

2nd Quarter 2014 Issues Programming

WSKI airs a weekly Public Affairs program called ViewPoint. It is locally produced, runs approximately 20 minutes in length, and airs at 6am Sunday mornings. A list of the issues addressed this quarter is attached.

ViewPoint
Issues Programming Summary Report
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 2nd Quarter 2014

Program	Date Aired	Guest(s) & Affiliation	Topic/Focus
# 268	4.6.14	Katie Titterton -Program Director ♦ Children's Literacy Foundation	Focus: Education, Community, Youth The Children's Literacy Foundation is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to inspire a love of reading and writing among children up to age 12 throughout New Hampshire and Vermont. Since 1998, CLIF has served more than 150,000 low-income, at-risk, and rural children in nearly 400 communities across every region of the Twin States. CLIF's powerful combination of children's literacy programs and book donations is the work of inspiring presenters, dedicated staff, and extraordinary board of directors and board of advisors.
# 269	4.13.14	Cassandra Hemenway - Director of Education ♦ CV Solid Waste Management District	Focus: Environment, Health, Economy Central Vermont Solid Waste Management District (CVSWMMD) is leading our communities to reduce waste! As a union municipality with a Zero Waste Implementation Plan, they provide valuable waste management programs and services to 18 member cities and towns to assist them in proper disposal and reduction efforts. CVSWMMD represents the overall interests of members towns through our Board of Supervisors, which consists of a city/town appointed representative. They are frequently involved in state level solid waste policy planning and implementation.

<p>Focus: Animal Welfare, Community, Education</p> <p>HSCC is a private and independent 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization serving both Chittenden and Grand Isle Counties whose mission is to foster compassionate treatment of animals and to prevent animal suffering. We're funded solely by the generous contributions of local businesses, foundations, and individuals. Each year they take in roughly 750 - 1,000 animals (dogs, cats, ferrets, rabbits, guinea pigs and more) and work to care for and responsibly place them in loving forever homes.</p>	<p>◆ Humane Society of Chittenden County</p> <p>Nancy Cathcart -CEO & President</p>	<p>4.20.14</p>	<p># 270</p>
<p>Focus: Human Services, Disability Awareness, Education</p> <p>The Stern Center was founded in 1983 by Dr. Blanche Podhajski as a nonprofit learning center dedicated to helping children and adults reach their full potential. Many people who struggle with reading, writing, and mathematics do not learn the same way as those who easily achieve literacy. Stern Center professionals evaluate and teach all kinds of learners, including those with learning disabilities such as dyslexia or attention deficit disorders. The Stern Center is committed to helping individuals identify their learning strengths as well as their needs and to finding solutions that allow everyone to learn.</p>	<p>Blanche Podhajski -President & Founder</p> <p>◆ Stern Center</p>	<p>4.27.14</p>	<p># 271</p>

<p>Focus: Community, Environment, Health</p> <p>The Community Sailing Center is the only area organization providing everyone, regardless of age, ability or income, with educational and recreational access to Lake Champlain. Through sailing and boating they impart valuable life lessons and a passion for lake stewardship to thousands, including: families, at-risk youth, members of the community, individuals with disabilities and local adults and kids who might otherwise not have access to Lake Champlain.</p>	<p>Mark Naud -Executive Director</p> <p>◆ Lake Champlain Community Sailing Center</p>	<p>5,4.14</p>	<p># 272</p>
<p>Focus: Agriculture, Education, Economy</p> <p>The Center for an Agricultural Economy (CAE) is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization located in beautiful Hardwick, Vermont. The mission is to build a regenerative, locally based, healthy food system by engaging the greater Hardwick community through collaboration opportunities, educational outreach and providing infrastructure. Furthermore, CAE encourages the development of a local system that meets the needs and aspirations of the community and ensures economic and ecological stability and abundance. Through community involvement, integrated and responsible agri-business, and a commitment to economic, ecologic and nutritional health, the Center for an Agricultural Economy supports a vibrant regional food system.</p>	<p>Sarah Waring - Executive Director</p> <p>◆ The Center for an Agricultural Economy</p>	<p>5,11.14</p>	<p># 273</p>

<p>Focus: Arts, Community, Economy</p> <p>The Vermont Crafts Council is dedicated to the advancement of Vermont crafts within Vermont and nationally, through education of the public, and the visual arts and crafts community. It was founded in 1990 by a group of crafts people and representatives of craft organizations from around the state. The organization is also responsible for presenting Opens Studio Weekends, which are statewide events celebrating the vast artistic talent in Vermont.</p>	<p>Ruby Leslie -Artist & Board Member</p> <p>♦ Vermont Crafts Council ♦ Open Studio Weekend</p>	<p>5.18.14</p>	<p># 274</p>
<p>Focus: Arts, Education, Community</p> <p>The Discovered Jazz Festival broaden awareness and appreciation of jazz through quality live performances of national and regional scope; present educational activities that illuminate the art form for students of all ages and backgrounds; showcase Vermont and regional jazz artists, including students; and create a vital city-wide community festival that contributes to the national jazz dialogue.</p>	<p>Linda Little -Executive Director</p> <p>♦ Discover Jazz Festival</p>	<p>5.25.14</p>	<p># 275</p>

<p>Focus: Recreation, Economy, Tourism</p> <p>Vermont Outdoor Guide Association provides support and promotion for recreational services, including guides, outfitters, outdoor educators, lodging providers, tour operators, retail and rental businesses and support services for the recreation and travel industry. It provides a resource to keep up with industry related news</p>	<p>◆ Vermont Outdoor Guide Association</p> <p>Graydon Stevens - Executive Director</p>	<p>6.1.14</p>	<p># 276</p>
<p>Focus: Environment, Wildlife, Youth, Community</p> <p>The mission of VINS, the Vermont Institute of Natural Science, is to motivate individuals and communities to care for the environment through education, research and avian wildlife rehabilitation. They are located in Quechee,</p>	<p>◆ Vermont Institute of Natural Science</p> <p>Charlie Ratigan - Executive Director</p>	<p>6.8.14</p>	<p># 277</p>

<p>Focus: Disability Awareness, Health, Recreation</p> <p>Vermont Adaptive Ski & Sports is committed to empowering individuals with disabilities. They promote independence and further equality through access and instruction to sports and recreational activities. They believe sports and recreation provide a physical, mental and social experience that is immeasurable in promoting self-confidence and independence in an individual. There is a large collaborative group of affiliates, sponsors and partners who believe in the mission and vision, and who afford Vermont Adaptive Ski & Sports the opportunity to bring sports and recreation to people's lives.</p>	<p>Heather Timmons - Program Director</p> <p>♦ Vermont Adaptive Ski & Sports</p>	<p>6.29.14</p>	<p># 280</p>
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