomas Bickerton of the United Methodist Church, discuss "Nothing But Nets" -- a grassroots campaign to save lives by raising awareness and funds to purchase and distribute bed



nets and save lives. 2) American Jewish World Service works with 400 non-governmental grassroots groups in 36 countries. President Ruth Messinger discusses working on behalf of underprivileged children in India and volunteer Julia Kaminsky speaks of her work in El Salvador. 3) Arli Klassen, Executive Director of the Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) presents a mobile health clinic in Laos; and Jim Bowman, former MCC representative in Kenya describes how building a dam provides a Kenyan village with drinking water in the dry spell. The work of the MCC -- across 66 countries -- stresses service to the poor and non-violence in all conflicts. 4) Islamic Relief (IR) serves the world's poor in 35 countries. Natasha Issak, a fundraiser; and operations manager Yousef Abdallah, discuss training programs set up in Afghanistan to empower the enormous number of widows and orphans created by decades of war. IR's work at a refugee camp in Sudan is also described. 5) Annemarie Reilly, chief of staff of Catholic Relief Services (CRS), the worldwide relief arm of the U.S. Catholic Church, describes CRS work in response to the 2004 tsunami in Indonesia; ongoing work in Ethiopia; working with Mother Teresa's Missionaries of Charity; and the holistic approach used to serve HIV positive people in Zambia. (Producer & Narrator: Ted Holmes. Associate Producer: Mary Catherine Brouder. Executive Producer & Director: John P. Blessington. Produced in consultation with: National Council of Churches; United States Conference of Catholic Bishops; Islamic Society of North America; Union for Reform Judaism; New York Board of Rabbis.)

5/3/09 FACE THE NATION  
 HEALTHCARE 10:30AM 30 mins

Topics include: current situation in the United States with regards to the new Influenza A(H1N1) strain (swine flu) / support for the response by the U.S. Government to the outbreak / belief that prior research and planning will hopefully minimize the impact / goal to have a vaccine by the Fall of 2009 / definition of pandemic / steps for people to take to contain the spread of this disease

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LOCAL SPORTS	01/16/09 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college Hockey, as the Maine Black Bears hosted Bentley
	01/17/09 UMaine basketball 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college basketball, as the Maine Black Bear men hosted Albany.
	02/15/09 UMaine Bsktball Noon 2 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college basketball, as the Maine Black Bear women hosted UMBC.
	02/13/09 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bear men hosted BU.
	02/14/09 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bear men hosted BU.
ECONOMY	03/01/09 FACE THE NATION 10:30AM 30 MINS	Topics included: whether or not President Barack Obama is going to approve the spending bill, which contains 9,000 earmarks -- something he campaigned against; reaction to Newt Gingrich's characterization of President Obama's budget as an effort to remake America into a more left-wing country with a bigger government / support and breakdown of the budget

## ECONOMY

03/22/09 FACE THE NATION

10:30AM 30 MINS

Topics included: the recently passed 90% tax on bonuses paid by American International Group, Inc. (AIG) to their executives / outrage expressed by Americans beyond the Beltway -- unable to understand why AIG, a recipient of federal bailout money, awarded bonuses / opposition to retention bonuses;

## MILITARY/DEFENSE 03/29/09 FACE THE NATION

10:30AM 30 MINS

Topics included: new strategy in Afghanistan, calling for 22,000 more troops and an increase in spending by 60% / the need to refocus attention on al Qaeda and to ensure that neither Afghanistan or Pakistan can serve as a safe haven / troubling situation in Pakistan / the obligation to work with Pakistan and Afghanistan on both a military level and on a diplomatic level, as well as through aid assistance and development,

## PRIVACY/SECURITY 03/29/09 60 MINUTES

7:00PM 60 MINS

**"The Internet Is Infected"** - a report on computer viruses, focussing specifically on the feared Conficker Worm. Proliferating on the Internet and infecting PC's, these malicious programs enable hackers and cyber gangs -- often young, male, and from Russia -- to learn the information they need to electronically rob bank accounts. Interviewed: Steve Trilling, Vice President at Symantec, the company that makes Norton anti-virus software; Mary Rappaport, victim of a computer virus that transferred funds out of her bank account; Vint Cerf, one of the founding fathers of the Internet and now a Vice President at Google; Don Jackson, director of threat intelligence at SecureWorks in Atlanta, which protects corporations against cyber-attacks and tracks the hackers who launch them; Louie Pelaez, a network engineer at CBS.

HEALTH/DIET 03/15/09 60 MINUTES  
7:00PM 60 MINS

**"Alice Waters"** - an interview with Alice Waters, who has been cooking and preaching the virtues of fresh food grown in an environmentally friendly way for decades. A world-class restaurant -  
- Chez Panisse in Berkeley, California -- and eight cookbooks to her credit, Waters has become famous for her "slow food" approach, an antidote to fast food. Also interviewed: San Francisco Mayor Gavin Newsom; and John Lagier, farmer.

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LOCAL SPORTS	9/27/08 UMaine Ftbl 6:00pm 3 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college football, as the Maine Black Bears hosted James Madison
	11/22/08 High School Ftbl 11:00am 2 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of the Maine Class A High School State Championship.
	11/22/08 High School Ftbl 2:24pm 3 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of the Maine Class C High School State Championship.
	11/22/08 High School Ftbl 5:54pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of the Maine Class B High School State Championship.
ARTS/CULTURE	12/21/08 Spirit of Christmas 7:00pm 1 Hour	WABI-TV produced a one-hour holiday special: <i>The Spirit of Christmas</i> – featuring traditional Christmas songs performed by local groups of singers..
	12/24/08 Spirit of Christmas 12:30am 1 Hour	A rebroadcast of the local holiday music special.
	12/25/08 Spirit of Christmas 5:00am 1 Hour	A second rebroadcast of the local holiday music special.
POLITICS/SOCIETY	11/16/08 60 Minutes 7:00pm 1 Hour	An interview with President-Elect Barack Obama and his wife about his historic election victory.

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CHARITY/ HEALTH	8/31/08-9/1/08	MDA Telethon	WABI served as local affiliate for the Muscular Dystrophy Association Telethon. The station produced live local fundraising segment each hour from 11pm-to midnight on Sunday, and from 7:00ma to 6:30pm on Monday.
	11:00pm-6:30pm	19.5 hours	
ARTS/CULTURE	8/22/08	American Folk Festival	WABI TV was live at the site of Bangor's annual American Folk Festival, with a special one-hour program that profiled the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
	7:00pm	60 minutes	
	8/22/08	TV5 Morning News	WABI TV aired a special edition of its morning newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
	6:00am	120 minutes	
	8/22/08	TV5 News at Noon	WABI TV aired a special edition of its Noon newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
	Noon	30 minutes	
	8/22/08	TV5 Morning News	WABI TV aired a special edition of its 5:00pm newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront.
	5:00pm	60 minutes	

			Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
	8/22/08 6:00pm	TV5 Morning News 30 minutes	WABI TV aired a special edition of its 6:00pm newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
LOCAL SPORTS	9/13/08 6:00pm	UM Football 180 Minutes	Live coverage of local college football as the University of Maine Black Bears hosted Stony Brook. The program promotes community athletics and the state University.
	9/27/08 6:00pm	UM Football 180 Minutes	Live coverage of local college football as the University of Maine Black Bears hosted James Madison University. The program promotes community athletics and the state University.
POLITICS	9/7/08 6:00pm	Face The Nation 180 Minutes	Interview with Presidential candidate Senator John McCain regarding issues related to the campaign.
	9/7/08 6:00pm	Face The Nation 180 Minutes	Interview with Presidential candidate Senator Barack Obama regarding issues related to the campaign.

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TEENS/  
SAFETY      5/24/08      IT JUST TAKES A SECOND  
                 7:00PM      30 MINUTES

Local public affairs program featuring discussion and scenario dramatization on the dangers of alcohol consumption by teenagers.

5/24/08      ONE FOR OVER THE LINE  
7:30PM      30 MINUTES

Local public affairs program that featured a 1998 educational video titled "One For Over The Line." The video depicts the tragic outcome of a teen's decision to drive while under the influence of alcohol. Local experts also discussed the issue in studio segments.

CHARITY/  
HEALTH      5/31/08 CMN Telethon  
                 Noon 8 Hours

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POLITICS      6/29/08 FACE THE NATION  
                 10:30AM 30 MINS

Interviews with Senator Joe Lieberman and General Wesley Clark, supporters of Presidential candidates John McCain (R) and Barack Obama (D) respectively. Each presented his individual case for his candidate of choice.



HEALTH 6/15/08 60 MINUTES  
7:00PM 60 MINS

“The Science of Sleep.” Studies linking sleep deprivation to several serious medical conditions, including diabetes, obesity, and heart disease.

FINANCE 05/25/08 60 MINUTES  
7:00PM 60 MINS

“House of Cards.” A report on the U.S. sub-prime mortgage crisis.

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LOCAL SPORTS	01/05/08 UMaine Bsktball 7:00pm 2 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college basketball, as the Maine Black Bears hosted UMBC.
	01/26/08 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bear men hosted Boston College.
	02/02/08 UMaine Bsktball Noon 2 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college basketball, as the Maine Black Bears hosted Binghamton.
	02/08/08 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bear men hosted UNH.
	02/09/08 UMaine Hockey 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bear men hosted UNH.
IRAQ	03/23/08 FACE THE NATION 10:30AM 30 MINS	Interviews with Seantors Lindsey Graham and Jack Reed  regarding the current status of Iraq, troop withdrawal concerns, the cost of staying, and predictions on outcome of withdrawal.

POLITICS/GOVERNMENT 03/02/08 FACE THE NATION

10:30am 30 mins

Interviews with Senators  
Christopher Dodd and Evan  
Bayh on Democratic  
Presidential candidates  
Obama and Clinton.  
Discussion of their  
credentials, qualifications and  
campaign tactics.

03/09/08 60 Minutes

7:00pm 60 Mins

Interview/profile of  
Republican Presidential Bayh  
candidates John McCain.

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LOCAL SPORTS	10/13/07 UMaine Ftbll 6:00pm 3 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college football, as the Maine Black Bears hosted William & Mary.
	10/19/07 UMaine Ftbll 7:00pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of local college ice hockey, as the Maine Black Bear men hosted Merrimack.
	11/17/07 High School Ftbll 11:00am 2 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of the Maine Class A High School State Championship.
	11/17/07 High School Ftbll 2:24pm 3 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of the Maine Class C High School State Championship.
	11/17/07 High School Ftbll 5:54pm 2.5 Hours	WABI produced a live telecast of the Maine Class B High School State Championship.
ARTS/CULTURE	12/22/07 Spirit of Christmas 7:00pm 1 Hour	WABI-TV produced a one-hour holiday special: <i>The Spirit of Christmas</i> – featuring traditional Christmas songs performed by local groups of singers..
	12/24/07 Spirit of Christmas 12:30am 1 Hour	A rebroadcast of the local holiday music special.
	12/25/07 Spirit of Christmas 5:00am 1 Hour	A second rebroadcast of the local holiday music special.

POLITICS/GOVERNMENT 12/2/07 FACE THE NATION  
10:30am 30 mins

Interview with Presidential candidate John McCain who discussed the campaign and issues related to the Presidential race. Also a report on the Democratic race between frontrunners Hillary Clinton and Barack Obama.

HEALTH

11/11/07 60 Minutes  
7:00pm 1 Hour

A report on so-called "Superbugs" – a form of staph that has become resistant to most antibiotics. Included a discussion of efforts to control the spread of this unusual, potentially dangerous phenomenon.

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CHARITY/ HEALTH	9/2/07-9/3/07 9:00pm-6:30pm	MDA Telethon 21.5 hours	WABI served as local affiliate for the Muscular Dystrophy Association Telethon. The station produced live local fundraising segment each hour from 9pm-to midnight on Sunday, and from 7:00ma to 6:30pm on Monday.
ARTS/CULTURE	8/24/07 7:00pm	American Folk Festival 60 minutes	WABI TV was live at the site of Bangor's annual American Folk Festival, with a special one-hour program that profiled the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
	8/24/07 6:00am	TV5 Morning News 120 minutes	WABI TV aired a special edition of its morning newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
	8/24/07 Noon	TV5 News at Noon 30 minutes	WABI TV aired a special edition of its Noon newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
	8/24/07 5:00pm	TV5 Morning News 60 minutes	WABI TV aired a special edition of its 5:00pm newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront.

Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.

8/24/07 TV5 Morning News  
6:00pm 30 minutes

WABI TV aired a special edition of its 6:00pm newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.

LOCAL SPORTS

9/22/07 UM Football  
2:30PM 180 Minutes

Live coverage of local college football as the University of Maine Black Bears hosted the UMass Minutemen. The program promotes community athletics and the state University.

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TEENS/  
SAFETY      5/26/07      IT JUST TAKES A SECOND  
                 7:00PM      30 MINUTES

Local public affairs program featuring discussion and scenario dramatization on the dangers of alcohol consumption by teenagers.

5/26/07      ONE FOR OVER THE LINE  
7:30PM      30 MINUTES

Local public affairs program that featured a 1998 educational video titled "One For Over The Line." The video depicts the tragic outcome of a teen's decision to drive while under the influence of alcohol. Local experts also discussed the issue in studio segments.

CHARITY/  
HEALTH      6/2/07 CMN Telethon  
                 Noon 8 Hours

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6/03/07 FACE THE NATION  
NATIONAL SECURITY 10:30AM

The arrest of three suspected terrorists and their plan to set off an explosion at JFK Airport. Discussion of immigration and immigration reform. President Bush's Immigration reform proposal.



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POLITICS/WAR	03/11/07	FACE THE NATION	10:30AM	30 Minutes	Reaction to President Bush's request today for another 8,200 troops for Iraq and Afghanistan
PRIVACY/SECURITY	03/11/07	FACE THE NATION	10:30AM	30 Minutes	Discussion on concerns that the FBI is abusing its powers under the Patriot Act / invasion of the privacy of phone and e-mail records; whether or not Lewis "Scooter" Libby should be pardoned
SPORTS	3/23/07	Maine Hockey Play-off	6:30PM	2.5 Hours	Live coverage of University of Maine men's ice hockey team's play in the NCAA Div I championship play-offs (game 1)
	3/24/07	Maine Hockey Play-off	4:00PM	2.5 Hours	Live coverage of University of Maine men's ice hockey team's play in the NCAA Div I championship play-offs (game 2)

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POLITICS/FINANCES 10/18/06 TABOR DEBATE  
7:00pm 1 Hour

WABI presented a live one-hour debate on the proposed Maine Taxpayer Bill of Rights (TABOR) referendum.

ARTS/CULTURE 12/23/06 Spirit of Christmas  
7:00pm 1 Hour

WABI-TV produced a one-hour holiday special: *The Spirit of Christmas* – featuring traditional Christmas songs performed by local groups of singers..

12/25/06 Spirit of Christmas  
5:00am 1 Hour

A rebroadcast of the local holiday music special.

POLITICS/GOVERNMENT GUBERNATORIAL FORUM  
7:30pm 1 Hour

Taped forum featuring the candidates for Maine Governor, answering common questions related to their goals for the office and the state, and other election related issues.

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CHARITY/ HEALTH	9/3/06-9/4/06    MDA Telethon 9:00pm-6:30pm    21.5 hours	WABI served as local affiliate for the Muscular Dystrophy Association Telethon. The station produced live local fundraising segment each hour from 9pm-to midnight on Sunday, and from 7:00ma to 6:30pm on Monday.
ARTS/CULTURE	8/25/06    American Folk Festival 7:00pm    60 minutes	WABI TV was live at the site of Bangor's annual American Folk Festival, with a special one-hour program that profiled the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
	8/25/06    TV5 Morning News 6:00am    120 minutes	WABI TV aired a special edition of its morning newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.
	8/25/06    TV5 News at Noon Noon    30 minutes	WABI TV aired a special edition of its Noon newscast, live from the site of the American Folk Festival, on the Bangor Waterfront. Included profiles of the multi-cultural events, musical acts, and food and fun of the event.

8/25/06 TV5 Morning News WABI TV aired a special  
5:00pm 60 minutes edition of its 5:00pm  
newscast, live from the site of  
the American Folk Festival,  
on the Bangor Waterfront.  
Included profiles of the  
multi-cultural events, musical  
acts, and food and fun of the  
event.

8/25/06 TV5 Morning News WABI TV aired a special  
6:00pm 30 minutes edition of its 6:00pm  
newscast, live from the site of  
the American Folk Festival,  
on the Bangor Waterfront.  
Included profiles of the  
multi-cultural events, musical  
acts, and food and fun of the  
event.

POLITICS/WAR

8/20/06 Face The Nation  
10:30am 30 Minutes  
Included an in-depth  
discussion with  
Senator Joseph Lieberman  
regarding his support of the  
war in Iraq, his assessment of  
the situation in the country of  
Iraq, and other issues related  
to the Iraq War.

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TEENS/            5/27/06      ONE FOR OVER THE LINE  
SAFETY            7:00PM      30 MINUTES

Local public affairs program that featured a 1998 educational video titled "One For Over The Line." The video was produced by WABI-TV with cooperation from local and state law enforcement agencies, emergency services, hospitals and local high school students. The video depicts the tragic outcome of a teen's decision to drive while under the influence of alcohol. Local experts also discussed the issue in studio segments.

CHARITY/            6/3/06 CMN Telethon  
HEALTH            Noon 8 Hours

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PRIVACY/            5/14/06 FACE THE NATION  
NATIONAL SECURITY   10:30AM

Interview with Stephen Hadley about: reports that the National Security Agency was eavesdropping without court orders on some telephone calls coming into and out of this country involving people suspected of having terrorist ties/the legality of the terrorist

surveillance program/the  
inclusion of some  
domestic-to-domestic  
calls/Gen. Michael  
Hayden's confirmation  
hearings following his  
nomination to head the  
CIA; President Bush's  
upcoming speech on  
immigration/the  
possibility that National  
Guard troops will be  
stationed on the U.S.  
border

2) Interview with Sen.  
Arlen Specter and Rep.  
Jane Harman about:  
reaction to Stephen  
Hadley's  
statements/charge that  
Congress has not been  
properly briefed about  
the surveillance program  
and that court warrants  
are needed/proposed  
legislation giving the  
Foreign Intelligence  
Surveillance Court  
authority to rule on the  
constitutionality of the  
program/hearings  
involving the three  
telephone companies

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PUBLIC SAFETY	01/01/06	Face The Nation	Interviews with New Orleans Mayor Ray Nagin and former Representative Newt Gingrich about disaster preparedness in the wake of the hurricane Katrina disaster.
	10:30am	30 minutes	
	01/22/06	Face The Nation	Interviews with Senators Pat Roberts and Joseph Lieberman about Osama bin Laden's threat of attacks inside the U.S. and the nation's preparedness in the event or terrorist attack.
	10:30am	30 minutes	
ENVIRONMENT	2/19/06	60 MINUTES	A look at mounting evidence that humans are contributing to "global warming" and potentially devastating effects on the world environment.
	7:00pm	60 minutes	
HEALTH	1/1/06	Face The Nation	Interview with Dr. Julie Gerberding about the threat of avian flu, including preparedness for a pandemic and advice for individuals and families in response to the threat.
	10:30am	30 Minutes	

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**CHARITY/  
HEALTH**

**10/29/05 Follow Up**  
**6:00pm 12 minutes**

Gene Staffiere, Regional Director for the March of Dimes, discussed the organization's local fundraising efforts, the mission of the organization, and education for those thinking about having babies.

**HEALTHCARE**

**11/27/05 Follow Up**  
**6:00pm 13 minutes**

Lizz Sinclair and Dr. Geoffrey Gratwick of the Maine Humanities Council discussed the Council's "Literature and Medicine" program -how the program began; its goals in helping healthcare providers become more humane and to improve patient care.

**PUBLIC  
SAFETY**

**10/30/2005 Follow Up**  
**6:00pm 12 minutes**

Jason Johnson, Public Safety Officer for the Bangor Fire Department, discussed heating safety, including the proper installation and operation of woodstoves, proper use of space heaters and generators, and the safe use of candles.

**ENERGY  
CONSERVATION**

**11/13/2005 Follow Up**  
**6:00pm 12 minutes**

Denis Bergeron, of "Efficiency Maine" Discussed the project and its goals, as well as specific energy concerns and solutions, such as energy saving light bulbs for the home, and energy conserving and money-saving ideas for Maine businesses.



## **IRAQ WAR**

**10/02/2005 Face The Nation**  
**10:30am 30 Minutes**

Included an in-depth discussion with Gen. John Abizaid about: his response to negative reports concerning progress in the buildup of Iraqi security forces/efforts to put in place a political-military strategy that will involve various factions in the formation of an Iraq government/setting a timetable for the withdrawal of U.S. troops from Iraq/the danger posed by the infiltration of foreign fighters coming through Syria/charge that insurgent forces are gaining in strength

## **POLITICS**

**10/30/2005 Face The Nation**  
**10:30am 30 Minutes**

Discussions related to current events and the affects on the government.  
1) Interviews with Senators Lindsey Graham and Charles Schumer about: the impact on the disclosure of Valerie Plame's identity as a CIA operative /what adjustments the White House must make so that President Bush can govern for the next three years/the failure to indict Karl Rove/the involvement of Vice President Cheney; the withdrawal of Harriet Miers nomination to the Supreme Court/filling the vacancy/the possibility of a filibuster  
2) Roundtable discussion about: changes in the Bush White House/the anticipated announcement of a new Supreme Court nominee/the possibility that the nominee will be confirmed.

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**CHARITY**

8/28/05 Follow Up  
6:00pm 12 minutes

Mel Strom of Waterville's Super Wal-Mart discussed The store's support of MDA of Maine with specific discussion focused to the store's planned activities during Labor Day weekend -- coordinated with WABI-TV's live telecast of this years MDA telethon

9/4/05-9/5/05 MDA Telethon  
9:00pm-6:30pm 21.5 Hours

WABI-TV aired the annual MDA Telethon, which also included relief efforts for the gulf coast in the wake of the Hurricane Katrina catastrophe. WABI-TV's MDA coverage also included local segments from the station's Bangor studios, and from other offsite locations in the viewing area where fundraising activities were underway.

**SENIORS**

9/4/05 Follow Up  
6:00pm 12 minutes

Stan Marshall, President of Penobscot Valley Senior College was joined by PVSC student Mary Jane Pierce to discuss the new semester. Included discussion of new classes, information on class schedules, fees and instructors, and the educational and social benefits of taking classes at the school.

**NATURE.  
CONSERVATION**

7/10/2005 Follow Up  
6:00pm 13 minutes

Patrick McGowan, Commissioner of the Maine Department of Conservation, discussed State Parks and Land Use issues, including recent improvements at state

parks, state budget issues,  
development plans for the  
North Woods, and the  
progress on a Land Use  
report due from a task force  
in September.

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POLITICS

4/24/05 Follow Up  
6:00pm 13 minutes

University of Maine professor and author Richard Powell discussed his recent book on Maine's Representative Term Limits. Included discussion of how the term limits came to be and what their effect has been, as well as the potential for changes to the current law.

CRIME

4/17/05 Follow Up  
6:00pm 12 minutes

Penobscot County Sheriff Glenn Ross discussed the growing threat of "identity theft" and how Mainers might be effected. Included information on how to protect oneself from ID theft, and what to do if victimized, as well as information on an upcoming local forum on ID theft.

ATHLETICS/  
EDUCATION

5/22/05 Follow Up  
6:00pm 13 minutes

University of Maine professor and author Sue Estler discussed her recent book, "Who Calls The Shots," which delves into issues related to athletics and academics on college campuses. Discussion included challenges faced by collegiate athletic programs, the battle between athletic and academic forces on campus, how Title IX has affected collegiate sports, and her views on what college leaders can do to improve athletic programs.

## CHILDREN

4/03/05 Follow Up  
6:00pm 13 minutes

Ellie Goldberg, Director of Maine Children's Alliance, paid her annual visit to discuss the "Kids Count" report. She provided an update on how Maine's children are doing in relation to social, economic, and health issues, and discussed what "is working" to help Maine children, as well as her views on what Maine could do to improve children's lives.

5/29/05 Follow Up  
6:00pm 13 minutes

Bill Arata, a board member of "Dreams For Maine Kids," discussed the new organization, which helps make dreams come true for ill children. Discussion included the goals of the program, dreams that the organization has already made come true, how families may request assistance from the organization, and organization funding.

## ARTS/ CULTURE

6/12/05 Follow Up  
6:00pm 12 minutes

Heather McCarthy, Director of Bangor's American Folk Festival, discussed this year's upcoming Festival. Discussion included the differences between the new locally-operated Festival and the previous years' National Folk Festival, some of the musical acts that will appear this year, and the need for volunteers to assist in various capacities at this year's festival.

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POLITICS	1/16/05	Face The Nation	Massachusetts Senator
	10:30am	30 minutes	Edward Kennedy and
			Washington Post reporter
			Dan Balz discussed the
			Inauguration of President
			Bush and presented their
			perspective on the president's
			second term of office.
IRAQ WAR/ CULTURE	1/30/05	Face The Nation	U.S. Secretary of State
	10:30am	30 minutes	Condoleeza Rice
			Discussed recent
			developments in Iraq,
			including the Iraqi election
			and ongoing battles against
			insurgents in the region.
SOCIAL SECURITY/	2/20/05	Face The Nation	South Carolina Senator
	10:30am	30 minutes	Lindsey Graham and New
			York Senator Hillary Clinton
			discussed issues related to
			Social Security, including the
			president's proposed Social
			Security plan and their
			reactions to the plan.

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**ECONOMY/  
LIFESTYLE**

10/20/04 Maine Tax Cap Debate

8:00pm 60 minutes

TV5 New Anchor Jim Morris Moderates a debate between representatives on opposing sides of the proposed Statewide 1% Maine Property Tax Cap. The program airs live from the station's Bangor studios.

**SPORTS/  
CULTURE**

10/9/04

Portraits

6:30pm 30 mins.

TV5 camera crews spend time with University of Maine men's ice hockey coach Tim Whitehead – both on and of the ice. This "Portrait" includes interviews with the coach, some of his players, and family members, for an exclusive look at the person behind the popular and successful Maine hockey program.

**CHILDREN**

12/10/04 SANTA & HIS FRIENDS

7:00pm 30 minutes

This local WABI TV5 production takes children on visits with Santa Claus "via satellite" at his North Pole headquarters. Santa and his puppet friends entertain with holiday songs and skits, and the program also features "Letters to Santa" and readings from "Santa's list of Good Boys & Girls." Local elementary school choirs also performed. Three episodes were produced for air on TV5.

12/17/04 SANTA & HIS FRIENDS Episode 2 of WABI TV5's  
7:00pm 30 minutes local children's show.

12/24/04 SANTA & HIS FRIENDS Final episode of WABI TV5's  
7:00pm 30 minutes local children's show.



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BUSINESS

7/11/04 FOLLOW UP  
6:15 pm 13 minutes

Jeff Butland, Regional Administrator of the Small Business Association, addressed the topic of Small Business in Maine. Discussion included the concerns for small business owners in the state, how the SBA can assist small business owners, and Maine small business success stories.

HEALTH/  
COMMUNITY

8/8/04 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 12 minutes

Local Muscular Dystrophy Association clients, Kiki and Corey Atwood, discussed the upcoming MDA Telethon. Corey is afflicted with one of the many muscular diseases, which has confined him to a wheelchair. The family discussed how MD has affected their lives, why the local telethon is so important, new information on research and medication, and Corey's school life.

8/29/04 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 12 minutes

Laurie Cray of the local Palmyra, Maine Wal-Mart, and country music artist Debbie Myers discussed their participation in fundraising for MDA of Maine, specific to the upcoming telethon. Included discussion of fundraising events scheduled at Wal-Mart during the telethon, and the importance of the telethon as a local fundraiser.

9/5/2004 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 13 minutes

Ed Rice, Founder of the local annual "Run For Hope" event, and Ambie Hayes-Crosbie, of Cancer Care of Maine, discussed the upcoming running / fundraising event. Included the race's history ("The Terry Fox Run"), and how money raised stays in the local community for cancer care research through Cancer Care of Maine.

SPORTS/  
CULTURE

7/18/04 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 12 mins.

Mike Brooker, Director of the Senior League World Series youth baseball event, spoke about the series and its impact on the local community. Included discussion preparations for this year's event, economic impact on Bangor and surrounding communities, the cultural impact, and the need for volunteers to assist with the series operations.

CHILDREN

7/25/04 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 13 minutes

Elinor Goldberg, Executive Director of Maine Children's Alliance, returned to follow up on the annual Kid's Count Report. Included updates on data in the Kids Count report, national comparisons, social/economic issues, and further explanation of areas where Maine leads the nation; areas in need of improvement.

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BUSINESS

6/06/04 FOLLOW UP  
6:15 pm 11 minutes

Mark Awalt, Co-owner and VP of Milo, Maine based JSI Store Fixtures discussed being named "Small Businessperson of the Year" by the Small Business Association. Discussion included the concerns for small business owners, and how the SBA can assist small business owners.

THE ARTS

5/23/04 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 12 minutes

Local author Phyllis Georgina Rose discussed her new book, "The Rose Garden," and her experience as a first time author at the age of 71. Discussion included her idea for the book and the writing process, as well as the process of getting a book published.

5/23/04 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 12 minutes

Earl Brechlin discussed his book, "Bygone Coastal Maine." Discussion included the history of coastal Maine (Kittery to Camden), and his idea for the book (inspired by old postcards), as well as the hobby of postcard collecting.

5/23/04 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 13 minutes

Local author Martha Tod Dudman discussed her book, "Expecting To Fly," and her experience as a first time author. Discussion included her idea for the book (recollections of growing up in the 1960's in Maine) and the writing process.

HEALTH	6/20/04 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 12 mins.	Dr. Clif Rosen of the Maine Center for Osteoporosis Research and Education discussed new breakthroughs in research, the current availability of drugs and ongoing testing, as well as the need for study volunteers.
SPORTS/ YOUTH	3/7/04 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 12 mins.	Robert Cobb and J. Duke Albanese of the Youth Sports Initiative discussed "Coaching Maine Youth." Included discussion of a study of the effects of sports participation changes over the years in who is becoming a coach, and the important relationship between a coach and a student/athlete.
	5/23/04 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 11 minutes	Mark Farnham, Bay League Softball Commissioner, discussed the league's new season, its history, and recruitment and eligibility standards.
CHILDREN	4/25/04 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 13 minutes	Elinor Goldberg, Executive Director of Maine Children's Alliance, discussed the annual Maine "Kids Count" report. Included discussion of new data in the Kids Count report, areas where Maine leads the nation; areas in need of improvement; and future legislation related to children's issues.

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CRIME PREVENTION	1/25/04 6:15 pm	FOLLOW UP 12 minutes	Charles Sias of the Penobscot County Area Triad discussed the threat and impact of "Identity Theft." Points covered included: How people can prevent identity theft; Most common ways thieves strike; what to do if you're a victim of identity theft; and a discussion of an upcoming forum on the topic.
LAW ENFORCEMENT	10/05/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 12 minutes	Penobscot County Sheriff Glenn Ross discussed the impact of "frivolous" lawsuits on law enforcement operations (specifically the Sheriff's department). Points covered included: Increase in lawsuits against law enforcement departments; differences in how law enforcement organizations must conduct business in response to increased lawsuits; and a related Newsweek magazine article which featured Sheriff Ross on the cover.

HEALTH

4/4/04  
6:15pm

FOLLOW UP  
12 mins.

K Sawyer and Sandy LaVersa of the MS Society and the health club "Curves," respectively, discussed the upcoming local MS Walk to raise funds in the battle against the disease. Discussion points included: Risk factors/symptoms of MS; available treatments; fundraisers, including the MS Walk; and volunteer opportunities.

SPORTS/  
CHARITY

3/7/04  
6:15pm

FOLLOW UP  
11 mins.

Maine native and successful NASCAR driver Ricky Craven discussed his career and his participation in an upcoming local snowmobile ride for charity. Points covered included: a review of the past NASCAR racing season; changes for next year; the new NASCAR points system; and the charity snowmobile ride.

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ECONOMY	12/21/03 6:15 pm	FOLLOW UP 12 minutes	Tim Woodcock of the East-West Highway Committee discussed the status of Maine's proposed new highway, spanning the north central region of the state east to west. The discussion included the potential economic benefits of the proposed highway, the costs involved in creating the highway, and a comparison to similar projects in other states.
ARTS	10/05/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 12 minutes	Local author Martha Knight Foster discussed her book "I Never Woke Up 'Til I Was 40." The discussion included her inspiration for the book, the idea for the unique format, and the publishing business in general with specific focus on how new authors may overcome obstacles to getting published.

SENIOR ISSUES	10/19/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 13 mins.	Prof. Lenard Kaye of the University of Maine's Center on Aging discussed the center's programs for Maine Seniors, the center's mission, financial status, and specific programs, such as bringing live music to nursing homes.
LOCAL SPORTS	12/14/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 13 mins.	Husson College Baseball Coach John Winkin discussed his recent return to coaching, including his relationship to the young players and a review of his decades-long career.



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ECONOMY	7/20/03 6:15 pm	FOLLOW UP 12 minutes	Julia Munsey, representing "The Maine Highlands" -- a tourism promotion group -- discussed the association's makeup and goals, the attractions of the region and an ongoing worldwide marketing campaign to promote area tourism.
ARTS	7/27/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 12 minutes	Barbara Fox, author of a new nonfiction book regarding the history of Band Stands in Maine, discussed how local Band Stands came to be, and why they went away. Also discussed the design of Band Stands, and a current revival movement centered around Band Stands.
	8/10/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 11 minutes	Heather McCarthy, coordinator for the National Folk Festival's second year in Bangor, discussed the changes and improvements from last year's events, what musical acts, crafts and food vendors would be available, the importance of volunteers, and the economic impact of the festival on local business.

COMMUNITY/ CHARITY	8/31/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 12 mins.	Martha Temple of the Zonta Club discussed the Organizations annual fashion show for charity. Included discussion of the organization and its mission, charitable work it has done, and membership requirements.
SENIOR ISSUES	8/24/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 11 mins.	Carol Mower of the AARP Discussed the organization's new AARP University. Discussion included goals of the university, types of classes and prospective students, and the overall mission of the organization.
	9/28/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 13 mins.	Jud Dolphin, State Director Of the AARP, discussed the pending Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit bill – including status of the ongoing debate, progress on the issue, and the AARP's stance (what's good and bad about the pending bill).

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HEALTH	6/15/03 6:15 pm	FOLLOW UP 12 mins total	Steven Michaud, President of Maine Hospital Assoc., discussed the association's new nursing program. Included discussion of shortage of nurses in Maine (and why), and the importance of community colleges to the nursing profession.
SOCIETY/ PATRIOTISM	6/22/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 12 minutes	Valerie Clapp and Paul Andrews of the United Technologies Center followed up on their February interview on the flag folding ceremony of the United States, and the performance of UTC's team in the national competition; and a general discussion of patriotism and today's youth.
CHILDREN	4/20/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 12 minutes	Elinor Goldberg, Executive Director of Maine Children's Alliance, discussed the annual Maine "Kids Count" report. How Maine kids are doing socially, mentally and physically on a national scale; areas where Maine leads the nation; areas in need of improvement; and goals to keep Maine children healthy and happy.

COMMUNITY/ CHARITY	5/25/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 13 mins.	Michelle LeClair and Sharon McGraw of the University of Maine discussed the growing trend known as "Alternate Spring Break" – in which many college students forego partying to participate in community service projects. Discussion included the impact of service on the student's themselves, and future charitable work opportunities.
SENIOR ISSUES	4/6/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 11 mins.	Glenn Ross, Penobscot County Sheriff, and Nelson Durgin, Director of the Phillips Strickland House, representing the AARP, discussed senior fraud protection. Discussion included why seniors are vulnerable; neighborhood watch groups; and a fraud prevention seminar for seniors. Also – other issues important to seniors.
	5/4/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 13 mins.	Stan Freeman and Roberta Downey, organizers of the "May Festival – A Celebration of Generations"- a senior appreciation project. Discussion included the purpose of the festival (in downtown Bangor); importance of seniors to the community; how the event will benefit the downtown area; and planned improvements from the previous year's event.

ECONOMY

5/18/03  
6:15pm

FOLLOW UP  
13 mins.

Shawn Scott and David Nealley of Capital Seven -- the parent company of Bangor Raceway -- discussed the upcoming local referendum for development at the raceway, including the addition of slot machines. Discussion included the importance of the income to help save the harness racing industry; other businesses that included gambling; and the fact that a portion of revenues is intended to benefit seniors (prescription drug costs) and young peoples (college scholarships).

6/1/03  
6:15pm

FOLLOW UP  
11 mins.

Shawn Scott and David Nealley of Capital Seven returned to further discuss the importance of the proposed addition of slot machines at Bass park and Bangor Raceway. Discussion included why the slot machines are needed; effect on the community; and other planned improvements at the race track.

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EDUCATION/ SENIOR ISSUES	2/16/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 12 mins.	Stan Marshall and Madeleine Freeman of the Penobscot Valley Senior College ( a service of the University of Maine and UMaine Center on Aging) discussed the upcoming spring semester, including classes available for senior citizens, registration deadlines and costs, and the importance of volunteers.
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HEALTH	3/11/03 & 3/12/03 6:15 pm	FOLLOW UP 10 mins total	Dr. Wendy Wolf, President of Maine Health Access Foundation, discussed the recently established "Cover The Uninsured Week" focusing attention on the plight of those with little or no health insurance. This program explored issues related to health insurance and outlined the events of the week and the goals of the program.
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SOCIETY/ PATRIOTISM	2/23/03 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 13 minutes	Valerie Clapp and Paul Andrews of the United Technologies Center on the flag folding ceremony of the United States. Discussion included the meaning of the ceremony; the significance of a national competition in which UTC is the only Maine participant; and a general discussion of patriotism and today's youth.
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CHILDREN/ 1//8/03 48 HOURS  
CHILD WELFARE 10pm 60 minutes

"Kids For Sale" exposed alleged child exploitation, Including Internet sites with underage models (often scantily clad); a report on a group of teens that produced their own pornographic film; and a report on a Dan Francisco based group that seeks to help young girls get out of prostitution.

POLITICS/ 1/28/03 CBS SPECIAL REPORT Live coverage of President  
STATE OF UNION 9:00pm ??? George W. Bush's State of

The Union Address,  
Followed by the  
Democratic response from  
Washington Governor Gary  
Locke and analysis by CBS  
News correspondents and  
consultants.

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ARTS/  
MUSIC

10/20/03 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 11 mins

Local Art Teacher Heather Austin introduced her new book on the process of writing and drawing. This is Austin's first book, and she also shared her inspiration for writing it.

11/03/03 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 14 mins

Local singer/songwriter Ani Clark discussed her recently released CD, which was partially recorded at Bangor's New England School of Communications. Clark also performed two songs from the CD and discussed her future plans for her career.

POLITICS

12/01/02 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 11 mins

Senator Susan Collins (R-Maine) was the studio guest. Senator Collins discussed her recent re-election campaign; priority issues for the new Senate; and Homeland Security.

12/29/03 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 13 mins

Maine Governor-Elect John Baldacci was the studio guest. Baldacci discussed his new administration; his transition from the U.S. Congress; proposals to deal with Maine's budget problems; Health insurance and prescription drug costs; and his views on proposals to bring gambling casinos to Maine.



PUBLIC SAFETY 12/01/02 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 11mins.

Jason Johnson, Public Education Officer for the Bangor Fire Department discussed holiday safety, including proper installation of holiday lights; safety tips for cooking holiday meals; Christmas tree safety,; and the use of smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors.

ECOLOGY/  
ECONOMY 10/06/02 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 12mins.

Cathy Billings and Robert Bayer of the University of Maine's Lobster Institute discussed their study of Maine's lobster industry, which included interviews with the "older generation" of lobstermen.

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EDUCATION	9/01/02	FOLLOW UP	Dick Cattelle and Robert
SAFETY	6:15pm	13 mins.	Irvin of the "Challenger
			Learning Center of Maine"
			discussed the new Space
			Learning Center. Specific
			discussion centered on the
			progress of its construction
			and development and its
			educational value. Guests
			also discussed and promoted
			the project's fundraising
			campaign.
HEALTH	7/19/02	48 HOURS	"A Lot To Lose" focuses on
	10:00PM	60 mins	weight loss methods.
			Reports included an 84-year-
			old nutritionist who teaches
			diet and exercise; the "Fobi
			Pouch" -- a surgical weight-
			loss procedure that turns the
			stomach into a tiny, two-
			ounce pouch; and discussions
			of genetic tendencies, the
			Atkins low-carb diet,
			acupuncture claims, and
			over-the-counter weight loss
			products.
	7/26/02	48 HOURS	"Silent Killers" focuses
	10:00pm	60 mins	on environmental and
			medical health risks that
			often strike without waning,
			including deadly molds, fatal
			blood clots, carbon
			monoxide, and toxic
			asbestos.

SENIOR ISSUES      09/22/02 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 12 mins

Stan Marshall and Madeleine Freeman of the Penobscot Valley Senior College discussed the new school, which is specifically designed to offer advanced education to senior citizens. Discussion included how the school was formed; available classes; teaching staff; and plans for the upcoming semester.

ARTS                7/7/02 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 11 minutes

Bangor Band Director Fred Heath discussed the Band's 143-year history, the summer schedule, and how interested musicians might join the band.

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PUBLIC SAFETY	5/05/02 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 12 mins.	Studio guest Jim Downie, spokesperson for the Maine Forest Service, spoke on Spring Fire Danger. Included advise on best times to burn; preventative measures when burning, and referral to Maine's Arson Hotline.
CHILDREN	4/07/02 6:15PM	FOLLOW UP 10.5 mins	Anne Hartmann, Executive Director of the Maine Discovery Museum in Bangor, talked about the children's museums first year anniversary. Included discussion on "how the first year went;" attendance figures; future plans; and new exhibits.
	05/12/02 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 15 mins	Nancy Dysart, Director for the Children's Miracle Network of Eastern Maine Healthcare discussed the upcoming Children's Miracle Network Telethon; The mission of CMN; and new medical technology.
	06/01/02 9:00am	CMN TELETHON 11 Hours	The annual telethon for the Children's Miracle Network of Eastern Maine Healthcare – a fundraising and awareness raising program, featuring live local segments from Bangor Mall, hosted by WABI-TV5 station staff and local CMN representatives.

TEENS

05/25/02 FOCUS FIVE

7:00pm 30 mins

"One For Over The Line" featured an uninterrupted presentation of the award-winning educational video "One For Over The Line." The video dramatizes the potential consequences of driving while under the influence of alcohol. Aimed at teens, the video-- "One For Over The Line"-- was produced by WABI-TV5 with cooperation from local and state law enforcement agencies, emergency services, hospitals and local high school students.

RELIGION/  
SOCIETY

4/28/02 FOLLOW UP

6:15pm 11 minutes

Lance Wickman, Elder in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, discussed the Mormon Church and its involvement in the recent Winter Olympics in Utah. Also a general discussion of the church's role in society, and a look at historical archives.

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HEALTH/ SAFETY	2/11/02 10:00pm	48 HOURS 60 mins.	<p>“Your Money or Your Life” focused on the crisis resulting from the shortage of human organs for transplant. Featured – flourishing kidney transplant business in Peru, where organs are bought and sold. Also a discussion with a specialist about illegal organ sales in the U.S., and a look at a new artificial heart that could take the place of human transplants.</p>
	2/22/02 10:00pm	48 HOURS 60 minutes	<p>“Sleep Tight” -- explored sleep deprivation and sleep disorders, including reports on deaths caused by overtired drivers, new research on children’s sleep disorders, the link between snoring and attention deficit disorder, “sleep eating” – a form of sleep walking, and the rare sleep disorder “Kleine-Levin syndrome” that causes extended periods of deep sleep.</p>
CHILDREN	01/04/02 10:00PM	48 HOURS 60 mins	<p>“Web of Seduction” reports on problems related to the Unsupervised use of the internet by teens and children. Included profile of a teen abduction case, in which 17-year-old Lindsey Lavoie of Florida was lured to Germany by a pornographer and his accomplices through internet correspondence.</p>

## CHILDREN

03/31/02 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 15 mins

Elinor Goldberg, Executive Director, Maine Children's Alliance, returned with a look at the annual "Kids Count" report. Included discussion of how Maine children are doing healthwise and socially; upcoming legislation to benefit children; and what can be done to improve the living conditions of Maine children.

## ECONOMY

01/06/02 FACE THE NATION  
10:30AM 30 minutes

A discussion on the state of the U.S. economy with White House Adviser Lawrence Lindsey and former Treasury Secretary Robert Rubin, representing their respective Party viewpoints. Plus – a conversation with investment strategist Abby Joseph Cohen and New York Times writer Thomas Friedman on financial advice and the influences of the ongoing war in Afghanistan on U.S. economics.

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HEALTH/ SAFETY	11/18/01 6:15pm	Follow Up 12 mins.	Paul Kennert, Director of Disease Control for the Maine Bureau of Health, discussed the recent national anthrax scare. Included answers to the questions "what is anthrax?" and "what are the symptoms?" Also discussed procedures in place against bio-terrorism attacks, and current ongoing testing at the state lab.
	12/02/01 6:15pm	Follow Up 10 mins.	Jason Johnson of the Bangor Fire Department discussed holiday safety and fire prevention. Included Christmas Tree safety tips, safe lighting, and cooking and heating stove safety advice.
VETERANS DAY	11/11/01 6:15PM	Follow Up 11.5 mins	Ray Vear and Don Clough, two area veterans of WWII, Discussed the significance of Veteran's Day, as well as their own personal experiences during the war. Also – How society's observance of Veteran's Day has changed since the terrorist attacks of September 11 <sup>th</sup> , 2001.



EDUCATION/ YOUTH 07/15/01 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 12 minutes

Dr. Russ Quaglia, Director of the Center For Student Aspirations at the University of Maine in Orono, discussed his departments efforts to improve the relationships among athletic coaches, student-athletes, and parents. Included a look at a new videotape designed to help educate all parties on the concept of true sportsmanship, and the importance of each parties role in creating a better experience for all.

LOCAL SPORTS 12/16/01 Follow Up  
6:15PM 12 minutes

University of Maine Football Coach, Jack Cosgrove discussed the team's recent successful season, which culminated in a trip to the quarterfinal round in post-season NCAA championship play. Also included a discussion of hopes for next season, and of the program's ongoing recruitment efforts.

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THE ARTS

07/08/01 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 11 minutes

Karan Sheldon and Andrea McCarty of Northeast Historic Film discussed the upcoming Silent Film Festival. Also – a general discussion of the organization and its goal of preserving film for future generations. Northeast Historic Film maintains extensive historical film archives in Bucksport, Maine.

07/22/01 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 11 minutes

Mark Torres, Director of Penobscot Theatre Company in Bangor discussed the company's summer schedule, progress on a new amphitheatre, fundraising efforts, and new plays planned for fall/winter.

SOCIETY/ 07/01/01 FOLLOW UP  
THE HOMELESS 6:00pm 11 mins.

Dennis Marble, Executive Director of the Bangor Area Homeless Shelter discussed issues related to homelessness, including problems facing the homeless and mentally ill in the local community, progress on low income housing, and the upcoming "Hike for the Homeless" benefit.

MEDICINE	07/29/01 6:15pm	Follow Up 10 mins.	Dr. Clifford Rosen of the Maine Center For for Osteoporosis Research discussed recent breakthroughs in medical research, new osteoporosis studies, and who's at risk and the symptoms of osteoporosis.
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SENIOR ISSUES	08/12/01 6:15PM	Follow Up 11 mins	Carol Mower of the AARP discussed the goals of the AARP and provided details of an upcoming financial planning seminar for women aged 45 and over.
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EDUCATION	07/15/01 6:15pm	FOLLOW UP 10 minutes	Terry MacTaggart, University of Maine Chancellor, discussed his recently announced retirement, including his views on his major accomplishments, reasons for leaving the post, advice for his successor, and the duties of his new job.
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CHILDREN	06/10/01 FOLLOW UP 6:15pm 10 mins	Elinor Goldberg, Executive Director of the Maine Children's Alliance discussed the most recent "Kids Count" report. Included comparative analysis of Maine kids versus those in other states, steps to be taken to improve the lives of children, and recent successes in getting health insurance for kids.
	06/24/01 FOLLOW UP 6:15pm 10 mins	Alec Horth and Jennifer O'Donnell of Children's International Summer Villages discussed the program's summer trips. Included information about the International Villages, a discussion of the importance of introducing children to new cultures, and a look ahead at upcoming programs.
EDUCATION	05/06/01 FOLLOW UP 6:15pm 11 mins.	Robert Strong, University of Maine Professor, and U Maine student Alfred Doyle discussed the university's new Student Portfolio Investment Fund of the University of Maine Foundation (AKA: "SPIFFY"). Described the program and outlined its intent to help students learn about finance by examining the Stock Market and Wall Street.

HEALTH

05/28/01 48 HOURS  
10:00pm 60 mins

“Living Better Longer” examined the lengths to which people will go to look and feel younger, including dietary regimens, the impact of social contacts on aging, herbal supplements, and profiles of older celebrities and their unusually active lifestyles for their ages.

06/17/01 FOLLOW UP  
10:00pm 11 mins

Larry Lamond, who suffers from HIV, discussed the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the discovery of AIDS. Included a discussion of everyday life with HIV, a look at new treatments and drugs, and how to help others cope with the disease.

ECONOMY/  
FINANCE

04/01/01 FACE THE NATION  
10:00pm 30 mins

An interview with Sen Tom Daschle about President Bush’s budget, the proposed tax cut, and the campaign finance reform bill.

INTERNATIONAL  
POLITICS

04/08/01 FACE THE NATION  
10:00pm 30 mins

The China Standoff over the downed US “spy” plane was discussed with guests Secretary of State Colin Powell, Sen. Richard Lugar, and Sen Christopher Dodd.

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PERSONAL FINANCE    01/21/01    FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm    10 minutes

Trisha Bruen, Credit Counselor at Consumer Credit Counseling of Maine discussed post-holiday debt, and offered information and advice on how to get out of debt; credit card usage; consolidation loans; and preparing for next year's holiday season.

POLITICS                    01/07/01    FACE THE NATION  
10:30am    30 mins

Discussion of President Bush's Cabinet nominees and Senate confirmation hearings, including: and interview with Senator Tom Daschle about: nominations that are in danger; John Ashcroft, Gale Norton and Linda Chavez; Bush's proposed tax cut; and campaign finance reform. Plus— interviews with Senators Thad Cochran and Michael Duffy on other issues related to the Bush presidency and proposed campaign finance reform.

CRIME

01/25/01 48 HOURS  
10:00pm 60 mins.

“Cybercrime.” A report on on-line offenses in cyberspace, including reports on: an adoption scam which defrauded 43 families over three years; the case of a 14-year-old boy who was seduced on-line by a 30-year-old woman; and a Mexico-based “get rich quick” scheme which attracted thousands of people.

MEDICINE

01//04/01 48 HOURS  
10:00pm 60 mins.

“David’s Journey.” A report On a young man who suffers from OCD (obsessive compulsive disorder), with such severity that he locked himself in his parents’ bathroom for more than two years. Included interviews with his mother , who also suffers form an obsessive fear of contamination, and portions of David’s own video diary, which offered viewers a look into his world. Plus, and interview with a doctor who uses “exposure therapy” to treat patients with OCD.

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POLITICS

10/03/00    Presidential Debate  
9pm    2 hours

Live CBS news coverage of the first of three Presidential debates between Republican candidate George W. Bush and Democratic candidate Al Gore. From Boston, MA. Coverage included live Interviews with VP candidates Dick Cheney and Joseph Lieberman, at the conclusion of the debate.

10/03/00    Vice Presidential Debate  
9pm    2 hours

Live CBS news coverage of a debate between Republican Vice Presidential candidate Dick Cheney and Democratic candidate Joseph Lieberman. From Danville, KY. The debate concluded at 10:34pm, and was followed by: commentary by CBS correspondents; a report on unrest in Yugoslavia; live interviews with Pennsylvania Governor Tom Ridge and Massachusetts Senator John Kerry; a profile of the history of the Vice Presidency; and concluding commentary by CBS correspondents.



10/11/00      Presidential Debate  
                 9pm    2 hours

Live CBS news coverage of a debate between Republican Presidential candidate George W. Bush and Democratic candidate Al Gore. From Winston-Salem, NC. The debate concluded at 10:36pm, and was followed by live interviews with Vice Presidential candidates Dick Cheney and Joseph Lieberman.

10/17/00      Presidential Debate  
                 9pm    2 hours

Live CBS news coverage of a debate between Republican Presidential candidate George W. Bush and Democratic candidate Al Gore. From St. Louis, MO. The debate concluded at 10:35pm, and was followed by: commentary by CBS News correspondents; comments by a group of undecided voters in Wisconsin; the results of a CBS poll gauging voter reaction to the debate; and closing commentary by correspondents

11/09/00      48 Hours  
                 8pm      60 mins.

A special live edition of the newsmagazine covering events surrounding the crucial ballot recount in the contested 2000 presidential election. The broadcast looked at the recount process; ballot issues; developments at the candidates' "camps"; the role of the Electoral College; VP Gore's decision to retract an earlier concession; and Ralph Nader's impact on the election.

HEALTH/PUBLIC SAFETY

11/30/00 48 Hours  
8pm 60 mins

A broadcast focusing on the popular drug Ecstasy, featuring: a profile of a teen Ecstasy user who ultimately moved onto cocaine, crack and heroin, and who today counsels other teens about the dangers of recreational drugs; a profile of a 19-year-old who died as a result of using "adulterated" Ecstasy; a look at a controversial organization called DanceSafe, which offers to test Ecstasy for adulterants; and a profile of a Florida college student facing prison time for dealing Ecstasy.

12/10/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15 mins

Jason Johnson, Public Education Officer for the Bangor Fire Department Discussed fire safety during The holidays, including how to care for a Christmas tree; how to check holiday lights for safety; safe cooking; and the proper use of smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors.

SENIOR ISSUES

11/19/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15 mins

Penobscot County Sheriff's Department Chief Deputy Glen Ross and Roberta Downey of the Eastern Maine Agency on Aging discussed senior concerns, including groups formed to prevent senior fraud; how seniors can protect themselves from fraud; and the "File of Life"—a packet to store important health information.

BUSINESS/ECONOMY

12/24/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15 mins

Bob Zieglaar, Director at Bangor International Airport, discussed the business climate at BIA, including a discussion of new carriers and flights. The impact of lower fees at Manchester, New Hampshire airport, and prospects for the future.

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CHILDREN'S  
ISSUES

07/09/00 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 15 mins

Elinor Goldberg, Executive Director, Maine Children's Alliance, discussed the annual "Kids Count" report comparing Maine children with those in other states. Discussion included "good news" from the report, as well as "bad news" and proposed ways to "fix the problems."

SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY 07/16/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15 mins

Gillian Munden, a graduate student in the University of Maine Computer Science Department discussed the science of Robotics, including information on recent research projects in Robotics and how the field of study is attracting young people to the Computer Science studies.

EDUCATION

08/13/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15 mins

University of Maine President Peter Hoff visited the studio to discuss the past three years of his term at the University. Included a look at goals set and achieved during the three years, and a discussion of future goals. Also: a report on student enrollment and information on research and development funding.

## HEALTH

07/02/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15 mins

Drs. Robert Dana and Jeffrey Barkin of "Communities Against Heroin" discussed the organization's resistance to a proposed methadone treatment clinic in Bangor for the treatment of heroin addiction. Included discussion of possible impact of the clinic on the community, as well as alternative treatment options.

07/13/00 Focus Five  
7:00pm 60 mins.

A local public affairs special on the subject of the controversial "methadone maintenance" programs used in the treatment of drug addiction. TV5 News anchors Don Colson and Sharon Pelletier hosted a roundtable discussion with both proponents and opponents of the treatment program, and viewers were able to phone in questions and comments for the panel.

07/13/00 48 HOURS  
10:00pm 60 mins

"Weighing The Risks" surveyed the latest weight loss techniques for dieters who are obese, or consider themselves to be so. Included reports on surgical procedures and high protein diets, drugs (Xenical), and continuing research on the subject.

07/30/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15 mins

Angela Bilodeau --  
Recruitment Director for  
the local chapter of the  
American Red Cross – was  
the studio guest for a  
discussion on the area blood  
supply. Included explanation  
of the low supply during the  
summer months, reasons for  
higher demand, and the  
donating process. Also  
include information on new  
Red Cross drives for bone  
marrow donors.

08/06/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15 mins

Pam Sirois, Director at the  
St. Joseph Hospital Breast  
Care Center in Bangor, was  
the studio guest for a  
discussion on new breast care  
technology, specifically  
addressing new digital  
mammography. Also  
discussed new standards in  
breast exams and profiles of  
“people at risk” for breast  
cancer.

09/28/00 48 HOURS  
10:00pm 60 mins

“Invisible Killers”  
investigated the hidden  
dangers of molds, bacteria  
and viruses – included  
profiles of individuals who  
were infected by toxic mold,  
viruses, and bacteria which  
threatened their lives and  
caused illness and physical  
damage.

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CHILDREN	04/09/00 FOLLOW UP 6:15pm 15 mins	Elinor Goldberg, Executive Director, Maine Children's Alliance, discussed the annual "Kids Count" report comparing Maine children with those in other states. Discussion included areas where Maine children excel, as well as areas in need of improvement.
ARTS/ COMMUNITY	05/28/00 FOLLOW UP 6:15pm 15 mins	Mark Torres, Producing Artistic Director at Penobscot Theater Company in Bangor, discussed the upcoming annual Maine Shakespeare Festival, including an update of plans for a waterfront amphitheatre; also a summary of the theatre company's 25 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary season.
SOCIETY/ ENVIRONMENT	05/07/00 FOLLOW UP 6:15pm 15 mins.	Werner Fornos, President of The Population Institute, discussed the inherent threat of overpopulation in the world, including general discussion of world population issues, the effects of overpopulation, and what steps might be taken to limit overpopulation.

PUBLIC UTILITIES

04/23/00 FOLLOW UP  
6:15pm 15 mins

Sara Burns, President of Central Maine Power, discussed the recent deregulation of the electrical energy industry, including consumer pros & cons, changes in the industry since March 1<sup>st</sup>, and CMP's role in the deregulated environment.

HEALTH

06/08/00 48 HOURS  
10:00pm 60 mins

"The Price Of Perfection" examined the consequences of the struggle to be physically perfect, including profiles of victims of anorexia and bulimia, cosmetic surgery patients, and bodybuilders whose obsession with fitness can be damaging to their bodies.



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POLITICS

01/23/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15 mins.

Maine Senator Olympia Snowe shared her observations on the recently completed Congressional Session, including a summary of bills of benefit to Mainers. She outlined her goals for the next session, and discussed the upcoming 2000 election campaign, as well.

03/05/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15 mins.

Maine Senate President Mark Lawrence discussed his decision to enter the US Senate race against incumbent Senator Olympia Snowe. He outlined his campaign themes, and specified differences with Senator Snowe on issues.

EDUCATION

02/27/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15 mins

Wilson Hess, departing President of Unity College In Unity, Maine discussed his ten-year tenure at the college, and his new position at Audobon Expedition Institute. He discussed current and future programs at both schools.

LOCAL TOURISM/  
RECREATION

02/06/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15 mins

Earl Brechlin, Author of the  
"Adventure Guide To Maine"  
Discussed the new book,  
which features profiles of  
Maine recreation and dining  
spots, as well as trivia about  
the state.

03/12/00 Follow Up  
6:15pm 15mins.

Leon Seymour, Exec. Dir.  
of "Friends Of Fort Knox"  
discussed the new capital  
campaign for the popular  
historic tourist site. Included  
discussion of fund raising  
efforts for the campaign, as  
well as new programs at the  
Fort, and the plans for  
museum-style displays.

HEALTH

01/27/00 48 Hours  
10pm 60 mins

An in-depth look at the latest  
weight-loss crazes,  
including surgical  
procedures and diet plans, as  
well as drug use, and other  
medical solutions.

02/24/00 48 Hours  
10pm 60 mins

A revealing look at "Panic  
Disorder" – an condition  
which effects millions of  
Americans, and often disrupts  
their lives. Included profiles  
of a variety of sufferers, and  
the techniques being used to  
control the condition –  
including therapy and  
medication.

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January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2000  
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PERSONAL FINANCE	10/26//99	48 HOURS	Special edition on
	10:00pm	60 mins.	Gambling – the number
			one form of entertainment
			in the U.S. Profiles of
			various individuals and
			their trials (with gambling
			addiction) and triumphs
			(day trading, on-line trading)
ARTS/ COMMUNITY	11/21//99	FOLLOW UP	Sean Faircloth, Project
	6:15pm	15 mins	Director of the Eastern
			Maine Children's Museum
			Project, updated the project's
			Progress – including the
			success of a recent open
			house at the future site of the
			museum, a look at new floor
			plans, and fundraising efforts.
POLITICS	12/12/99	FOLLOW UP	Susan Collins, Maine
	6:15pm	15 mins	Senator, discussed issues
			Related to the end of the
			recent Congressional session,
			including Bills approved that
			would benefit Mainers,
			Budget issues, and an update
			on plans for the coming
			session.
BUSINESS/ ENERGY	11/7/99	FOLLOW UP	Clark Irwin of Central Maine
	6:15pm	15 mins.	Power Company, spoke about
			The company's history in its
			one hundredth year of
			service, and introduced a new
			book covering the company's
			growth over the course of the
			century.

RELIGION/  
WOMEN'S ISSUES

10/16/99 CBS SPECIAL  
12:00pm 30 mins.

"Gifts From God" focused on the contributions and influence of women in religion. Included profiles of these women, and presented their triumphs, frustrations, and a frank look at problems that still remain.

TECHNOLOGY/  
PUBLIC SAFETY

10/20/99 FOCUS FIVE  
8:00pm 60 mins.

WABI-TV 5 News anchors Don Colson and Mindi Hegeman hosted a live roundtable discussion with area business and public safety officials concerning the so-called "millennium computer bug," and its potential effects on Mainers. Viewers were able to phone in their questions and concerns during the program.

TECHNOLOGY/  
PUBLIC SAFETY

11/10/99 FOCUS FIVE  
8:00pm 60 mins.

WABI-TV 5 First News anchors Jim Morris and Lanie Witt hosted a follow-up live roundtable discussion with more area business and public safety officials concerning the so-called "millennium computer bug," and its potential effects on Mainers. Viewers were again able to phone in their questions and concerns during the program.

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TEEN VIOLENCE/ 4/22/99 48 HOURS  
GUN CONTROL 10:00pm 60 mins.

An investigation of the  
Massacre at Columbine  
HS in Littleton, CO.  
Included interviews with  
Columbine students and  
parents, as well as experts in  
psychology and counseling.

4/25/99 FACE THE NATION  
10:30am 30 mins.

Follow-up on the violent  
assault by two heavily-  
armed students at  
Columbine HS in  
Littleton, CO. Included  
discussions on gun control  
laws, possible arming of  
school teachers, and a  
discussion with Dr. James  
Fox on parental responsibility  
and the so-called "contagion"  
effect of violent acts. Also:  
inquiry and investigation into  
the role of Internet  
communications in inciting  
violent acts by teens.

CHILDREN 6/13//99 FOCUS FIVE  
6:15pm 15 mins

Elinor Goldberg, Executive  
Director of the Maine  
Children's Alliance,  
introduced the "Kid's Count"  
Data Book.

ARTS/ 6/21/99 FOCUS FIVE  
COMMUNITY 6:15pm 15 mins

Sean Faircloth, Project Dir.  
for the Eastern Maine  
Children's Museum project  
for Partnerships For Healthy  
Communities, provided an  
update on progress of the  
Children's Museum project,  
and discussed its potential  
impact on education and  
area development.

HEALTH/ 5/27/99 48 HOURS  
MEDICINE 10:00pm 60 mins.

"Price of Perfection." A  
report on the consequences  
of the struggle to be  
physically "perfect."  
Included reports on anorexia  
and bulimia, and profiles of  
individuals who have  
suffered damage from their  
obsession with "perfection."  
Plus -- expert commentary on  
psychology and cosmetic  
medicine.

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POLITICS	1/14/99	NEWS SPECIAL	A special report on the Senate Impeachment trial of President Clinton, including the senate vote on issues related to the trial
	1:00pm	Approx 60 mins	
	1/19/99	NEWS SPECIAL	State Of The Union.
	9pm	120 mins.	Live coverage of President Clinton's State Of The Union Address to Congress, followed by a Republican response.
HEALTH	1/14/99	48 HOURS	A in-depth report on the growing problem of alcohol abuse among young people.
	10:00pm	60 mins	
	3/7/99	FACE THE NATION	Maine Senator Susan Collins was among the guests discussing issues of Medicare Social Security and tax cuts.
	10:30am	30 mins	
TECHNOLOGY	2/28/99	FACE THE NATION	Sen Robert Bennett, Chairman of the Senate Committee on the Y2K computer "bug" discussed issues related to this matter and the ways to prepare for possible problems when computers hit the year 2000.

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POLITICS	10/7/98	Channel 5 News Special	<i>Gubernatorial Debate.</i>
	7:00pm	90 Minutes	Live coverage of a debate between the candidates for Governor of the state of Maine.
	10/18/98	Channel 5 News Special	<i>Political Debate.</i>
	7:00pm	60 Minutes	Live debate between the two candidates for Maine's Second District Congressional seat -- incumbent John Baldacci (D), and challenger Jon Reisman.
	11/3/98	Channel 5 News Special	<i>Election Coverage.</i>
	10:00pm	60 minutes	Special live coverage of local and statewide races in Campaign '98.
EDUCATION/ SPORTS	10/23/98	Channel 5 Special	<i>A New Stadium/ A New Era.</i>
	7:00pm	60 Minutes	Special program commemorating the inauguration of a new sports facility at the University of Maine in Orono, Maine. Included interviews and features tracing the history of the school's athletic programs, and behind-the-scenes look at the planning, construction, and use of the new facility.



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October 5th, 1998  
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HEALTH	9/3/98 7:00pm	MAB SPECIAL 30 minutes	In association with the Maine Association of Broadcasters, WABI joined other member stations in presenting this half-hour local special, "What Do You Say?" which dealt with the issues of parent/teen communication regarding drug and alcohol use. The program provided tips for parents and guardians to use when talking to their elementary and school-aged children about these subjects.
POLITICS NATIONAL	7/26/98 10:30am	FACE THE NATION 30mins	Senator Orrin Hatch, Chairman the Senate Judiciary Committee discussed the possibility of impeachment for President Clinton.
	9/06/98 10:30am	FACE THE NATION 30 mins	Sen Robert Torricelli discussed public and political reaction to disclosures related to President Clinton's alleged affair with a Whitehouse intern, and the possible impact on the Clinton presidency.
	9/20/98 10:30am	FACE THE NATION 30mins	Maine Senator Olympia Snowe was among the guests discussing the recent release of videotaped testimony by President Clinton with regard to his conduct in an alleged coverup of an affair with an intern.

WORLD POLITICS 8/9/98 FACE THE NATION National Security Advisor Sandy  
10:30am 30 mins Berger discussed the recent car  
bomb attacks at American  
embassies in East Africa. Berger  
suggested that this was a  
coordinated attack, and discussed  
the implications for American  
security abroad.

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July 10th, 1998  
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CHILDREN/ MUSIC	5/15/98 7:00pm	MR. SUNSHINE 30 minutes	A local children's special program, produced by WABI-TV. Mr. Sunshine and his friends: puppets Clive and Osmond, and Ms. Sparkle perform skits and sing songs about dealing with the ups and downs of everyday life.
CRIME/SAFETY	4/02/98 10:00PM	48 HOURS 60 minutes	A report on the crime of stalking. Profiled various cases and what people and communities are doing to combat this frightening, and often ultimately deadly crime. Included a report on a zero tolerance policy against stalking and domestic abuse that was adopted by the city of Dover, NH.
	6/22/98	48 HOURS	A report on a case of child abuse and its repercussions for a murdered victim and his family. Included information on signs of child abuse that others can look for in order to prevent and report this crime in time to save a child's life.

TEEN ISSUES/ HEALTH	4/12/99 10:30am	FACE THE NATION 30 minutes	Interview with Steven Parrish regarding the tobacco industry's rejection of a congressional plan to regulate cigarettes. Focused on efforts to put together bipartisan legislation to address the issues of liability and the problem of teen smoking.
	5/18/98 7:00pm	FOCUS FIVE 30 Minutes	<i>One For Over The Line.</i> Public Affairs special concerning the issue of drunk driving among teens. Featured an uninterrupted presentation of a 20-minute video which WABI-TV produced for local driver's education programs, with the assistance and cooperation of local and state law enforcement, emergency services and hospitals, and local teens who served as actors in a dramatized account of the consequences of drunk driving. The program was rebroadcast Saturday, May 30, 1999, at 12:30pm.

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April 9th, 1998  
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EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE	1/9/98 Channel 5 News Special 7:00pm 30 Minutes	<i>Maine Under Ice.</i> Special program focusing on the extreme weather conditions which resulted in Maine Governor Angus King declaring a state of emergency. Included live and taped reports on the extent of damages, and contact information for assistance in recovery.
HEALTH / MEDICINE	1/11/98 FACE THE NATION 10:30am 30 minutes	Topics included: Plans to expand Medicare to include people under 65; pros and cons. The issue of partial-birth abortion. Human cloning.
	2/26/98 48 HOURS 10pm 60 minutes	<i>Dying to be Thin.</i> A program focusing on American's obsession with weight control. Included profiles of various people, and their sometimes tragic battles with the issue, including a 15-year-old girl battling anorexia and bulimia, as well as a 28-year-old woman who has launched a career as a plus-size model.
POLITICS	1/18/98 FACE THE NATION 10:30am 30 minutes	Interview with Jim Fisher, attorney for Paula Jones, on the subject of alleged sexual misconduct on the part of President Clinton, before and after his election, and on Ms. Jones' demand for a settlement and apology in her sexual harrassment suit.

POLITICS	1/25/98 FACE THE NATION 10:30am 30 minutes	Interview with William Ginsburg, attorney for Monica Lewinsky, who is seeking immunity from prosecution in regard to her testimony with regard to allegations of sexual misconduct on the part of President Clinton.
	1/22/98 48 HOURS 10PM 60 Minutes	Special Edition: <i>White House Under Fire.</i> Focuses on allegations that President Clinton had an affair with an intern on the Whitehouse staff, and that he lied about it, and encouraged others to do so, as well.
	1/27/98 NEWS SPECIAL 9pm 120 mins.	State Of The Union. Live coverage of President Clinton's State Of The Union Address to Congress, followed by a Republican response.
MILITARY/ POLITICS	2/8/98 FACE THE NATION 10:30am 30mins	Interview with Secretary of State Madeleine Albright about possible US military action against Iraq.
CHILDREN/ THE ARTS	1/18/98 FOLLOW UP 6:15PM 15 mins	Sean Faircloth, Project Dir. of the Eastern Maine Childrens' Museum Project provided a progress report on the proposed museum, and invited public participation in the project