

ISSUES PROGRAMS LIST

There follows a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by Station WQHZ, WRIE, WXKC, WXTA, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period _____ to _____. This listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

Agency/Representative	Program/Date/Time/Duration	Description of issues covered
<p>1. John DeMarco, Executive Director, Presque Isle Partnership</p> <p>2. Denise Kolivoski, Executive Director, NAMI Erie County (National Alliance on Mental Illness)</p>	<p>North Coast Views Sunday, March 04, 2018 6:00am - 30 min</p>	<p>1. Talked about the exciting summer concert coming as a major fundraiser for new life guard stations and special needs mats on the beach, to make it more safe for visitors. Reviewed the mission of the Presque Isle Partnership, and talked about how you can help – by coming to the concert, attending and of the Spring & Summer events coming up – by volunteering – or by becoming a member. Also reviewed some of the projects that have been worked on by the partnership – including the most recent – the nature play area.9m30s</p> <p>2. Talked about how NAMI, a national program helps members of our community by raising awareness and showing there is no shame in getting help – whether you are the person struggling – or family members that may not know how to cope with changes – or communicate with their loved one. Heard about their 2 main programs – Peer to Peer and Family to Family, free to the public – with tools to help everyone in the family. Also previewed some of the fundraising opportunities coming in the near future. 20m15s</p>
<p>1. Emily Walsh, Erie Zoo</p> <p>2. Shannon Wolford, Sight Center of NWPA</p>	<p>North Coast Views Sunday, March 11, 2018 6:00am - 30 min</p>	<p>1. Emily filled us in on what has changed since before the zoo closed for the winter season, including the new lion exhibit – she explained why you may see a black tarp on it for now, how they are acclimating the lionesses to the exhibit (how they will never be w/ Nala, our older lioness, so she won't be stressed. Heard about how it will take some time to get the flora and fauna back after such a tough winter. Learned a brief overview about some of the events and programs coming up this spring and summer – and how to keep up with everything going on at the zoo.9m5s</p> <p>2. Shannon went over the many programs offered for those with no vision (as they started as the Center for the Blind) and how they have expanded to help with those with low vision. Learned that their mission is the prevention of blindness and to promote independence for those with vision loss (including giving free sight screenings with pre-school students) Heard about the many programs they offer in the 7 counties that they serve – from education for eye health – to ways to help you in your home – to taking you to drs appointments or the grocery stores – to a diabetes prevention program.20m50s</p>

We have also rotated PSA announcements highlighting the following:

Family Services, Big Brother – it is easy and takes very little time to impact the life of a child just by being yourself

Erie County Library- not just books –music, movies, language instruction and more – most of it free, online or stop by

Lucy's 1st Step – free assistance / counseling for parents who have lost a child

NAMI – group classes and support groups to assist individuals and family members dealing with mental health challenges

2nd Harvest Food Bank – highlighting the hunger problem – and local contact info

Erie VA Medical Center –reminding veterans and their families about services – specific info for women

Therapy Dogs United- get your dogs involved with therapy services for children & adults– contact if your business wants a visit from a therapy dog

Career Link – remind employers and those looking for employment that there are many free services to help find each other

Safe Harbor/Safe Line- how to get help for sadness or bullying issues – for teens and adults

Environment Erie – contact info on how to help our earth

Feed the Pig – reminder to save money

Erie County Human Relations Commission – Help for discrimination

ExpERIEence Childrens Museum – featuring hands on play while learning

Make A Wish – telling you 3 ways to help children with life threatening illnesses

SafeNet – with help for domestic violence

Parkinson Partners – Support and Information

United Way – Be A Caring Adult – simple suggestions on how to make a difference in a child/youth

Voices for Independence – Support for those with physical challenges

Let's Move – getting our children out and moving and away from electronic devices

Cody's Wheels of Hope – contact info to get children with a life threatening illness wheeled toys

Jefferson Educational Society – local think tank, reminding you learning never has to end

Boots on Ground – assists Veterans and families dealing with PTSD & military suicide

Get Connected – lets you know how to volunteer locally – or post volunteer opportunities

American Red Cross / YMCA - Pool Safety

Linked by Pink – Assistance for Breast Cancer patients and their families

American Heart & Stroke Association - Go Red for Women (risk of heart disease)

EUMA - Erie United Methodist Alliance – Helping homeless families

Crime Victim Center – Help for those affected by violent crimes

Highmark Caring Place – assistance for grieving children, adolescents and their families

Kinship Care – Support for people raising someone else's child (grandparents, etc)

Humane Society – Info about new facility

Presque Isle Partnership – Enhancing our Peninsula

Gaudenzia – Help with addiction

Early Connections – helping with education for the little ones

A.N.N.A. Shelter – info on how to adopt or help rescued animals

Autism Society – support and resources for families with those on the spectrum

Erie Power Squadron –safe boating classes