

WAYX Waycross airs Georgia Focus, a weekly thirty minute public affairs presentation with John Clark. Georgia Focus features discussions about issues of importance and relevance to the WAYX South Georgia listening area. Topics include education, health, natural resources, transportation, housing, and preservation of Georgia history.

1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2012 "Georgia Focus" Public Affairs Issues/Clearance

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**Huxford Spear Library**

The Huxford-Spear Genealogical Library in Homerville, GA is perhaps the most comprehensive private genealogical facility in the eastern U.S. The collection includes over 26,000 books, 6,000 family histories and nearly 10,000 sheets of microfiche. Program guests, Cathy Wells, Chairman of the library's board and Donald Davis, President of the Huxford Genealogical Society, discuss the library. Available December 31- January 1.

This show aired on (Day) 1/1/12 from: (Start Time) 8<sup>00</sup> AM to: (End Time): 8<sup>30</sup> AM

**Sherwood Pictures/Courageous**

Sherwood Pictures is known for hit movies such as *Fireproof* and *Courageous*...but these aren't movies made Hollywood – they're made in Albany, GA. Alex Kendrick, founder of Sherwood Pictures and Director and star of the movie *Courageous* discusses their work. Available January 7-8.

This show aired on (Day) 1/8/12 from: (Start Time) 8<sup>00</sup> AM to: (End Time): 8<sup>30</sup> AM

**Passion to Action**

The Loecken family was living the American Dream and seemed to have everything yet something kept pulling at them—a sense that they were being called to a greater purpose in life. So, they sold their home, bought an RV and began travelling the country to serve others. On this week's show they share their story and discuss their book *Passion to Action*. Available January 14-15.

This show aired on (Day) 1/15/12 from: (Start Time) 8<sup>00</sup> AM to: (End Time): 8<sup>30</sup> AM

**Georgia Partnership for Excellence in Education**

The Top Ten Issues to Watch is an annual publication of the Georgia Partnership for Excellence in Education. The list of issues for 2012 has been released and guests Dr. Stephen Dolinger, President of the Partnership, and Dr. Dana Rickman, Director of Policy and Research, discuss the issues. Available January 21-22.

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**American Heart Association**

The American Heart Association works to build healthier lives by advocating for strategies that promote public policy for reducing heart disease and stroke. Guests Sarah Balog, Government Relations Director for the American Heart Association, Laura Bracci with the Institute of Public Health at Georgia State University and Robbie Burlas, a volunteer for the American Heart Association, discuss policy issues of 2012. Available January 28-29.

This show aired on (Day) 1/29/12 from: (Start Time) 8<sup>00</sup> AM to: (End Time): 8<sup>30</sup> AM

**Georgia Department of Behavioral Health**

Georgia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities DUI Intervention Program works to improve public health and promote greater safety on the highways of Georgia. Cassandra Price from the Department of Behavioral Health discusses this program. Available February 4-5.

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**Girl Scouts**

This weekend the Girl Scouts celebrate 100 years as the largest girl-serving organization in the nation. Founded by Savannah's Juliette Gordon Low, the Girl Scouts have a rich legacy of developing young women leaders. Guest is Marilyn Midyette, CEO of the Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta. Available February 11-12.

This show aired on (Day) 2/12/12 from: (Start Time) 8<sup>00</sup> AM to: (End Time): 8<sup>30</sup> AM

**Georgia Traffic Injury Prevention Institute**

The Georgia Traffic Injury Prevention Institute (GTIPI) is an educational outreach unit of The University of Georgia that works with law enforcement to support a variety of traffic safety initiatives throughout Georgia. Guests Andrew Turnage and Dana Porter from GTIPI and Ofc. Heather Stafford from Gwinnett County Police, discuss these initiatives. Available February 18-19.

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### **Claxton Wildlife Festival**

The Evans County Wildlife Club, which has hosted the Claxton Rattlesnake Round-up since 1968, has changed the name of this annual event to the Claxton Rattlesnake and Wildlife Festival. Guests Luther Royal, Mayor of Claxton, Bruce Purcell, President of the Evans County Wildlife Club, and Mike Harris and John Jensen from GA Dept. of Natural Resources, discuss the event. Available February 25-26.

This show aired on (Day) 2/26/12 from: (Start Time) 8<sup>00</sup> AM to: (End Time): 8<sup>30</sup> AM

### **Georgia Secretary of State/Elections**

The Georgia Secretary of State's office has wide-ranging responsibilities including supervision of efficient and secure elections. Brian Kemp has been GA's Secretary of State Since January 2010. On this program he discusses the 2012 elections. Available March 3-4.

This show aired on (Day) 3/4/12 from: (Start Time) 8<sup>00</sup> AM to: (End Time): 8<sup>30</sup> AM

### **75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Georgia State Patrol**

2012 is the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Patrol. This program looks back over GSP's history with guests Col. Mark McDonough, Commissioner of the GA Dept. of Public Safety, Major Robert Hightower and TFC Van Keller, both GSP retired and Gordy Wright Public Information Officer for the GA Dept of Public Safety. Available March 9-10.

This show aired on (Day) 3/11/12 from: (Start Time) 8<sup>00</sup> AM to: (End Time): 8<sup>30</sup> AM

### **HUD**

Scam artists posing as financial advisors or debt relief consultants are taking advantage of vulnerable homeowners whose homes have been threatened by economic difficulty. Ed Jennings, HUD's Region 4 Regional Administrator, discusses The US Department of Housing and Urban Development's Know It. Avoid It. Report It. campaign which works to help homeowners avoid mortgage scams. Available March 16-17.

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**Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day/*Vietnam Remembered Today***

In 2011 the U.S. Senate passed a resolution co-sponsored by GA Senator Johnny Isakson declaring March 30 "Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day." Vietnam Veterans Mark & Don Shaughnessy, authors of *Vietnam Remembered Today* discuss their wartime experiences. Available March 24-25.

This show aired on (Day) 3/25/12 from: (Start Time) 8<sup>00</sup> AM to: (End Time): 8<sup>30</sup> AM

**Governor's Office of Consumer Protection**

The Governor's Office of Consumer Protection protects consumers and businesses from unlawful, deceptive and unfair practices in the marketplace through education and enforcement of the laws. Our guest today is John Sours, Administrator of the Governors Office of Consumer Protection. Available March 31- April 1.

This show aired on (Day) 4/1/12 from: (Start Time) 8<sup>00</sup> AM to: (End Time): 8<sup>30</sup> AM