# The Adam Ritz Show

# WSKI-AM – Fourth Quarter Topics and Issues Report October 1, 2022 – December 32, 2022

# Aired 10/2/22 7:30a Duration: 30 Min

This show cover the recovery effort in Southwest Florida from the damage of Hurricane Ian. If you'd like to donate or volunteer, go to www.VolunteerFlorida.com or www.RedCross.com. We also talk about the scammers that will try to take advantage of the disaster to steal money. Other topics discussed include; Hurricane Preparedness; Breast Cancer Awareness Month; Adopt a Shelter Pet Awareness Month; Financial Planning; and more.

#### Aired 10/9/22 7:30a Duration: 30 Min

This show begins with a recent warning from the FDA for parents and children to be aware of Rainbow Fentanyl. With the colorful shapes and sizes this deadly drug can look very similar to candy, which is certainly something to think about before the kids go trick or treating this Halloween season. Other segments include; Sober October, challenging yourself to not drink alcohol for the entire month; Flu Shot awareness; Florida Disaster Fund; and more.

# Aired 10/16/22 7:30a Duration: 30 Min

This show begins with a discussion of Charity Auctions, in light of the 1800's era Levi Jeans that were sold at auction this week for \$76,000. Other segments include an "Office' themed Bar Crawl for charity in Ohio for the Make A Wish Foundation; Police vs Firefighter Hockey game, Battle of The Badges, raising money for the Make A Wish Foundation; Rob Hale, co-owner of the Boston Celtics, committing to give away \$1 Million a week to Boston area charities in a calendar year for a total of \$52 Million; supporting and enjoying State Parks; and more.

# Aired 10/23/22 7:30a Duration: 30 Min

This show begins with a look at a charity concert to raise money for the victims of Hurricane Ian in the fort Myers area. The Fort Myers Beach Relief Concert recently took place at Whiskey Row in Nashville, and the proceeds went to the Fort Myers Beach Women's Club. The mission of the Woman's Club is to support educational and recreational activities for nonprofit and charitable organizations operating with the greater Fort Myers Beach community. To learn more and donate go to www.fmb-wc.org. Other segments include; Formal Wear charity football game in Boston benefitting Operation Delta Dog, which trains service dogs for veterans; Paul Allen, the co-founder of Microsoft who passed away in 2018, has given \$2.6 Billion to charity over his lifetime. The Paul Allen estate will auction off his art collection valued at \$1 Billion thru Christie's Auctions; and more

# Aired 10/30/22 7:30a Duration: 30 min

This is our annual Halloween show, featuring safety and more. We cover pedestrian safety with the trick or treaters, costume safety, drinking and driving, offensive costumes, candy safety, and alcohol awareness. The 31st of October can be haunting, especially if you're not paying attention to Halloween Safety!

# Aired 11/6/22 7:30a Duration: 30 Min

We start the show with a story on John Oates, of hall & Oates, who has teamed up with Movember for the nonprofit's annual fall campaign, when men grow mustaches to raise awareness and funds for men's health issues like mental illness, suicide prevention, and testicular and prostate cancer. It's a worthy cause that convinced Oates to grow out his once-lush '70s 'stache. Learn more and donate at <u>us.movember.com</u>. Other segments include; Hazards of Binge Drinking; Daylight Savings Time; Taylor Hawkins Tribute Concerts and Auction; and more.

# Aired 11/13/22 7:30a Duration: 30 Min

We begin this episode with a new Guinness World Record. 178 people with the same first and last name recently gathered in one place to break the previous record of 168 people named Martha Stewart. This new record took place in Tokyo, with people ranging in age from 3 to 80, all named Tanaka Hirokazu. Other segments

include; A follow up on Daylight Savings Time and its affect on sleep deprivation; A car show in Miami that's raised over 35 million dollars for charity; and more.

# Aired 11/20/22 7:30a Duration: 30 Min

This show features a conversation with Bertie Higgins. Bertie is most known for bis #8 hit in 1982 called Key Largo. The song also hit #1 on the Adult Contemporary charts. We talk about his Charity Work from Golf Outings to Live Benefit Concerts, and more specifically his work with Equestrian Charities to raise money and awareness for Youth Riding Programs and Animal Therapy. We also discuss how he was Knighted; Heart Health Awareness from his experience with open Heart Surgery; his work on a Bill Haley (Rock Around The Clock) Museum Documentary; and more. Knighted

#### Aired 11/27/22 7:30a Duration: 30 Min

This show begins with a nod to all the Turkey Trotters and Drumstick Dashers that braved a 5K prior to their Thanksgiving celebrations. We highlight a virtual Turkey Trot, called www.AmericasTurkeyTrot.com, which raised over \$40,000 last year. Other segments include; A final nod to John Oates and his mustache for being the International Spokesperson for Movember supporting Men's Health and Awareness; Inflation's affect on charitable gifts this year; A BMW Car Auction benefitting The Ronald McDonald House; Hearing Loss Awareness; The Naval Academy's Giving Tree Charity that helps 500 kids in Annapolis thru the Salvation Army; and more.

#### Aired 12/4/22 7:30a Duration: 30 Min

We start the show and the new month of December, with a report on Karing For Kids. Karing For Kids is a charity founded by Hucks Market, a convenience store chain in the midwest. Adam was honored to emcee the recent Karing For Kids golf outing and banquet. Other segments include; A Sock Drive by Orange Theory Fitness; Financing your holiday gifts with a new credit card; Tips to avoid grogginess in the morning; Tampa Bay Lightening hockey player donates to Tampa Bay Thrives; Alzheimers Research update; and more.

# Aired 12/11/22 7:30a Duration: 30 Min

This episode features an interview with a special guest and friend of the show, Ken Stacey. Ken is a singer, musician, and producer (who's sang on tour with Elton John, Michael Jackson, and more). He joins us to talk about his latest production, which benefits The Donny Hathaway Legacy Project, info at www.DonnyHathaway.org, which provides culturally relevant and accessible mental health-related education, advocacy, and essential resources needed to support underserved youth and marginalized communities. Ken has produced/arranged a new version of the Donny Hathaway holiday classic, This Christmas, with some of the biggest names in music. Kenny Loggins, Michael McDonald, Richard Marx, Melissa Manchester, among others, joined Ken in studio for this wonderful song and incredible cause.

# Aired 12/18/22 7:30a Duration: 30 Min

In honor of the holiday season, this episode features a conversation with Franke Previte, about his Christmas song 'Merry Christmas Everybody'. He won an Oscar for best original song in 1987 for composing 'I've Had The Time Of My Life' on the Dirty Dancing soundtrack, and sang lead on the top ten 1981 hit 'Sweetheart' by his band Franke & The Knockouts. Now he's teamed up with Vivace and Mark Masri, for this wonderfully produced instant holiday classic. When you download the song at www.radiotv.com, portions of the proceeds will got to Toys For Tots to help brighten the spirits of children this holiday season. Merry Christmas Everybody!!!

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