Quarterly Issues/Programs List

The following is a list of issues that were covered during the third quarter of 2016 **(July-September)** on WAFX -FM, WJOI-AM and WNOR-FM "Hampton Roads Focus." This weekly half hour public service program airs each Sunday at 6:30AM. It is hosted by Mike Arlo, Public Affairs Director of Tidewater Communications, Inc.

Shine Girl Foundation

Our guest was Sarah Hummel, Director of Shine Girl. We talked about their mentoring program for middle school girls in Norfolk and Virginia Beach and how it instills values, goal setting, confidence, and their anti-bullying program. (Air Date: July 3rd)

The Urban League of Hampton Roads

Our guest was Gary Williams, Advocate Counselor and Mentor. We discussed the Urban Leagues Programs that serve disadvantaged youths in Hampton Roads. (Air Date: July 17th and July 31st)

Foodbank of the Virginia Peninsula

Our guest was Michelle Benson, Chief Development Officer. We talked about their new summer food service program. The program was developed since kids are out of school and do not receive school breakfast or lunch. The foodbank is offering meals to any child 18 or under at various locations for the entire summer. (Air Dates: July 24th and August 28th)

For Kids

Our guests were Rachael Newman, Annual Fund and Special Projects Manager and Jessica Black, Marketing Director for Diamonds Direct. We talked about the special program to raise funds from Diamonds Direct and the 700 children For Kids serves. They help by providing housing, employment and mental health services for families at risk of homelessness. (Air Dates: August 7th and August 21st)

American Red Cross Disaster Relief

Our guests were Kristen Hatfield, Communications office for the Virginia Regions and Lorrie Powers, Executive Director for Red Cross Coastal Region. We discussed all 5 branches of the Red Cross. We also talked about hurricane preparedness and fire safety. (Air Date: July 14th)

American Red Cross Blood Drive

Our guest was Bernadette Jay, External Communications manager of Mid-Atlantic Blood Services. She discussed the annual Rock and Roll up your sleeve blood drive to be held July 14th through the 16th at Patrick Henry Mall, Pembroke Mall, and Chesapeake Square Mall. She discussed the ongoing need for blood donation, who can give blood, how often blood can be given, the most desirable blood types and some of the myths around blood donation. She gave out contact info. (Air Date: June 26th and July 10th)

Ping Pong for Charity

Our guests were Ken Lees, President and Founder of Ping Pong for Charity and Dr. Scott Sautter, Neuropsychologist. We talked about the multiple charities the Ping Pong Charity will benefit, their silent auction, and other fund raisers at the Virginia Beach Field House on September 10th. (Air Date: September 4th)

Versibility Resources

Our guests were John Coffren, Chief Human Resource Officer and Julie Palmer, Quality Compliance Officer. We discussed their ongoing mission to employ people with disabilities. They have multiple contracts with NASA, US Air Force, US Navy, and even have a manufacturing facility for sterile gauze that supplies military hospitals all staffed by the disabled. (Air Dates: September 11th and October 2nd)

Virginia Eye Foundation

Our guests were Debra Laughlin, Former ER nurse and now with Foundation Fighting Blindness and Dr. John Shepard, Eye Surgeon. We discussed the foundations work to improve eye care, prevent blindness, and provide underserved communities with services. We talked about their upcoming fund raiser at Virginia Beach Westin Hotel on October 1st. (Air Date: September 18th)

Kempsville Lions Club

Out guest was John Moreau, Member and Chairman of the 5k run. We talked about the history of the Lions Club, all their local amazing programs, and their upcoming Octoberfest 5k run to be held on October 16th. (Air Dates: September 25th and October 29th)