

**4th Quarter 2012 "Georgia Focus" Public Affairs Issues/Clearance**

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**Physician Shortage in Georgia**

Georgia is the ninth most populous state in the United States, yet ranks 40<sup>th</sup> in per capita practicing physicians. This physician shortage disproportionately affects rural communities. Monty Veazey and Julie Windom from the Georgia Alliance of Community Hospitals discuss efforts to increase the number of physicians in Georgia. Available October 6-7.

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**Georgia Credit Unions**

As Georgians continue to feel the effects of the recession many are looking for better value in financial services. Credit unions are member-owned, not-for-profit financial institutions that provide a wealth of services and promote economic well-being. Guests are Mike Mercer, CEO, Georgia Credit Union Affiliates and Chairman of the Credit Union National Association, Denise Swan, CEO of GEMC Federal Credit Union in Tucker and Brian Akin, CEO, North Georgia Credit Union in Toccoa. Available October 13-14.

**Georgia Department of Education School Nutrition Program**

The Department of Education's School Nutrition Program provides resources to help local schools deliver quality meals and education that contribute to the nutritional well-being of school kids. This program discusses the program with Peggy Lawrence, Rockdale County School District's School Nutrition Director and from the GA Department of Education's School Nutrition Program, Nancy Rice, State Director Sidney Rasmussen, Program Manager, Marilyn Wright Yon, Compliance Specialist and Claude Mwanda, Accounting Program Manager. Available October 20-21.

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**Vanishing South Georgia**

Photographer, historian, and author Brian Brown brings attention to the countless forgotten villages and towns throughout South Georgia with his Vanishing South Georgia website and books. This program visits locations in South Georgia that are gradually fading from the landscape. Available October 27-28.

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**Angel Flight**

Angel Flight provides free air transportation for people that have medical needs that can't be filled in their local area. They are the original volunteer pilot organization and have been serving Georgia and surrounding states since 1983. Guests are Bert Light, Chairman of the Board and volunteer pilot with Angel Flight and Jeanine Chambers, Executive Director of Angel Flight Soars. Available November 3-4.

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**Veterans Day Special: Companions for Heroes/The Ultimate Wingman**

Companions for Heroes provides companion animals, skilled dogs, and service dogs free of charge to active duty military personnel, veterans, and first-responders recovering from psychological challenges suffered during service. The Ultimate Wingman program works to benefit veterans and help them transition to civilian life. Guests are David Sharpe, Founder and Chairman of Companions for Heroes and Lt. Col. Rob “Waldo” Waldman (USAF Ret), Co-Founder of The Ultimate Wingman. Available November 10-11.

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**Gregg Allman/Big House Museum - *Best of Georgia Focus***

In the early 70s members of the The Allman Brothers Band lived in a large Tudor style home in Macon known as “The Big House”. On this program from The Big House, now an Allman Brothers Band museum, Gregg Allman discusses his career and new book, *My Cross To Bear* and EJ Devokaitis, museum Curator and John Lynskey, member of the museum's board discuss The Big House museum. Available November 17-18.

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**Rich's: A Southern Institution**

In 1867, less than three years after the Civil War left the city in ruins, Hungarian immigrant Morris Rich opened a small dry goods store in downtown Atlanta. Within a century, it became the retailing dynasty known as Rich's. Historian Jeff Clemmons traces Rich's 137-year history in his book *Rich's, A Southern Institution*. Jeff discusses the book on this program for Thanksgiving weekend. Available November 22-25.

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**Mothers Against Drunk Driving**

The mission of Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) is to stop drunk driving, support the victims and prevent underage drinking. To date, MADD's work has saved nearly 300,000 lives. Guests Barry Martin, Georgia State Executive Director for MADD, Cynthia Hagain, Victim Services Specialist for MADD and John Stephens, who lost his teenage son to a drunk driver, discuss MADD's work in. Available December 1-2.

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**Pet Rescue – Best of Georgia Focus**

There are a number of groups working hard to rescue animals and place them in secure, loving homes. This program discusses the great needs of these animals in Georgia with Jennifer Sanford from Atlanta Lab Rescue and LuAnn Farrell from Angels Among Us Pet Rescue. Available December 8-9.

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**The Daisy Boys Club/Tommy Palmer**

Tommy Palmer is a veteran Broadcaster widely known for his high school football programs such as "The Georgia High School Scoreboard Show". He is also author of the book, *The Daisy Boys Club: A memoir*. On this program Tommy discusses his book and high school football in Georgia. Available December 15-16.

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**Ponce De Leon Avenue - Best of Georgia Focus**

Named for the famous Spanish explorer said to have discovered the Fountain of Youth, Atlanta's Ponce de Leon Avenue began as a simple country road that conveyed visitors to the healing springs that once bubbled along it. Now, few realize that this major thoroughfare was once a prestigious residential street in Victorian Atlanta. Historian Sharon Foster Jones discusses her book *Atlanta's Ponce de Leon Avenue: A History* during a tour of the avenue. Available December 22-23.

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**Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport** - *Best of Georgia Focus*

Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport is the world's busiest with nearly 90 million passengers annually. In May the Maynard H. The airport's General Manager Louis Miller discusses the airport and new terminal. Available December 29-30.

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