

ISSUE REPORT

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INTRODUCTION

From January 1, 2024 through March 31, 2024 WENY-TV in Horseheads, NY aired an average of thirty hours of local news programs weekly. In addition, WENY-TV broadcasts one weekly half-hour local community/public affairs programs: "Senior Notebook." "Senior Notebook" is produced by WENY-TV and hosted by various local members of Senior Notebook. It is a weekly half hour TV show filled with information for Twin Tiers Senior Citizens. Addressing issues facing today's seniors with local guests who have advance knowledge about topics, sharing health tips, resources for seniors, and other special features and topics important to seniors. Local news & community programs include:

Weekly Local News Programs:

WENY News 5am [GENY] 5-6AM Monday-Friday WENY News 5am [WENY & EENY] 5-7AM Monday-Friday WENY News 12pm [WENY & EENY & GENY] 12-12:30PM Monday-Friday WENY News 5:30pm [WENY & EENY] 5:30-6PM Monday-Friday WENY News 6pm [EENY] 6PM-6:30PM Monday-Friday & Sunday [WENY] Monday-Sunday WENY News 11pm [WENY & EENY] 11-11:35PM Monday-Sunday WENY Weekend News 7am [WENY] 7-8AM Saturday-Sunday [EENY] Saturday Only [GENY] Sundays Only

Weekend Local Community/Public Affairs Programs:

Senior Notebook [WENY & EENY] Saturday-Sunday 12PM-12:30PM Senior Notebook [WENY] Sunday 6:30-7AM & 11:30AM-12PM Senior Notebook [EENY] Sunday 6-6:30AM Senior Notebook [GENY] Sunday 12-12:30PM

January 1, 2024 through March 31, 2024 WENY-TV aired approximately 1482 Public Service Announcements along with community involvement projects which are highlighted the Community Service Projects section. The following are PSA Organization that were represented: Americorps, ChildFund International, Elton John AIDS Foundation, FCC Programming Announcement, High School Equivalency, Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, Protect Press Freedom, USAID Center for International Disaster Information, and World Wildlife Fund.

As described below, WENY-TV programs and PSAs provided significant treatment of the following issues that were important to Central and Western Twin Tiers of Southern Upstate New York and Northern Pennsylvania communities in the First Quarter 2024:

- Community Issues
- Crime/Safety Issues
- Economy/Local Business and/or Employment Issues

- Educational Issues
- Environmental Issues
- Local Government and Politics
- Medical/Health Issues

WENY News 12pm (local)

Wednesday, January 3, 2024 3min Source Type News People with a New Year Resolution goal to read more are in luck. The Chemung County Library had book recommendations to kick off the new year for the entire month of January.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, January 3, 2024 50sec Source Type News A local bar donated more than \$20,000 to the Elmira Animal Shelter.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Thursday, January 4, 2024 1min 20sec Source Type News The Five Rivers Council of Boy Scouts honored the 2024 class of Eagle Scouts -- and they invited a special guest for the event.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Saturday, January 6, 2024 1min 9sec Source Type News

A local Southern Tier church in Elmira wants to provide valuable resources for people in need. Grace Episcopal Church host thrift store sales where shoppers can find reasonably prices clothes, home essentials, books, games and more. All of the funds go back to the church to offer a free hot meal every week.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Saturday, January 6, 2024 52sec

Source Type News

Right before the snow hit, runners of all levels laced up to participate in the first Parkrun of 2024. The program offers a weekly 5K and happens on Lackawanna Trail in Elmira. Attendance is free and provides a time for the community to come together for a healthy activity.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, January 7, 2024 41sec

Source Type News

Grace episcopal church in Elmira hosts a monthly thrift store with the goal to provide a valuable community resource. the thrift shop has eight rooms organized by categories. There's men's, women's, and children's clothes, a variety of books and games, and furniture and household items available. All the items are donated, and priced affordably and everyone is invited to stop by and shop. In addition, there is also a free hot meal offered to anyone in need during open store hours. All the proceeds from the thrift store go towards funding a weekly community meal at the church which is completely free.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, January 7, 2024 25sec

Source Type News

Despite the chilly conditions yesterday, it didn't stop the Southern Tier Running Club from getting in their first "Parkrun" of the new year. Parkrun is a weekly 5K run that takes place on the Lackawanna Rail Trail. Interested runners lined up at the start line just beyond the Wegman's parking lot and were able to get in a workout before the snow arrived yesterday.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, January 7, 2024 34sec

Source Type News

Wreaths across America is looking for volunteers to help clean up wreaths at Bath National Cemetery next Saturday. The wreaths were placed last month on veteran's graves during Wreaths Across America Day. In Bath alone over forty-five hundred wreaths were laid that will have to be cleaned up soon. Starting at 10 AM parking will be in the back of the Bath Veterans Admin Museum building. No registration is required in advance.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, January 7, 2024 1min 32sec

Source Type News

Elmira's Clemens Center is welcoming the national tour of the hit musical 'Come From Away.' A WENY reporter caught up with an actress portraying two characters who were on the ground when flights got diverted from to Canada during 9/11. Hannah Kato is excited to visit the nation and tell the story of not 9/11 but what comes after, 9/12.

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Sunday, January 7, 2024 30min Source Type Community Affairs Show (station produced) Segment 1 National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day - Discussed the ways that the Sheriff's Dept. serves the public through Project Lifesaver, the Walk to School program with the Sheriff's Dept. escort, and more. Appreciation expressed for the services to the community. Guest Kevin Rumsey, Schuyler County Sheriff Segment 2 Together We Dine Guest Anita Lewis, Chief Development Officer at EOP Segment 3&04 Diane Brownwell, Local Artist and Teacher Guest Diane Brownwell

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, January 9, 2024 36sec

Source Type News

The Woodlawn cemetery is having their Wreath Across America pick up Saturday. If you would like to honor or pay respect to a fallen service member, you can participate in the wreath pick-up starting at 9 a.m. There is no need to register. That's the same day a cleanup for wreaths will take place at Bath National cemetery starting at 10 a.m. Officials say you should dress warmly and show up with a rake or a broom. Wreaths Across America started just over 30 years ago with a donation of wreaths to Arlington National cemetery, it now honors the graves of veterans in all 50 states.

WENY-TV Horseheads, NY

Tuesday, January 9, 2024 2min 15sec Source Type News

A tractor sat in a field in Bradford county for 50 years, overgrown with weeds and sunk in the dirt. We explain the process to restore the tractor, and how it ended up in Harrisburg.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, February 10, 2024 37sec

Source Type News

Wellsboro held a winter celebration on Saturday. Second Chance Animal Sanctuaries hosted a chili and chowder with a chance for chocolate event. From 11 AM to 2 PM in downtown Wellsboro businesses cooked up chili's and chowders for people to try with the purchase of a tasting passport. All proceeds from the went went towards helping homeless, abandoned, and at risk dogs and cats in the area.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, January 14, 2024 1min 25sec Source Type News On Monday, January 15th, the

On Monday, January 15th, the annual federal holiday honoring activist Martin Luther King Jr. returns. WENY News will air a 30min special covering everything about/related to MLK in the Twin Tiers like black history, and where MLK gave his final sermon before being assassinated. Even the art across our nation's Capital that honors King Jr. Monday's national holiday is also a large community service day.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, January 14, 2024 1min 8sec Source Type News A local farm, Chamberlin Acres, has been voted the fifth favorite overall in New York State. The farm offers activities year round including farmer's markets with local businesses, club like organizations and an event space. Chamberlin Acres is located in Elmira/Southport and has been a stable to the community for many years. The market has been

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running for eight years.

Sunday, January 14, 2024 30min Source Type Community Affairs Show (station produced) Segment 1 NYS Broadcasters Association Award - Senior Notebook awarded for Outstanding Promotional Announcement or Series Guest Laurie Hansen Segment 2 Raised Garden Bed Project - An Eagle Scout brings beauty and function outside of Meals on Wheels of Chemung County Guest Katie Boland, Executive Director, Meals on Wheels of Chemung County Segment 3 Dr. Martin Luther King's Letter from a Birmingham Jail Segment 4 Older American's Month Application Process Guest Beth Stranges

WENY News 12pm (local)

Monday, January 15, 2024 1min Source Type News 171 Cedar Arts Center in C

171 Cedar Arts Center in Corning debuted a new art exhibition in their Houghton Gallery. The solo exhibit featured oil paintings of the Finger Lakes region with a spotlight on Seneca and Keuka Lakes.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, January 16, 2024 30sec Source Type News

The QKA chapter of the Buffalo Bills Backers meets up to watch every single Bills game together. At Laurentide Brewing in Penn Yan Monday, the energy was high and there was an overall sense of belonging. The energy was electric as fans eagerly waited to see if the Bills could pull out a win. The QKA Bills Backers is a local chapter of super fans. Anyone can join and the goal is bring like-minded people together to have fun.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Tuesday, January 16, 2024 1min Source Type News The Food Bank of the Southern Tier hosted its annual "Serve and Learn MLK Day of Service." During the event, nearly 200 community members helped pack and sort food to feed those in need.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, January 17, 2024 37sec Source Type News The Mansfield University Chorus isn't just for students, its for singers of all ages. We explain how people can participate if they want to.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, February 17, 2024 46sec

Source Type News

It's officially girl scout cookie season. Girl Scouts will be selling their famous cookies ranging from Thin Mints to Peanut Butter Patties through Sunday. In Chemung County cookies will be sold at Horseheads Jubilee and The Last Stand. In Steuben County Corning Byrne Dairy and Addison's Fire Department. And in Bradford County at Beeman's Family Restaurant and Lowe's for a full list of locations visit girl scouts.org.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, February 17, 2024 34sec

Source Type News

The musical Hello Dolly has taken the stage at The Bath Family Life Performing Arts Center in Bath and will run through next weekend. On Wednesday the cast and crew ranging in age from 15 to 70 years old participated in their last tech and dress rehearsal. The cast began the night with getting on their costumes and make up and then vocal warmups. They all hustled out on stage and started rehearsing odds and ends before diving into a full show run through. Hello Dolly will continue next weekend on the 23rd and 24th.

Thursday, January 18, 2024 1min 13sec Source Type News Elmira Mayor Dan Mandell has declared January, Human Trafficking Awareness Month. We explain why its important and what signs to be on the lookout for.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Thursday, January 18, 2024 40sec Source Type News Winterfest is making a return to Wellsboro -- and organizers are hoping that it snows for the event.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, January 19, 2024 30sec Source Type News Winterfest is coming back to Wellsboro at Hills Creek State Park. The event will offer family friendly activities, free food, crafts, ice fishing demonstrations, and more.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Saturday, January 20, 2024 1min 47sec

Source Type News

A Southern Tier film project held a showcase that focuses on Elmira's local landmarks, history and actors. Creators told WENY News one of the films is called 'Flood Line' and focuses on the mysterious circumstances and viewpoints about the flood of 1972. Filmmakers spent many years considering this project and location before collaborating with the City of Elmira and the Community Arts of Elmira.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Saturday, January 20, 2024 1min 57sec

Source Type News

The annual Fire and Ice Festival at the Ithaca Children's Garden is returning to our local Tompkins County. The winter wonderland hosts a three-hour event that offers interactive events that are educational, fun, and warming. 2024's event is free and open to the public.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, January 22, 2024 34sec

Source Type News

On Saturday February 3rd, the magical winter fire and ice festival will return at the Ithaca Children's Garden. The garden will transform into a winter wonderland that offers activities for everybody. Some of those activities include fire performance, interactive fun in the snow, savory and warm hot chocolate plus an arctic animal parade. This is the premier event, and it is free to the public it will run from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Monday, January 22, 2024 38sec

Source Type News

Tops Friendly Markets have started their annual Check Out Hunger campaign. The program will allow shoppers to donate to local food banks including the Food Bank of the Southern Tier. The program started yesterday and goes until February 10th. During the Campaign Shoppers at any Tops location can donate two, three, or five dollars at checkout. All you have to do is tell the cashier that you'd like to make a donation. In their "Food 2 Families" and "Food for Families" campaigns last year Tops collected and donated over 2.5 million pounds of food-to-food banks across New York, Pennsylvania, and Vermont.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, January 23, 2024 43sec

Source Type News

A legal dispensary is looking to move into the old Denny's location on the corner of Chemung Street and Corning Road that would be called Mooney's cannabis company and it's owned by the same man who owns Mooney's restaurants. Also looking for a special use permit to sell cannabis, the application was reviewed by the board, but the vote was tabled because more information was needed. The decision about the legal dispensary at the old Denny's has been pushed to the next planning board meeting which is February 26th. If approved the next step would be for the village board of trustees to vote on the decision.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Tuesday, January 23, 2024 40sec Source Type News The Watkins Glen Italian Fest will not be returning for 2024, festival officials explain why.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, January 24, 2024 33sec Source Type News

Watkins Glen Harbor Hotel is about be turned into a winter wonderland for adults. The fire and ice celebration kicks off this Thursday and will last every night until Saturday, January 27th. This year will benefit the Schuyler health foundation. If you are lucky enough to get a ticket there will be food, ice sculptures, martini luges, plenty of bar's and fireworks. Tickets for Saturday are already sold out but tickets can still be purchased for Thursday and Friday at events.com.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Wednesday, January 24, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type News The Oscar Mayer Wienermobile

The Oscar Mayer Wienermobile will be coming to several locations in the Southern Tier. The driver, who is a Hornell native, talked about her experience with the company.

Thursday, January 25, 2024 54sec Source Type News

New apartments were unveiled in Hornell. Built using the bones of an old school with state and federal funding, we breakdown the details.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, February 25, 2024 42sec

Source Type News

The MIX Art Gallery in Ithaca will unveil it newest month-long exhibition from five to eight p-m on Friday March 1st. The multi-artist exhibition known as "EYE SEE YOU" will be on display for the entire month of March. Featured works include abstract oil paintings from Jeffrey Hansen and black-and-white film photography from gallery owner Wendy Gherity. Ithaca-based artist Ben Bookout will also be presenting his film installation "New Eyes" MIX Art Gallery is located within the Ithaca Commons at 156 East State Street.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, February 25, 2024 34sec

Source Type News

People stopped into the horseheads historical society Saturday afternoon to learn more about the area that surrounds them and ask questions about what makes horseheads unique. this program was a combined effort between the historical society and the office of the aging. The goal was to get people social in the community all while having a Q and A session with a local historian. All questions were up for discussion and organizers say this is a valuable learning and social tool.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, January 26, 2024
44sec
Source Type News
The Food Bank of the Southern Tier announced this morning it has partnered with Tops Friendly Markets, Jubilee, and Save-a-Lot retailers for the 2024 Check Out Hunger campaign. We explain when and where and how to participate.

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Sunday, January 28, 2024 30min Source Type Community Affairs Show (station produced) Segment 1 100th Anniversary of NY State Parks - Things you can do to help celebrate this centennial Segment 2 Alzheimer's Association Volunteer Opportunities Guest Phil Shippers, Southern Tier Community Manager Segment 3t Ignatius Stegosaurus A Dinosaur Fairytale Guest Fran Whitford Segment 4 How to Care for Amaryllis Bulbs Guest Master Gardener Chris

Monday, January 29, 2024 44sec

Source Type News

The 44th Empire State Winter Games torch relay kicked off Sunday. Two torches will travel throughout New York State, and stop at a handful of Community Bank branches and sporting clubs. The torches will be lead to Lake Placid to light the cauldron for the opening ceremony on February 1. During the winter games, sports like adaptive alpine, biathlon and bobsled will take place. Plus, adaptive sled hockey, figure skating and luge. That Is only name a few. The 2024 Empire State Winter Games officially begin Friday and run through Saturday February 17.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, January 30, 2024 44sec

Source Type News

A new sporting exhibit is opening. The History Center in Tompkins County announced their new exhibit called "A Sporting Chance On and Off the Field." The grand opening of the sport exhibit is taking place this Friday. The History Center's new exhibit will showcase the stories of local athletes, teams, and community members that showed endless support. Located on the Ithaca Commons, the History Center will be open Wednesday to Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Opening night will run from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. with live music and a ceremonial rutabaga curl by Ithaca Mayor Rob Cantelmo. Dress to impress in your favorite local sports jersey.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, January 30, 2024 28sec

Source Type News

Cornell's University College of Veterinary Medicine is providing free neutering service as well as vaccines, microchips, and flea preventatives for healthy cats over 2 months old. The clinic will be taking place on Saturday February 17 at Cornell's University College of Medicine. Registration for the event opens on February 3 at 12 p.m., with the registration closing on February 6 at 12 p.m.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Thursday, February 1, 2024 3min Source Type: News

Rachel Dworkin, an archivist at the Chemung County Historical Society, talked about the significance of a Black-owned night club in the Twin Tiers. Dworkin talked about why it is important to keep jazz music alive.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Friday, February 2, 2024 35sec Source Type: News A family run grocery store in Waverly is closing after nearly a century.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, February 4, 2024 1min 51sec Source Type News

On Saturday, February 10th, a local winter celebration will return to our neck of the woods. In Wellsboro, Pennsylvania there will be ice carvings, and a chili/chowder tasting. The difference with the 2024 event... visitors who don't love chili can enter for a chance to win chocolate. The annual winter time event offers visitors to watch sculptures be designed from thick blocks of ice.

Senior Notebook

Sunday, February 4, 2024 30min Source Type Community Affairs Show (station produced) Segments 01&02 Elmira/Corning Branch of the NAACP - A brief history of the origins of the NAACP plus news and events from the local Elmira/Corning NAACP Chapter Guest Georgia Verdier Segment 3 Chemung County Library District - Current news and events at our local libraries Guest Caroline Poppendeck Segment 4 Alzheimer's Association Value of Support Groups Guest Phil Shippers, Southern-tier Community Manager

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, February 5, 2024 34sec Source Type News

This weekend during Wellsboro's winter celebration, a new element will be added to the winter wonderland of fun. They are presenting a new twist on the chili tasting event, which is now "Chili and Chowder with a Chance for Chocolate." Any visitor that comes to the Wellsboro's winter fest and is not crazy about chili, but they still want to support local animals in need, now have a chance to win chocolate. Tasting passports can be purchased on Saturday, February 10th during the event. The event runs from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Monday, February 5, 2024 45sec

Source Type: News

Arnot Health Rehabilitation is hosting a free equestrian exercise seminar on February 28th. The program is a way to introduce people to rider-specific exercises and stretches, to help people improve their strength, flexibility, posture, and coordination.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Wednesday, February 7, 2024 45sec

Source Type: News

The Tioga County Cat Project is giving people a chance to get back at their exes on Valentine's Day. In exchange for a \$20 donation to animals in Tioga County, a stray will be named after an ex.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, February 9, 2024 1min 45sec Source Type: News John Boyd is fourth generat

John Boyd is fourth generation farmer and founder of the National Black Farmers Associations. Boyd talked about the struggles of being a Black farmer in New York State, where there are less than one percent of Black-owned farms.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, February 9, 2024 47sec Source Type News

The Chemung County Library District and the Chemung County Historical society teamed up to host a 'Researching Your Home Finding its History' presentation. The event was a way for Chemung County residents to learn about the different kinds of homes in the area — and how they can learn more about their home or maybe a relative's home. In Chemung County, a few popular types of homes are the Italianate and Queen Anne. The Archivist for the Chemung County Historical Society said if you're interested in learning about your home's history, there are plenty of resources available. For people who don't live in Chemung County, Dworkin says they should go to their local county clerk's office for information or you can visit your local public library.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Saturday, February 10, 2024 1min 58sec Source Type News

The Wellsboro Winter Celebration hosted their annual Chili tasting event with a twist. The event was called 'Chili and Chowder with a Chance for Chocolate.' All of the proceeds benefited the Second Chance Animal Sanctuaries in Tioga. Visitors using a "passport" could visit 14 local businesses and try different chills and chowders.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Saturday, February 10, 2024 1min 47sec Source Type News The Elmira/Corning NAACP brar

The Elmira/Corning NAACP branch and two local Southern Tier churches celebrated Black History Month. The purpose of the celebration was to teach people about black history through song. Communities came together to worship, sing and appreciate black culture.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Saturday, February 10, 2024 1min 43sec Source Type News

The eighth annual Rainbow of Hope Animal Rescue hosted their drag show benefiting local dogs in need. At 530sec the event began at Horseheads American Legion with snacks, desserts and drinks. At 7 pm the event began with drag performers strutting the runway to raise money for animals' health and wellbeing. Rainbow of Hope is always looking for foster parents and donations to help keep these animals happy and healthy.

Senior Notebook

Sunday, February 11, 2024 30min Source Type Community Affairs Show (station produced) Segment 1 Valentine's Day History Segment 2 Super Bowl Story Segment 3 & 04 Celebrating 100 Years of the Chemung County Historical Society - Information on the "It's About Time " exhibit Guest Erin Doane, Museum Curator

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, February 12, 2024 41sec Source Type News People in Schulyer County can weigh in tonight and tomorrow on a proposed gravel mine expansion. We explain where and how people can participate.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Monday, February 12, 2024 45sec Source Type: News A fundraiser was held to help support Chemung County's Meals on Wheels program.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, February 14, 2024 145sec Source Type News Volunteers with Chemung County habitat for humanity were celebrated with some special valentines in Elmira today. We explain what they were doing and how it helps the community.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, February 18, 2024 1min 10sec Source Type News

It is finally time to buy your Girl Scout Cookies. The annual and famous tradition across America doesn't typically start until March, but troops in the Twin Tiers kicked their sales into high gear in February. Troop 40197, right here in Horseheads, spent the weekend selling a variety of delectable cookies at Elmira's First Arena and Horseheads Jubilee Foods. All girls, no matter what troop they are in, get chances like this to earn badges and pins for learning a skill like entrepreneurship and teamwork.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, February 18, 2024 1min 45sec Source Type News

The Horseheads Historical Society featured local artist, their talent, and work put on at a featured presentation for the community. Sunday's event was hosted by the Elmira Regional Arts Society and the Horseheads Historical Society. Artists told WENY News about their talents like painting animal portraits, or watercolors, and photography. The event does not plan on closing soon and is open to be visited by the public.

Senior Notebook

Sunday, February 18, 2024 30min Source Type Community Affairs Show (station produced) Segment 1 Powerful Tools for Caregivers – A great opportunity for support Guest Laurie Hansen Segment 2 2024 Tax Information for Seniors – find ways you can lower property taxes Guest Teresa Lyons, Town of Horseheads Assessor Segment 3&04 Gospel Music

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, February 19, 2024 22sec Source Type News

It is almost girl scout cookie season, troops in the Southern Tier have started selling their cookies a little early. Troop 40197 spent this past weekend selling cookies for their troop at Elmira's first arena and at Horseheads Jubilee Foods. All the money raised during the famous cookie season goes towards the girl scout's council, then each troop. The funds help scouts do activities like camping, and earn patches, badges and pins.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, February 20, 2024 27sec

Source Type News

Local law enforcement and fire officials are hosting a face-to-face event with the community later this week. Elmira police chief Kris Thorne, fire chief Andrew Mallow, and Chemung County Sheriff Bill Schrom will hold a 'coffee with the chiefs and sheriff' event on Thursday the 22nd. The event runs from four to 5 p.m., at Etch Coffee House on West Water Street. People can chat with the local officials and ask questions over coffee.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Tuesday, February 20, 2024 45sec Source Type: News Two well-known American rock bands have announced that they will be coming to a local music venue later in summer.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, February 21, 2024 34sec Source Type News

An accessible playground is in the works to be built at Clute Park. At this point, the plans are about halfway done. Designers asked children about what they would want to see in a park and even took in a couple of sketches. There will be handicapped accessible ramps swings that are able to accommodate everyone, a carousel that is wheelchair accessible - special flooring for walkways and many more thought out features. Months of planning have gone into making these playgrounds be a valuable community asset.

Thursday, February 22, 2024 30sec

Source Type News

The 26th annual chili cook-off returns to downtown Ithaca next weekend. The downtown Ithaca alliance says over 40 restaurants along with a variety of drinks, chili-inspired snacks, cideries and wineries will be available. At the event chili lovers will be battling it out for titles such as best meat chili, best vegetarian chili, or vegan chili and the coveted people's choice for the best chili in all of Ithaca, New York. The event will run from noon until 4 p.m. on March 2nd.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, February 23, 2024 2min 30sec Source Type News A group from corning flew off to visit corning's sister city -- san Giovanni Valdorno in Italy. We find out how the trip is going, and why it's important to Corning.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Friday, February 23, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type: News Corning's Cabin fever is back to help beat the winter blues and taste the flavors of our region.

Senior Notebook

Sunday, February 25, 2024 30min Source Type Community Affairs Show (station produced) Segment 1 Choosing Healthy Fats Guest Renee Jankowski, Registered Dietician for the Chemung County Dept of Aging Home Delivered Meals program Segment 2 Alzheimer's Association Programs & Services Segment 3 Basic Hummus Recipe Guest Master Beth McKinney, RD Segment 4 How to Care for Succulents Guest Master Gardener Chris

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, February 26, 2024 45sec Source Type News

It is almost girl Scout cookie season, troops in the Southern Tier have started selling their cookies a little earlier than usual. All the money raised during the famous cookie season goes towards the girl scout's council then towards each troop. The funds help scouts do activities like camping - and earn patches, badges and pins. In Horseheads, Friday March 1st, troop 40197 will be at the Arnot mall and Joann fabrics. In Corning, troop 40186 will be selling cookies at the Walmart in Painted Post, and Miniers in Big Flats on Saturday.

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 38sec

Source Type News

Big changes are coming to this year's Chemung County Fair...including the price of admission and how long the fair will run. This year's Fair will run from July 31st to August 3rd. Volunteers say it's easier to help make the fair come alive in four days instead of six. Another change is the cost of admission, from 5 dollars per person, to 2 dollars per person and kids under 16 are free. A volunteer with the Chemung County Agricultural Society said while the fair will only be four days - they're going to make sure there's a lot to do - and that there's something for everyone.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 33sec

Source Type News

The Economic Opportunity Program in Elmira hosted its annual Open House event yesterday to showcase what it has to offer. People who are part of the programs, services and partnerships lined up at the gym at the Ernie Davis Community Center. The Chief Development Officer for EOP said it was about helping people with things like food security, housing insecurity, and access to healthcare. She said people could come to the event to get help - or information to help someone they know.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, February 12, 2024 25sec Source Type News

A fundraiser benefitting the Elmira Animal Shelter took place at Barb's Soups on Cafe on College Avenue Sunday. In addition to having dine-in or take-out breakfast, patrons were able to purchase tickets for raffles and door prizes. The funds raised from the breakfast will be used to help with medical expenses at the shelter, including spay and neuter operations and vaccinations.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, February 13, 2024 20sec

Source Type News A fundraiser event tonight will support Chemung County's Mea

A fundraiser event tonight will support Chemung County's Meals on Wheels program. The Rotary Club of Elmira will be hosting its Mardi Gras fundraiser. The event will be at the Green Derby in Elmira, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. There will be live music, raffle baskets and light refreshments. Admission is \$10 at the door.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, February 15, 2024 24sec

Source Type News

It's back, mini golf to benefit Chemung County Family Services and the Compeer program returned Wednesday. Mini golf is just \$5 to play. There are 18 holes scattered across the Arnot Mall, some which are sponsored by local businesses. All the proceeds made go towards the Chemung County Compeer Program, a mentoring initiative which is a part of Family Services.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Friday, March 1, 2024 35sec Source Type: News It was announced that the Elmira Street Painting Festival will be making a return in June.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, March 2, 2024 30sec Source Type News

The 19th Annual Horseheads Parade was returning to Horseheads the following weekend. In preparation on for the parade, the Horseheads Fire Department helped paint the iconic green shamrock in Hanover Square. Community members were invited to stop by and watch as firemen and women painted it. In case the weather wasn't good - the rain date was Wednesday, March 6th.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, March 3, 2024 1min Source Type News

Elmira Street Painting Fest is returning one month ahead of schedule. The event is an art inspired, family fun weekend that will take place on June 8th and 9th. Both the festival and the 'Chalk it up for Youth' is part of the Elmira Downtown Development's programs and services. Which promote regional arts that are accessible to all Elmira residents and anyone interested.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, March 3, 2024 1min 45sec Source Type News

The 26th annual, local, Chili Festival returned to Tompkins County on the first rainy Saturday of March. Based in the Ithaca Commons, upwards of 30 vendors attuned to raise money for Ithaca's Downtown Alliance. At the event, visitors could find breweries, cideries, wineries and chili inspired snacks. Chili Festival also celebrates best chili's ranging from vegetarian to the best in all of Ithaca, New York. Reporters showed video of a packed downtown with hungry visitors ready to try a variety of chili.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, March 3, 2024 44sec

Source Type News

Downtown Elmira is putting their snow boots and gear into storage as they get ready for the spring and summer events to take over the area. Starting in March, Elmirians and people of the Southern Tier can visit the downtown for events like Taste of the Downtown, and in May, Alive After Five. Many events are hosted by Downtown Elmira and they are getting locals ready and excited. Events are just a few weeks away from beginning and celebrating the warm, and even warmer months here at home.

Senior Notebook

Sunday, March 3, 2024 30min Source Type Community Affairs Show (station produced) Segment 1 Village of Horseheads - St. Patrick's Day Parade and Dinner - A shamrock, a parade, and a dinner -Horseheads, NY celebrates St. Patrick's Day Guests Kevin Sullivan and Art Sullivan Segment 2 Bone Builders - What it is and how you can join a group in Chemung County Guest Ann McGonigal, Volunteer Trainer at Chapel Park Segment 3 A Nite at the Races - Information on the largest fund-raiser by Meals on Wheels of Chemung County Guest Katie Boland, Executive Director Segment 4 Twice Baked Potatoes for one or two Guest Renee Jankowski, Registered Dietician for the Chemung County Dept of Aging Home Delivered Meals program

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, March 4, 2024 26sec

Source Type News

The route is set for the 19th annual Horseheads Saint Patrick's Parade. The route has been shortened this year. The annual event will start at Fletcher and Center Street, then move down to Fletcher to South Main Street, and continue up through Hanover Square and ending at the Horseheads Fire Station. The parade is scheduled for Saturday, starting at 200 p.m. Participants will line up at 1 p.m. at Center Street Elementary.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Monday, March 4, 2024 30sec Source Type: News The route has been set for the 19th annual Horseheads St. Patrick's Parade. This year, the route has been shortened.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, March 8, 2024 37sec Source Type: News A housing project in Corning will get millions of dollars. We explain how that will help local homeless populations.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Friday, March 8, 202430secSource Type: NewsThe Horseheads St. Patty Day Parade is just one day away, we preview the route and the event.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, March 10, 2024 1min

Source Type News

The 19th Annual Horseheads St. Patrick's Parade returned, and many people turned out despite the wind and rain. The parade route was about a mile and a half and featured groups like marching bands, fire departments, and more. A variety of people handed out candy to the parade watchers.

One man said he comes to watch because it's a great way to show community support/spirit.

Community/Local Business

Elmira's Downtown Development is gearing up for a spring and summer of fun community-based events. Downtown Development is doing a little bit of everything from past events to even adding some new things.

Upcoming events include a 'Taste of Downtown' which highlights local restaurants in the area.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, March 10, 2024 39sec

Source Type News

The second annual, local, Horseheads and Big Flats based carnival at the Arnot Mall is coming back at the end of the Spring. According to the mall, there will be more rides, food, entertainment and everything in between. Wrist bands for unlimited rides will go on sale in early May. The carnival at the Arnot Mall is Scheduled for the second and third week of June.

Senior Notebook

Sunday, March 10, 2024 30min Source Type Community Affairs Show (station produced) Segment 1 2024 Chemung County Senior Games Information Guest Carol Morton Segment 2 A Matter of Balance - How to participate, become a volunteer trainer, or offer free space Guest Jackie Spencer, Community and Economic Vitality Resource Educator, Cornell Cooperative Extension of Chemung County Segment 3 Family Genealogy Guest Tom McGarry Segment 4 Leprechaun Trap - How to make a Leprechaun Trap Guests Hannah Patelunas

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, March 11, 2024 50sec Source Type News

The Danby Volunteer Fire Company hosted their last drive-up pancake breakfast of the season earlier yesterday after they had reached a fundraising goal for a new jaws-of-life. people interested had the option of dining in or driving up to the company doors for a take-out spread of pancakes, French toast, sausage, and scrambled eggs. Over 24 thousand dollars was raised through community efforts and events like pancake breakfasts to fund the new jaws' purchase. Jaws of life or Hydraulic Rescue tools are used to ease the process of extracting trapped victims from vehicles after car accidents. Company Chief John Gaden remains grateful for the community's continued support of the Danby Volunteer Fire Company.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Monday, March 11, 2024 30sec Source Type: News

The Arnot Mall announced the return of its parking lot carnival. The carnival's second trip to the mall will have added rides, games, food, and a bigger midway.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, March 11, 2024 25sec Source Type: News Corning New York is known for its main street. We explain the latest nomination Corning has received for best public square in America.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, March 11, 2024 30sec Source Type: News Vintage racecars will soon be back on the streets of Watkins Glen. We breakdown when the Watkins Glen Grand Prix festival will make its return.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Monday, March 11, 2024 35sec Source Type: News Staff from Woodlawn Cemetery announced spring clean-up dates for volunteers.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, March 13, 2024 2min Source Type: News A very popular reality competition show uses local resources. We spoke to someone about their participation in the show.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, March 14, 2024 56sec Source Type News

The Madison Ave bridge in Elmira is going by a new name soon. The new name is the "A'Don Allen and Bessie Berry Bridge" after two members of the Elmira community who were trailblazers for the city and the civil rights movement. A'Don Allen Sr. was a part of many "firsts" in the community. He was the first Black person to serve on the Elmira civil service commission, the first Black person to serve in the Chemung County legislature, and the first Black person to serve on the Elmira city council. He served as a council member for nine terms. Bessie Berry was also no stranger to firsts. She was the Black social worker and probation officer in Chemung County, as well as the first Black corrections counselor at the Elmira corrections facility. She served ten years on the Elmira school district board of education another first.

Thursday, March 14, 2024 41sec

Source Type News

We are less than one month away from the upcoming total eclipse and the hype has been building across the region. Events and merchandise shops are popping up as April 8th approaches. Local businesses and organizations are gearing up and getting ready for the eclipse day by creating community events and educational opportunities. The Chemung County Chamber of Commerce has created a centralized page with local, partnered events to help people find it all in one spot. The Chamber has also set up a store page for eclipse-related merchandise. The shirts and hoodies are part of a collaboration with local custom apparel maker Rainbow Lettering.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Thursday, March 14, 2024 30sec Source Type: News

A new sculpture is on display in Downtown Elmira. It pays tribute to Elmira's literacy legacy and resembles Mark Twain's Quarry Farm home.

Senior Notebook

Sunday, March 17, 2024 30min Source Type Community Affairs Show (station produced) Segment 01&02 Woman's History Month - A Salute to Woman in American History Segment 03 Irish Roots Guest Tom McGarry Segment 04 The Story of the Harp (St. Patrick's Day)

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Saturday, March 16, 2024 1min 47sec Source Type News

The Twin Tiers is filled with tons of history. A local Southern Tier Town, the City of Corning, has landmarks from many eras. Each building, statue, or plaque shares a little bit about the history of Corning way-back-when. One building specifically called the Corning Civic Center is a masterpiece of architecture and visual eye candy; however it needs a little revamping. Corning's City Council is working to pass a new plan to attempt breathing some fresh air into the Civic Center.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Saturday, March 16, 2024 45sec Source Type News

People from across the Southern Tier have been organizing a giveaway for the less fortunate. The Easter-themed fundraiser will take place on Saturday, March 23rd and organizers will hand out water, food and donations. Donations are still being accepted, and organizers are looking for clothing for all genders and ages, hats and gloves, wipes, towels, bedding, and more

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, March 17, 2024 34sec Source Type News

The Woodlawn National Cemetery in Elmira is asking for help on their annual spring clean-up day. The cemetery commission and staff ask anyone participating to clean up non-spring seasonal decorations, flags, rocks, faded or unkempt decorations ,and loose objects. The clean-up will continue until March 25th.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, March 17, 2024 1min 10sec Source Type News

Elmira's Hill Top Inn celebrated Saint Patrick's Day in the Southern Tier with locals from across the Southern Tier. Celebrations began early Sunday and continued until 9 p.m. The community came out to dance, eat, and celebrate the lucky vibes.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, March 18, 2024 30sec Source Type News Hundreds of people came to Hi

Hundreds of people came to Hill Top Inn for an Irish-American dinner and drinks. This is a tradition that has been going on for more than 30 years, and community members agree it's a special atmosphere. Irish dancers took to the floor, showing off their skills. Both kids and adults performed. Between the food, the drinks, and the live entertainment, it was a night to remember.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Monday, March 18, 2024 25sec Source Type: News The Chemung Co. Sheriff's Office accepted donated bags of sporting goods items to be handed out to local kids during the course of their shifts.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, March 20, 2024 50sec Source Type: News Governor Kathy Hochul appo

Governor Kathy Hochul announced the start of a major local highway project. We explain how much it will cost and how it will impact traffic.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, March 20, 2024 46sec Source Type: News The fate of a local public pool has created a lot of emotion in the community. We break down the final fate of Brand Park Pool.

Thursday, March 21, 2024 26sec Source Type: News A near total eclipse is only weeks away. We explain how one local business is letting employees watch when it happens.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, March 22, 2024 36sec Source Type News

The Chemung County Fair is being re-imagined this year in a bid to attract bigger crowds. The historical six-day event has now been reduced to four days, but that means the rides will be open longer. From 1 p.m. to 9 p.m. each day. And, each day will have a theme. Kicking off with Veterans Day, then Senior Citizen Day, First Responders Day, and finally, Family Day. The gate admission fees have also been dropped from \$5 to \$2, and anyone under 16-years-old will get in for free, which organizers hope will help boost attendance numbers.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Friday, March 22, 2024 30sec Source Type: News A team of knitters grabbed their needles and started creating for a good cause and to also share their love for the hobby.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Saturday, March 23, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type News Everyone has a special bo

Everyone has a special hobby that inspires them to lay back or lace up and do something out of their normal schedule... for example knitting. The 2024 annual Knit for Food Knit-a-thon returned for its fourth year to the local Corning's Rabbit Row Yarns and Haberdashery. For 12 hours, strangers and friends from local communities came together to fundraise while doing a hobby they enjoy. This event spans beyond the Twin Tiers and takes place across the nation.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Saturday, March 23, 2024 1min Source Type News

The fourth annual Battle of the Badges hit the ice to benefit local law enforcement agencies. Saturday night's event took place at Elmira's First Arena and the Elmira Fire Department and the Chemung County Law Enforcement faced off to support their local agencies. The game was neck and neck, leading to the Chemung County Law Enforcement taking home the gold 5-4.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, March 24, 2024 1min 26sec Source Type News

Dozens of people went bald for a good cause Saturday afternoon in Corning... Since 2009, the Corning Area St. Baldrick's Foundation has raised more than \$330,000 to support childhood cancer research. Saturday was the annual shave event, where all the fundraising work came together for a celebration with lots of music, laughs, and even more hair on the floor. Kids and adults got in on the fun, including one man, Richard Peet, who shaved off his long hair along with his nephew. Peet said his nephew told him he was going to shave his head and he thought it was inspiring, so he joined his nephew in doing so. This is the 25th year St. Baldrick's has raised money to support research and put an end to childhood cancer. The volunteer supported movement invested over \$340,000 in childhood cancer research grants worldwide. Between the online donations and prior events, St. Baldrick's raised about \$31,000 and there's still more donations to add up.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, March 24, 2024 12min 35sec Source Type News Easter is just one week away and locally in Ithaca, the Easter egg hunt season has kicked into gear. The event was hosted by the Ithaca Police Benevolent Association. While the event was free, all of the proceeds donated went to help the families of fallen officers in New York.

Senior Notebook

Sunday, March 24, 2024 30min Source Type Community Affairs Show (station produced) Segment 01 Total Solar Eclipse April 8, 2024 Guest Deborah Dann, Director of the Eileen M. Collins Observatory at CCC Segment 02 April Fool's Day Pranks - Fun April Fool's Day Pranks for Kids and Adults Guest Lily Patelunas & Hannah Patelunas Segment 03 World Tuberculosis Day Guest Samantha Hicks, Public Health Program Coordinator for the Chemung County Health Department Segment 04 Easter Craft Guest Pamela Dickinson, Aging Services Assistant

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, March 25, 2024 46sec

Source Type: News

The farmer's market is a great way for interested community members to shop local and for vendors to showcase their goods, crafts, and services. However, one of these markets in Southport is able to provide this experience year round. Chamberlain Acres held their weekly farmer's market YESTERDAY in one of their heated greenhouses simulating summerlike weather inside while there was still snow on the ground outside. The craft lineup included woodworking, homemade soaps, farm fresh goods, custom jewelry, and original artwork. The art in question was provided by Mystic Kreations & Workshop out of Watkins Glen. It's their first public showing and they are looking forward to showcasing their craft to the community.

Wednesday, March 27, 2024 2min 25sec Source Type: News A station with the Elmira Fire Department is getting an upgrade. We explain how, and how much it will cost.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, March 27, 2024 1min 45sec Source Type: News Elmira's Fire Station Number 5 is set to undergo some upgrades and repairs. The firestation also has some history behind it.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, March 28, 2024 32sec

Source Type: News

The Elmira Downtown Development is hosting the taste of downtown tonight. The event celebrates the very best food Elmira has to offer. No matter if you have lived in the area your whole life, or are new / newer, and looking for a fun activity, Elmira downtown development says the taste of downtown will remind locals how special the area is. Tickets cost 30 dollars and include live music, food and beverages. The taste of downtown will be held at Empire Sports of the Southern Tier from 5 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. today.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, March 28, 2024 35sec Source Type: News

The historic Fire Station Number Five on Roe Avenue in Elmira is about to undergo some critical upgrades. Fire Station Five was built over 100 years ago back in 1911. Quite a bit of time has passed and the building's floor has taken a toll. Fire Chief Andy Mallow says ... cribbing and plywood on the station's floor have been replaced several times over the years and its time for more solid reconstruction. Construction is set to officially begin on April 1st and will take nearly eight weeks to complete.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Thursday, March 28, 2024 30sec Source Type: News Elmira Downtown Development will be hosting the Taste of Downtown. The event will celebrate Elmira's wide selection of food from various restaurants.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, March 29, 2024 34sec

Source Type: News

There was a ribbon cutting ceremony yesterday to reveal new apartment buildings in Elmira's Historic Downtown area. The plans for the Reynolds way apartment project kicked off in 2021. Now four buildings near the intersection of East Church street and Academy Place in Elmira have been rehabilitated. All of the funding for these apartments from New York State homes and community renewal, as well as some help from the City of Elmira, totaling nearly 21million dollars.

WENY-TV Horseheads, NY

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, March 29, 2024 1min 15sec Source Type: News

Elmira Downtown Development hosted their annual fundraiser, the Taste of Downtown. The funds raised from the event went towards the Elmira Street Painting Festival.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, March 29, 2024 2min 15sec Source Type: News Today is Vietnam War Veterans Day. We explain how it is being celebrated locally.

Senior Notebook

Sunday, March 31, 2024 30min Source Type Community Affairs Show (station produced) Segment 01 Meet Gabe Smalt – Steuben County Office for the Aging Director Guest Gabe Smalt Segment 02 Updates from local OFA Directors - Chemung, Schuyler and Steuben County OFA Directors share about Upcoming Events! Guest Beth Stranges, Tammy Waite, Gabe Smalt Segment 03 Homemade Bird Feeders - How to Make Your own Bird Feeder at Home Guest Hannah Patelunas Segment 04 Master Gardener Chris - Spring Bulbs - some started last fall, plus great and colorful tips Guest Master Gardener Chris

COMMUNITY ISSUES

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

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1/1-3/31	:30 sec	40	41	42	Nat'l	ChildFund International - We Need Each Other

CRIME & SAFETY ISSUES

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, January 3, 2024

35sec

Source Type News

We will show you how the harmful QR codes can take you to fake websites that are set up so that when you go to them any information you enter could be swiped by scammers, according the FTC. There are a few ways to protect yourself from a QR scam. First, if you see a code in an unexpected place inspect the URL before you open it. Secondly, don't scan a QR code in an email or text message you weren't expecting. Thirdly protect your phone and accounts by updating your phone's operating system to protect against hackers and online accounts with strong passwords.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, January 8, 2024 43sec

Source Type News

The Chemung County Sheriff's Office issued a warning that at least one scammer is impersonating one of its deputies. According to police, the scammer is calling people in Chemung County and identifying themselves as "Sergeant Padgett". The scammer then tells the victim over the phone that there's a warrant is out for their arrest, and they must pay a fine or bail immediately to avoid arrest. The sheriff's office said this is a scam and the sheriff's office or any other police department would never ask for payment over the phone to avoid arrest. The sheriff's office said if you get a call like this you should call them to report it.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, January 8, 2024 40sec Source Type News The Chemung County Sheriff's Office issued a warning today that about a new local scam. We tell people what to be on the lookout for.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, January 10, 2024 1min 20sec Source Type News As more and more guns are fou

As more and more guns are found at TSA checkpoints, WENY News spoke to the TSA about what travelers need to know about transporting weapons on their flight.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, January 11, 2024 49sec

Source Type News

The Transportation Security Administration has stated across the nation airports of all sizes are seeing a general increase in firearm catches at security checkpoints -- however airports in Upstate New York have gone against the trends. Incidents involving guns in carry-on bags aren't very common in Upstate New York airports, but larger airports are dealing with more issues. Nationwide TSA caught 6,737 firearms at airports in 2023 -- the top three airports were Atlanta's Hartsfield-Jackson, Dallas-Fort Worth, and Houston's George Bush Intercontinental. In Upstate New York it's a much different story, airports including Elmira-Corning, Binghamton, Ithaca, Rochester, Syracuse, Buffalo, and Albany saw a combined 20 firearm catches last year - a decrease from 2023 in 2022.

Thursday, January 11, 2024 32sec Source Type News

For at least a little while the Chemung County Sheriff's Office is using a different phone number for non-emergency phone calls. We tell viewers what is and the reason for the change.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, January 13, 2024 37sec

Source Type News

Ice fishing is popular in Upstate New York but you have to be extremely careful. The conditions need to be just right to do it safely. Last week, two brothers plunged into a pond while ice fishing is Otsego County, which is just about two hours from here. One of them died while rescuers were able to save the other. Now the DEC is shedding light on this incident and how to enjoy ice fishing safely. D.E.C. Forest Ranger Ashly Carabetta says people should be aware of ice thickness, color, and if there is a lot of animal activity in the area. If you're interested in heading out on the ice when it's cold enough and safe enough you need to make sure that you have a valid fishing license. And, remember typically, four inches is a safe ice thickness for ice fishing

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, January 14, 2024 12min 18sec Source Type News

Due to the local weather in the Twin Tiers, Guthrie's Robert Packer Hospital has a new phone number they want locals to know about. Phones at the Guthrie Sayre Campus have been down since Friday, and the health system has continually brought updates about restoring the lines and switch boards. As of Sunday night, the lines are still down and the temporary phone number remains in place.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, January 15, 2024 42sec Source Type News

It's radon awareness month. We explain what it is, why it's dangerous, and what the CDC recommends for people to do who are concerned. Radon is very prevalent in our coverage area.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Tuesday, January 16, 2024 31sec Source Type News Elmira is asking city residents to participate in a crime survey. We explain why it's important and how to participate.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Tuesday, January 16, 2024 30sec Source Type News The Steuben County Health Dept. shared the overdose data for the month of December.

Wednesday, January 17, 2024 28sec

Source Type News

The Stueben County Overdose data from the month of December is in. the Public Health Department says 27 overdoses were reported but there were zero deaths. They say narcan was given a total of 10 times. The overdoses were caused by a variety of substances like opiods, alcohol, prescription meds and others. The overall number of overdoses for the month is slightly higher then November's numbers, but the number of deaths has gone down.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, January 17, 2024

31sec

Source Type News

The city of Elmira is asking residents for help by taking a few minutes of their time to fill out a brief community crime survey. The survey asks questions about a variety of crime-related issues. They range from shooting incidents to drug-related offenses, property crimes, violent crimes, and more. The survey is anonymous, and will remain open until it receives 1,000 respondents. To find a link to the survey, go to weny.com and click on this story.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, January 17, 2024 2min Source Type News In this day and age - almost everyone

In this day and age - almost everyone has some important information stored on their phone and passwords to social media apps. We explain to people what happens to their social media and online footprint after they die.

WENY News 12pm (local)

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Thursday, January 18, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type News At attorney at Roth Elder Law talked about what happens to your digital footprint and social media presence after you die. People have the option to memorialize their accounts, delete them, or keep them active by family members and

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Thursday, January 18, 2024 1min 46 min Source Type News A local health provider is warning people about a phone scam impersonating employees of the health care company. We explain to people what is going on and give them tips to stay safe.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, January 24, 2024 3min Source Type News Scammers target older adults with gift card scams and more. We explain to people how to protect themselves and their loved ones.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

WENY-TV Horseheads, NY

Saturday, January 27, 2024 59sec

Source Type News

The Mansfield Municipal Authority is warning residents to boil their tap water before using it. If you live in Mansfield Borough this means you need to boil your water for one full minute before using it for drinking, brushing your teeth, washing dishes, and food prep until further notice from Mansfield Municipal Authority. The problem first occurred on Friday morning. There was a failure of a filtering or disinfecting system at the water treatment plant. Due to this there's a higher chance that bacteria viruses and parasites could be in the municipal system.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, February 2, 2024

46sec

Source Type News

Criminals are turning handguns into mini machine guns. A national trend that's rearing its ugly head, right here in the Twin Tiers. They're using something that's known as a glock switch. These modified guns can spray bullets extremely fast, at a rate of more than a thousand bullets a min. This means, a criminal can empty a mag with just one pull of a trigger, and it happens in just sec. Investigator Hillman with the Elmira Police Department says, it's bad enough when they encounter criminals with guns. But, it's even worse when that criminal has a weapon that's modified to shoot fully automatic. And, it creates a very dangerous situation innocent bystanders as well.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, February 10, 2024 32sec

Source Type News

If you get snap benefits in Pennsylvania yesterday the state warned of a new email phishing scam. According to the office of Governor Josh Shapiro the emails are designed to get snap recipients thinking they are eligible for a settlement payment if they fill out their personal payment information. The State Department of Human Services is reminding people no state employee will ask for your personal information by email, text, or phone call.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Tuesday, February 13, 2024 27sec Source Type News People in the City of Elmira have a chance to meet face to face with local law enforcement and fire officials next week. We explain where and how people can participate.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Tuesday, February 13, 2024 30sec Source Type: News The Sheriff for Chemung County is holding a special event to meet face to face with community members over a cup of coffee.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Monday, February 19, 2024 1min Source Type: News With the recent trend of nice weather, we spoke to experts about river/creek safety for people looking to take kayaks or paddleboats.

WENY-TV Horseheads, NY

WENY News 12pm (local)

Tuesday, February 20, 2024 30sec Source Type: News

Local law enforcement and fire officials are hosting a face-to-face event with the community. Elmira law enforcement and firefighters will be talking to community members over coffee.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, February 23, 2024 1min Source Type: News Sheriff Bil Schrom spoke d

Sheriff Bil Schrom spoke during a town forum at the Southport Volunteer Fire Department. He talked to the community about what is to come from law enforcement in 2024.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, February 25, 2024 1min 03sec Source Type News

On March 6th, people nationwide and locally in Upstate New York will honor and remember loved ones who have lost their lives to overdosing. The day is called "Black Balloon Day," and focuses on bringing awareness to overdoses and the dangers of many drugs people don't realize can be deadly. Locally, Steuben County reported 348 deaths in 2023 and zero as of February 25th, 2024. Health officials here at home are not sure how long zero can last.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, February 26, 2024 2min Source Type News Human trafficking is a big concern. We spoke with the manager of the communications center about how a national training program helps dispatchers and supervisors protect kids in the community.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 45sec Source Type News In a bid to help first responders gear up for their jobs without having to travel out of town a new first responder uniform store is set to open Friday in Elmira Heights. We explain why it matters.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, February 29, 2024 40sec Source Type News

The Chemung Sheriff's Office is warning of a scam making its rounds This is not the first phone scam to hit a part of the Twin Tiers. According to the sheriff's office the scam involves someone pretending to be a police officer. The scammer is said to tell victims a warrant it out for their arrest and they need to pay immediately or be arrested. Authorities say these calls are fraudulent. They added no matter what a person's history is, whether you have been arrested or not, never give any financial information over the phone.

Wednesday, March 6, 2024 31sec

Source Type News

A deputy with the Steuben County Sheriff's Office was honored by the County Legislature. According to Sheriff Jim Allard, Deputy Jeffrey Robinson saved the lives of two people in Bath following a suicide attempt. Allard said Robinson provided lifesaving treatment, and as a result, both people were transported to a local hospital and survived their injuries. Allard said Robinson performed well considering the chaos surrounding him, and thanked him for his professionalism and service.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, March 8, 2024 23sec

Source Type News

The Elmira Police Department promoted its first female officer to the rank of Captain. Erica Lapierre is the first female Captain to achieve the rank in all of Chemung County, according to E.P.D. At the ceremony, Christopher Zelko was also promoted to Captain. Micheal Kozemko, Joseph Runyan and Joshua Pratt were also promoted to the rank of Lieutenant.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, March 8, 2024 30sec Source Type: News The Elmira Police Department promo

The Elmira Police Department promoted its first female officer to the rank of captain. Erica Lapierre is the first female captain to achieve the rank in all of Chemung County.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, March 18, 2024 2min Source Type: News A local college held a simulation on an infectious disease. We break down how, and why, they did it.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Monday, March 18, 2024 30sec Source Type: News Cayuga Heights announced that Village offices do not have service. FirstLight Communication Network was experiencing outages.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, March 20, 2024 2min Source Type: News The Elmira Fire Department is on track to having a record amount of calls. We take a closer look at the types of calls EFD receives, and how many calls they're expected to get by the end of the year.

Thursday, March 21, 2024 53sec

Source Type News

Governor Kathy Hochul announced that a \$47 million construction project on State Route 17 in Owego has kicked off. The project is designed to improve safety and travel by resurfacing roughly 22 miles of pavement and fixing up two bridges located between Exit 65 in Owego to the Broome County line. Construction is expected to last well into 2025, and is already impacting traffic. For this year, expect traffic within the construction area to be reduced to one lane in both directions during construction season. At the same time, detours will also be in place for the 66 Westbound Exit. Hochul said the project is designed to complement Southern Tier Soaring, which is a comprehensive strategy designed to help revitalize local communities and economies.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, March 21, 2024 28sec Source Type News

We're just 90 days into the year and the Elmira Fire Department has already responded to over 1,000 calls. This is putting E.F.D. on track for 5,000 calls by the end of the year, which could set a new record. In 2023, approximately 74% of the calls were residential, with 9% outdoor-related and 5% occurring in health-care settings. As a whole, Chemung County has experienced a 20% increase in calls since 2016.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Thursday, March 21, 2024 30sec Source Type: News

Chemung County Sheriff Bill Schrom will be hosting a town hall meeting. The event is an opportunity for anyone to discuss public safety issues or concerns they have.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, March 22, 2024 54sec

Source Type: News

A near total eclipse is only weeks away. We break down plans from police to make sure things stay safe when it happens.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, March 22, 2024 2min Source Type: News Casa Trinity is opening a new crisis center. We explain how it will benefit the community.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, March 27, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type: News Boating is a very popular recreation in our viewing area. We breakdown how local police are offering classes to make sure people stay safe on the water.

Thursday, March 28, 2024 45sec Source Type: News The Elmira Police Dept. just announced the results of a survey they asked the public to fill out. We break down the

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Thursday, March 28, 2024 45sec Source Type: News

results.

The Elmira Police Department released findings from it's crime survey. More than 1000 people shared their concerns with crime and what they would like to see done with EPD moving forward.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, March 29, 2024 48sec Source Type: News

The weather is getting nicer and boaters in the Finger Lakes are looking to get on the water, but state officials are reminding people that the water is still dangerously cold. The New York State Parks and Recreation Department issued the warning, reminding boaters that without proper precautions, the cold water can be fatal. To stay safe dress for the water temperature, not the air temperature. Wear layers but not cotton along with a life jacket. And if you plan to be on a boat for the eclipse, have someone with you or tell someone what you are doing. Keep your cell phone in a waterproof bag and keep a whistle or a light. And don't forget your eclipse glasses to protect your eyes if you're going to be on the water.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, March 29, 2024 1min 13sec Source Type: News A number of camouflaged cameras were found in a local neighborhood. We break down the latest on the investigation.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Friday, March 29, 2024 4min Source Type: News A Chemung County Sherriff's Office Investigator was critically injured after responding to a retail theft call. Police launched a large scale manhunt to find the person responsible.

ECONOMY/LOCAL BUSINESS AND/OR EMPLOYMENT ISSUES

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Tuesday, January 2, 2024 52sec

Source Type News

A Corning bakery recently took second place in a statewide competition for retail window displays. We tell viewers the name details, including the name of the bakery.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Tuesday, January 2, 2024 1min Source Type News A new sports complex will be coming to the City of Elmira -- it is being built in an old church downtown.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, January 5, 2024 26sec Source Type News

A Horseheads woman has wanted a career in animal rehabilitation for years. And her hard work has paid off, after she earned her license recently. Sarah Wilke has been an animal lover her entire life. Wilke said she has dedicated her time and resources to rehabbing animals in the Southern Tier. One animal rescue gave her the inspiration to open "Serendipity Squirrels," a wildlife rehab in Horseheads.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, January 8, 2024 34sec Source Type News A local Rite Aid is closing. We tell people which one, and why.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Tuesday, January 9, 2024 40sec Source Type News Greek Peak Mountain Ski Resort celebrates its 65th year of business. The ski resort offered a special promo for all-day lift tickets.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, January 10, 2024 25sec Source Type News

A pop-up career fair is happening in Tioga County today. It will be at the office building auditorium at 56 main street in Owego. There will be representatives from the sheriff's office, departments of public works and public health, Tioga career center and more at the fair. Open jobs range from entry level to higher level. This is taking place from 9am to noon.

Thursday, January 11, 2024 41sec Source Type News A local business announced it is closing its doors for good. We explain why, tell viewers which business, and tell them the last day.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Thursday, January 11, 2024 40sec Source Type News

Downtown Grind in Elmira has announced that they will be shutting down for good. The owner tells WENY News that the business is closing due to a decrease in revenue.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, January 12, 2024 28sec Source Type News

Greek Peak Mountain Resort marked a historic milestone in the resort's history yesterday celebrating its 65th season on the mountain. The resort opened on January 11th, 1958. Since then, Greek Peak has added hotel accommodations, restaurants, and an indoor waterpark to help the resort grow over the past 65 years. The resort's guests were also treated to complimentary cake following comments from acting president Wesley Kryger.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, January 12, 2024 1min Source Type News Greek Peak Mountain Resort marked a historic milestone in the resort's history by celebrating its 65th season. The resort's guests celebrated with the acting president and complimentary cake.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, January 15, 2024 34sec

Source Type News

One local farmers market has been voted one of the best in the nation. Chamberlain Acres in Southport has been recognized as the 5th favorite farmers market in New York State, and the 68th overall in the country. This is by American Farmland Trust. There are over 700 farmer's markets alone in New York State, and thousands across the country. Every year, people can vote for their favorite and this is the second year Chamberlain Acres has been nominated. Chamberlain Acres Farmers Market is open on Sundays from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. year round.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Wednesday, January 17, 2024 1min 15sec Source Type News A new secondhand store, called GG's Discounts and Thrift Store, opened in Southport. The store sells clothes, shoes, and other secondhand goods at adorable prices.

Friday, January 19, 2024 38sec

Source Type News

Tioga County, New York announced a \$7.5 million project to improve fiber optic access in Nichols has been finished. Led by the New York State Connectall initiative, other partners in the project included the State of New York, Tioga County, Nichols, and the Southern Tier Network. The project included power utility upgrades, fiber build and customer installations. As result, over 350 residents have taken advantage of the program. To help celebrate, the public has been invited to attend the "It's a wrap" pizza party on starting at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Nichols Fire Hall.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, January 19, 2024 2min 30sec Source Type News Corning Museum of Glass unveiled a new multi-million-dollar project. We break down what it is and how it benefits the community.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Friday, January 19, 2024 40sec Source Type News Corning Incorporated said its reducing its global workforce by laying off 1,000 workers approx.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, January 20, 2024 38sec Source Type News

Corning Incorporated is reducing its workforce. The fortune 500 company confirmed to WENY News that it has laid off about two percent of its global workforce. The company has approximately fifty-one thousand workers across the globe. The cuts affect about one thousand employees. According to a company spokesperson, near term revenues across Corning's business are expected to continue to be lower than expected. The company says this and other factors resulted in a limited reduction in its global workforce.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, January 20, 2024

41sec

Source Type News

The Corning Museum of Glass opened its new Wendell Weeks and Kim Frock Residency Center about a month ago and is gearing up to take on new artists. The Studio is part of the Museum of Glass but now it's expanding. The Residency Center will give artists their own space to work on projects and collab with others. The Director of the Studio said the Museum will be able to host artists all year long - instead of a couple of months a year. To help bring in and keep artists in the area longer there's a new Glassmaking Institute in the Residency Center. The Glassmaking Institute will be a two year program.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Saturday, January 20, 2024 1min 8sec Source Type News

Tops Friendly Market launched their local "Check Out Hunger Campaign" which gives back to the Food Bank of the Southern Tier. The program runs from the end of January until February 10th across 148 Tops locations. In 2023, Tops says over 2.5 million pounds of food was collected and donated to New York, Pennsylvania and Vermont food banks.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Monday, January 22, 2024 1min Source Type News Two businesses seek to get special permits from the Village of Horseheads to bring legal cannabis operations to town.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Thursday, January 25, 2024 45sec Source Type News Construction is underway on a multimillion dollar modernization project at the Greater Binghamton Airport.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Tuesday, January 30, 2024 51sec Source Type News Corning Inc. announced their earnings report. As the largest local business we break down the numbers and look at what they mean for 2024.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Wednesday, January 31, 2024 1min Source Type News A new apartment complex is expected to break ground in Elmira soon. Reynolds Way Apartments is a newly constructed apartment complex with 41 units.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, January 31, 2024 46sec Source Type News A local VA has a program to help people becoming nursing assistants. We explain how to participate, and how it can lead to a job with the local VA.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, January 31, 2024 55sec Source Type News The VA Finger Lakes Health Care System hosted a recruitment event looking for people who would be interested in applying for positions for the new nursing assistant program.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Thursday, February 1, 2024 1min Source Type: News WENY News takes a closer look at the effect of the upcoming solar eclipse on the Watkins Glen economy.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, February 2, 2024 1min Source Type: News Officials with Watkins Glen are predicting a boost in the local economy, a month ahead of schedule, because of the near total eclipse happening on April 8th. Thousands of people are expected to be in the area to celebrate.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, February 2, 2024 1min 50sec Source Type News Part of Corning's Marconi Lodge will soon be turned into a music venue. We explain what it means for the local area both culturally and economically.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, February 4, 2024 12min 44sec Source Type News

A local coffee shop filled with art work and good eats is set to close in one week. Downtown Grind in Elmira says they've been seeing a decline in their revenue since 2021. The coffee shop's owner confirmed the details and shared she wished more people would chose to spend their money at Downtown Grind.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, February 4, 2024 1min 15sec

Source Type News

It is opening weekend at Watkins Glen's Clute Park Ice rink. The rink was busy on Sunday as visitors stopped by to skate and enjoy the mild winter temperatures. Watkins Glen Mayor Laurie DeNardo told WENY News, it was a community effort to bring the ice rink back. There were some delays because of construction and inclement weather. Now, everyone is welcome to come with their own skates, or even to rent a pair, and enjoy the 2024 season at the local Southern Tier rink.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, February 5, 2024 39sec

Source Type News

Downtown Grind has announced that it will be closing its doors for the last time on Sunday, February 11th. A few weeks ago, the Elmira coffee shop's owner, Sara Caldwell, confirmed that her business has seen two years of decreasing sales with revenue down by 38 percent since 2021. She went on to say "Downtown Grind is a business that isn't profitable. While we wish more people of Elmira chose to spend their dollars at our place, that's unfortunately not the case." The coffee shop will be open during usual business hours from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m., Wednesday through Friday, and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, February 7, 2024 1min Source Type: News

Tioga Downs Casino and Resort has a new owner after the original owners sold the real estate assets to another company. However, the casino/resort will still be operated by the original owner.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, February 8, 2024 55sec Source Type News

The real estate assets for Tioga Downs Casino Resort have been sold to an investment trust, that's according to Tioga Downs parent company American Racing & Entertainment LLC. From technology to research and development, the Elmira facility turns an idea into a business - which can create jobs. Mark Margesen says most business around the southern tier are small businesses'. At last night's ribbon cutting and open house, the organization unveiled the Incubator - which is like an idea hub and the maker space similar to a hands on lab where ideas form into physical objects. Incubator works is located at 318 Madison avenue in Elmira.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, February 8, 2024 42sec

Source Type News

According to the New York State Parks Office, Watkins Glen State Park has shattered its yearly attendance record, beating the previous record by nearly 200,000 attendees. Across the state it was the eleventh straight year of parks seeing a jump in attendance, the total increased by six percent to reach 84.1 million dollars. Watkins Glen State Park saw a total attendance of 1.2 million in 2023. The Finger Lakes Regional Park system stated that the jump in attendance came from social media interactions and a boost in tourism to Finger Lakes as a whole. Boosts in attendance could also be seen at Taughannock Falls and Buttermilk Falls State Parks.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Thursday, February 8, 2024 1min Source Type: News The real estate assets for Tioga Downs Casino Resort have been sold to an investment trust. The assets were sold to Gaming and Leisure Properties Incorporated for \$175 million.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Tuesday, February 13, 2024 1min Source Type: News Specc's Chocolates and Gifts in Watkins Glen will be offering last-minute Valentine's Day gifts. People will be able to pick up jewelry and homemade chocolate.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, February 17, 2024 33sec

Source Type News

Corning Incorporated announced they will be laying off 20% of their employees at one manufacturing plant in the town of Erwin. According to a "warn notice" filed with New York State Department of Labor Corning Inc. listed the reason for the layoffs as economic. The layoffs affect 107 employees at Corning's Erwin Plant located at 792 Addison Road in Painted Post. At this time 532 employees currently work at the plant.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Monday, February 19, 2024 45sec Source Type: News Businesses and schools around the Twin Tiers are closed to honor Presidents Day. Business and classes will resume the following day.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, February 21, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type: News A local bar staple is up for sale, we spoke to the owner of a bar in Horseheads to find out why they are looking to sell their business.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, February 22, 2024 40sec

Source Type News

An iconic brewery and restaurant in Corning has announced its closure after over 25 years in business. Market Street Brewing Company announced on its Facebook page that they would be shutting down operations indefinitely. In a parting message, Market Street Brewing Company thanked its patrons, customers, and crew members that supported them along the way. The brew pub first started brewing beer in 1997, when microbreweries were a novel concept. It is currently unknown what will happen to the existing establishment that the brew pub currently resides in. The building is currently listed for sale for 569-thousand dollars.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Thursday, February 22, 2024 45sec Source Type: News Beef's Sports Bar & Grill in Horseheads is being put on the market for sale. The owners hope Beef's continues to operate as a bar under new ownership.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, February 23, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type News

Corning's Cabin Fever is back to help beat the winter blues and taste the flavors of our region. We show people what it is like and explain how it is important to the local economy.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, February 25, 2024 33sec Source Type News

Cabin Fever welcomed over 20 businesses on Market Street to partner with a local winery, brewery, or distillery. The event focuses on tasting the Finger Lakes and highlighting small and artisanal businesses. FLX provisions has been a participant in Cabin Fever for several years. The next big event in downtown Corning is Glass Fest.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, February 25, 2024 1min 17sec Source Type News

The delectable Girl Scout cookies hit the market once a year by troops nationwide. In the Twin Tiers troops began selling early this year, to encourage locals to come and support the organization and their future with the leadership program. The official kick off to Girl Scout Cookie season is March 1st. Cookies will be sold starting Friday in most local counties like Steuben, Chemung and Bradford. Locations include Walmart in Horseheads and Miniers in Big Flats.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, February 25, 2024 1min 27sec Source Type News Corning's Crystal City welcomed the crystal show to Steuben County for a weekend of shopping. The event took place at the Nassar Civic Center in Corning, New York and featured many store owners and collectors. A perk for local vendors is that they get to reconnect or build a relationship with customers interested in the crystal experience.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Monday, February 26, 2024 30sec Source Type: News Construction work continues on the new Starbucks and Urgent Care located in the Village of Riverside.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, February 26, 2024 33sec Source Type News

The annual crystal show made its stop in Corning this weekend. Organizers said more than a thousand people came to the winter crystal fest gem and mineral show. Sponsored by The Finger Lakes Gem, Mineral and Fossil Club the fest has been going on for 8 years now. Whether people had been attending for years, or it was their first time going, they said it was an impressive experience. Vendors say it's an opportunity to get their small businesses on the map.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 1min Source Type: News A new first responder uniform store is set to open on Friday in Elmira Heights. The store will specialize in first responder uniforms for police, fire, and EMS personnel.

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 44sec

Source Type News

This morning, the Chemung County Chamber of Commerce will be hosting its 31st annual economic forum in partnership with the Southern Tier Economic Growth. The Economic Forum will be an informational session will be holding diverse leaders in health care, manufacturing, housing, and more. Panelists from the Arnot Health, AM&T, and IncubatorWorks will also be there to share their experiences in the field. The forum will be moderated by Doctor William Mullaney from SUNY Corning Community College to offer insight into the local region and economic growth. General admission is 35 dollars per person registration is required.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Thursday, February 29, 2024 34sec Source Type News The tourism numbers for Steuben are in, we break them down and explain the local economic impact.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Thursday, February 29, 2024 1min 45sec Source Type: News Clemens Square in Downtown Elmira is set to get a complete makeover -- and will hopefully attract new business once it's finished,:

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, March 1, 2024 37sec Source Type News Visitors to Steuben Co

Visitors to Steuben County brought in more than 35 million dollars in 2023. That's according to the county's conference and visitor's bureau, that tracks visitor data. Last year, more than 305,000 people stayed in accommodations across Steuben. That includes hotels, motels, bed and breakfasts, and other lodging. visitors to corning made up about 57-percent of guests. Other key areas were central Steuben and Keuka Lake. The CVB credits its app "Explore Steuben" and social media marketing with helping boost local tourism.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, March 1, 2024 1min 15sec Source Type: News Clemens Square in Downtown Elmira has several unused and abandoned store fronts. Capriotti Properties plans to by 7,700 square feet of the property to create a dining and gaming spot.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Wednesday, March 6, 2024 30sec Source Type: News There Twin Tiers Regional Job Fair is taking place tomorrow with over 90 organizations planning to attend. There will be hundreds of jobs for people to take interest in and apply for.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, March 15, 2024 1min Source Type: News IDA Chairman Mark Mar

IDA Chairman Mark Margeson gave an update on Elmira's First Arena. He told the board that significant repairs have been made to the community and community attitudes about the facility are changing.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, February 16, 2024 36sec

Source Type News

If you've filled up your gas tank this week, you probably noticed it cost you more. The price of a gallon of gas went up twelve cents over the past week to reach a national average of \$3.27. That may have come as a bit of a shock since prices haven't moved more than a few cents over the past few months. The good news is the reason is should only be temporary. Highly influencing prices right now is the shutdown of a massive BP refinery in Indiana. It's been offline for more than two weeks due to a power outage.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, March 3, 2024 12min 52sec Source Type News Chamberlain Acres in th

Chamberlain Acres in the Town of Southport hosted their ninth annual Spring Handmade Market. The local market, offers residents of the Southern Tier to visit vendors and see their handmade crafts. Items varied from cutting boards, crochet pieces, and locally produced products. Chamberlain Acres is a short 15min away from WENY News and offers year-round events ranging from Farmers Markets to classes with a specific focus like knitting.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, March 4, 2024 37sec Source Type News The Chemung County I.D

The Chemung County I.D.A. is getting \$4 million in state money for a project in Horseheads. The funds will be used to upgrade infrastructure and support growth in manufacturing; including warehousing, battery and solar areas. The money comes under a program called FASTNY. The state gave over \$45 million in grants for several counties in the most recent round of funding. The program has awarded more than \$175 million to 20 sites across the state so far. Governor Kathy Hochul has proposed an additional \$100 million in the 2025 Executive budget to expand the grants.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Tuesday, March 5, 2024 30sec Source Type: News The Twin Tiers Regional Job Fair is happening in the Town of Chemung.

Thursday, March 7, 2024 42sec

Source Type News

The Twin Tiers Job Fair returns, this time at a new location at Waverly's Chemung Innovation Center. The job fair is free for anyone looking for work. The job fair will have a resume center, private interview space, and access to over 50 employers from across the Twin Tiers. Organizers say it doesn't matter if you are looking for a career change or a way to utilize your skills. Employers include; health services, first responders, food services and other fields. Organizers say the job fair is designed to encourage visitors to step outside their comfort zone and engage with as many employers as possible.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, March 8, 2024 44sec

Source Type News

Crews have taken part of the building down that partially collapsed on Elmira's Southside. The 2nd story of the building has been taken down, and it appears just a shell of the building is what remains. We were told that the building as a whole was in bad shape. The collapsed portion was contained to the rear of the building. Basically, the back wall fell down. The building was demolished because it posed a threat to other nearby buildings. The building, located at 116 South Main Street, stood next to Anne's Pancakes. The restaurant closed due to the partial collapse.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, March 11, 2024 25sec

Source Type News

A pop-up market at Pine City Post featured local small businesses yesterday. Pine City Post sells locally made goods and today they opened to welcome two businesses in. Bespoke apothecary and soup-a-potamous were the guests at the event. Customers could come in and browse products which might be new to them. Small business owners say this provides a unique opportunity to expand their reach.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, March 13, 2024 2min Source Type: News A near total eclipse is coming to the area in April. We look at how it's impacting the local economy.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, March 13, 2024 45sec Source Type: News With less than one month away from the solar eclipse, we took a closer look at some of the business opportunities that will be popping up during the event.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Thursday, March 14, 2024 1min Source Type: News First Arena has been a hot topic locally for years. We spoke to the Chemung County IDA about future plans.

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WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Friday, March 15, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type: News Tax season is upon us, and we warned viewers that they have a month to file their taxes before their returns are considered late.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, March 17, 2024 38sec

Source Type News

Community members spent the last couple of months organizing a giveaway for the less fortunate, and they're just about ready to hand them out. The giveaway is Easter themed but they're still accepting donations like men's clothing, gloves, hats, wipes, baby clothes, etc. The event is hosted by the Mystery Unicorn Magic Art Studio, and they'll be handing out food and drinks for those in need on Saturday, March 23rd from 9 a.m. to noon... At the H&R Block in the old Tops Parking lot on South Main Street in Elmira.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, March 17, 2024 12min 50sec Source Type News Saint Patrick's Day is a wor

Saint Patrick's Day is a worldwide celebration and special events took place in the Twin Tiers. Customers began celebrating the all green holiday filled with rainbows and pots of gold at 11 a.m. The local St. Paddy's Party at Liquid Shoes Brewing featured green mimosas, Irish music and nothing but celebration

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Thursday, March 21, 2024 30sec Source Type: News A local business has announced that they will be closing all of their locations during solar eclipse so employees can go outside and watch it.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, March 22, 2024 51sec

Source Type News

The proposed licensed marijuana dispensary that will be in the old Denny's restaurant on Corning Road in Horseheads has approval in the form of a special use permit. The Village decided whether or not to give the proposal the green light to move on to the next phase. At the very beginning of the Village Board meeting, they opened up the floor to public comments for anyone for or against the proposed Mooney's Cannabis business. Just one person spoke, and they said were in support of the business. The former Denny's restaurant at 950 Chemung Street has sat vacant for more than three years. After the public comment period was finished, and there was no opposition to the project brought up, the board gave the project the greenlight.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, March 22, 2024 1min 45sec Source Type: News

Mooney's Cannabis has approval in the form of a special permit to operate in Horseheads. The Village of Horseheads approved the decision during a town meeting.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, March 23, 2024 1min 22sec total Source Type News

Downtown Elmira was buzzing a bit earlier than usual, thanks to the return of 'Alive After Five.' The kickoff for the event didn't happen outdoors on West Water Street however, as it took place at First Arena instead. The event was free and open to the public, unless you wanted to drink (21+) which had a \$5 cover charge. Guests played games like Operation and competed in two-player challenges to test their speed. There was also a selfie mirror where people could take fun pictures. 'Alive After Five' is a concert series that moves through different locations in the downtown district. If you couldn't make it to Friday night's event, Elmira Downtown Development will have another event called 'Taste of Downtown' on March 28th from 5 to 730sec p.m. at the Empire Sports of the Southern Tier. Those tickets are \$30 per person.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, March 24, 2024 1min 51min Source Type News

Southport's Chamberlain Acres Farmers market runs all year, and locally that is possible because of the center's indoor areas. Locals came out on this mild March Sunday to shop crafts, and even meet some vendors who are newer to the community. Chamberlain Acres encourages people to show locally versus wholesale

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, March 24, 2024 1min 37sec Source Type News Elmira's Downtown Development has c

Elmira's Downtown Development has officially launched its events for the 2024 spring season. The Taste of Downtown is returning to Elmira's Empire Sports Complex. The event runs for two and a half hours and presents some of Elmira's best cuisines. Tickets are 30 dollars and the event is three days away.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Sunday, March 24, 2024 1min 37sec Source Type News

Spring is here and so is the 2024 drive-in movie season. A local Elmira Drive-In will welcome the new year with four movies. They will play all weekend long and tickets range in price depending on the viewer's age. Movies rotate throughout the season and all you need is some friends and a car for a good time.

Monday, March 25, 2024 33sec Source Type: News

The Elmira-drive-in is opening this week for the 2024 season. On Friday moviegoers will have the chance to watch a double feature of "Ghostbusters: Frozen Empire" and "Madame Web." The start time is 7:40 p.m. and then 9:50 pm. If you're not interested in those movies there is another option. "Godzilla x Kong: The New Empire" and "Dune: Part Two." Those start times are 7:50 p.m. and 10 p.m. These movies will replay Saturday and Sunday at the same times. Tickets are eleven dollars for those 12 and older or six dollars for kids under 11 years old.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Monday, March 25, 2024 30sec Source Type: News The Elmira Drive-In is opening for business for the 2024 season. Movie-goers will have a chance to see two feature films to celebrate.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, March 25, 2024 30sec Source Type: News A local health care provider is having a hiring event. We explain when where and how it could help people get a job.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Monday, March 25, 2024 1min Source Type: News If you are looking for a new job in the healthcare industry, Arnot Health is hosting a hiring event.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Tuesday, March 26, 2024 45sec Source Type: News There was a press conference discussing an audit performed on First Arena. We break down the details.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Tuesday, March 26, 2024 1min 35sec Source Type: News The owner and operator of First Arena in Elmira shared findings of its audit -- looking into financials of the troubled sports arena.

Wednesday, March 27, 2024 58sec

Source Type: News

The Chemung County Industrial Development Agency performed their first ever audit on Elmira's First Arena. According to Agency Chair Mark Margeson there's never been an audit done on the facility. The audit looked at the arena's finances, and the record keeping of income and other expenses. Margeson said one thing the audit revealed was a lack of controls for a debit card for the arena, and that's being addressed. He said the IDA wants to streamline things and help keep costs down, delegating tasks and spreading duties among another person or two. He also adds this would help create a checks and balance system for better record keeping. The chairman said they want to stabilize the facility, bring it back functionally, so it could be sold in the future to a potential buyer. Margeson said while the Arena may not be turning a profit, people coming to hockey games and events is still a benefit to the community.

ECONOMY/LOCAL BUSINESS AND/OR EMPLOYMENT ISSUES PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

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1/5-3/31	:30 sec	38	40	40	Nat'l	Protect Press Freedom - Protectpressfreedom.org

EDUCATIONAL ISSUES

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, January 5, 2024 43sec

Source Type News

The schools that won a landmark school funding court case in Pennsylvania last year are prepared to go back to court if the Legislature and governor don't adequately address shortfalls in the coming months. Lawyers for the schools and advocates called for an extra \$2 billion to public education funds in this budget. That would be followed by \$1 billion a year for each of the next four years to address shortfalls by the 2029-30 school year. It comes as two critical junctures are approaching a new report recommending how to distribute state aid to schools and Democratic Gov. Josh Shapiro's second budget proposal.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, January 12, 2024 42sec

Source Type News

A commission reviewing how Pennsylvania distributes money to public schools has approved a report that suggests the state is underfunding its districts by more than 5 billion dollars. Thursday's vote on the report by the Basic Education Funding Commission was backed by Democrats and members of Governor Josh Shapiro's administration. Republicans and one Democrat on the commission opposed it in a vote of 8 to 7. The report says the state should begin immediately to close a school funding gap and phase in the increases over seven years. A separate Republican report was defeated on party lines.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, January 14, 2024 38sec

Source Type News

Twelve teams of students from across New York state competed in a robotics tournament at Elmira high school on Saturday. teams of four spent weeks preparing their robots for the competition. From building the bot, to coding, to controlling it. the students did it all. The goal of the competition is for the robot to get as many triballs as possible. The teams earn points and advance to different rounds. Students are scored on design, skills, sportsmanship and excellence. Event organizers say they hope this tournament will continue on for many more years, and help students find a love for robotics.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, January 15, 2024 37sec

Source Type News

A community college and local health care provider are teaming up to create a new night program to help people become nurses. We explain why, how it will help, and how to participate.

Tuesday, January 16, 2024 34sec

Source Type News

Cayuga Health and Tompkins Cortland Community College are teaming up to expand the college's nursing program by offering night classes. The move is designed to increase the number of nurses locally, while also giving the program the opportunity to attack nontraditional students who work full time during the day. The nursing program takes two years to complete and the newly announced night classes will run three nights a week. According to Cayuga Health, many people who complete the program decide to stay with Cayuga Health.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Tuesday, January 16, 2024 2min Source Type News In December, Pennsylvania Governor josh Schapiro signed laws that updated the public school code. We explain to Pennsylvania parents how the law will impact what their kids are taught in school.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, January 24, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type News A new bill in the State of Pennsylvania would help students get their drivers permit at school.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, January 25, 2024 45sec Source Type News

Over 69 million dollars in state funding is going to 44 schools in New York, the state department of education announced. The funding is from the stronger connections grant program meant to support better learning opportunities and environments and curb violence in schools. A few local schools will be seeing some of this money. Elmira city school district is getting almost 3 million dollars. Spencer VanEttan Central schools are seeing over \$800,000 of it. And Campbell Savona is getting \$700,000. The schools were selected because at least 40 percent of students qualified for free meals and 10 percent of students are chronically absent.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, January 26, 2024 45sec Source Type News An Emeritus member of Cornell University's Board of Trustees called out the president and provost of the university to resign. Jon Lindseth wrote a letter about their tolerance for anti-Semitism on campus.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, February 28, 2024 2min Source Type: News Tensions were running high at the Elmira Heights School Board of Education meeting after controversy over a teacher who allegedly told a transgender student that they could not use the girl's bathroom.

Thursday, February 1, 2024 48sec

Source Type News

Good news if you ever wanted to get into nursing, the V.A. Finger Lakes Healthcare System is hosting a recruitment event for its new nursing assistant program Friday. Set to kick off at 2 p.m. at the Bath V.A. Medical Center Campus, you can learn all about the six-week program. To encourage people to sign up, the V.A. is currently offering a signing bonus for nursing assistants, which graduates of the program are eligible for, once signed on as a permanent employee. Representatives will be on hand during the recruitment event, to help answer questions, perform real-time interviews, and to potentially hire on the spot. Anyone interested is being asked to bring their resumes and references.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Tuesday, February 6, 2024 29sec Source Type News

Retired NASA astronaut and Elmira native Eileen Collins will be the subject of a new documentary. We explain when it's coming out, and why it's important.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, February 7, 2024

52sec

Source Type News

Pennsylvania Governor Josh Shapiro laid out his plans for this year's budget in a historic address yesterday. His initiatives come to \$48.3 billion for the general fund budget. His budget proposal started with a \$1.1 billion increase in the basic education fund. Most that would go in a new adequacy fund, a response to last year's court ruling saying PA school districts rely too much on property tax. The governor proposed \$280 million in public transport, bonds for a statewide economic development plan, and \$34 million to raise wages for childcare workers. Republicans criticized the plan for spending \$2 billion more than the state gets in revenue Shapiro is pulling that money from a \$14 billion surplus the state has built since covid.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Monday, February 12, 2024 45sec Source Type: News

Summer Cohesion is a program for youth and families in Chemung County that will be celebrating 50 years. They will soon be releasing dated for summer youth programs for the community to take part in.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Thursday, February 15, 2024 1min 15sec

Source Type: News

The Corning-San Giovanni Sister Cities Association sent a group of two high school students, two teachers, a superintendent, the Mayor of Corning, and others to Italy for a fun, educational trip. The trip will serve as a way for Corning to strengthen its ties with the Sister City.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, February 16, 2024 1min Source Type: News Alfred State College is hos

Alfred State College is hosting an event this weekend to help students with Financial Aid needs. The Office of Student Records and Financial Aid plans to help people with their applications.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, February 25, 2024 35 sec Source Type News

Cornell University is a short 35min away from WENY News and one of their dance team is participating in the largest exhibition next month. Cornell Bhangra will patriciate, alongside several other colleges and universities, in a dance competition. Bhangra is a type of traditional folk dance of the Indian Punjab culture. The music is upbeat and a way to groove with a educational group and local campus club.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, February 29, 2024 52sec Source Type News

Tensions ran high at the Elmira Heights central school district school board meeting last night. The issue at hand? A reported situation involving a transgender elementary student and a teacher. Even though the district is no commenting on the matter that was not the case on social media the past few days. And according to those posts the transgender elementary student was reportedly denied access to a girl's bathroom by a teacher. And that teacher is no longer with the district. Some people on social media agreed that the teacher was in the right by not allowing the student access to bathroom. Others came to the defense of the student saying they're just a child and it's not their fault. And tonight, those viewpoints were shared by both sides.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Thursday, February 29, 2024 3min Source Type: News During an Elmira Heights Central School District school board meeting, tensions were high. There was an issue brought up that involved a transgender elementary student and a teacher.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, March 4, 2024 1min 14sec Source Type: News Waverly High School just announced a new partnership. We explain how it could help students with their future careers.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, March 6, 2024 2min Source Type: News A new racing exhibit is on display. We explain why racing culture is so important locally.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, March 6, 2024 45sec Source Type: News The Schuyler Co. Historical Society and International Motor Racing Research Center have partnered to showcase the racing history of the area.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, March 12, 2024 50sec Source Type News

Yesterday in Tioga County Pennsylvania, the Southern Tioga School District discussed what they're calling a "condensed campus plan" at the board of education meeting. The board met last night about whether to continue moving forward with the consolidation. Southern Tioga currently has five schools, three elementary and two junior/senior high schools. The campus consolidation plan is an 89-million-dollar plan. It calls for consolidating the district into two elementary schools, Warren L. Miller and North Penn Liberty. The district would also build a new high school in Blossburg taking the district down to three school's total.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Tuesday, March 12, 2024 1min 45sec Source Type: News The Southern Tioga School District discussed a condensed campus plan at the Board of Education meeting. The board decided to pass the motion to continue on with the plan.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, March 13, 2024 44sec

Source Type News

The Horseheads School District has seen some major improvements in the past few years and the school district says there are even more upgrades in the works. The Horseheads 2030 project started in 2017 with the goal of updating and modernizing the district to make a better learning environment for all students. Phase one was called "building our future now". This focused on improvements to the high school and middle/intermediate school like the multi-purpose stadium, renovated cafeteria/kitchen, library addition, upgraded classrooms and more. That phase is just about finished. The second phase is called "continuing our build".

WENY News 12pm (local)

Wednesday, March 13, 2024 30sec Source Type: News The Elmira Heights School District's capital improvement project was approved by voters. The proposal received 149 yes votes and 30 no votes.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Thursday, March 14, 2024 2min 45sec Source Type: News Two local colleges just announced a new partnership. We explain how it will help local students.

WENY-TV Horseheads, NY

Friday, March 15, 2024 41sec

Source Type News

A new transfer agreement signed by Corning Community College and Elmira College is set to help students that look to keep their education close to home through scholarships and incentives like need-based funding. Senior leadership from CCC and Elmira College met at the Arthur A. Houghton Jr. Library to formally sign the agreement. The new document looks to eliminate some of the financial windfalls associated with continuing higher education through guaranteed acceptance and transfer scholarship benefits. Prospective students looking to transfer will be eligible to earn renewable scholarships depending on academic standing.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, March 16, 2024 1min 55sec

Source Type News

On Friday (3/15), Elmira native and NASA astronaut, Eileen Collins reconnected with her roots in the Southern Tier. She came home to share her story, ahead of a documentary about her. She was the first woman to be a space shuttle commander. A British Production team is making the film about Collins titled 'Space Woman.' Eileen reflected on her life including the flood of '72 and her several trips to space. She spent several years prepping to head to space, going to Corning Community College, Syracuse University, and Stanford University. Collins urges the younger generation to put down the phone/tablet, pick up a book, learn something new - to allow your brain to imagine all of the endless possibilities for yourself.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Saturday, March 16, 2024 1min 28sec

Source Type News

Cornell's Bhangra dance team is a campus club that spans colleges nationwide focusing on India's Punjab culture. The team goes to many competitions every year, and on Saturday night the largest Bhangra event called PAW came to Ithaca, New York. Several colleges spanning from Florida to New York sent their Bhangra team to highlight the cultural dances and bring a community together from near and far.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, March 17, 2024 53sec Source Type News

Hundreds of people came to Cornell University on Saturday for the biggest Bhangra show in the United States... Bhangra is a folk dance and music that originated in India, and some teams like to put a modern twist on the dance. Five different teams from across the country traveled to Ithaca to showcase their skills... from as far away as Florida teams came together to share their love of dance. Cornell hosts a Bhangra showcase once a year and they'll have another in the spring.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Saturday, March 23, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type News Elmira Colleges students laced up their dancing shoes to help fundraise money for the Children's Miracle Network at the local Arnot Ogden Medical Center. Students, staff, and the Southern Tier community came together in the college gymnasium for this year's circus theme called "The Greatest Cause." In 2023, the dance marathon fundraised \$5,489 and organizers hope to surpass that number this year.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Saturday, March 23, 2024 30sec

Source Type News

Lecom's Casino Night fundraiser returned to the Southern Tier to help medical students pay for tuition and living necessities. The third annual event took place at Horsehead's Arnot Mall Event Center. The night began with a presentation, followed by a dinner and socialization with your peers. The fundraising total is expected in the coming days.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, March 24, 2024 1min 9sec Source Type News

On Saturday, many people from the community and different organizations attended the annual LECOM Casino Night at the Arnot Mall. The event is a way to raise money to help students with the costs of medical school. LECOM students can get scholarships worth anywhere from \$3,000 to \$5,000 per semester. The scholarship can be used for things like tuition, textbooks, and living expenses. One first year student said receiving a scholarship helps give her a peace of mind. Govindi said with the scholarship, her dreams and aspirations can become a reality... and it helps build a future beyond the textbooks. Govindi said once she gets her education, she wants to go back to NYC and possibly back to her home country to help provide medical care there. To help fundraise, there was a silent auction and raffles. Dr. Richard Terry, the Associate Dean of Academic Affairs at LECOM Elmira said they raised roughly \$220,000.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Tuesday, March 26, 2024 30sec Source Type: News Cornell Bhangra announced its 21st annual exhibition that is set to take place on March 16th. The event is called "Pao" and is one of the largest student-run events on campus.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Tuesday, March 26, 2024

45sec

Source Type: News

Corning Community College will be hosting a Manufacturing Open House. The event will focus on the renewed Machine Tool Technology Program.

EDUCATIONAL ISSUES PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

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1/1-3/31	:10 sec	187	168	142	Local	FCC Programming Announcement
1/6-3/31	:30 sec	37	39	39		High School Equivalency - When you Graduate

ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, January 3, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type News if you've ever driven down I-86 near Lowman viewers might see a torch like flame off the side of the highway. We explain what it is, and why it is so important to safe garbage disposal.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Friday, January 5, 2024 1min 15sec Source Type News Horseheads resident Sarah Wilke has dedicated her time and resources to rehabbing animals in the Southern Tier. Wilke talked about the work she does at her animal rescue called "Serendipity Squirrels."

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, January 10, 2024 32sec Source Type News Strong winds yesterday knocked out power to tens of thousands of customers across the Twin Tiers. We explain what areas were hit hardest and are still experiencing outages.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, January 12, 2024 2min 15sec Source Type News The warm winter has changed the nature of a lot of traditional winter excursions. We explain how to spot the danger spots when out ice fishing.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Friday, January 12, 2024 50sec Source Type News A Yates County Bitcoin mining operation has agreed to pay the EPA \$105,000 for a coal ash pond that needs to be

cleaned up on the mining operation's property.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, January 13, 2024 50sec

Source Type News

Yates County Bitcoin mining operation Greenidge announced it has reached a deal with the E-P-A to remove a coal ash pond on its property in Dresden. The company says the pond was created by it's previous owners and they have never used it. As part of the deal Greenidge has voluntarily agreed to pay a fine of 105 thousand dollars, but has not admitted to any fault. On top of that, the project is expected to cost 10 million dollars. According to Greenidge the company never used coal or disposed of coal materials in the pond which it says has been sitting in Yates County for

more than 60 years. As it stands Greendige officials say work to direct waste water and storm water away from the pond has already been completed.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, January 14, 2024 1min 57sec Source Type News

Western New York is experiencing freezing temperatures, snow, and a delayed NFL game. WENY's sister station had two reporters near the Bills stadium reporting on the inclement weather. During a LIVE shot and look live story, onscene reporters stood in the torrential conditions and spoke to locals about the weather and the postponed Bills game. New York State Governor Kathy Hochul shared it is best to stay indoors even while conditions do begin to ease up.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, January 15, 2024 24sec

Source Type News

A group of about 85 people dug out the Buffalo Bills' stadium Sunday while snow was falling at a rate of 2 inches per hour. The Bills paid snow shovelers \$20 an hour. One person who participated, said the work at Highmark Stadium was nearly impossible. The storm did taper off overnight, allowing time to clear roads and prepare the stadium for the game.

WENY News, Weekend 6 pm (local)

Saturday, January 20, 2024 2min

Source Type News

The countdown to kick off at New York's Highmark Stadium is ticking closer and closer to the big game. The Buffalo Bills will play the Kansas City Chiefs on Sunday night. Tonight's game determines who will play the Ravens in the AFC Championship game. Our sister station Erie News Now, had reporters on the ground at local bars and snow clean-up events leading up to the matchup everyone has been waiting for.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, January 25, 2024 33sec

Source Type News

The Wellsboro municipal authority got a million-dollar grant from the Commonwealth and a subsequent loan to upgrade their water treatment plant. The money will be used to replace their chlorine gas disinfection system with a new ultraviolet disinfection system. Pennsylvania says this will put the borough in compliance with new chlorine discharge level rules. The state says it will also improve the safety of workers, the community and the marsh creek. The money is part of a 194-million-dollar investment state-wide.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Monday, January 29, 2024 1min Source Type News The boil water advisory for Mansfield residents was lifted by Mansfield Borough officials. The system was tested and the tests came back 'negative' for any dangers involving the drinking water.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, January 31, 2024 2min Source Type News Where has all the snow gone? The Twin Tiers is known for some rough winters, but this winter has been mild at best. We look at what is going on weather wise.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Friday, February 9, 2024 1min 45sec Source Type: News We hit a record high temperature and we caught up with golfers who are hitting the course in February.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Tuesday, February 13, 2024 2min Source Type News The Twin Tiers have seen unseasonable warmth this winter. We'll look at why that could change in the near future.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, February 14, 2024 26sec Source Type News People in Schuyler County were a

People in Schuyler County were able to address their concerns about a potential gravel pit company expanding. Community members spoke against the proposal to expand the IGN Sand and Gravel Pit in Watkins Glen. They asked the D.E.C. to look into the negative effects expanding the gravel pit could have on the area. People said if the gravel pit expands, it would be bad for the environment and also the community.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, February 16, 2024 2min 15sec Source Type News The warm winter doesn't just affect people -- animals can also see drastic changes in migration and hibernation. We spoke with local wildlife experts about the impact.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, February 19, 2024 2min 09sec Source Type News It's been a warm winter, and that might make kayakers want to hit the water. We explain why they should still be cautious.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Tuesday, March 12, 2024 45sec WENY-TV Horseheads, NY Source Type: News The New York State Burn Ban goes into effect soon, and will last until May.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, March 13, 2024 32sec

Source Type News

The Three Rivers Development Foundation announced they are holding a series of interactive open house style forums on the Chemung River Greenway, a proposed multi-use trail that would connect Elmira to Corning. In a bid to get public input for a feasibility study the first open house is scheduled for March 20th at the Big Flats community center. If you can't attend there is an online survey available until May 31st.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, March 18, 2024 44sec

Source Type News

The Friends of the Chemung River is raising concerns about sightings of decapitated animals such as deer, snakes, and birds around Fitch's Bridge Boat Launch in West Elmira. The Boat Launch is located along Hendy Hollow Road, near the intersection of New York State Routes 352 and 225. A scheduled cleanup took place Sunday morning but not before a dog walker saw a headless turkey in the area. Though the area is home to some predatory animals, questions are being raised if a person is deliberately abusing animal remains. The Friends of the Chemung River is asking those who come across animal remains to report their findings to DEC.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Thursday, March 21, 2024 50sec Source Type: News A number of dead animals have been found by the Chemung River. We explain what authorities believe happened.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, March 27, 2024

35sec

Source Type: News

A walking trail that links Elmira to Corning is becoming more of a reality. called the Chemung River Green Way, it's a twenty-mile trail that will run from the two cities. The project is currently in the works, but will take many years to complete. According to three rivers development, the goal is to create a multi-use trail. It hopes to provide more outdoor activities like hiking and biking, and boost tourism in the area. While it may take many years for the full project to be completed, president Kamala Keeleyy said the project will be done in phases.

ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

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1/2-3/31	:30 sec	39	41	40	Nat'l	USAID Center for International Disaster Information - Cash is Best
1/1-3/31	:30 sec	39	44	42	Nat'l	World Wildlife Fund - Protect Tigers

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, January 1, 2024 1min 52sec Source Type News

Six Elmira City Council member were sworn in Monday afternoon, with two new representatives for District's Four and Five. We attended the ceremony and spoke with some about their goals.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Tuesday, January 2, 2024 37sec Source Type News

The Village of Horseheads next week will hold a public hearing on a proposed indoor cannabis growing operation. We tell people when it will take place and how to participate.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, January 3, 2024 35sec Source Type News Next week, the Village of Horseheads will hold a public hearing on a proposed indoor cannabis growing operation. The business, Upstate Craft Cannabis, is requesting a special use permit for a proposed indoor greenhouse to grow weed. The business would operate with a license from the Office of Cannabis Management. The marijuana would then be

business, Upstate Craft Cannabis, is requesting a special use permit for a proposed indoor greenhouse to grow weed. The business would operate with a license from the Office of Cannabis Management. The marijuana would then be sold to licensed retail dispensaries. The indoor grow operation would be at 3312 South Main Street in the Village of Horseheads. The Board of Trustees will hold a public hearing on the permit application on January 8 at 7 p.m.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, January 4, 2024 27sec Source Type News

Ithaca swore in their 46th mayor, Robert Cantelmo Wednesday. Cantelmo was sworn in at City Hall before he made his inaugural State of the City address. He shared some issues he would like to work on while he is in office including the housing crisis, reliable and accessible public transportation and repairing the city's aging infrastructure with new streets, sidewalks and water pipes. This is Cantelmo's first elected seat.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Thursday, January 4, 2024 1min 50sec Source Type News Last fall, the Steuben County Sheriff asked a judge to review actions taken by the Steuben County Legislature, after it voted to repeal his indemnification. We breakdown the latest on the legal situation.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, January 5, 2024 30sec Source Type News Congressman Nick Langworthy announced today that an emergency medical service in Steuben County is getting a rural development grant to help pay for a new ambulance. We explain how it will help the community.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, January 7, 2024 1 min Source Type News

A public hearing will be held at the Village of Horseheads town hall on Monday because a local store is requesting a special use permit to grown cannabis. The business would operate with a license from the New York State office of Cannabis Management, so they could sell cannabis to licensed retail dispensaries.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Monday, January 8, 2024 30sec Source Type News

The Village of Horseheads will have a public hearing on a proposed indoor cannabis growing operation. Upstate Craft Cannabis is requesting a special use permit to grow cannabis at 3312 South Main Street in Horseheads.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Monday, January 8, 2024 1min 45sec Source Type News A potential cannabis grow bi

A potential cannabis grow business was proposed for the Village of Horseheads. The community had their chance to voice their opinions about the proposal.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, January 9, 2024 38sec Source Type News

The public got a chance last night to voice their opinions about the possibility of a business growing cannabis setting up shop in the village of Horseheads. Upstate craft cannabis has applied for a permit for a proposed indoor plant nursery to grow cannabis. The permit is for 3312 south main street. Residents talked about concerns like increased crime, medical implications from growing cannabis and general dislike of the practice. We talked to the attorney representing the couple who owns upstate craft, Matthew Boozetti.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, January 17, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type News Representatives from the a Southport mobile home park asked the Town of Southport for an approval for a "size variance".

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Sunday, January 21, 2024 26sec

Source Type News

Senator Lea Webb announced Saturday she is running for reelection. Senator Webb represents New York State in the 52nd district which includes Tompkins, Cortland, and part of Broome County. She was elected in November of 2022 and is running for a second term. Senator Webb says she enjoyed working with the community so far and will continue to do throughout her term.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, January 22, 2024 1min 55sec Source Type News

PA Democrats have introduced legislation that would remove regulations on abortion clinics. We break down how this will impact our local PA residents if it were to go through.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, January 23, 2024 55sec

Source Type News

Happening in Horseheads, there have been some developments with businesses looking to bring legal cannabis operations to town. Two businesses are looking to get special permits from the village of Horseheads. This is a multistep process and one of the steps is to get approval from the planning board. At that meeting last night, Upstate Craft Cannabis's proposal was back on the table. They're looking to get a special use permit to grow cannabis at 3312 south main street. The proposal had previously been approved by the planning board, but the board decided they needed more information. After reviewing some key points like pedestrian access, parking, and proposed signage, the board voted unanimously to approve the proposal. The village board will vote to approve or deny Upstate Craft Cannabis's proposal on February 12th.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Tuesday, January 23, 2024 1min Source Type News

A few businesses are trying to get special permits to bring legal cannabis operations to the Village of Horseheads. The Town's Planning Board talked about what needs to be done to gain approval.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, January 24, 2024 46sec

Source Type News

State officials from Harrisburg announced that Pennsylvania state police and the state's pension agency have lost some online records. Governor Josh Shapiro's Office blamed "human error" by a state employee who was doing server maintenance earlier this month. As to the lost files Pennsylvania State Police is still working to recover access to online records of how it handled evidence. Officials say the issue does not impact physical evidence. The same issue also hit the State Employees Retirement System. Officials said online users temporarily lost access to a member services system this month. The retirement system said no pension data has been lost

WENY News 12pm (local)

Thursday, January 25, 2024 30sec Source Type News

Republican Mike Sigler is a Tompkins County Legislator who is running for a state Senate seat. He announced his campaign to run for New York's 52nd district.

Friday, January 26, 2024 50sec

Source Type News

An old school in Hornell has been turned into 39 affordable apartments using millions of dollars in state and federal funding. While Bryant School closed in 2021, the developers kept the school's original hallway tile, entrance sign, playground, mature trees, and fenced-in greenspace. A fitness center, community room with kitchen, and laundry rooms on each floor were also added. According to the governor's office, all 39 apartments come with high-speed internet and are affordable to households earning at or below 60 percent of the Area Median Income. State financing for the \$14.3 million development includes just under 8 million in Federal Low-Income Housing Tax Credits, \$2 million in State Low Income Housing Tax Credits and \$3 point 5 million from a federal subsidy.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Tuesday, January 30, 2024 50sec Source Type News The City of Elmira approved the proposed budget. People who live in Elmira will see a property tax increase.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, January 31, 2024 29sec

Source Type News

A local attorney is announcing he is running for Family Court Judge in Chemung County. Bryan Maggs announced his campaign for Family Court Judge Tuesday. Maggs has been an attorney for 23 years, and has previously worked as a family court attorney, county attorney, a judicial law clerk, and has taught law classes at Elmira College. He also spent 19 years as an Army Reserve JAG Officer. Judges are elected to ten year terms.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, January 31, 2024

41sec

Source Type News

The Elmira City Council recently approved the City Manager's 2024 Operating and Capital Budget which includes raising property taxes. Property owners in the City of Elmira will see a 2% tax increase. To put that into perspective, a property that's assessed at \$50,000, will pay just over \$1,400 in property taxes in 2024, which is an increase of about \$28 for the year. The budget is money that goes towards the city's insurance, bills, and employee wages and making improvements to the city. Elmira City Manager Michael Collins says some of those projects include the Clock Tower and the Mark Twain Golf Course.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Monday, February 5, 2024 45sec Source Type: News

A sand and gravel business in Schuyler County wants to expand, but before they can move forward -- two public hears have to happen.

Tuesday, February 6, 2024 43sec

Source Type News

Governor Josh Shapiro will deliver his second budget proposal to Pennsylvania lawmakers today. The governor is expected to return with bigger proposals for higher education institutions, underfunded public schools and economic development. A \$100 million school choice vouchers program, a priority of Shapiro's and Republicans' that helped lead to a month's long budget stalemate last year is likely to come back around. Other unfinished business for Shapiro includes raising the minimum wage to \$15 an hour, which Republicans have blocked in the Senate. Shapiro also said he would propose nearly \$300 million more for public transit agencies, a roughly 25% increase.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Tuesday, February 6, 2024 45sec

Source Type: News

Governor Josh Shapiro will deliver his second budget proposal to Pennsylvania lawmakers. Shapiro is expected to return with bigger proposals for higher education institutions, under-funded public schools, and economic development.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, February 7, 2024 27sec

Source Type News

A local attorney has announced his candidacy for family court judge in Chemung County. Attorney Matthew Buzzetti made his campaign for Chemung County family court judge official yesterday. He has served as an attorney in the county for over 12 years. Judges are elected to serve ten-year terms. Registered voters in Chemung County will elect two Family Court judges this coming November.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, February 20, 2024 29sec

Source Type News

Sheriff Schrom will be holding a town hall meeting for all Chemung County residents at 6 p.m. on Thursday. It's happening at the Southport Volunteer Fire Department, on Carl street. The town hall is open to anyone who lives in Chemung County. Sheriff Schrom says the event is an opportunity for anyone who wishes to discuss any public safety issues or concerns they have.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, February 21, 2024 46sec

Source Type News

A sand and gravel pit are looking to expand in Schuyler County which has been met with some pushback from the public. Last night the Watkins Glen Village Board of Trustees passed a resolution opposing the expansion. The sand and gravel pit are run by its green now and it borders Watkins Glen State Park and Route 409. The pit is a little over 14 acres now and the proposal is for 75 acres' pit. The resolution passed is in opposition to this expansion and is asking the DEC for more time to review the proposal. Right now there is a 28-day public comment period and the board is asking for a 90-day period. One of the trustees explained the purpose that this resolution serves.

Friday, February 23, 2024 34sec

Source Type News

Sheriff Schrom headed over to the Southport volunteer fire department to host a town forum. While the event took place in Southport - it was open to all of Chemung County. Similar to the coffee and chat, attendees had the chance to talk with each other, and hear about the happenings sheriff Schrom documented in the county. He hit points about the history of the sheriff's office -the 2024 operating budget incoming calls to the \ communication center in 2023 and much more.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 45sec

Source Type News

The City of Elmira approved a 16-million-dollar spending budget last night. Council members say it's going to be used for a variety of projects around the city. The money is coming from the "American Rescue Plan" also known as ARP funding. And it is money that the city received from the federal government during the pandemic. The City of Elmira got 28.3 million dollars' total spilt in half over two years. The amount for this year is a little over 16.6 million. City manager Mike Collins says that an ARP budget committee made recommendations on how to best spend the funds. A million dollars is going towards Dunn Field for structure repairs. 1.67 million is going towards purchased services, which Collins says goes towards outside agencies for projects like contractors for example. The biggest item in the budget is lost revenue at a little over 7.3 million dollars.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, February 13, 2024 36sec

Source Type News

The Village of Horseheads still has not voted on Upstate Craft Cannabis' special permit to grow weed. The business is proposing an indoor greenhouse, which would not be open to the public. Last night's meeting happened at 7 p.m. but the agenda wasn't posted until the afternoon. Under New York State Open Meeting Laws, the agenda needed to be up 24 hours before the meeting. Because of that, the board said they could not vote on anything on the agenda. The attorney for Upstate Craft Cannabis, Matthew Buzzetti says, the board is past its time to make a decision on this issue.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, February 14, 2024 29sec Source Type News

Judge Mary Tarantelli has announced her campaign for re-election for Chemung County Family Court Judge. Tarantelli was elected to the position in 2014, and has served as Chemung County Family Court Judge for the past 10 years. She practiced in family court for 15 years before her election. Judges are elected to serve ten year terms. Registered voters in Chemung County will elect two Family Court Judges in November.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Thursday, February 15, 2024 2min 15sec Source Type News In a portion of New York Governor Kathy Hochul's proposed state budget it would cut millions of dollars designated for local road projects. We spoke to state officials about the local impact.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Thursday, February 15, 2024 50sec Source Type: News In Gov. Hochul's proposed state budget, it would cut millions of dollars' worth of funding for local road projects.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Friday, February 16, 2024 50sec Source Type: News Former U.S. Congressman Joe Sempolinksi announced that he is running for New York State Assembly.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Tuesday, February 20, 2024 2min 25sec Source Type News Today, both the PA House and Senate hosted their first appropriations hearings. We breakdown the numbers and how it would impact our coverage area.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Wednesday, February 21, 2024 1min 15sec Source Type: News A sand and gravel pit is looking to expand in Schuyler county. The Watkins Glen Village Board of Trustees passed a resolution opposing the expansion.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, February 21, 2024 50sec Source Type News As budget talks are underway in Albany, Governor Kathy Hochul says she is focusing her attention on mental health. We explain how it could help people in the local community.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, March 1, 2024 1min 05sec Source Type: News The Chemung County IDA is set to get millions of dollars in state funding. We explain how much, and how it will be spent.

Tuesday, March 5, 2024 30sec

Source Type News

Tompkins County District Attorney Matt Van Howten announced he is running for re-election. In his announcement, Van Howten said it is his mission to make sure everyone in Tompkins County is treated fairly and with dignity, regardless of circumstance. Van Howten also touted what he said were his accomplishments, including reducing the local jail population and supporting the Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion or LEAD program.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Wednesday, March 6, 2024 32sec

Source Type News

A Horseheads man has announced his candidacy for the Horseheads Town Council. Art Laurey has 27 years of experience at the Sheriff's Department and is a former Marine. He says he has a passion for promoting conservative values with a focus on health and wellness. Laurey says he decided to run because of his desire to continue serving his community. He says he plans to engage with the community through a door-to-door campaign, and listening to people's concerns.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, March 9, 2024 30sec Source Type News

Governor Hochul announced \$7.6 million to help create supportive housing in Erie and Steuben Counties. Four-pointnine million dollars will be used for the former St. Vincent's Church in Corning and redeveloped into affordable apartments and supportive housing. There would be 30 affordable apartments and a daycare facility. The former St. Vincent's Church has been in disrepair and vacant for years. Once complete, it would have offices for services like case management, recovery, mental health, etc. No word yet on when construction would begin.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Thursday, March 14, 2024 45sec Source Type: News The Village of Horseheads passed a "Sign Law", we took a closer look at what this new law is, and how it could affect people.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, March 15, 2024 34sec

Source Type News

The Horseheads Village board passed the "sign law" the purpose of the sign law in The Village of Horseheads is to protect the appearance of all signs even digital signs- that are on public display. This law is in effect for every person in the village that displays a sign on their property, it doesn't matter if it's political or purely advertising... the sign law has been around for many years - and Horseheads Mayor Kevin Adams says it needed updates. The law now applies to all temporary signs of all shapes and sizes, additionally to murals throughout the village.

Tuesday, March 19, 2024 34sec

Source Type News

Voters in the Tompkins County Village elections will be the first to use all new voting machines. The County Board of Elections say the machines are smaller, faster and hold more ballots. The technology made by the Clear Ballot Group was a \$600,000 investment by the county. The new machines are ADA compliant and take about 3min to cast a vote. The old machines took about 30min to process a ballot. Polls are open from 12 p.m. to 9 p.m. The voting machines will be used county-wide in the April 2nd Presidential Primary.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Tuesday, March 19, 2024 30sec

Source Type: News

Voters in the Tompkins County Village elections will be the first to use all-new voting machines. Officials from the County Board of Elections said the machines are smaller, faster, and hold more ballots.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, March 26, 2024 44sec

Source Type: News

The Elmira City Council voted on some spending package to help spruce up and improve the City of Elmira. the city has a variety of projects to complete to renovate aspects of Elmira. Projects include improvements to parks and bridges, sewers, roads, street and traffic lights and more. One of the capital improvements highlights will be updating the irrigation system at the mark twain golf course. City manager Mike Collins says that will cost just over 2.8 million. 2.2 million comes from grants and funds and just over 620,000 will come from bonds.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, March 26, 2024

43sec

Source Type: News

Early voting is already underway for the Presidential Primary and in Steuben County, voters can use brand new machines to cast their ballot. Veronica Olin, the Republican Commissioner of the Steuben County Board of Elections says it's been 14 years since they've gotten new voting machines. Olin says the machines can scan the ballots faster, and the A-D-A machines have a larger touch screen which can help someone who has trouble filling in the bubbles. The ADA machines also have an arrow pad with braille on it and there's headphones to use so voters can have the candidates' names read aloud to them. Olin says the only change to this voting process - is the way people cast their ballot.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Wednesday, March 27, 2024

30sec

Source Type: News

Governor Josh Shapiro and his wife welcomed Pre-K students, teachers, and friends to his home for Easter celebrations. Kids participated in the 2024 annual Easter egg hunt.

MEDICAL/HEALTH ISSUES

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, January 1, 2024 42sec

Source Type News

A local Urgent Care announced that starting today they wont take a specific brand of insurance. We break down what the insurance and offer alternatives.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Tuesday, January 2, 2024 41sec

Source Type News

An Urgent Care Clinic with local offices will no longer accept a form of insurance. Wellnow Urgent Care announced it will no longer accept Excellus Blue Cross Blue shield as an in-network provider. The provider and insurance company have been at odds during contract negotiations. Wellnow claims rates from Excellus have gone down over the past decade, despite the fact the insurer has raised premiums for customers. Wellnow notified patients in October that those with Excellus Blue Cross Blue Shield could be out of network starting January 1st. There are three Wellnow urgent care clinics in our area in Big Flats, Elmira and Ithaca.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, January 3, 2024 52sec Source Type News

One of the biggest health care providers in the area reinstated a masking policy. We breakdown why, when it will take effect, and what health care provider.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, January 4, 2024 54sec

Source Type News

Due to the up-tick in cases of respiratory illnesses, this includes the flu, RSV, and Covid, Arnot Health is bringing back a mask mandate for certain patient care areas on hospital campuses. Arnot Health officials say the number of RSV patients doubled in December. Since December 1st, nearly 150 outpatients have tested positive for the flu. The number of inpatients with Covid have tripled since October of last year. For two weeks -- starting Thursday through January 18th, employees, visitors, and volunteers will be required to wear a mask to protect patients from infection. This mandate is for inpatient hospital units, emergency departments, nursing units at St. Joseph's and Ira Davenport hospitals, the Falck Cancer Center, and the infusion center at Arnot Ogden Medical Center.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Thursday, January 4, 2024 1min

Source Type News

Due to an up-tick in respiratory illnesses, Arnot Health decided to bring back a mask mandate for certain patient care areas on hospital campuses. The mandate is for inpatient hospital units, emergency departments, nursing units at St. Joseph's and Ira Davenport Hospitals, the Falck Cancer Center, and the Infusion Center at Arnot Ogden Medical Center.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Wednesday, January 10, 2024 30sec Source Type News

The Southeast Steuben County Library hosted a Red Cross Community Blood Drive. Donations are needed because an emergency blood shortage has been issued, nationwide.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, January 10, 2024 2min Source Type News The Twin Tiers enjoys the full force of all four seasons. We explain what seasonal effective disorder is, and how to manage it.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, January 11, 2024 43sec Source Type News

For some people getting together with family and friends for the holidays is fun - but after the festivities are over some people are often sad and not themselves. Winter can be dark, gloomy, and the sun doesn't come out much, and it affects our mood. Therapist Johanna Webster said during the winter it's easier for people to isolate themselves from family and friends. Webster said there are a couple of things you can do to help boost your mood, like exercising and giving back to those in need. She said everyone handles depression differently but it's important to know when to ask for help.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Thursday, January 11, 2024 1min 15sec Source Type News With holiday festivities ending, some people wind up feeling sad, lethargic, and not themselves. A therapist talked about ways to combat seasonal depression.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, January 12, 20241min 50secSource Type NewsA local hospital is getting over two million dollars thanks to a federal grant. We explain what hospital and where the money will be spent.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, January 18, 2024 29sec

Source Type News

Pennsylvania is increasing access to donor milk for babies. Owen's Law, which was passed last year goes into effect this week. It expands the number of medical conditions covered under Medicaid to let infants drink donor milk. Giving babies human milk has been shown to boost their immune system, making them less at risk to develop several diseases, according to the C.D.C. Pennsylvania has two human milk banks in the state.

Tuesday, February 6, 2024 37sec

Source Type News

If you love to ride horses, Arnot Health is hosting a special program for you later this month. Arnot Health Rehabilitation is hosting a free equestrian exercise seminar on February 28th. It's being hosted at the Arnot Rehab Department in Corning, from 530sec to 7 p.m. The event is open for anyone. Arnot says the program is a way to introduce people to rider-specific exercises and stretches to help people improve their strength, flexibility, posture, and coordination. Registration is required and people are asked to wear workout clothes.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, February 23, 2024 38sec

Source Type News

Cayuga Medical Center is getting millions of dollars in federal money according to New York senators Kirsten Gillibrand and Chuck Schumer. The hospital is getting just under 10 point 5 million dollars as reimbursement for key infrastructure upgrades. The money will go towards the installation of two separate 2-thousand-kilowatt emergency generators, a 20-thousand-gallon underground storage tank, and a new building to house the generators and keep them running even in subzero temperatures. The work is designed to help the hospital maintain lifesaving care during extreme weather.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Thursday, January 25, 2024 52sec

Source Type News

The only dialysis center in Bradford County PA is closing. We explain how the company is trying to accommodate patients.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Friday, January 26, 2024 50sec Source Type News

Patients who receive dialysis treatment at a center in Tioga County Pennsylvania are now scrambling to find care after the center announced it will close.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, January 27, 2024 50sec

Source Type News

Patients who receive dialysis treatment at a center in Tioga County - Pennsylvania are now scrambling to find care. According to a representative from U.S. Renal Care - they cite rising operating costs as well as Medicare reimbursement rates - as a factor in having to close its Wellsboro center.

In the statement to WENY News U.S. Renal Care says it's taking the necessary steps to make sure their patients have the lifesaving care they need, and are working to help them find another dialysis center without interrupting their treatment schedule.

The problem is the next closest U-S Renal Care Center is in St. Marys, Pennsylvania nearly two hours away from Wellsboro And other dialysis centers in the region aren't close either.

WENY News, Weekend 11 pm (local)

Sunday, January 28, 2024 1min 12sec Source Type News

A boil water advisory continues in Mansfield Borough. This was issued by the local Mansfield Municipal Authority. The boil advisory began on Friday, January 26th and continues on Sunday, January 28th. The MMA posted on Facebook Sunday afternoon saying, they believe the source of the problem has been found and fixed. Final test will be performed Monday morning to determine next steps for the northern tier advisory.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, January 29, 2024 40sec Source Type News

For Mansfield Borough residents have been under a boil water notice for 72 hours. We bring them the latest and tell them if they still have to boil their water.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, January 29, 2024 1min 40sec Source Type News January is Radon awareness month. We explain what it is, why its deadly, why it's a very big deal locally, and how to deal with it.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Monday, January 29, 2024 40sec Source Type News After being under a boil water advisory, the Borough of Mansfield has lifted the order after saying testing came back negative for any harmful contaminants in the water.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Tuesday, January 30, 2024 30sec Source Type News Cornell University College of Ve

Cornell University College of Veterinary Medicine is getting ready to host a free clinic for cats. The College of Veterinary Medicine is providing free neutering service as well as vaccines, microchips, and flea preventatives for healthy cats over two-months-old

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Thursday, February 1, 2024 2min 40sec Source Type News

There have been reports that a popular water cup is manufactured using lead. We test one to see what we could find, and explain to people how they can test their cups.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, February 5, 2024 42sec Source Type News

A local health provider is hosting an event where people can ride horses. We explain how the event is designed to keep people healthy, and how to participate.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, February 9, 2024 1min 45sec Source Type News LECOM and the Elmira Economic Opportunity Program worked together earlier today to provide a free community health fair. We explain why it was important for the community.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, February 7, 2024 1min 50sec Source Type News Community members were invited to a ribbon cutting for CASA Trinity's temporary location for a mental health outpatient program. We explain what it will do and why it's important.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Friday, February 9, 2024 2min 20sec Source Type News Cayuga Health is expanding with new locations in non-traditional areas. We explain where, why, and how it will benefit the community.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, February 10, 2024 30sec

Source Type News

On Friday Lecom and Elmira Economic Opportunity Program worked together to provide a free community health fair. People came out to the health fair to learn about some of the resources available to them in the area. People could also learn more about maintaining their mental health, have their blood pressure taken, and receive an eye exam. The event also helped benefit Lecom students putting what they're learning into practice. The next community health clinic will take place on March 7th from 2 to 4 PM at the Ernie Davis Center. People can get their vitals taken and receive lead screenings.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Monday, February 12, 2024 30sec

Source Type News

New York Sport and Fitness hosted a morning workout called Fitness Fighting Hunger. Many came together for the gym's first big game charity since 2020. Any cash donation that was made allowed those to enjoy a workout while giving back to fighting hunger

WENY News 12pm (local)

will be free of charge.

Wednesday, February 14, 2024 30sec Source Type: News Schuyler County Public Health is hosting a rabies clinic in Watkins Glen on February 24th. The vaccinations at the clinic

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, February 14, 2024 3min Source Type News The U.S. Renal Care in Wellsboro is closing within 10 days... and patients say they are still trying to figure out where they're going to receive care. We look at the challenges patients face, and what the next steps are.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Wednesday, February 14, 2024 45sec Source Type: News A dialysis clinic is closing its doors in Wellsboro. Patients there are now trying to find a new location for treatment.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Thursday, February 15, 2024

39sec

Source Type News

U.S. Renal Care in Wellsboro is closing within the next 10 days, and some patients know where they're going for treatment, but still have no way to get there. Anita Hoyt says she's most likely going to Elmira for treatment, but it's unclear on how she would get there. Normally she would take the Best Transit to the dialysis center in Wellsboro. That is a transportation program that takes people to places in Bradford, Sullivan and Tioga Counties. The Best Transit Executive Director said to help patients, they've been working on a plan to get patients to treatment centers that may not be on their regular routes or hours.

Good Morning Twin Tiers 5am (local)

Friday, February 16, 2024 45sec

Source Type News

It's been a year since Pennsylvania senator John Fetterman checked himself into a medical center for depression. He took to X Thursday to reflect on that day and also thank his family, friends and doctors. Fetterman wrote, "Clinical depression is no joke and it convinces you that you're a loser, even if you've won". The senator checked himself into Walter Reed National Medical Center to be treated for depression in February 2023. Fetterman later returned to the senate in April. He has been vocal advocate for mental health issues ever since, encouraging others in need to seek treatment and to offer hope to others in the same situation.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Thursday, February 22, 2024 42sec Source Type News Earlier today New York senators Kirsten Gellibrand and Chuck Schumer announced Cayuga Medical Center is getting millions of dollars in federal money. We explain what the money is for.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Thursday, February 22, 2024 1min Source Type: News

It was announced that Senators Gillibrand and Schumer announced Cayuga Medical Center is getting millions of dollars in federal money for key infrastructure upgrades.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Wednesday, March 6, 2024 1min 14sec Source Type: News A local college hosted an event designed to help vets connect with members of the community. We explain why that matters.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Thursday, March 7, 2024 45sec Source Type: News With the 2024 Solar Eclipse just a few weeks away, we showed viewers what type of glasses they need to protect their eyes, and how to verify if the glasses will actually be safe to use.

WENY News 12pm (local)

Thursday, March 7, 2024 30sec Source Type: News The Dormann Library is partnering up with Rochester Regional Health to provide people with free mammogram testing in Bath. Registration will not be required for anyone.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Monday, March 18, 2024 1min 20sec Source Type: News A near total eclipse is only weeks away. We give viewers driving tips on how to stay safe while its happening.

WENY News 530pm/6pm (local)

Tuesday, March 19, 2024 1min 30sec Source Type: News March os colorectal cancer awareness month. We spoke to a local doctor about what people should know about the disease.

WENY NEWS, Late Edition 11pm (local)

Tuesday, March 19, 2024 1min Source Type: News We showed viewers how to check their solar glasses, to make sure that their glasses are not fake and that they will protect their eyes.

Wednesday, March 20, 2024 59sec

Source Type News

We all know by now that you need special eclipse glasses to safely watch the event that's happening on April 8th. And how to check for the correct ISO logo. But, you'll still need to check something else to make sure they're not fake. According to the American Astronomical Society, dishonest vendors can grab the ISO logo off the internet, even if their eclipse glasses haven't been properly tested. The proper eclipse glasses should be pitch black when you put them on, and you shouldn't be able to see anything, except the sun or something else that's bright like the sunlight reflecting off a mirror. If the glasses are fake, even with the ISO logos, you'll be able to see through them like a pair of sunglasses. It's important to mention eclipse glasses aren't safe to use after three years. So if you held on to your eclipse glasses from the 2017 event, don't use them. Also, be sure to check your glasses for any damage before you view the eclipse as well.

WENY News, Weekend 7 am (local)

Saturday, March 23, 2024 1min 6sec

Source Type News

There was ground breaking ceremony on Friday afternoon in Elmira, for a first-of-its-kind Crisis Center in Chemung County. The future facility will house three new Casa-Trinity programs in one location. CEO Ann Domingos said the mental health clinic will help support people with mental health and substance use crisis symptoms... In the same building there would be an intensive crisis stabilization program. There will also be a residential center with 24 beds and a residential program for anyone who is struggling with substance abuse. The program can care for people for up to three months and there are three levels of care. The program can help stabilize people, give them rehabilitation, and help them reintegrate into the community. It's estimated the facility will open in about 18 months.

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1/1-3/31	:30 sec	40	55	40	Nat'l	Elton John AIDS Foundation - End the AIDS Epidemic
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