

# **PUBLIC FILE**

**WSNN 99.3 FM**

**(Potsdam, New York)**

## **QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST**

WSNN-FM provides its listeners with programming and public service announcements that address issues of concern to our local community.

Program Samples Covering A Three-Month Quarterly Period

From April 01 2023 – June 30, 2022

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# SECTION I

## Local Programming

This section lists regularly-scheduled and special programs that represent WICY's issue-responsive programming providing the most significant treatment of the issues listed for the calendar quarter:

### ISSUES & PROGRAMS

Community Connection is a 5 minute week-day feature at 9:45, which also airs a complete weekly recap of all weekday shows Sunday mornings at 7 a.m. with host Jody Tosti.

**04/03** "Fair Housing Training for Landlords" is the subject of a meeting this week held by the St. Lawrence County Fair Housing Task Force. County Planner, John Tenbusch joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection" with details.

**04/04** The Brown Bear Ramble scavenger hunt will take place later this year in Canton. Emily Hastings is director of the Canton Free Library and she joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**04/05** April is National Poetry Month and we check in with John Berbrich our poet in residence today on "Community Connection."

**04/06** And, today on "Community Connection" we continue our look at the selections for this year's NYSBA or New York State Broadcasting awards. Sam Miller shares the story of leaving his family a decade ago in his IIMemoir: Reasons Why I Left the Amish Community."

**04/10** The Cornwall Quilters Guild will be holding its 5th biennial quilt show this week at St. John's Presbyterian Church in Ontario. President, Barb McLean joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**04/11** This month, 16 million Americans had their SNAP benefits reduced after extra federal funding during COVID was ended. Jody Tosti is joined today on "Community Connection" by GardenShare Executive Director, Carlene Doane to talk about what that means locally.

**04/12** Extra Federal funding for SNAP benefits during COVID has ended in March, leaving many households readjusting their budgets. Canton Church and Community is one resource for local residents to help put food in their pantries. Executive director Connie Jenkins joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**04/13** Today we finish our look at the selections for NYSBA awards this year, New York State Broadcasting Awards, with a conversation on "Community Connection" with Mary Rodee about the internet, teen suicide and the legacy fund she created for her 15-year old son, Riley, a Potsdam High School freshman who passed in 2021.

**04/17** About 20 DeKalb and Hermon residents met recently to share thoughts on how they can improve their communities. They'll meet again tonight to talk more about the need for a convenience store, a gas station and community support services. Organizer Janice Brabaw joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**04/18** The Potsdam Village board has voted to include the Fall Island Skate Park in the Riverwalk project. Trustee, Alex Jacobs-Wilke joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**04/19** We spoke yesterday with Potsdam Village Trustee, Alex Jacobs-Wilke about the creation of the Fall Island Skate Park. It'll be part of the Riverwalk Project, a walking trail along the Raquette River and downtown Potsdam. Architect Matthew Mazzotta will be instrumental in its design, and he joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**04/20** The Town of Potsdam voted last week to allow the retail sale of marijuana inside the town limits. Kinsey LaPointe has received her retail license from New York State Office of Cannabis management and hopes to open a shop on Market Street in Potsdam and she joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**04/21** Based at St. Lawrence University, Nature Up North celebrates 10 years of local environmental education and outreach. Their annual Earth Day 7K Trail Run/Walk is tomorrow in Canton. Project Manager Kayla Edmunds joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**04/24** The Orchestra of Northern New York is looking for some help with hosting visiting musicians and transporting instruments to and from concerts. ONNY Executive Director, Kathy DelGuidice joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**04/25** The Adirondack Railbike Adventures are almost open for the season with trips in Old Forge and Tupper Lake. Bob Hest is Director of the Adirondack Railway Preservation Society, and he joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**04/26** The Claire House in Ogdensburg will be visited by the Travel Channel's Ghost Hunter's to see who else is visiting this former 1884 rectory that was home to priests for many decades and at one point a convent and orphanage. The new owners, Hal and Rachel Kench are converting it into a "Haunted B&B" and join Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**04/27** The 45th annual Edward I Moses walk/run for Life is this Sunday at the Appleton Arena in Canton. Dick Christy is a long-time organizer, and he joins Jody Tosti on “Community Connection.”

**05/01** The 2ND Annual Riley Basford Memorial Cornhole Tournament is this weekend in Canton. The Riley Basford Legacy Fund was created to honor the 15-year-old Potsdam High School student and to provide funding for training and education on cyberbullying and cyber safety in St. Lawrence County schools. Mary Rodee is Riley’s mom, and she joins Jody Tosti on “Community Connection.”

**05/02** The Potsdam Holiday Fund is looking to build its endowment, in hopes of generating more interest income for the program. Board member, Michael Griffin tells Jody Tosti on “Community Connection” that the Northern New York Community Foundation will match new gifts up to \$10,000 dollars.

**05/03** Bryce Vaisey is a third-year student at SUNY Potsdam studying Psychology and Criminal Justice. He’s also a recent recipient of a \$10,000 dollar scholarship through their employer Taco Bell. Bryce is to use the money to help make a positive change in the community and they join Jody Tosti today on “Community Connection.”

**05/04** Students at Brushton-Moira Central School will present the Wizard of Oz tomorrow and Saturday. 10th-grader, Asher Dabiew plays the Tin Man and 11th-grader, Orianna Cotten is the Scare Crow and they both join Jody Tosti on “Community Connection” with a pre-view.

**05/08** This weekend is one of five household hazardous waste collection days set for this year in our area. Laurie Marr from the Development Authority of the North Country joins Jody Tosti on “Community Connection” to talk about a new change in the program.

**05/09** Kobe Harrington is a Human Trafficking Case Manager in Canton. He joins Jody Tosti on “Community Connection” to talk about this new role at Renewal House, an organization that victims of domestic violence and sexual assault can turn to for help.

**05/10** We continue our conversation today on “Community Connection” with Kobe Harrington about his new role as a Human Trafficking Case Manager in Canton. He recently started his job at Renewal House, an organization that helps victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.

**05/11** The Potsdam Chamber of Commerce is holding its Annual Spring Luncheon. Chamber director, Megan Mulvenna joins Jody Tosti today on “Community Connection” along with their featured speaker, Nicole Oulette who will talk about AI.

**05/15** A Memorial Day parade in Potsdam returns this May after several years of failed attempts at organizing the event that is a remembrance of those who have died in service to our country. Vietnam veteran, Stanley Crump, is one of many folks making this happen, and he joins Jody Tosti on “Community Connection.”

**05/16** World Fiddle Day is this Sunday, and a jam session is happening at the Potsdam Public Library. Library director and fiddle player, Annie Davey joins Jody Tosti on “Community Connection.”

**05/17** On “Community Connection” today we chat with Jeremy Rusu who will be playing accordion this Sunday at the Potsdam Library for World Fiddle Day.

**05/18** The 20th Annual St. Lawrence International Junior Carp Tournament is this August, and registration is already underway. Long-time organizer, Jo Ann Roberts and one of the Grand Marshals, Jaron Belmore join Jody Tosti on “Community Connection” to talk all things carp!

**05/22** “Road Maps for the Journey’s End” is a book that helps organize financial information, end-of-life healthcare and funeral wishes and is offered through Hospice of St. Lawrence Valley. Board member and volunteer, Linda Potter and Mary Jones, Director of Family Support Services join Jody Tosti on “Community Connection.”

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**05/24** May is National Mental Health Awareness Month. Ed Sachs is a Mobile Crisis Counselor and he joins Jody Tosti on “Community Connection.”

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**05/29** A Memorial Day parade kicks off this morning in Potsdam at 9:30 from the high school and ends with a ceremony in Ives Park. High school band members, Alden DiMarco and Ngoc Huynh join Jody Tosti on “Community Connection.”

**05/30** Dairy Festival Days are this weekend and Jody Tosti is joined today on “Community Connection” with Canton Chamber Director, Tammy Mackin.

**05/31** Dairy Festival Days are this weekend in Canton. On “Community Connection” today we chat with Isabella Perretta, a Canton Central School FFA Member, or Future Farmers of America.

**06/01** The Whimsy Walk is coming up on June 10th in Canton. Kayla Edmunds from Grasse River Heritage joins Jody Tosti on “Community Connection” with details.

**06/05** Patti Hogle is a Community Health Educator at St. Lawrence County Public Health Department. Part of her job is offering Harm Reduction Kits, which include a Narcan nasal spray. With the recent increase in overdose cases in St. Lawrence County several doses of Narcan were used. Patti joins Jody Tosti on “Community Connection” to talk more about these kits.

**06/06** There was an increase in overdoses last month in St. Lawrence County, with 8 people needing the use of Narcan. Most people have heard of Fentanyl, but there's another drug showing up locally that isn't an opioid and can't be reversed by the nasal spray. St. Lawrence County Public Health Director, Jolene Munger joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**06/07** The Norwood Village Green celebrates 50 years this season. Founder, Joe Liotta, joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**06/08** A grand opening for the Enchanted Story Garden is this weekend at the Hepburn Library of Colton. Lorraine Gowing is a retired elementary school teacher and creator of the play area and she joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**06/12** The Community Lunch Program for Kids in Norwood-Norfolk is in its 7th year of providing meals to local students during the summer. Retired schoolteacher and organizer, Wendy Chambers joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**06/13** The Raquette River "Radio Weeks" is underway with the fundraiser helping support many program including eye exams and eyeglasses, hunger prevention and high school scholarships. Board member, Michelle Theisen joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**06/14** The Canton-Potsdam Hospital Guild is hosting its annual garden tour this Saturday. This is a self-guided stroll through public and private backyard floral landscapes. Board member, Mary Jane Smalling joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection" with more details.

**06/15** The Second Annual "Chalking for a Cure" is this weekend in Madrid. The event benefits the Alzheimer's Association. Pam LeBar joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**06/19** The Norfolk Bi-Centennial is this August complete with a parade, car-show, vendors and rides. Volunteers, Laurel Murphy and Bobbi Phillips join Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**06/20** Farmer's Markets in the North Country have opened for the season, supplying fresh produce to locals and offering a space for growers to sell their products. Market Manager, Erica Kelso, joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection" to talk fruits and veggies.

**06/21** We're talking Bees today on "Community Connection." Longtime apiarist, Mark Berninghausen of Squeek Creek Apiaries, joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection" with all the buzz about his bee community.

**06/22** More on Bees today with Mark Berninghausen, owner of Squeek Creek Apiaries, about his life-long career making honey and his hardworking bees.

**06/26** The US Army Field Band Jazz Ambassadors or America's Big Band is offering a free concert tonight in the Helen Hosmer Concert Hall. Musical director, Sergeant Major Andrew Layton, joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**06/27** The Norwood Fireman's Association is looking for some financial help to defray the costs of their annual July 4th fireworks show. Last year's bill was upward of 10,000 dollars. Jessica Grant is a volunteer for the Norwood Fireman's Association and she joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection."

**06/28** Matt Grant is a fourth-generation volunteer fireman in Norwood. We had a chance to speak with his wife yesterday about fundraising for their annual July 4th fireworks. Matt joins Jody Tosti on "Community Connection" to talk about his 22-years on the job.

# **SECTION II**

## **News Reports/Weather**

### **NEWS REPORTS**

<b>Report Title</b>	<b>Times Run</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Days Run</b>
Morning News	6:00am, 6:30am, 7:00am, 7:30am, 8:00am, 8:30am, 9:00am, 12:00pm, 5:00pm	4-5 Min	Mon - Fri

### **WEATHER REPORTS**

<b>Report Title</b>	<b>Times Run</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Days Run</b>
Overnight Reports	12:15am, 12:45am, 1:15am, 1:45am, 2:15am, 2:45am, 3:15am, 3:45am, 4:15am, 4:45am, 5:15am, 5:45am	30 seconds	Mon - Sun
Morning Reports 6am – 10am	6:07am, 6:37am, 7:07am, 7:37am, 8:07am, 8:37am, 9:07am, 9:37am	30 seconds	Mon - Sun
Daily Reports 10am – 12 Mid	10:15am, 10:45am, 11:15am, 11:45am, 12:07pm, 12:37pm, 1:15pm, 1:45pm, 2:15pm, 2:45pm, 3:15pm, 3:45pm, 4:15pm, 4:45pm, 5:07pm, 5:37pm, 6:15pm, 6:45pm,	30 seconds	Mon - Sun

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# **SECTION III**

## **Public Service Announcements (PSAs)**

WSNN airs a variety of :30 Second Public Service Announcements. PSAs are non-commercial announcements that run free of charge in all dayparts.

### **PUBLIC SERVICE ACTIVITIES:**

Every weekday at 3:45pm WSNN-FM airs "INSIDE THE SEAWAY VALLEY". This is a list of nonprofit activities and events happening in the Seaway Valley. Listeners are encouraged to share their events with us at [events@b993.fm](mailto:events@b993.fm)