

WAKR, WONE-FM, WQMX, WNWV 2023, 3rd Quarter Community Issues/Programs

During 2022, a survey was conducted by the Center for Marketing and Opinion Research to assess the community needs facing Northeast Ohio and Summit County. According to the most recent information we have, the problems noted during the period fell into the following categories (presented in order of importance):

- 1. Crime & Safety Concerns
 - a. Gun Violence
 - b. Police Brutality
 - c. Safety Law Enforcement
 - d. Crime
- 2. Public Services
 - a. Infrastructure
 - b. Education Health Drugs
- 3. Economic Issues
 - a. Unemployment Jobs
 - b. Economic Development
 - c. Inflation Cost of Living
 - d. Poverty
- 4. Substance Abuse/Heroin
- 5. Racial Issues
 - a. Diversity
 - b. Equality
 - c. Inclusion
- 6. Housing
- a. Homelessness
- b. Lack of Affordable Housing
- c. Vacant or Neglected Properties

NOTE: COVID continues to be a primary health concern in the community, although the immediate threat posed by the illness has abated.

INFLATION/FUEL PRICES: During 2023, Inflation and Fuel Costs have continued as an important issue. Groceries and commuting costs are rising, creating hardships for many. Also, housing costs are a major concern. While Northeast Ohio enjoys a comparatively low cost of living, recent increases are just a painful here as they are in traditionally more expensive regions.

WAKR-WONE-WQMX-WNWV focused on the following issues for this quarter:

- 1. Health & Wellness (including COVID19)
- 2. Political Leadership
- 3. Diversity
- 4. Economy & Inflation
- 5. Social Services
- 6. Crime & Personal Safety
- 7. Education
- 8. Housing Development

Regularly Scheduled Programs

In addition to the programs listed, stations also provided the following regularly scheduled news and community service programming:

WAKR News – 3:00 length local newscasts 5am-9am M-F at the top and bottom of each of each hour 5:30a-8:30a, and top of the hour following CBS News 9a-1p.

CBS News – airs on 1590 WAKR Newscasts are 6:00 in length until 9am M-F, with the exception of the World News Roundup at 8:00 a.m. M-F (10 minutes) and 1-min hourly updates throughout the day.

WAKR Ray Horner Show – 5:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Monday-Friday. News, sports, weather, traffic, business and topical interviews of local, national and community interest.

America in the Morning - airs on 1590 WAKR 5a-6a M-F with topical news, sports, business and information. 54:00 length. Network program.

WONE News – 1:30 length hourly local newscasts 6a-8a weekdays. These newscasts are conversational in nature and air at 6:40am, 7:40am and 8:40am.

WQMX News – 2:30 length local newscasts 5:30a-8:30a at the top and bottom of each hour weekdays.

Weather Updates - all stations present weather updates at least every hour during live programming and break in to programming when severe weather events warrant.

Traffic Updates - All stations: regular traffic and highway construction updates at least three times each hour on WNWV, WAKR, WONE & WQMX during weekday mornings. Updates are provided weekday afternoons as needed.

Spectrum – produced by the RCRG Newsroom presenting in-depth treatment of local, regional and national issues. Some programs also include presentations of the City Club of Cleveland highlighting a wide range of programming. Airs on WAKR, WONE-FM & WNWV. More detail on this program is provided elsewhere in this report.

Forum 360 – produced by the Jewish Community Center of Akron in association with the Rubber City Radio Group, a 30-minute program airs each Monday morning at 12:30 a.m. on WAKR and Sunday at 6:30 a.m. on WONE at 5:30 p.m. on WAKR depending on sports schedules.

Center Talks – produced by the Akron Urban League and 1590 WAKR with information on agencies and programs of benefit to the Akron urban community. This program runs 30:00.

CBS Weekend Roundup - a 48:00 minute review of the week's biggest news stories. Program airs Sundays on WAKR.

CBS Face the Nation - a 58:00 program with news and debate originating in Washington, D.C. Program airs Sundays on WAKR.

RCRG Community Outreach

As part of our continued community outreach, RCRG works in partnership with various community groups to both raise funds and help operations of non-profit charitable groups and profile worthwhile community events. Among the initiatives for this quarter:

WQMX Hosted or Participated in the Following Community Events:

WQMX GOLD OUTING. Monday, August 7th at Raintree Golf & Event Center. The station sponsored this charity golf outing in support of NEOPAT, the Northeast Ohio Foundation for Patriotism. NEOPAT provides support to veterans, who need it, and their families. The organization provides mental wellness and emergency services. WQMX provided opportunities for on-air discussion of the organization and supported this event with on-air promotion and social media.

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- WQMX WINE COUNTRY WEDNESDAY W/HANNAH ELLIS. Wednesday, September 13th at the 1975 Winery. This live Country Music showcase raised money for WQMX Bosom Buddies, our ongoing fundraiser that provides free mammograms to those who cannot afford them. The event was supported with on-air promotion and social media.
- WQMX CHARITY CONCERT w/MICHAEL RAY AND FRANK RAY. Thursday, September 22 at The Dust Armadillo. This live country music showcase raised money for NEOPAT. The event was supported with on-air promotion and social media.
- WQMX CLAMBAKE. Sunday, September 24th at the Dusty Armadillo. This afternoon charitable event was in support of NEOPAT. It was supported by on-air promotion and social media.
- **WQMX Pet Rescue**: A continuing on air feature which presents adoptable pets every Thursday morning at 8:40.

WONE Hosted or Participated in the Following Community Events:

- **Pet of The Week:** The WONE Morning team interviews representatives from the Summit County Humane Society every Wednesday. Homeless pets are featured, usually one cat and one dog, as a way to get these animals adopted.
- **Rib, White & Blue Festival:** 4th of July Weekend. WONE hosted the music stage at this annual civic event to boost attendance and also raised money to support the Valor Home.
- WONE Rock The Lock: Each Friday evening, during the summer, WONE hosts live music in Downtown Akron. Each week features a different "Tribute Band" covering one of WONE's core artists. The station does a fundraiser each week to support and raise awareness for Summit County's Valor Home, an agency that provides housing for disabled veterans in the Greater Akron area.
- **WONE Online Store:** WONE operates this online merchandise store as a way to raise funds for the Summit County Valor Home.
- WONE Public Affairs: WONE also raises money for Valor Home whenever station personalities appear publicly. Some examples are the Dragway 42 Music Festival (featuring Ted Nugent) and the Props & Pistons Festival at Akron Fulton Airport.

WNWV Participated in the Following Community Event:

- **Cleveland Verses Foundation.** July 21st. The Foundation engages the Greater Cleveland Music Community in an effort to provide funds and publicity in order to fight human trafficking. On the 21st, the station participated in a music event which raised moneys for the project. WNWV supported the event with on-air publicity and social media.
- **107.3 Alt-CLE Online Store:** WNWV operates an online merchandise store raising money for the Summit County Valor Home.

107.3 Cares: During the period, WNWV produced a series of public service announcements in support of community agencies of interest to the 107.3 audience. Target agencies include the following:

- Northern Ohio Recovery Services: 140 :60 second announcements
- Avon High School Drama Department: 47 :60 second announcements
- Cuyahoga Dogs Animal Shelter: 280 announcements, in addition Jaci features a dog weekly during a segment on her show. This just repeats that segment.
- Downs Syndrome Associaiton: 168 announcements :60 second announcements
- Bair Foundation: 112 announcements :60 second announcements

WAKR Community Programming:

<u>Ray Horner Morning Show</u>: This program airs 5:30a – 9:00a, Monday-Friday with the exception of major holidays. It provides regular newscasts, sports, traffic and weather in addition to a regular listing of community, news and topical interviews.

Here is a summary of the Issues and Topics covered during the quarter:

Date	Time	Guest/Topic	Category	
07/03/23	06:40 AM	Lauren Siburkis, First Energy: power outages update	Crime and Personal Safety	
07/03/23	08:40 AM	WAKR Business of the Week: Osteostrong	Economy	
07/05/23	06:40 AM	Jared Embick, Akron Men's Soccer Coach: on upcoming season and new conference	Education	
07/05/23	08:40 AM	Dr. Joe Congeni, Sports Medicine Center: heat health.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
07/06/23	06:40 AM	Don Padgett, Firestone Golf Tournament: overview of event, Kaulig Companies Tournament	Economy	
07/06/23	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: on what having the golf tournament in Akron means to city economy.	Political Leadership	
07/06/23	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: what type of crops expected this year.	Education	
07/06/23	08:15 AM	Dr. Donald Dumford, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: SARS and Covid, relationship	Gen. Health and Wellness	
07/10/23	06:40 AM	Larry Napora, Firestone Golf Course: keeping the course at championship level.	Economy	
07/10/23	07:10 AM	Sarah Vojtek, Stewart's Caring Place: organization gong forward.	Social Service Agencies	
07/10/23	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: proper way to bath your dogs.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
07/10/23	08:40 AM	WAKR Business of the Week: Meadon and Moore.	Economy	

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07/11/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Michael Aguilar, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: osteopathic therapy	Gen. Health and Wellness	
07/11/23	07:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: opiod problem still there?	Gen. Health and Wellness	
07/11/23	07:40 AM	Bill Judge, Barberton Mayor: new tenants in Barberton complex.	Political Leadership	
07/11/23	08:40 AM	Justin Chesnic, ODOT: update on central interchange project.	Transportation	
07/12/23	06:20 AM	Ren Camacho, President of Akron/Canton Airport: on being selected to Board of Trustees at Kent State University.	Transportation	
07/12/23	06:40 AM	Greg Mervis, Akron Visitors and Convention Bureau: on the golf tournament in Akron, what it means, impact!!	Economy	
07/12/23	07:10 AM	Danielle Thompson, Northern Ohio Golf charities: on their impact in Summit County.	Economy	
07/13/23	06:40 AM	Matt Kaulig, Kaulig Company: sponsor of the golf tournament at Firestone, on why he did	Economy	
07/13/23	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: having the golf tournament in Akron, what it means to city.	Political Leadership	
07/13/23	08:15 AM	Dr. Uzra Krebs, Summa Health System: new drug to fight Alzheimers.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
07/14/23	07:10 AM	Don Padgett, Kaulig Companies Championship Executive Director: impact of tournament in Akron.	Economy	
07/17/23	06:20 AM	Laura Radcliffe, Financial Advisor: what is your dollar amount at retirement	Economy	
07/17/23	07:10 AM	Nan McClenaghan, Goodwill: on the Employee of Distinction luncheon.	Social Service Agencies	
07/17/23	08:40 AM	WAKR Business of the Week: Easy Climber.	Economy	
07/18/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: back pain	Gen. Health and Wellness	

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07/18/23	07:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: air quality concerns.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
07/18/23	08:15 AM	Bill Judge, Barberton Mayor: Babcock and Wilcox land being used.	Political Leadership	
07/19/23	06:40 AM	Scott Taylor, CEO International Derby: on the Global look at the Derby	Economy	
07/19/23	07:40 AM	Don Walters, Cuyahoga Falls Mayor: new fire station.	Political Leadership	
07/19/23	08:40 AM	Brett Trier, President of Derby: what keeps it going strong.	Economy	
07/20/23	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: economic impact of Derby week.	Political Leadership	
07/20/23	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: getting fruit plants sprayed.	Education	
07/20/23	08:40 AM	Dr. Cameron Lee, Kent State University: high heat weather.	Education	
07/21/23	06:40 AM	Bob Troyer, Soap Box Derby: events and impact of Derby in Akron.	Economy	
07/21/23	07:10 AM	Brian Thomas, United Disabilities Services: fundraiser and their role in the community	Social Service Agencies	
07/24/23	07:10 AM	Dr. Will Goldman, Akron Children's Hospital: RSV in children.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
07/24/23	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: sharks	Gen. Health and Wellness	
07/24/23	08:15 AM	Dr. Kathryn Wilson, Kent State University: grain deal gone, global economic impact.	Education	
07/25/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Joe Shawnee, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: incontinence.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
07/25/23	07:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: air quality issues.	Gen. Health and Wellness	

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07/26/23	06:40 AM	Tim Dimoff, SACS Investigation: kidnapping investigation.	Crime and Personal Safety	
07/26/23	07:40 AM	Robert Didaro, Prism Wealth Management: inflation numbers.	Economy	
07/26/23	08:35 AM	Dr. Joe Congeni, Sports Medicine Center: hydration in young athletes.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
07/27/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Jeffrey Smith, Akron Children's Hospital: ADHD cases.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
07/27/23	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: busy summer but good for Akron	Political Leadership	
07/27/23	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: veggie crop slow.	Education	
07/27/23	08:15 AM	Sherrod Brown, Senator: name image and likeness bill.	Political Leadership	
07/31/23	06:40 AM	Mark Williamson, Akron Public Schools: opening of school schedules.	Education	
07/31/23	07:10 AM	Jason Lorenzon, Kent State Univeristy: air travel	Economy	
07/31/23	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: exotic pets.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/01/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: asthma	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/01/23	07:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: opiod addiction problem continues.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/02/23	07:40 AM	Dr. Aaron Lear, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: summer time workouts for teens.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/02/23	07:50 AM	Jim Phander, Akron Rubberducks: homestand update.	Economy	
08/03/23	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: update on Lock 3 renovations	Political Leadership	

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08/03/23	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: bag worms	Education	
08/03/23	08:15 AM	Joe Vassalotti, Akron Public Schools Athletics: new fall season.	Education	
08/03/23	08:40 AM	Abbey Granger, Akron Children's Hospital: counseling children on going back to school.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/07/23	07:10 AM	Dr. Marya Strand, Akron Children's Hospital: good diet for children school lunches.	Health Care	
08/07/23	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: end of life issues for your pets.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/07/23	08:40 AM	WAKR Business of the Week: Roof 2 Roof.	Economy	
08/08/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: medicines reaction to hot weather.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/08/23	07:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: covid re- emerging.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/09/23	07:10 AM	Robert Dodaro, Prism Wealth Management: housing market troubles.	Economy	
08/09/23	08:40 AM	Dr. Joe Congeni, Sports Medicine Center: deeper research into concussed victims.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/10/23	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: redesigning Akron	Political Leadership	
08/10/23	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: getting rid of the beetles this season.	Education	
08/10/23	08:15 AM	Lindsay McCoy, WFMJ TV: East Palistine recovering from train derailment, Norfolk Southern	Crime and Personal Safety	
08/11/23	07:10 AM	Marquis Hayes, East CLC Football Coach: on the state of the program, changing lives.	Education	
08/14/23	07:20 AM	Tim Dimoff, SACS Investigations: Spies among us!!	Crime and Personal Safety	

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08/14/23	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: keeping pets food and water fresh	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/14/23	08:15 AM	Dr. Cameron Lee, Kent State University: how the climate change is affecting humans lives.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/14/23	08:40 AM	WAKR Business of the Week: Oasis Outreach Center.	Economy	
08/15/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: reflux	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/15/23	07:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: new covid variant.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/15/23	07:40 AM	Jim McIntyre, American Red Cross: help going to Maui	Social Service Agencies	
08/15/23	08:15 AM	Brody Jackson, Athletic Director Manchester High School: new turf field ready to go.	Education	
08/16/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Gina Rhodes, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: teen anxiety going back to school.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/16/23	07:40 AM	Kathy Vidal, Director of the US Patent and Trademark Office: on the importance of STEM education.	Education	
08/16/23	08:15 AM	Joe Vassalotti, Akron Public Schools Athletic Director: high school football.	Education	
08/17/23	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: solar panels being installed for the city	Political Leadership	
08/17/23	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: bags of worms in trees, concerning!!	Education	
08/18/23	07:10 AM	Tim Tyrell, Hoban Football Coach: on the upcoming season that starts on Saturday.	Education	
08/21/23	06:40 AM	Tim Dimoff, SACS Investigative Services: police man power low	Crime and Personal Safety	
08/21/23	07:10 AM	Don Zeseger, Akron Public Schools Chief Security Officer: security measures in place at Akron Public Schools for new school year.	Education	

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08/21/23	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: limping problems in pets.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/21/23	08:15 AM	Dr. Katrina Hermetet, Akron Children's Hospital: separation anxiety in children.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/21/23	08:45 AM	WAKR Business of the Week: Fast Track Metal Roofing.	Economy	
08/22/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: back to school health for children	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/22/23	07:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: looking at the new covid variant	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/22/23	07:40 AM	Dr. Rob Bohrer, Hiram College President: on being selected as one of the best colleges in the US	Education	
08/22/23	08:40 AM	Dean Christina Bloebaum, Kent State University: looking at the explosion in popularity of the Aeronautics College at the school	Education	
08/23/23	06:40 AM	Kim Ventresca, Vantage Aging: ways to help aging population.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
08/23/23	07:40 AM	Renee Powell, Clearview Golf Club: history of this historic golf course in Akron area.	Economy	
08/23/23	08:15 AM	Dr. Gary Miller, President of the University of Akron: on the new school season.	Education	
08/24/23	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: water flow through city.	Political Leadership	
08/24/23	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: drought advice.	Education	
08/24/23	08:40 AM	Dr. Mitchell McKinney, University of Akron: on the first GOP Presidential Debate	Political Leadership	
08/25/23	07:10 AM	Lexi Ritt, Alzhiemers Association: new drug to fight disease.	Social Service Agencies	
08/28/23	06:40 AM	Anne Bitong, Akron Marathon President: overview of event	Economy	

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08/28/23	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: fighting tick season.	Gen. Health and Wellness
08/28/23	08:40 AM	WAKR Business of the Week: Station 300, bowling.	Economy
08/29/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: overall stress help.	Gen. Health and Wellness
08/29/23	07:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: uptick in Covid cases.	Gen. Health and Wellness
08/29/23	08:40 AM	Anne Bitong, President of the Akron Marathon: preview of important races facts.	Economy
08/30/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Justin Dunn, Summa Health System: what is a heart defect.	Gen. Health and Wellness
08/30/23	07:10 AM	Lisa Dalpiaz, Akron/Canton Airport: getting ready for a busy holiday travel season.	Transportation
08/30/23	07:40 AM	Jim McIntyre, American Red Cross: fighting the wild fires in Hawaii.	Social Service Agencies
08/31/23	06:40 AM	Pamela Barnes, CVNP: what they have to offer and how they provide for Ohioans.	Economy
08/31/23	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: sewer system improvements	Political Leadership
08/31/23	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: getting the bugs out of the yard.	Education
08/31/23	08:15 AM	Patrick DeHaan, GasBuddy.com: fuel prices during the holiday weekend.	Economy
09/05/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Sarah Woodrow, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: new robotic surgery.	Gen. Health and Wellness
09/05/23	07:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: covid spreading!!	Gen. Health and Wellness
09/05/23	07:40 AM	Steve Millard, Greater Akron Chamber of Commerce: how Akron businesses are fairing	Economy

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09/05/23	08:40 AM	Scott Summers, Linda Theater: new ownership group is planning changes.	Economy
09/06/23	06:20 AM	Matt Kaulig, Kaulig Companies Chief Executive: on their work with Akron Children	Social Service Agencies
09/06/23	06:40 AM	Nan McCleneghan, Goodwill President: on the Employee of Distinction banquet.	Social Service Agencies
09/06/23	07:10 AM	Dr. Jim Lebecco, Dermatologist: skin cancer education.	Gen. Health and Wellness
09/07/23	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: worm bags education.	Education
09/08/23	07:10 AM	Frank Todaro, Malto Bella Car Show: benefit the Kidney Foundation.	Social Service Agencies
09/11/23	06:40 AM	Tim Dimoff, SACS Security: 9/11 and National Security advances	Crime and Personal Safety
09/11/23	07:10 AM	Dr. Karl Kaltenthaler, University of Akron: terror cells education.	Crime and Personal Safety
09/11/23	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: mental health issues in pets.	Gen. Health and Wellness
09/11/23	08:15 AM	Dr. Mark Cassell, Kent State University: domestic terror groups are concerning.	Crime and Personal Safety
09/11/23	08:40 AM	WAKR Business of the Week: Core Business Providers.	Economy
09/12/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: senior health schedules.	Gen. Health and Wellness
09/12/23	07:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: new vaccine gets FDA approval	Gen. Health and Wellness
09/13/23	06:40 AM	Christie Peters, American Red Cross: blood shortage.	Social Service Agencies
09/13/23	07:10 AM	Dr. Donald Dumford, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: new vaccine for covid.	Gen. Health and Wellness

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09/13/23	08:15 AM	Ken Babby, Akron Rubberducks Owner: recap of the 2023 season.	Economy	
09/18/23	06:40 AM	Katie Jenkins, NAMI: on suicide prevention.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
09/18/23	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: old age health for our pets.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
09/18/23	08:15 AM	Dr. Maria Hamdani, University of Akron: getting back to the office in 2024.	Economy	
09/18/23	08:40 AM	WAKR Business of the Week: Fresche Catering.	Economy	
09/19/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: flu, covid and allergy season, how to not get confused!!	Gen. Health and Wellness	
09/19/23	07:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: new covid vaccine protocol.	Gen. Health and Wellness	
09/19/23	07:40 AM	Jeff Gilbert, CBS Auto Expert: on UAW Strike	Economy	
09/19/23	08:40 AM	David Pellig, Kent State University: Cryptic Currency.	Economy	
09/20/23	07:40 AM	Dr. Kathryn Wilson, Professor of Economics Kent State University: US economic picture	Economy	
09/20/23	08:40 AM	Dr. Joe Congeni, Sports Medicine Center: Nick Chubb injury	Gen. Health and Wellness	
09/21/23	06:40 AM	Katie Riley, Akron Marathon: the need for volunteers	Economy	
09/21/23	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: on relationship with the University of Akron.	Political Leadership	
09/21/23	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: grub control.	Education	
09/21/23	08:20 AM	Sherrod Brown, US Senator: Norfolk Southern update.	Political Leadership	

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09/22/23	07:20 AM	WAKR Student Athlete of the Week Program: this week honoring students from Firestone High School	Education	
09/26/23	06:40 AM	Robin Steinmetz, Stark State College: educational options.	Education	
09/26/23	07:10 AM	Dan Rice, Ohio-Erie Canal Coalition: new bridge opening this week	Transportation	
09/26/23	07:20 AM	Megan Meyer/ Chris Wilkins, Akron Public Schools: joint concert with Akron Public Schools and the Akron Symphony Choir.	Education	
09/26/23	08:15 AM	Katie Riley, Akron Marathon: volunteers lead the day.	Economy	
09/27/23	06:20 AM	Joe Stella, Akron/Canton Builds: construction worker expo	Economy	
09/27/23	06:40 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: headaches	Gen. Health and Wellness	
09/27/23	07:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: covid update	Gen. Health and Wellness	
09/27/23	07:40 AM	Laura McElrath, Akron Marathon: race day needs.	Economy	

WQMX, WONE-FM & WNWV: SPECTRUM

Spectrum is RCRG's weekly newsmaker deep dive interview show. Each week, subjects of interest are reviewed in greater detail than is possible in short newscasts. The program airs on Sundays at various times. Below is a summary of each program aired during the period.

Date:	Show Title	Show Content	Host	Interviewer
July 1-2, 2023	Stock Market and 401ks; Allergy Season; UA Soccer Joins Big East Conference	Robert Dodaro, Prism Wealth Management; Dr. Lyn Hamrich, Summa Health, Jared Embick, UA Soccer Coach	Katie Sabaka	Ray Horner
July 8-9, 2023	Ohio AARP & Caregivers, Difference between SARS & Covid, Akron News including Marijuana, Legalization, Small Business, & Firestone Gulf Tournament	Holly Holtzen Ohio AARP, Dr. Donald Dumford, Akron Mayor Dan Horrigan	Katie Sabaka	Ray Horner
July 15-15- 2023	Future at Akron Public Schools, Oil Spill in Tuscarawas River, Fentanyl-Xylazine drug menace called "Tranq", and new Alzheimer's drug just approved by the FDA.	C. Michael Robinson, new Superintendent of Akron Public Schools, Barberton Mayor, Bill Judge, Summit County Health Commissioner, Donna Skoda, Pharmacist, Joe Marciano, and Dr. Ezra Krebs, from Summa Hospital.	Jeanne Destro	Ray Horner
July 22-23, 2023	Soap Box Derby Week, the Actors Join the WGA on Strike, New Business in Barberton	Soap Box Derby Champ Dennis Van Fossen, Film Studies Professor Joe Fortunato, Barberton Mayor, Bill Judge	Katie Sabaka	Ray Horner
July 28-29- 23	Record heat, Bronny James- Cardiac Arrest-New schools in Kenmore, new charges against former President Trump.	Dr. Cameron Lee, Climatology, KSU, Dr. Joe Congeni, Sports Medicine, Akron Children's Hospital, Tina Boyes, Better Kenmore CNC, Linda Kenyon, CBS News.	Jeanne Destro	Ray Horner & Jeanne Destro
August 5-6, 2023	Akron Updates Including Lock 3 Renovations and Taxes, Preparing for Back to School, Donald Trump Arraigned on Federal Charges	Akron Mayor Dan Horrigan, APS Communications Director Mark Williamson, Political Analyst and Professor Dr. David Beer	Katie Sabaka	Ray Horner
August 12- 13, 2023	Issue One passes, 59th Anniversary of Gulf of Tonkin Resolution. US Supreme Court delays Perdue Pharma Opiod settlement, Opiod overdose deaths on the rise in Summit County, the changing economy and housing market.	Malone University Political Science Professor, David Beer, Dr. Kevin Kern, History Prof., University of Akron, Christopher Cruise, CBS News, Summit County Health Commissioner, Donna Skoda, Robert Dodaro, Financial advisor, Prism Wealth Management.	Jeanne Destro	Ray Horner

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