

Ocracoke Community Radio
WOVV 90.1FM Ocracoke

Issues and Programming,
First quarter, 2016

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- **Island Girl talk**, hosted by Emilia Jordan and Maren Donlon, Ocracoke School students **8, 9**
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- **Theme Tunes**, Peter Vankevich (2 hrs.) **3,6,7,9**
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Special programming this quarter:

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