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ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FIRST QUARTER 2024
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The following is a list of programs that show WSES-TV/Catchy Comedy's most significant treatment of community issues during the 1st Quarter 2024.


|  |  | Thursday, March 28, 2024 | 9:00 AM | 60 | S8/EP19 - Highlights include: Mama is recovering from a broken leg after a fall in "The Family", and guest Tim Conway appears in a sketch as the "Old Man"; Carol and Vicki duet on "If Mama Was Married", with Harvey appearing as "Mother Marcus"; and a musical finale about Cleopatra with Carol in the title role, and featuring such songs as "Up a Lazy River" and "Row, Row, Row Your Boat". |
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|  |  | Thursday, March 14, 2024 | 9:00 AM | 60 | S7/EP18 - Highlights include: the world's oldest living dresser (guest Tim Conway) and his misadventures in attempting to help an actor (Harvey) perform a quick change between acts in a play; a bachelor (guest Steve Lawrence) puts the moves on his fiancée's sister (Carol) the night before he is to be married; Steve performs "Rainy Days and Mondays"; and a salute to George Gershwin. |
|  |  | Thursday, February 29, 2024 | 9:00 AM | 60 | S6/EP12 - Carol welcomes guests Carl Reiner and singer Melba Moore. Highlights include: another installment of "Terminal Hospital"; a sketch about a writer who changes plots faster than his characters can act them out; and a "Non-Violent Theatre" presentation of "The Plot to Hurt Hitler". |
|  |  | Thursday, February 15, 2024 | 9:00 AM | 60 | S5/EP7 - Highlights include: a melodrama spoof, "The Drunkard", with guest Bing Crosby in the title role and Carol as his wife; guest Paul Lynde plays the town masochist and Harvey is Mother Marcus in "As the Stomach Turns"; Bing performs a "love medley" of "Put a Little Love in Your Heart" and "Love Thy Neighbor", and duets with Carol on "Get Happy" and "Sing". |
|  |  | Thursday, January 25, 2024 | 9:00 AM | 60 | S3/EP11 - The accent is on the holiday season when Carol Burnett's old friends Garry Moore and Durward Kirby drop In for their annual visit. Carol and Harvey play the old folks as they reminisce about their marriage. Moore and Kirby play opposing attorneys in the courtroom trial of Mrs. Peter Piper, whose husband picked a peck of pickled peppers. Miss Burnett recites an original Christmas-poem and solos "Make Your Own Kind of Music" and later joins the Bob Mitchell Boys Choir in singing "Do You Know How Christmas Trees Are Grown?" Garry Moore assists Durward Kirby in delivering some "commercials" merchandising gifts for kids. In the "Carol and Sis" sketch, Carol throws a tantrum when husband Korman hosts his poker club. |
|  |  | Thursday, January 11, 2024 | 9:00 AM | 60 | S2/EP19 - Miss Burnett and Sales teamed as opposite ends of a dancing horse on the small-time vaudeville circuit perform "Where Would You Be Without Me?", when an agent (Korman) offers only one of them a chance to hit the big-time. In another comedy sketch, Miss Burnett and Sales play a couple of shy customers who lose their inhibitions while testing the potent perfumes at a department store with two persuasive salesclerks. Miss McNair sings "Windows of the World" and "What the World Needs Now" in a solo spot, then joins Miss Burnett in a big production number, "Lido de Paris." The entire cast joins in a musical comedy sketch inspired by the classic "Our Gang" films. |
| Child-rearing \& Family Dynamics | I love Lucy |  |  |  | Lucy Ricardo is the wacky wife of Cuban bandleader Ricky Ricardo. Living in New York, Ricky tries to succeed in show business while Lucy -- always trying to help -- usually manages to get in some kind of trouble that drives Ricky crazy. Their best friends are Fred and Ethel Mertz, who are also their landlords. Usually, Ethel becomes Lucy's less-than-willing partner in crime. Ricky and Lucy welcomed little Ricky in 1953, whose birth was a national TV event. Later in the show's run, the Ricardos (and the Mertzes) moved to Hollywood, where Ricky tried to become a movie star. |
|  |  | Thursday, March 28, 2024 | 11:00 AM | 30 | S2/EP22 - NO CHILDREN ALLOWED - Lucy has a difficult night with Little Ricky crying constantly. A neighbor, Mrs Trumbull complains and says the lease does not allow children. Ethel says the lease does not matter because the Ricardos can stay. |
|  |  | Thursday, March 14, 2024 | 11:00 AM | 30 | S2/EP2 - THE SAXOPHONE - Lucy doesn't want to be left home when Ricky goes on tour, so she tries to convince him that she is a talented saxophone player. When that doesn't work, she tries to make him so jealous that he won't leave her by herself. |
|  |  | Thursday, February 29, 2024 | 11:00 AM | 30 | S1/EP17 - LUCY WRITES A PLAY - Lucy enters a playwriting competition, hoping to cast Ricky, but has to settle for Fred, and rewrites. But when Ricky learns a movie producer will be judging the plays, he takes over for Fred, not knowing the script's been changed. |
|  |  | Thursday, February 15, 2024 | 11:00 AM | 30 | S6/EP24 - BUILDING A BAR-B-Q - Ricky is on vacation from work and is always in Lucy's way. Lucy \& Ethel decide to start building a BBQ in order to trick Ricky \& Fred into taking over a man's job. Unfortunately, Lucy loses her wedding ring during the process. |
|  |  | Thursday, January 25, 2024 | 11:00 AM | 30 | S5/EP19 - LUCY MEETS CHARLES BOYER - Lucy decides to fake a meeting with Charles Boyer. |
|  |  | Thursday, January 11, 2024 | 11:00 AM | 30 | S4/EP30 - THE TOUR - Lucy gets stranded in Richard Widmark's house after trying to steal a grapefruit from a tree in his backyard. |
| Child-rearing \& Family Dynamics | Good Times |  |  |  | Another hit sitcom from Norman Lear, Good Times is a spin-off of Maude, which was itself a spin-off of All in the Family, making Good Times the first spin-off of a spin-off. The series follows the Evans family and their three children as they live, work, and get by in a public housing project in innercity Chicago. |
|  |  | Thursday, March 28, 2024 | 5:00 PM | 30 | S1/EP1 - TOO OLD BLUES - Tests indicate that James is a candidate for a union apprenticeship program, but his birth certificate says differently. |
|  |  | Thursday, March 14, 2024 | 5:00 PM | 30 | S6/EP5 - FLORIDA GETS A JOB - Jobs are scarce for Florida and JJ. An ad for a school bus driver catches Florida's eye, but she finds it has strings attached for JJ, and the strings are attached to Alderman Davis |


|  |  | Thursday, February 29, 2024 | 5:00 PM | 30 | S5/EP9 - BYE, BYE, BOOKMAN - As always, Bookman is avoiding his job and the tenants are tired of his excuses, rusty water, no electricity, plumbing problems and more. Winona starts a petition and everyone signs it. Bookman gets fired. |
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|  |  | Thursday, February 15, 2024 | 5:00 PM | 30 | S4/EP13 - THE COMEDIAN AND THE LOAN SHARKS - JJ borrows money from a loan shark, intending to pay it back as soon as his new find performs in a local comedian competition. When Tyrone gets cold feet, JJ goes on stage to perform in hopes of winning the money to pay the loan sharks. |
|  |  | Thursday, January 25, 2024 | 5:00 PM | 30 | S3/EP6 - THE WEEKEND - Florida and James celebrate their wedding with a weekend in a friend's snow covered cabin while their children, left alone with JJ in charge, are at war. |
|  |  | Thursday, January 11, 2024 | 5:00 PM | 30 | S2/EP9 - THE GANG: PART 1 - JJ is forced into joining the Satan's Knights street gang. However, he is a less than active member, especially when it comes to getting involved in the gang's ongoing turf war with the Warlords. When he is threatened with physical harm if he doesn't participate in the next rumble, he must find a way to get Florida and James out of the house before the gang's leader, Mad Dog, comes and physically removes him from the house. |
| Social Justice \& Women's Rights | Laverne \& Shirley |  |  |  | Best friends, roommates and polar opposites Laverne DeFazio and Shirley Feeney work together at the Shotz Brewery in Milwaukee and keep each other's spirits up at home for the show's first several seasons. But after losing their jobs at Shotz, the pair moves to Burbank, Calif., in season six to get a fresh start and hope to break into the movie business. Many of their friends and family, inspired by the women, move to California with them, though they make some new friends as well, including Sonny the stuntman and Rhonda, a model. |
|  |  | Thursday, March 28, 2024 | 1:00 PM | 30 | S6/EP10 - LOVE OUR THE WINDOW - Laverne loves stuntman Sonny, but fears losing him if a stunt fails. Shirley tells Sonny. He quits to sell insurance, giving Laverne less to worry about. Seeing later that he's now unhappy, Laverne plots to get him back where he belongs. |
|  |  | Thursday, March 14, 2024 | 1:00 PM | 30 | S5/EP26 - SEPARATE TABLES - To help Laverne fight a phobia of doing things alone, Shirley comes up with the idea of Laverne dining alone for a full evening in a Chinese Restaurant. Hopefully the owner and the entertainment will help her forget her solitude. |
|  |  | Thursday, February 29, 2024 | 1:00 PM | 30 | S5/EP16 - THE BEATNIK SHOW - A visit to a local beatnik coffeehouse does not impress Laverne much, but Shirley's enamored of the culture and soon is dressing, speaking, and acting like a beatnik herself. Can Laverne sway her friend back from the lure of the beat scene? |
|  |  | Thursday, February 15, 2024 | 1:00 PM | 30 | S5/EP5 - WHAT DO YOU DO WITH A DRUNKEN SAILOR? - Shirley's sailor brother returns but he's not the Brother Shirley remembers. He's developed a drinking problem. He denies he's an alcoholic \& just likes to have fun but Shirley's determined to bust him out from the bottle. |
|  |  | Thursday, January 25, 2024 | 1:00 PM | 30 | S4/EP14-O COME ALL YE BUMS - Frank DeFazio loses some of his Christmas spirit when he has to cancel his yearly gathering for the homeless and poor. The girls and friends step in to help him keep the |
|  |  | Thursday, January 11, 2024 | 1:00 PM | 30 | S4/EP1 - FESTIVAL: PART 1 - Laverne, Shirley, Frank, and Edna travel to New York to visit Frank's mother and attend a street festival; they are joined there by Lenny and Squiggy (who hitchhiked). |
| Social Justice \& Women's Rights | Rhoda |  |  |  | A spinoff of The Mary Tyler Moore Show, Rhoda follows Rhoda Morgenstern (Valerie Harper), the spunky neighbor and best friend of Mary Richards, after she leaves Minneapolis to return to her hometown of New York City. On what should have been a two-week vacation to New York, Rhoda meets handsome divorcé Joe Gerard (David Groh) and sparks begin to fly, prompting Rhoda to stay in New York to pursue the relationship, first living with younger sister Brenda (Julie Kavner) and then parents Ida and Martin (Nancy Walker and Harold Gould). |
|  |  | Thursday, March 28, 2024 | 12:30 PM | 30 | S1/EP25 - ALONG COMES MARY - Rhoda and Joe plan a romantic weekend vacation. There is just one problem with them getting away: Mary Richards shows up for a surprise visit. |
|  |  | Thursday, March 14, 2024 | 12:30 PM | 30 | S1/EP15-GOOD-BYE CHARLIE - Joe's friend visits, and while Joe enjoys his company, Rhoda does not. |
|  |  | Thursday, February 29, 2024 | 12:30 PM | 30 | S1/EP5 - THE LADY IN RED - Rhoda is surprised when a publisher contacts her about a book she wrote years before. The book is a humorous look at being overweight. The deal is too good to be true. |
|  |  | Thursday, February 15, 2024 | 12:30 PM | 30 | S5/EP8 - JACK'S NEW IMAGE - Jack's successful dieting triggers some wardrobe and lifestyle changes that seem abrupt, and which go on to disrupt the regular flow of activity at the costume shop. |
|  |  | Thursday, January 25, 2024 | 12:30 PM | 30 | S4/EP15 - THE JACK STORY - To help Jack impress an old friend visiting from out of town, Rhoda offers to be his date for the evening. |
|  |  | Thursday, January 11, 2024 | 12:30 PM | 30 | S3.EP12 - A TOUCH OF CLASSY - Sally is staying temporarily with Rhoda while work is being done on her own apartment. During this stay, Sally receives a visit at Rhoda's from her philandering airline pilot ex-husband, who wants Sally's blessing for his upcoming wedding. |
| Arts \& Entertainment | The Lucy Show |  |  |  | In the follow-up to I Love Lucy, Lucille Ball plays widow Lucy Carmichael, a mother of two children who shares a home with divorced friend Vivian Bagley (Vivian Vance of I Love Lucy fame). Carmichael is always scheming-dragging Vivian along with her-and grappling with comic complications related to life on her own and serving as secretary to the grumpy and demanding Mr. Mooney. |


|  |  | Thursday, March 28, 2024 | 10:00 AM | 60 | S2/EP1 - LUCY PLAYS CLEOPATRA - Lucy and Viv both want to play the lead of Cleopatra for an amateur production being directed by Professor Gitterman. Once a compromise is reached were Lucy would play the lead and Viv portraying Marc Antony, the girls both take turns in upstaging each other. |
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|  |  | Thursday, March 14, 2024 | 10:00 AM | 60 | S1/EP11 - LUCY BUILDS A RUMPUS ROOM - Wanting a room to entertain their dates in, Lucy and Viv fix up the basement to make it into a living area. Hilarity ensues when they get stuck to the walls after applying heavy duty glue. |
|  |  | Thursday, February 29, 2024 | 10:00 AM | 60 | S6/EP14 - LUCY AND CAROL BARNETT: PART 1 - Lucy becomes a trainee flight attendant at Gobal Workd Airlines. She's teamed with fellow trainee Carol Tilford, who's afraid of heights. On their very first flight, the movie breaks, leaving the two to entertain the passengers. |
|  |  | Thursday, February 15, 2024 | 10:00 AM | 60 | S5/EP17 - MAIN STREET USA - Mr. Mooney and Lucy travel to a quaint small town to loan the mayor money to build a highway right down Main Street. When they arrive, they are greeted with intense opposition and Lucy decides to join the anti-highway townspeople fight the new road. |
|  |  | Thursday, January 25, 2024 | 10:00 AM | 60 | S4/EP13 - LUCY THE CHOIRMASTER - Lucy brags to Mr. Mooney about how she's going to avoid debt this Christmas by cutting back on gift giving and getting a small tree. That vow lasts until her trip to the the tree lot when she comes back with huge one. She then pitches Mooney on allowing Jerry's boys choir to perform carols in the bank's lobby, just like they did in Danfield. "Scrooge" Mooney gives in and even sings bass for the choir when one of the boys' voice starts to change. Lucy performs a great bit when the kids start to forget the words to "the twelve days of Christmas." |
|  |  | Thursday, January 11, 2024 | 10:00 AM | 60 | S4/EP6 - LUCY AND THE COUNTESS HAVE A HORSE GUEST - Old friend the Countess Framboise, aka Rosie Hannigan, shows up in L.A. flat broke except for the racehorse her husband left her. Unable to pay the stable bill, Lucy volunteers to keep 'Oil Well' on her patio. Mooney is livid about the scheme until learning that the horse is pregnant. But eventually comes around and is just as excited as the girls. (William Frawley (Fred Mertz) makes a cameo as a horse trainer). |
|  <br> Entertainment | The Love Boat |  |  |  | All aboard the S.S. Pacific Princess cruise liner! A grand voyage of comedy, drama, and romance awaits you on this TV classic. Joining aboard the one hour block of laughs is the leading crew members Captain Stubing (Gavin MacLeod), "Doc" (Bernie Kopell) and "Gopher" (Fred Grandy), along with various famous guest stars! |
|  |  | Thursday, March 28, 2024 | 3:00 PM | 60 | S3/EP17 - APRIL'S LOVE/WE THREE/HAPPY ENDING - April Lopez plans to marry her manager Tex, who is twice her age. Adoptee Laura Rogers wants to meet her birth father Tom Thornton. Bickering Bill and Betty Robinson struggle to finish writing a screenplay. |
|  |  | Thursday, March 14, 2024 | 3:00 PM | 60 | S3/EP5 - THE AUDIT COUPLE/SCOOP/MY BOYFRIEND'S BACK - Uptight IRS agent Viola Penny audits Stubing, who tries to get her to loosen up. A tabloid reporter trails a female celebrity because he thinks she's meeting a secret lover. A honeymooner discovers her ex is on the ship and wants her back. |
|  |  | Thursday, February 29, 2024 | 3:00 PM | 60 | S2/EP22 - LOVE ME, LOVE MY DOG/POOR LITTLE RICH GIRL/THE DECISION - Suzanne doesn't know if boyfriend Alan loves her for her self or her money. Mason falls for Alicia but her terrier doesn't like him. Isaac falls for Selena, who is engaged to someone else. |
|  |  | Thursday, February 15, 2024 | 3:00 PM | 60 | S2/EP9 - TILL DEATH DO US PART-MAYBE/LOCKED AWAY/CHUBS - Widow Ellen Garner is followed by her husband Mickey's ghost who tries to fix her up. Divorced Les and Gail see their daughter and her husband off but get locked in an unused cabin. Gopher's sister Jennifer makes a beeline for Doc. |
|  |  | Thursday, January 25, 2024 | 3:00 PM | 60 | S1/EP14 - ISAAC'S DOUBLE STANDARD/ONE MORE <br> TIME/CHIMPANZEESHINES - Isaac's mom and her male companion share a cabin. Julie books divorced entertainers Lenny and Mitzy, who can't get along together. Gopher hides a thieving chimpanzee that brings him in contact with a nose job patient. |
|  |  | Thursday, January 11, 2024 | 3:00 PM | 60 | S1/EP4 - MESSAGE FOR MAUREEN/GOTCHA/ACAPULCO CONNECTION Tennis pro Maureen Mitchell (Brenda Benet) runs into sportswriter John Ballard (Bill Bixby), who defamed her in his column. Cyril Wolfe (Milton Berle) annoys his wife Anita (Audra Lindley) and fellow passengers (Lynn Adams and Britt Leach) with constant practical jokes. Mexican April Lopez (Charo) stows away in a laundry hamper. |
| Science \& Nature | Full House |  |  |  | Widowed father Danny Tanner (Bob Saget) raises his three daughters - D. J. (Candace Cameron), Stephanie (Jodie Sweetin) and Michelle (The Olsen Twins) - in San Francisco with the help of his brother-in-law Jesse Katsopolis (John Stamos) and best buddy Joey Gladstone (Dave Collier). Pesky neighbor Kimmy Gibbler pops in from time to time, too. The sitcom ran for eight seasons, from 1987 to 1995, becoming a staple of family viewing. |
|  |  | Thursday, March 28, 2024 | 5:00 AM | 30 | S5/EP14 - SISTERS IN CRIME - While the guys are at a hockey game, DJ is in charge, but when a hunky guy comes over and asks $D J$ to the movies, she agrees. Then she realizes that she has to take the girls. At the movies Stephanie spends all of her money at the concession stand, leaving DJ with no money for the tickets. So she asks Kimmy to sneak them in (Kimmy works there). The manager of the movie theater catches them and DJ has to cut the date short. Then she has to teach her sisters to lie so that she doesn't get caught. |
|  |  | Thursday, March 14, 2024 | 5:00 AM | 30 | S3/EP16-BYE,BYE BIRDIE - Michelle loses the preschool's pet bird. |
|  |  | Thursday, February 29, 2024 | 5:00 AM | 30 | S1/EP12 - OUR VERY FIRST PROMO - The Tanner family is thrilled when they are chosen to appear in a local promo at Danny's TV station. |



