

QBT-DT 8.2 La Crosse, Wisconsin

Quarterly Issues and Programs List

April 1, 2014 through June 30, 2014

In accordance with Section 73.3526(a) (9) of Federal Communications Commission Rules, WKBT-DT 8.2 has determined the following as the most significant problems and needs of the community for the Second Quarter of 2014. There is no particular order of importance regarding this list. On the following pages we identify programming providing the station's most significant treatment of these community issues. This list was determined by contact with community leaders, and with input from viewers in the various communities we serve.

Special Note: In the following report, certain individual issue items are listed with indeterminate specific duration times. These include segments of magazine-type shows. It is not possible to determine exact times in these instances. All program times are listed as scheduled. Actual air time may have deviated because of unforeseen scheduling circumstances. Newscasts indicated in this report are 30 minutes in length.

1. Economy
2. Education
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5. Crime
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1. Economy

Economic concerns have been the focus of almost everyone over the past few years. The recent recession has affected individuals, families and businesses all over the country, and here in our local region. With unemployment and home foreclosure rates high, it's been a difficult recovery for most areas of the economy. Many economic factors are now starting to show improvement, bringing a sense of optimism to some people. However, there are still many pockets of poverty in the nation, and many real areas of concern for people who have not been able to participate fully in the prosperity enjoyed by some. This disparity in wealth is becoming more obvious as middle class Americans feel a continuing pinch on their economic well-being.

Responsive Programming (Including date, time and duration)

Timestamp	What category does your story fit in?	Date First Aired	Show First Aired	Story Slug	Story Summary
4/2/2014 16:54	1. Economy	4/2/2014	9PM	Holmen Community Center	A designed Community Center will move forward, despite one of three municipalities voting down monetary support. State has lack of funding for DOT and road construction projects which leads to less funding from state for municipalities.
4/8/2014 19:32	1. Economy	4/8/2014	9PM	Transportation Needs	A reminder that parking ramps in La Crosse will charge after three hours starting next week.
4/18/2014 18:01	1. Economy	4/18/2014	9PM	Parking Fees	La Crosse and Onalaska mayors look to increase tourism by combining tourism departments.
5/8/2014 18:54	1. Economy	5/8/2014	9PM	Regional Tourism board	Wisconsin home sales are taking a hit after a long winter.
5/19/2014 22:02	1. Economy	5/19/2014	9PM	V-HOME SALES NUMBERS	After the start of a cold wet spring...
5/23/2014 20:22	1. Economy	5/21/2014	9PM	V-APPLE CROP	Minnesota's apple farmers are anticipating healthy crops come fall.
6/3/2014 18:08	1. Economy	6/3/2014	9PM	Car Sales Up	At least one local dealer is in line with an about 15% increase in car sales nationwide. La Crosse is looking to create a new TIF district that would begin the process of redeveloping a site on the northside that has been vacant for nearly 20 years.
6/11/2014 19:06	1. Economy	6/11/2014	9PM	TIF 16	

6/16/2014	1.					Although severe weather is headed to the area, farmers say they have been pretty happy with Mother Nature this year.
18:43	Economy	6/16/2014	9PM	Crop Update		Most U-S credit cards use decades-old technology.
6/23/2014	1.				I-SAM'S CLUB	
18:25	Economy	6/22/2014	9PM	CREDIT CARD		

2. Education

Many people consider education to be one of the most important factors in the economic growth and prosperity of our country. During the past few decades we've seen many jobs disappear entirely, and others evolve almost beyond recognition. It's become increasingly apparent that young people today must prepare themselves for an ever-changing work environment. A college education is not necessarily a guarantee of success, but it's extremely important for students to assess their aptitudes, abilities and interests, and make an appropriate decision about their education. In our present-day technological society, there's a growing need for people who have the training and skills needed for the ever-changing face of our economy. With budget cutbacks prevalent at the national, state and local levels, the fight to maintain a high-quality educational system for our country is of paramount concern for many people.

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Timestamp	What category does your story fit in?	Date First Aired	Show First Aired	Story Slug	Story Summary
4/2/2014 18:32	2. Education	4/2/2014	9PM	West Salem Folo	Voters in West Salem vote against \$32 million referendum question to build a new middle school, which means no new building for two local organizations. A new data-based report said Wisconsin is doing a bad job when it comes to the success of racially-diverse students in the classroom, but some local educators say a little extra help early on for students can help to close the achievement gap.
4/3/2014 17:49	2. Education	4/3/2014	9PM	Race for Results	A canvass overturned the original results of the school referendum.
4/8/2014 17:51	2. Education	4/8/2014	9PM	Tomah Referendum	Residents voted NOT to give additional money to the district. LaFarge elementary and middle school students use math and science to learn the art of baking bread. The nation-wide program also teaches the students the importance of giving
4/9/2014 9:40	2. Education	4/8/2014	9PM	Assignment: Education - LaFarge Life Skills	

4/16/2014	2.					back to the community.
17:47	Education	4/15/2014	9PM	Assignment: Education - Hmong Education Project		The social studies curriculum in the La Crosse School District is getting an update next year. It will include more information on the Hmong culture. UW-La Crosse students are voting to pay extra money to expand their rec center, and to support a responsible action policy to encourage people who have had too much to drink call for help.
4/16/2014	2.					UW-La Crosse students vote in favor of a new policy to change their policy on underage drinking on campus.
17:51	Education	4/16/2014	9PM	UWL Referendums		The UW-L faculty senate is drafting a new policy to clearly define academic freedom at the university after a faculty member is forced to apologize for an email she sent to students.
4/17/2014	2.					
18:45	Education	4/17/2014	9PM	UWL Policy		
4/19/2014	2.					
19:13	Education	4/19/2014	9PM	Protected speech Assignment: Education - Hydroponics		Onalaska High School students helped set up a hydroponics science lab.
4/23/2014	2.					A Black River Falls High School student is named by PBS Student Reporting Labs as one of ten "All Stars" from across the country.
10:36	Education	4/22/2014	9PM	Assignment: Education - Update: PBS All Star		Students present on global awareness topics to one another. Topics included hunger, the rain forest, NSA Surveillance, and obesity.
4/29/2014	2.					Wisconsin has created four new guidelines to make schools safer. The top priority is mental health, which is something the La Crosse School District has been focused on for a few years.
16:34	Education	4/29/2014	9PM	Global Awareness		Seven area school districts denied waiver from the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction to adopt a flexible calendar which would allow schools to begin classes in mid-August.
4/30/2014	2.					Report says school districts are seeing more food wasted since the newest health requirements were implemented. Locally not so much.
18:12	Education	4/30/2014	9PM	School safety		
4/30/2014	2.					
19:01	Education	4/30/2014	9PM	Assignment: Education - Update: Flexible Calendar		
5/6/2014	2.					
14:56	Education	5/6/2014	9PM	School Lunches		
5/7/2014	2.					
19:35	Education	5/7/2014	9PM			

5/7/2014	2.				V-OPEN ENROLLMENT	Final numbers are in for Wisconsin families applying for open enrollment next fall.
22:16	Education	5/7/2014	9PM		T	
5/8/2014	2.				National History Projects	A variety of history projects from kids throughout the area are on display at the public library.
18:16	Education	5/8/2014	9PM			
5/10/2014	2.				College Job Outlook	The 2014 job outlook for college grads is up from 2013.
19:59	Education	5/10/2014	9PM			
5/14/2014	2.				Assignment: Education - Prom	A Cognitive Disabilities teacher works with several community businesses to make prom a possibility for special needs students.
16:20	Education	5/13/2014	9PM			Students attending Northside Elementary next fall are not only getting a new school... but a new song to go with it.
5/14/2014	2.				V-NEW SCHOOL SONG	
22:01	Education	5/14/2014	9PM			
5/16/2014	2.				High Mileage Cart	High School students show off their award winning high mileage cart. It can get nearly 140 miles per gallon.
21:35	Education	5/16/2014	9PM			Sparta librarians are out for the first time this summer in their bookmobile.
6/19/2014	2.				Bookmobile	They're hoping to stop the summer slide.
17:54	Education	6/19/2014	9PM			

3. Health/Safety

The issue of health and safety is of concern to everyone in our viewing area. The advent of the new health care reform law brings many new questions to the forefront. People are concerned about how the law will affect them and their families. With two major medical facilities in the city, La Crosse area residents are well-positioned as far as access to quality health care, but the question of affordability continues to exist for many people. With an increasing focus on healthy eating habits, particularly for children and young people, health information is vital in our efforts to control obesity and other risky health behaviors.

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4/1/2014	3. Health/Safety	4/1/2014	9PM	Yik Yak	New apps come out everyday, schools and police are recommending parents monitor the apps their kids are using to prevent cyber bullying

4/2/2014	3.					We've all been there... A piece of food drops on the floor just as you're about to take a bite.
21:19	Health/Safety	4/2/2014	9PM	V-5 SECOND RULE		?But how long after dropping it does it take before it's not safe to eat?
4/10/2014	3.					New study shows the number of kids that are obese has doubled over the past 15 years.
19:21	Health/Safety	4/10/2014	9PM	Childhood Obesity		Experts offer advice for parents to keep you kids safe on the playground.
4/21/2014	3.					For many years, the Food and Drug Administration has been able to regulate cigarettes, but now they are looking to include other tobacco products, including e-cigarettes, under those same regulations
22:05	Health/Safety	4/21/2014	9PM	Playground Safety Week		Measles have gotten off to an early start this year. In just four months, the CDC has confirmed 129 cases from 13 states, including Wisconsin. That's the most reported in the first four months of the year since 1996. Now that recent outbreak is stirring up an age-old debate about vaccinations. According to the C-D-C, most of the measles cases in the U.S. are linked to unvaccinated people travelling across borders. It's impossible to stop the transfer of disease from country to country, but one local pediatric doctor says there are ways to prevent the spread of it and that is through vaccinations. However, some parents don't believe that's the right answer.
4/24/2014	3.					
18:12	Health/Safety	4/24/2014	9PM	e-cigarettes regulation		
4/25/2014	3.					
18:33	Health/Safety	4/25/2014	9PM	vaccinating kids		
5/21/2014	3.					
19:07	Health/Safety	5/21/2014	9PM	Heroin Withdrawals in Jail		As heroin continues to be a concern in the area, jail officials are starting to see an increase in drug addicts behind bars.

						It's no surprise that the jail is noticing an increase in addicts behind bars. Often times, when a person is picked up off the streets, they are brought to the La Crosse County Jail.
5/28/2014	3.					A neighborhood walk ended with a call to the police after an Onalaska family stumbled upon drug paraphernalia in their neighborhood.
16:35	Health/Safety	5/28/2014	9PM	Drug Paraphernalia in neighborhoods		Police said this is an issue that has been popping up in many different communities over the past several months but one dad says he never expected it to turn up in his front yard.
5/28/2014	3.					The La Crosse School district isn't going to stop serving meals just because it's summer vacation
22:17	Health/Safety	5/28/2014	9PM	V-SUMMER NUTRITION PROG		If your weekend plans include heading to beach... you might want to keep an eye the amount of bacteria in the water.
6/24/2014	3.					A Registered Dietitian says more and more food companies are phasing out trans fats from their products, but some, like those with frosting, are having problems without it.
22:32	Health/Safety	6/24/2014	9PM	V-BEACH CONDITIONS		
6/25/2014	3.					
17:50	Health/Safety	6/25/2014	9PM	Trans Fats		

4. Environment

Environmental concerns are on the minds of many of our viewers. The importance of a clean and stable environment is becoming evident to a vast majority of people. Concern over global climate change has led to awareness that all aspects of our lives on this planet are intertwined in a sometimes fragile environment. What we do as individuals and local communities can have a broad impact when combined with the efforts of others, across the country and around the globe. From industrial pollution to agricultural contamination, and from recycling to conservation, the environment is a prime concern of everyone.

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4/5/2014 14:35	4. Environment	4/5/2014	9PM	CHALLENGE ACADEMY	At-risk youth from the Challenge Academy volunteer to help clear out invasive species from the Holland Sand Prairie Reserve The increase in temperatures mixed with high winds and dry conditions are putting some parts of Wisconsin at risk of wildfires.
4/8/2014 22:37	4. Environment	4/8/2014	9PM	V-BURN BANS	Spring has arrived and is littering people's yards with sticks and leaves.
4/11/2014 22:19	4. Environment	4/11/2014	9PM	V-ONA YARD WASTE	Student plans project to categorize all flora and fauna at the landfill before it adds walking trails. Environmentalists are warning the community to be on the lookout for another invasive species, the New Zealand Mud Snail.
4/14/2014 18:10	4. Environment	4/14/2014	9PM	UWL Landfill Project	A photo Essay showing the arrival of spring... one month late.
4/16/2014 17:53	4. Environment	4/16/2014	9PM	Mud Snail	There's no better way to celebrate "Environmental Awareness Day" than with the people who work to keep it clean
4/18/2014 18:00	4. Environment	4/18/2014	9PM	Pushing Spring	There's no better way to celebrate "Environmental Awareness Day" than with the people who work to keep it clean.
4/25/2014 17:36	4. Environment	4/25/2014	9PM	V- ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS	Heavy rain and strong winds were also seen all across the midwest this weekend.
4/25/2014 22:09	4. Environment	4/25/2014	9PM	V- ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS	
4/28/2014 18:03	4. Environment	4/28/2014	9PM	V-IA STORM DAMAGE	

5/16/2014 18:39	4. Environment	5/16/2014	9PM	Badger Coulee Power Line
6/23/2014 18:23	4. Environment	6/23/2014	9PM	V- FLOOD/ELECTRIC AL SAFETY
6/27/2014 18:34	4. Environment	6/27/2014	9PM	Flooded Campground Update

A proposed power line extending from La Crosse County all the way to Dane County is back in the spotlight as a set of public hearings gets closer.

It's known as the Badger Coulee line. Two routes have been proposed, but now the State Public Service Commission is looking for public input and it looks like they are going to get more than expected.

As flood stages rise all across the region,,, Xcel Engery is urging customers to be careful when dealing with flooding inside their homes.

Many people are looking forward to camping and enjoying the outdoors for the Fourth of July weekend, but it looks like Mother Nature isn't cooperating.

5. Crime

The issue of crime is a continuing concern for the residents of our area. People are focused on the safety of their families and neighborhoods. Many are worried about the growing drug problem in our communities. Several high-profile crimes and murders around the region make residents aware of the need for quality and progressive law enforcement agencies. With ever-increasing demands and costs in the criminal justice system, many jurisdictions are exploring community-based sentencing for lesser offenses. Even though some crime statistics are lower, community concern over the issue is still extremely high.

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4/16/2014 17:52	5. Crime	4/16/2014	9PM	Crosswalk Enforcement	Police talked to at least 16 drivers during a high visibility enforcement at a busy pedestrian intersection. 16 tickets or warnings were related to

4/21/2014	22:02	5. Crime	4/21/2014	9PM	Theft Charges	failing to yield to a pedestrian in a crosswalk. A Vernon County woman is charged with stealing prescription drugs while working as a registered nurse at a nursing home.
5/6/2014	19:18	5. Crime	5/6/2014	9PM	Pot Bust	A Stoddard man has been arrested for a 'sophisticated' marijuana operation. Four people are arrested in rural
5/8/2014	18:15	5. Crime	5/8/2014	9PM	Monroe Co. Drug Arrest	Monroe County with a large amount of marijuana and cash. Wisconsin's Department of Natural Resources is seeing an increase in Ginseng theft around the Midwest .
5/19/2014	22:02	5. Crime	5/19/2014	9PM	V-GINSENG THEFTS	In the past five years, the number of people detoxing in the La Crosse County Jail has increased by almost 800 percent, yet the number of staff has remained about the same. The La Crosse County Heroin Task Force met for the first time since dividing into subcommittees. When illegal drug activity takes place in a rental property, who's to blame the landlord or the tenant? The Town of Campbell police chief is under investigation after retaliating against an incident involving a well-known activist. Last night, we showed you video that was released from the Monroe County Sheriff's Department. It showed Chief Tim Kelemen admitting to using a local activists personal email to sign him up for various newsletters and emails. There are two sides to every story, so tonight we hear from the Police Chiefs attorney. We have new details on a stabbing over the weekend on La Crosse's northside The stabbing on La Crosse's northside was just one of two stabbing incidents over the weekend.
5/22/2014	18:23	5. Crime	5/22/2014	9PM	Heroin Detox in Jail	
5/29/2014	18:33	5. Crime	5/29/2014	9PM	Heroin Task Force drug house/landlords	
6/4/2014	19:07	5. Crime	6/4/2014	9PM	Campbell Police Chief Investigation	
6/9/2014	19:04	5. Crime	6/9/2014	9PM	Town of Campbell police chief investigation	
6/10/2014	18:36	5. Crime	6/10/2014	9PM	V-ISLAND STSTABBING	
6/23/2014	18:22	5. Crime	6/23/2014	9PM	V-OVERTIME SPORTS STABBING	
6/23/2014	18:22	5. Crime	6/23/2014	9PM	GREAT Training	
6/24/2014	19:01	5. Crime	6/24/2014	9PM		

6/25/2014						preventative training keeping kids out of gangs.
17:49	5. Crime	6/25/2014	9PM	Home Invasion		The man who broke into a home with a loaded gun to steal money to fuel his drug addiction is sentenced to prison time.
6/28/2014						Gene Cloud Jr has been missing for 2.5 years. Today rescue crews and volunteers searched the Black River State Forest for clues.
19:05	5. Crime	6/28/2014	9PM	Gene Cloud		

6. Government

Government affects all of us, in our daily lives and in the long term well-being of our families and our communities. We attempt to bring all aspects of government into focus for our local viewers. From events in Washington and around the world to local happenings, it's important for our audience to be aware of those actions of government that will shape their lives in the coming months and years. An informed electorate will be more likely to make wise choices when entering the election booth. The knowledge and participation of the public is essential if we want to have government that responds to the needs and desires of its citizens.

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4/1/2014 21:45	6. Government	4/1/2014	9PM	V-CHEMO BILLS	Legislation making chemotherapy drugs more affordable for cancer patients in Wisconsin is one step closer to law.
4/21/2014 22:03	6. Government	4/21/2014	9PM	Residency Incentive	La Crosse is looking into ways to encourage the 30% of city employees who live outside of town to move in.
5/21/2014 21:36	6. Government	5/21/2014	9PM	V-WI GOV RACE POLL	Another Marquette Law School poll shows the race for Wisconsin governor in a dead heat...
5/22/2014 21:08	6. Government	5/22/2014	9PM	V-BRAIN DRAIN/COLL EGE	Wisconsin's lack of alternative transportation could be the driving force behind many college graduates leaving the state.
6/10/2014 22:08	6. Government	6/10/2014	9PM	V-TOMAH VA	Despite numerous reports of long wait times at many Veteran hospitals across the nation... Tomah's V-A is proving to be one of

the best in Wisconsin.

6/17/2014 17:59	6. Government	6/17/2014	9PM	Bradley Campaign	Local resident and GOP endorsed secretary of state candidate visits town. The La Crosse County Republican and Democratic parties began their door-to-door and phone call campaigning Saturday. A project that has been in the works for more than a year is finally moving forward in downtown La Crosse.
6/21/2014 18:34	6. Government	6/21/2014	9PM	Grassroots campaigning	
6/24/2014 22:34	6. Government	6/24/2014	9PM	V-SAFE CAM	It's called the Safe-Cam project.

7. Community

This issue encompasses a broad range of community activities engaged in by the many different groups and organizations in our viewing area, as well as individuals and businesses. There are many different opportunities for local community expression. We feel it's important to recognize those who contribute their time and resources to make the Coulee Region a better place to live.

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4/2/2014 21:19	7. Community	4/2/2014	9PM	V-CONDUCTOR WANNABE	The La Crosse Symphony Orchestra is giving two area men a chance to perform in front of thousands.
4/3/2014 21:30	7. Community	4/3/2014	9PM	V-STOP YOUR WATER	Spring temperatures are beginning to rise... but freezing pipes are still a problem for many area homes It's a parking lot in the heart of downtown La Crosse but the property is giving the county a rare opportunity. With its prime location, the county is looking to turn Lot C into a multifunctional space.
4/4/2014 17:24	7. Community	4/4/2014	9PM	Future of Lot C	
4/5/2014 13:42	7. Community	4/5/2014	9PM	SAVING GRACE	Local organization makes lockets for moms who are in

4/5/2014	7.					
14:02	Community	4/5/2014	9PM	SEED LIBRARY		
4/5/2014	7.					
22:00	Community	4/5/2014	9PM	Onalaska Survey		
4/7/2014	7.					
22:40	Community	4/7/2014	9PM	V-PAINT & FIX UP		
4/7/2014	7.					
22:41	Community	4/7/2014	9PM	V-FD DONATION/CLASON		
4/9/2014	7.					
18:12	Community	4/9/2014	9PM	ATV Donation		
4/10/2014	7.					
18:16	Community	4/10/2014	9PM	No Hit Zone		
4/10/2014	7.					
21:57	Community	4/10/2014	9PM	V-PARENTS WHO HOST		
4/10/2014	7.					
21:58	Community	4/9/2014	9PM	V- TEXTING/DRIVING		
4/10/2014	7.					
21:59	Community	4/9/2014	9PM	V-ART SHOW		
4/11/2014	7.					
22:19	Community	4/11/2014	9PM	V-SCHOOL LIBRARY FUNDS		
4/12/2014	7.					
19:37	Community	4/12/2014	9PM	Autism Awareness		

the NICU on Mother's Day
La Crosse Library continues their seed library program. People can check out seed packets, grow plants, then return new seeds to library. Onalaska sent a survey to residents asking for feedback on the city currently and what direction residents would like to see the city go in over the next 20 years. A program helping area residents improve their neighborhoods is getting more than it bargained for. The La Crosse Fire Department is receiving an special gift from an area car dealership. Clason Buick GMC donates an ATV to the fire department. Local hospital will implement a no hit policy in the building starting in June. As high school prom and graduation season gets underway.... a warning is going out to parents about underage drinking.

More than 3-hundred students are taking part in a state-wide effort to keep not only themselves... but others safe behind the wheel.

Wisconsin Representative Ron Kind has his hands in something other than politics for his next visit to La Crosse.

The state of Wisconsin is changing the way students use their school library.

Story of a La Crosse family raising an autistic son.

4/14/2014	7.				
17:43	Community	4/14/2014	9PM	Recycling update	
4/15/2014	7.				
19:00	Community	4/15/2014	9PM	Bike/Ped Safety	
4/15/2014	7.				
22:06	Community	4/15/2014	9PM	V-TOMAH FIRE TRUCK	
4/15/2014	7.				
22:13	Community	4/14/2014	9PM	V-XCEL/HEAT PROTECTION	
4/15/2014	7.				
22:15	Community	4/14/2014	9PM	V-UWL COMPASSION PROJECT	
4/16/2014	7.				
18:37	Community	4/16/2014	9PM	Monroe County Justice System	
4/17/2014	7.				
22:18	Community	4/17/2014	9PM	V-HAPPINESS PROJECT	
4/18/2014	7.	4/18/2014	9PM	Railroad Expansion	

It's been a couple months since the city of La Crosse and Onalaska started using new recycling carts...and compared to last year, the amount of recycled material has nearly doubled.

Officials in the city of Onalaska and La Crosse are really impressed with residents' willingness to participate in the new single-stream recycling system. Not only are they able to recycle more items, but it's also saving some money for the cities.

La Crosse Police receive grants to add extra patrol officers to help reduce the number of pedestrian and bicycle related accidents.

Tomah's Fire Department is getting a little help in replacing an out-of-date command vehicle.

And although it is already spring.... the cold winter temperatures are causing heating bills to skyrocket, making it hard for many to pay their bills.

It's a topic that's coming up more and more around our community.

What is compassion?

The nearly two-decade debate over a new Monroe County Justice Center takes another turn after original price tag has now increased by about 5 million dollars.

A viral video that began in Washington D-C has made its way to La Crosse.

A group of local residents has

	19:10	Community				
4/22/2014	7. 16:28	Community	4/22/2014	9PM	La Crosse Compassion Project	
4/23/2014	7. 18:20	Community	4/23/2014	9PM	Second Railroad folo	
4/24/2014	7. 22:00	Community	4/24/2014	9PM	V-JUSTICE CENTER UPDATE	
4/24/2014	7. 22:01	Community	4/24/2014	9PM	V-PEP ASSEMBLY	
4/24/2014	7. 22:03	Community	4/23/2014	9PM	V-OKTOBERFEST GROUNDS	
4/24/2014	7. 22:03	Community	4/23/2014	9PM	V-RIVERSIDE NORTH UPDATE	
4/24/2014	7. 22:04	Community	4/23/2014	9PM	V-SHAKESPEARE	

formed Citizens Acting for Rail Safety to try to prevent BNSF Railway from adding a second rail line in La Crosse.

A conversation many students are having in the community will soon be on display for all to see as the La Crosse Compassion Project starts to take shape downtown.

Four miles of new train tracks are being proposed from the South side to the North side of La Crosse, but many residents are concerned the extra rail line will increase the chances of a major disaster.

Keith Butler, emergency management coordinator for La Crosse County, said the city has been preparing for disaster situations, such as spills and derailments, for many years.

It has been the center of debate for nearly two decades... but Monroe County is one step closer to building a new justice center
When people think of pep rallies, they usually think of athletics.

"Between the Bluffs" Beer... Wine and Cheese fest is back for its twelfth year and is expected to be better than ever.

City leaders in La Crosse are asking for the public's input on the redevelopment of 65 acres of land on the northside.

An area group is celebrating the birthday of William Shakespeare with a unique version of one of his classics.

4/25/2014	7.							V-RECYCLING CENTER UPDATE
17:36	Community	4/25/2014	9PM					
4/25/2014	7.							Sara Softball
17:50	Community	4/25/2014	9PM					
4/26/2014	7.							Campus Neighborhood
18:37	Community	4/26/2014	9PM					
4/28/2014	7.							Downtown Hampton Inn
22:20	Community	4/28/2014	9PM					
4/29/2014	7.							BNSF/HoChunk
18:56	Community	4/29/2014	9PM					
4/30/2014	7.							V-CONFIDENCE RETREAT
22:30	Community	4/30/2014	9PM					
5/3/2014	7.							hiking trail conditions
19:09	Community	5/3/2014	9PM					
5/5/2014	7.							Operation Homefront Drive
17:54	Community	5/5/2014	9PM					
5/5/2014	7.							V-ROOSEVELT SCHOOL
21:50	Community	5/5/2014	9PM					
5/6/2014	7.							Warming Center Expansion
17:37	Community	5/6/2014	9PM					
5/7/2014	7.							V-RESUSCITATION HEROES
22:16	Community	5/7/2014	9PM					

Recycling rates have skyrocketed in La Crosse and Onalaska with the new single stream service...

UW-La Crosse students have organized the 2nd annual Sara Softball tournament, a memorial to a fellow student shot and killed two years ago, and a fundraiser to end violence in the city.

Local group walks through the night to look at the risky drinking behavior of people in La Crosse.

An eye sore of a warehouse may be torn down to make way for a Hampton Inn in downtown La Crosse.

The Ho-Chunk Nation passed a resolution opposing the railroad expansion in La Crosse.

Some La Crosse students are getting a lesson in confidence...

The Hixon Forest hiking trails have been affected by the long winter and excess rain in the area recently.

Students from Coulee Christian in West Salem raised money, goods for care packages to send to our troops overseas.

The La Crosse school district is looking for potential buyers for one of its buildings.

Catholic Charities' warming center in La Crosse is finding a permanent home downtown La Crosse. It will have more space and be open longer.

Several people are honored at UW-La Crosse today for a selfless act that saved two

people's lives.

Whether you are a homeowner or a student on one of the three college campuses in town, these proposed parking changes will affect everyone in the city.

The new proposals are supposed to help limit the amount of vehicles on the streets, but some students say there really isn't anywhere else for them to go.

5/9/2014	7.				
18:49	Community	5/9/2014	9PM	Proposed Parking Changes	
5/12/2014	7.				
17:52	Community	5/12/2014	9PM	Weber Honored	
5/12/2014	7.				
18:44	Community	5/12/2014	9PM	Financial Security	
5/14/2014	7.				
17:56	Community	5/14/2014	9PM	Compassion Project	
5/14/2014	7.				
22:03	Community	5/14/2014	9PM	Organic Valley Anniversary	
5/15/2014	7.				
22:03	Community	5/15/2014	9PM	V-RISKY DRINKING AWARD	
5/15/2014	7.				
22:04	Community	5/15/2014	9PM	V-ROOSEVELT TOUR/BUYERS	
5/17/2014	7.				
19:22	Community	5/17/2014	9PM	Charrette meeting	

LHI CEO recognized by Governor Scott Walker for his work supporting veterans. As many baby boomers move toward retirement, many wonder how long Social Security can be sustained, but regardless, experts say no one should rely on it as their primary source of income. More than 3,000 people have toured the Compassion Project display at the pumphouse in La Crosse.

May 14th is the one year anniversary of a fire that destroyed half of the Organic Valley headquarters. Today was also they day they moved into their new building. A community effort to put an end to binge drinking is receiving state wide recognition

Potential Buyers for La Crosse's Roosevelt Elementary school building are getting their first look inside.

La Crosse holds second public meeting to show potential designs for riverside north

5/19/2014 19:56	7. Community	5/19/2014	9PM	Future of Holmen Community Center
5/19/2014 22:02	7. Community	5/19/2014	9PM	V-TRANSIT MONTH
5/20/2014 19:02	7. Community	5/20/2014	9PM	The Next Step
5/20/2014 22:07	7. Community	5/20/2014	9PM	V-BREAKFAST ON US
5/21/2014 21:38	7. Community	5/21/2014	9PM	V-VA 2K WALK/ROLL
5/22/2014 20:59	7. Community	5/22/2014	9PM	V-FOSTER CARE AWARENESS
5/22/2014 21:09	7. Community	5/22/2014	9PM	V-MURAL UPDATE
5/23/2014 19:05	7. Community	5/23/2014	9PM	Boat Safety

redevelopment project.
The Holmen Village Board is pulling its funding from a new community center.
Three area communities, along with the Holmen School District, have been collaborating on the project but with another funding issue the future is unclear.

More and more people are using public transportation... but many cities are seeing a shortage in funding.
Transitioning to life after high school can be difficult, but for students with disabilities, it can be even more challenging, but with the help of local agencies, families don't have to make the transition alone.
A partnership between The Hunger Task Force and United Health Care is putting food on the table for area families... starting with the most important meal of the day.

Memorial day is just around the corner and people are already starting to show their support.

More than 40-percent of foster children in the La Crosse area are not guaranteed a home right now.

A large mural is almost ready to be unveiled in downtown La Crosse.

La Crosse Police Department prepares for a few busy days on the Mississippi River as many head out on the water for Memorial Day weekend.

5/23/2014	7.				V-TOMAH VA MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE	The Tomah V-A also held its memorial day ceremony today...
20:21	Community	5/23/2014	9PM			Throughout our area... people took time to honor the men and women who have served our country.
5/26/2014	7.				V-LA CROSSE PARADE	From Oak Grove Cemetary... some travelled to riverside park for a ceremony by the La Crosse Naval Reserve.
22:31	Community	5/26/2014	9PM			President Obama paid his respects to fallen soilders today In Washington, D-C.
5/26/2014	7.				V-NAVY MEMORIAL	La Crosse is once again getting national recongnition. A new luxury hotel in downtown La Crosse is one step closer to opening A community revitalization program is giving La Crosse neighborhoods a much needed make-over.
22:32	Community	5/26/2014	9PM			
5/26/2014	7.				V-MEMORIAL DAY NAT'L	
22:32	Community	5/26/2014	9PM			
5/26/2014	7.				V-VOTE FOR LAX	
22:33	Community	5/26/2014	9PM			
5/27/2014	7.				V-CHARMANT UPDATE	
21:59	Community	5/27/2014	9PM			
5/27/2014	7.				V-Rv-RENEW VOLUNTEERS	
21:59	Community	5/27/2014	9PM			
5/28/2014	7.				justice center	Monroe County officials break ground on new Justice Center building after nearly two decades of debate. We took a ride on a B-25 Bomber and showed the experience while one of the crew members gave a history lesson on the plane. 3 years ago... Lawrence- Lawson Elementary in Sparta lost one of its teachers. She may be gone... but now the school is making sure her legacy lives on. Deke Slayton Airfest is an air show to look forward to because of the beautiful setting.
19:09	Community	5/28/2014	9PM			
5/30/2014	7.				Ride in a B-25 Bomber	
17:55	Community	5/30/2014	9PM			
5/30/2014	7.				V-PLAYGROUND DEDICATION	
20:50	Community	5/30/2014	9PM			
5/31/2014	7.				Airfest	
19:44	Community	5/31/2014	9PM			

6/4/2014	7.					With the official start of summer just around the corner... area pools and beaches are slowly opening back up.
21:28	Community	6/4/2014	9PM	V-POOLS/BEACHES		
6/4/2014	7.					One area middle school is promoting La Crosse's culture through chalk art.
21:28	Community	6/4/2014	9PM	V-ARTSPIRE PRVW 10		
6/4/2014	7.					For many graduates... the time between leaving high school and going to college can be a bit scary.
21:28	Community	6/4/2014	9PM	V-FUTURE CENTERS 10		A La Crosse mother and her daughter make quick work of an annual medallion hunt.
6/5/2014	7.					Rain delays track meet which causes out of town families to panic for a hotel an additional night.
22:05	Community	6/5/2014	9PM	V-RIVERFEST MEDALLION		La Crosse's Municipal Boat Harbor will stay open for business after nearly being shut down by the city.
6/7/2014	7.					Area children won't be missing lunch just because its summer vacation.
18:56	Community	6/7/2014	9PM	track postponment		The La Crosse Police Department is patrolling the streets for more than just speeding cars this summer.
6/9/2014	7.					Members from department are also taking time to help out their four legged partners.
21:48	Community	6/9/2014	9PM	V-PW/BOAT HARBOR		Freedom Fest event is a day of honoring Wisconsin's veterans and their families.
6/9/2014	7.					After two tours in Afghanistan... Joshua Ploetz is now fighting a different enemy... Post Traumatic Stress Disorder.
21:48	Community	6/9/2014	9PM	V-FEED THE KIDS		La Crosse area first responders train for an active shooter
6/11/2014	7.					
22:51	Community	6/11/2014	9PM	V-BIKE SAFETY CAMPAIGN		
6/11/2014	7.					
22:51	Community	6/11/2014	9PM	V-PUTT'N FOR POOCHES		
6/14/2014	7.					
19:13	Community	6/14/2014	9PM	Freedom Fest		
6/16/2014	7.					
22:30	Community	6/15/2014	9PM	V-PADDLE OF THE WARRIOR		
6/17/2014	7.					
18:27	Community	6/17/2014	9PM	Active Shooter training		

6/19/2014	7.				
19:53	Community	6/19/2014	9PM	Flying for a cure	
6/20/2014	7.				
21:42	Community	6/20/2014	9PM	Onalaska Construction	
6/21/2014	7.				
22:55	Community	6/21/2014	9PM	SV1-TOMAH TRACTOR PULL	
6/21/2014	7.				
22:55	Community	6/21/2014	9PM	V-BADGER STATE GAMES	
6/21/2014	7.				
22:56	Community	6/21/2014	9PM	V-AIS EDUCATION	
6/23/2014	7.				
18:25	Community	6/23/2014	9PM	V-HOME SALES	
6/27/2014	7.				
22:21	Community	6/27/2014	9PM	V-VERNON CO INSTITUTIONS	
6/27/2014	7.				
22:22	Community	6/27/2014	9PM	V-SOBERFEST PRVW	

situation.

A 4 year old Winona boy has a rare brain disease. Super Gavin comes in to save the day on multiple occasions today.

Mother Nature is causing more work for construction workers... as it delays another project in Onalaska.

The construction at the intersection of Midwest Drive and Theater Road by Goodwill and Mayo Health Systems was supposed to be completed today...

The annual Budweiser Dairyland Super National Truck and Tractor Pull kicked off again today at Tomah's Recreation Park.

A Wisconsin sports tradition makes its way to La Crosse for the first time ever.

Hopefully some nice weather will allow people to get out on the water.

But before you clean the dust off your boat... The Wisconsin's Department of Natural Resources wants to remind you of a few precautions before setting sail.

La Crosse home sales continue to fall behind last year's numbers...

A group of Vernon County High School students are bringing two long lost institutions back to life.

It's one of the only festivals in the La Crosse area where

alcohol is not on the menu.