

# WRMU Issues/Programs List

Alliance, Ohio 44601

July 6, 2023

## Issue: Public Affairs Issues

### **Discussion of the Issue:**

Many area residents do not have a radio outlet for national and international events and issues. WRMU provides programming for people who may be interested in these issues. WRMU believes the community should be aware of world issues that are not covered in the local media.

### **Programming:**

- A. Music and the Spoken Word Sundays at 8:30am - 30-minute weekly program the offers music and religious commentary.
- B. Academic Minute-Tuesdays at 12:30pm and Thursdays at 830am-2:30 segment. Discusses the latest in academic research from colleges and universities around the world (See program and issues list below)
- C. Climate Connections-Mondays and Fridays at 12:30pm 1 minute segment highlights the importance of water stewardship and sustainability in the Great Lakes and surrounding watersheds. (See program and issues list below)
- D. Reel Discovery-Airs Tuesdays and Fridays at 830 a.m.- 3:00 weekly feature, dedicated to helping busy movie lovers wade through the flood of new releases to find films that are worthy of their precious time and money.
- E. Shelf Discovery- Mondays at 830am and Wednesdays at 12:30pm- 3:00 weekly feature, dedicated to helping busy readers wade through the shelves and shelves of options to discover books that are worth their often-limited reading time.
- F. Loh Down on Science- Wednesdays at 830am and Thursdays at 12:30pm- 90 second feature about the world of science, with a dash of humor.
- G. With Good Reason- Thursdays at 5:30 pm- 30-minute which brings together higher education institutions and Virginia Humanities to make scholarly research accessible to all.

## Issue: Various issues of Public Concern

### **Discussion of the Issue:**

There are many issues effecting society and through public service announcements WRMU can inform the public about these issues. WRMU provides an outlet for these local announcements that benefit the community.

### **Programming:**

WRMU airs two pre-recorded PSAs per hour on relevant issues to the public. For example: diabetes, Habitat for Humanity, high school dropout rates, energy efficiency, safe driving.  
(See list of recorded PSAs below)

| Title                     | Artist(s)              | Run Time |
|---------------------------|------------------------|----------|
| Hunger: Olivia            | Hunger Prevention      | 01:00    |
| UMU - Mom's Point of View | Mount Union            | 01:00    |
| Wireless Alerts           | Emergency Preparedness | 01:00    |

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| Jackie High School Equivalency               | High School Equivalency                        | 01:00 |
| One Soil to Live - Thank You, Doctor         | USDA   | 01:00 |
| Smokey 75 - Jeff Foxworthy                   | US Forest Service                              | 01:00 |
| Facts Matter                                 | Vote Smart                                     | 01:00 |
| Food Angels (Alliance Specific) (1 Min       | Hunger Prevention                              | 01:01 |
| Whatever Gets You Talking                    | Suicide Prevention                             | 01:00 |
| Shoes - Childhood Obesity                    | earthshare.org                                 | 01:00 |
| Adult Immunization                           | NFID   | 01:00 |
| Karim-High School Equivalency                | High School Equivalency                        | 01:00 |
| Missed Opportunity                           | Pathways to Employment                         | 01:00 |
| Alcohol-Free Party (UMU)                     | UMU ADWE                                       | 00:43 |
| Sarcoma Awareness                            | SFA  | 01:00 |
| Collegiate Week: Anxiety                     | WRMU   | 01:18 |
| Expensive Night                              | Buzzed Driving Prevention                      | 01:00 |
| Having a Stroke (1 Minute)                   | Stroke Prevention                              | 01:00 |
| Healthy Steams = Healthy Communities         | Izaak Walton League of America                 | 01:00 |
| Steve's Story - Organ Donation               | organdonor.gov                                 | 01:00 |
| Moments                                      | Fatherhood Involvement                         | 01:00 |
| Dad Jokes                                    | U.S. Department of Health and Human Servi...   | 01:01 |
| E-Cigs (UMU)                                 | UMU ADWE                                       | 00:45 |
| Online Bullying                              | CAP  | 01:00 |
| Collegiate Week: Suicide                     | WRMU   | 01:06 |
| Only in the Forest                           | Discovering Nature                             | 01:00 |
| Dumpster Emergency Preparedness              | Emergency Preparedness                         | 01:00 |
| How We Do It                                 | Job Training & Employment                      | 01:00 |
| Attention Men-Buzzed Driving                 | Buzzed Driving Prevention                      | 01:00 |
| Unused Opioids                               | FDA  | 01:00 |
| Chris's Story - Organ Donation               | organdonor.gov                                 | 01:01 |
| Julius Randle Reverse (Diabetes)             | Diabetes Prevention                            | 01:00 |
| Buzzkill                                     | Office of Alcohol, Drug, and Wellness Educa... | 01:00 |
| Alcohol Poisoning (UMU)                      | UMU ADWE                                       | 00:54 |
| Bucke Up (Teen Girl) (1 Minute)              | Seatbelt Safety                                | 01:00 |
| Save Newborns Now                            | Project HOPE                                   | 01:00 |
| Orphan Diaries - Kin's Story                 | Food for Orphans                               | 01:01 |
| Social Security Online                       | Social Security Administration                 | 01:00 |
| Ruth's Stroke Story - Stroke Prevention      | NIH.gov  | 01:00 |
| A Caregiver's Story                          | Coalition to Salute America's Heroes           | 01:01 |
| Collegiate Week: Depression                  | WRMU   | 01:10 |
| The Good In You - Organ Donation             | organdonor.gov                                 | 01:01 |
| Drunk Driving (UMU)                          | UMU ADWE                                       | 00:42 |
| Chance Pathways to Employment                | Pathways to Employment                         | 01:00 |
| 'Better than Ed' - Population Growth         | Center for Biological Diversity                | 01:00 |
| Roxanne's Mission - Organ Donation           | organdonor.gov                                 | 01:00 |
| Soil: The Final Frontier                     | USDA   | 01:00 |
| LGBT Acceptance                              | AD Council                                     | 01:01 |
| Taylor's Story - The consequences of Alcohol | Youth 2 Youth International                    | 01:01 |
| Probably                                     | Buzzed Driving Prevention                      | 00:59 |
| Collegiate Week: Resiliency                  | WRMU   | 01:24 |
| All-Nighter Rx Abuse (UMU)                   | UMU ADWE                                       | 00:56 |
| Supporting the Heroes Who Inspire Us All v2  | Coalition to Salute America's Heroes           | 01:01 |
| Emergency Prep (1 Minute)                    | Emergency Preparedness                         | 01:00 |
| STEM: Moment of Discovery                    | STEM   | 01:01 |
| Shingles - Adult Vaccination                 | NFID   | 01:00 |
| Lyndsey's Story - Alcohol and Date Rape      | Youth 2 Youth International                    | 01:00 |
| Help Heal A Veteran                          | Help Heal Veterans                             | 01:00 |
| Power Suit                                   | Job Training & Employment                      | 01:00 |
| Babbling                                     | Autism Speaks                                  | 01:00 |
| Orphan Diaries - 143 Million                 | Food for Orphans                               | 01:00 |
| Overprescribing                              | planagainstpain.com                            | 01:00 |
| Pot on Campus (UMU)                          | UMU ADWE                                       | 00:55 |
| Buzzed Drinking is Drunk Driving (1 Mi       | Buzzed Driving Prevention                      | 01:01 |

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| Supporting the Heroes Who Inspire Us All         | Coalition to Salute America's Heroes          | 01:00 |
| Anchor It!                                       | CPSC  | 01:00 |
| 2 Sides  | Learning Attention                            | 01:00 |
| Full Circle                                      | Caregiver Assistance                          | 01:00 |
| Where We Operate                                 | Doctors Without Borders                       | 01:01 |
| Zzzapper – Alcohol Industry targeting teens      | Youth 2 Youth International                   | 01:00 |
| Collegiate Week: Positive Mental Health          | WRMU  | 01:21 |
| Rising Ashes-Fire Pit                            | Wildfire Prevention                           | 01:00 |
| Opioid Addiction Prevention                      | CDC   | 01:25 |
| Lung Cancer: Save Your Life                      | Lung Cancer                                   | 00:30 |
| TEEN STRESS – NICOLAS CAGE                       | Will Rogers Institute                         | 00:30 |
| Post Your Recovery                               | SAMHSA  | 00:30 |
| STEM: Recycling                                  | STEM  | 00:32 |
| Kiddie Music                                     | NHTSA   | 00:30 |
| Suicide Prevention: Amine                        | Suicide Prevention                            | 00:30 |
| Home From Work                                   | NFID  | 00:32 |
| COPD - Pulmonary Rehab                           | American Thoracic Society                     | 00:30 |
| Aislinn Derbez: Always Spay or Neuter            | PETA  | 00:30 |
| Adoption From Foster Care - Never Completely     | Adopt US Kids                                 | 00:32 |
| CHOLESTEROL – GERALD MCRANEY                     | Will Rogers Institute                         | 00:30 |
| Rockstar   | National Responsible Fatherhood Clearingho... | 00:30 |
| All of Us Research Program                       | National Institutes of Health                 | 00:30 |
| Kiddie Car Seat Song                             | NHTSA   | 00:32 |
| Driving Means                                    | Texting Prevention                            | 00:30 |
| House Ace  | Retirement                                    | 00:32 |
| TCO: Quick Fixes                                 | Take Charge Ohio                              | 00:32 |
| Cold Dog   | PETA  | 00:30 |
| Play Ball  | USDA  | 00:32 |
| ASTHMA – BRYAN CRANSTON                          | Will Rogers Institute                         | 00:30 |
| Forklift   | National Responsible Fatherhood Clearingho... | 00:30 |
| VITA/TCE   | IRS   | 00:32 |
| Alzheimer's - Cynthia                            | Alzheimer's Association                       | 00:32 |
| Suicide Prevention: Lindsay                      | Suicide Prevention                            | 00:30 |
| We Need A Break                                  | NHTSA   | 00:30 |
| Online Identity Theft                            | APWG/NCSA/DHS                                 | 00:30 |
| Sedrick Ellis: Disaster Preparedness for Animals | PETA  | 00:30 |
| Mom Visit  | NFID  | 00:32 |
| Tune Out   | Seatbelt Safety                               | 00:30 |
| Child Healthcare                                 | CHIP  | 00:30 |
| AMVETS Service Officers 2                        | AMVETS  | 00:30 |
| SS Phone Scam                                    | Social Security Administration                | 00:32 |
| Computer Security With Taxes                     | IRS   | 00:32 |
| Sour Note  | NHTSA   | 00:32 |
| HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE – BETTY WHITE                | Will Rogers Institute                         | 00:30 |
| Flystrike  | PETA  | 00:30 |
| Skills From HAM                                  | ARRL  | 00:34 |
| Caring For Elders - Hero                         | AARP  | 00:32 |
| Shelter Pet Adoption - Olivia Munn               | Maddie's Fund                                 | 00:30 |
| Join AMVETS                                      | AMVETS  | 00:32 |
| Treat Your Phone Like A Computer                 | Stop Think Connect                            | 00:30 |
| Smokey 75 - Betty White                          | US Forest Service                             | 00:30 |
| Suicide Prevention - Lindsey Stirling            | AFSP  | 00:32 |
| Protect Your Baby                                | CDC   | 00:32 |
| Dogs on Hot Pavement                             | PETA  | 00:30 |
| Tween Band                                       | NHTSA   | 00:30 |
| Joe Wash - ARRL                                  | ARRL  | 00:30 |
| Tax Transcripts                                  | IRS   | 00:32 |
| Flu Vaccine                                      | NFID  | 00:32 |
| Bullying Prevention - Jumanji                    | Sony Pictures                                 | 00:32 |
| JJ Harrison - 811                                | Pipeline Operators for AG Safety              | 00:30 |
| Saving For Retirement - Girlfriend               | AARP  | 00:32 |

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| Lung Cancer: Next Step                       | Lung Cancer                       | 00:30 |
| Prediabetes - People You Know                | AMA; CDC                          | 00:32 |
| Buzzed Play-By-Play                          | NHTSA                             | 00:30 |
| Driving Blind                                | Texting and Driving Prevention    | 00:30 |
| Tax Filing Extension                         | IRS                               | 00:32 |
| UMU - Tailored Experience                    | Mount Union                       | 00:30 |
| Online Security                              | APWG/NCSA/DHS                     | 00:30 |
| Pest Allergies                               | PestWorld.org                     | 00:30 |
| Saving For Retirement - Daughter             | AARP                              | 00:32 |
| Protect Your Animals During Fireworks        | PETA                              | 00:30 |
| TCO: Mission                                 | Take Charge Ohio                  | 00:32 |
| I Love My Kid                                | NHTSA                             | 00:32 |
| Joe Walsh - HAM Radio                        | ARRL                              | 00:30 |
| EITC Tool                                    | IRS                               | 00:32 |
| Social Security Phone Scam                   | Social Security Administration    | 00:32 |
| Red Cross Blood Donation Alert               | American Red Cross                | 00:30 |
| Let's Take a Break                           | Texting and Driving Prevention    | 00:30 |
| Suicide Prevention (UMU)                     | UMU ADWE                          | 00:40 |
| Grant Aleksander: Dogs in Hot Cars           | PETA                              | 00:30 |
| TCO: Harmless Sharing                        | Take Charge Ohio                  | 00:33 |
| Night Shift                                  | NHTSA                             | 00:30 |
| Building Recovery                            | SAMHSA                            | 00:30 |
| Tax Payment Options                          | IRS                               | 00:30 |
| HBP Loving Reminder                          | High Blood Pressure Control       | 00:30 |
| Our Roads, Our Safety Campaign- "Meet Keith" | U.S. Department of Transportation | 00:30 |
| Baby Decisions                               | CDC                               | 00:32 |
| Asthma - Know Your Count                     | AAFA                              | 00:30 |
| AMVETS VAVS                                  | AMVETS                            | 00:32 |
| Covid-Social Distancing                      | Covid-Social Distancing           | 00:30 |
| TCO: Managing Pain Properly                  | Take Charge Ohio                  | 00:32 |
| Suicide Prevention - Hayley Kiyoko           | AFSP                              | 00:32 |
| High List                                    | NHTSA                             | 00:30 |
| Eve: Unchain Your Friends                    | PETA                              | 00:30 |
| Our Roads, Our Safety Campaign- "Meet Ed"    | U.S. Department of Transportation | 00:30 |
| Game Over - Playing Online                   | APWG/NCSA/DHS                     | 00:30 |
| Volunteer for VITA/TCE                       | IRS                               | 00:32 |
| Pulmonary Health Education and Research      | Will Rogers Institute             | 00:30 |
| Kelsey Grammer - Wounded Warrior             | Wounded Warrior Project           | 00:30 |
| TCO: Talk To Your Doctor                     | Take Charge Ohio                  | 00:32 |
| Stow Your Phone                              | Texting and Driving Prevention    | 00:30 |
| Covid: Wash Hands                            | Covid                             | 00:30 |
| Tuba Practice                                | NHTSA                             | 00:32 |
| Dogs In Hot Weather                          | PETA                              | 00:30 |
| Imagine                                      | LGBT Acceptance                   | 00:30 |
| Smokey 75 - Stephen Colbert                  | US Forest Service                 | 00:32 |
| Common Tax Errors                            | IRS                               | 00:32 |
| Retirement Online                            | Social Security Administration    | 00:32 |
| TCO: Safe Storage & Disposal Tips            | Take Charge Ohio                  | 00:32 |
| Rx Abuse (UMU)                               | UMU ADWE                          | 00:30 |
| Suicide Prevention - Amine                   | AFSP                              | 00:22 |
| Saving For Retirement - Husband              | AARP                              | 00:30 |
| Drunk Love                                   | NHTSA                             | 00:30 |
| Covid-Song                                   | Covid                             | 00:30 |
| Online Dating                                | Buzzed Driving Prevention         | 00:30 |
| Smokey 75 - Al Roker                         | US Forest Service                 | 00:30 |
| Emmylou Harris: Spay or Neuter               | PETA                              | 00:30 |
| Caitlin's Story - Organ Donation             | organdonor.gov                    | 00:30 |
| Game Over - Sharing Online                   | APWG/NCSA/DHS                     | 00:30 |
| Alzheimer's - Tom                            | Alzheimer's Association           | 00:32 |
| Do You Binge Drink? (UMU)                    | UMU ADWE                          | 00:33 |
| One Shot                                     | NHTSA                             | 00:30 |

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| It Was The HAMS                               | ARRL                              | 00:32 |
| Fatherhood Involvement: Groan                 | Fatherhood Involvement            | 00:30 |
| Our Roads, Our Safety Campaign- "Meet Ingrid" | U.S. Department of Transportation | 00:30 |
| STEM: Anthem                                  | STEM                              | 00:30 |
| Hunger: Olivia                                | Hunger Prevention                 | 01:00 |

## **Issue: Religious/Community Issues**

### **Discussion of the Issue:**

There are many residents who do not have the opportunity to hear local programming. In this case it is a local church program. Shut-ins also cannot make it to church. Community members hear about local events going on in the announcements part of the service and local issues through the sermons.

### **Programming:**

Sundays @ 8:00 am - Sebring Presbyterian Church program. This program is pre-recorded from the Sebring church, providing local information about Sebring.

## **Issue: Religious/Community Issues**

### **Discussion of the Issue:**

There are many residents who do not have the opportunity to hear local programming. In this case it is a local gospel music program. Shut-ins also cannot make it to church sometimes. There are not many outlets for programs in the local African American community. This weekly program provides that outlet.

### **Programming:**

- A. Alex Smith's Gospel Show    Every Sunday 9:00am to 11:00pm  
This two-hour gospel music program provides local information about residents in the community. Prayers, readings and music are broadcast as part of the program. Community events and issues are announced weekly.

## **Issue: Religious Issues/Community Issues**

### **Discussion of the Issue:**

Alliance is located near a major retirement and nursing home center in Sebring, Ohio. Many of these people cannot make it to church. WRMU provides religious programming for shut-ins and those who cannot make it to church. Local announcements and activities for the community are provided each week. Listeners also learn about local issues for the Alliance community and church in the sermons each week.

### **Programming:**

- A. Union Ave. Methodist Church Service    Every Sunday at 11:00am to 12:00pm  
Live broadcast of local church service.

## **Issue: Religious Issues/Community Issues**

### **Discussion of the Issue:**

There are many residents who do not have the opportunity to hear local programming. In this case, it is a family-centered program with religious principles

### **Programming:**

- A. Family Matters Program from Spirit of Faith Christian Center. Every Sunday at 7:30am and Noon  
15-25-minute program focusing on family issues backed by religious principles

## **Issue: Public Affairs Issues**

### **Discussion of the Issue:**

In an effort to keep the community aware of events in the area WRMU provides hourly newscasts

### **Programming:**

Hourly newscasts weekdays, 8a-12p (during academic year)

## **Issue: Public Affairs Issues:** The Academic Minute Program List

Week of 4-3-23 Joseph Larkin III is an immunologist specializing in autoimmune diseases and novel treatments for these conditions. He is also interested in understanding how human milk affects infants' immune systems.

Week of 4-10-23 Meghann Jarchow, chair and associate professor in the department of sustainability and environment at the University of South Dakota, discusses how thinking locally can lead to a more sustainable future.

Week of 4-17-23 Travis Williams, professor of chemistry, looks at one possible solution to the Pacific Garbage Patch.

Week of 4-24-23 Gregory Kaliss, assistant professor of history at York College of Pennsylvania, looks into one possible undiscovered influence for Wonder Woman.

Week of 5-1-23 Debanjan Chowdhury, assistant professor of physics, determines how to stop energy waste in the future.

Week of 5-8-23 Chris Linder, associate professor of higher education in the department of leadership and policy at the University of Utah, shares why the focus should shift from avoiding sexual violence to preventing it.

Week of 5-15-23 Peter Gray, research professor of psychology and neuroscience at Boston College, examines why children need independent play.

Week of 5-22-23 David Cingranelli, professor of political science at Binghamton University, explores if countries should also get report cards just like students.

Week of 5-29-23 Andrew Berglund, director of the RNA Institute and professor of biological sciences, details one affliction we still need to find a cure for.

Week of 6-5-23 Regina Ragan, professor of materials science and engineering, looks into using E. coli to detect water contamination.

Week of 6-12-23 Luisa Ruge-Jones, assistant professor of communication at the University of Dayton, explores the best way to solve big challenges when working on a team.

Week of 6-19-23 PK Toh, associate professor of management at the McCombs School of Business at the University of Texas at Austin, examines how star employees aren't the only ones who shape the future of a company.

Week of 6-27-23 Dan Laufer, associate professor of marketing at Victoria University of Wellington, examines one instance where harm was done by ignoring journalistic ethics.

## **Issue: Public Affairs Issues:** Climate Connection Program List

Week of 4-3-23 Low-interest loan program helps homeowners finance clean energy upgrades

Week of 4-10-23 Student recommendations incorporated into \$100+ million flood-prevention project

Week of 4-17-23 U.S. cities like Buffalo and Cincinnati could benefit from climate migration

Week of 4-24-23 SolarShare Wisconsin Cooperative aims to make investing in clean energy accessible to all

Week of 5-1-23 This New Mexico school is helping students recover from wildfire trauma

Week of 5-8-23 How faith-based groups are helping Arizonans survive brutal heat waves

Week of 5-15-23 Nonprofit wants Wisconsin to electrify homes, businesses, and transportation

Week of 5-22-23 The fossil fuel industry is donating hundreds of millions to university climate and energy research

Week of 5-29-23 Wisconsin company uses cow waste to produce energy

Week of 6-5-23 Cajun Navy Ground Force connects thousands of volunteers to communities affected by natural disasters

Week of 6-12-23 Fire survivors in one southern Oregon community find hope in resident-owned cooperative

Week of 6-19-23 Most Americans underestimate the popularity of policies to protect the climate

Week of 6-27-23 American Samoa's coastal communities face worsened sea level rise

### **Issue: Public Affairs Issues:** Reel Discovery Program List

Week of 4-3-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin goes behind the scenes of a video game deal in AppleTV+'s Tetris.

Week of 4-10-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin joins a grieving young man as he prepares for a trip to Mars in Space Oddity.

Week of 4-17-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin follows a suburban mom's unexpected rise to mob boss in Mafia Mamma.

Week of 4-24-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin follows a troubled teen on a quest to reconnect with her estranged dad in Gringa.

Week of 5-1-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin flies to Neverland with Peter and the Darlings in Disney+'s Peter Pan & Wendy.

Week of 5-8-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin follows two friends on very different journeys to find The One in What's Love Got to Do with It?

Week of 5-15-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin follows a mother's journey to save the daughter who was taken from her in Netflix's The Mother.

Week of 5-22-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin follows a couple of guys on their quest to hustle their way to a big payday in Hulu's remake of White Men Can't Jump

Week of 5-29-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin goes under the sea with Disney's live-action remake of The Little Mermaid.

Week of 6-5-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin goes back to the early days of a basketball superstar in Peacock's Shooting Stars.

Week of 6-12-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin follows a homeless teen as he joins a band of ancient heroes in Heroes of the Golden Mask.

Week of 6-19-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin follows two complete opposites as they try to find ways to work together in Pixar's Elemental.

Week of 6-27-23 On the latest Reel Discovery, Kristin follows a political consultant on his quest to dig up some dirt in Maximum Truth

### **Issue: Public Affairs Issues:** Shelf Discovery Program List

Week of 4-3-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin finds herself back in the '80s, on a quest to stop a tragedy, in Lauren Thoman's I'll Stop the World.

Week of 4-10-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin explores the ugly side of the quest for beauty in Natural Beauty by Ling Ling Huang.

Week of 4-17-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin searches for love and truth after tragedy strikes two very different couples in The Soulmate by Sally Hepworth

Week of 4-24-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin follows a brokenhearted young woman as she escapes to France in French Holiday by Sarah Ready.

Week of 5-1-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin ventures into the Everglades with a motley group of misfits in Swamp Story by Dave Barry.

Week of 5-8-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin goes to work with two bickering coworkers with a past in The Last Word by Katy Birchall.

Week of 5-15-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin follows a romance author's quest to find love on TV in The True Love Experiment by Christina Lauren.

Week of 5-22-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin explores life in an eerily utopian community in The Ferryman by Justin Cronin.

Week of 5-29-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin travels back to the early days of movies to meet 12 influential women in The Women Who Built Hollywood

Week of 6-5-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin searches for a killer with a food stand owner and her cousin in Hot Pot Murder by Jennifer J. Chow.

Week of 6-12-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin travels to the Greek Islands as a young woman reminisces about a life-changing summer in The Girls of Summer

Week of 6-19-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin follows one woman's fight for freedom in The Quiet Tenant by Clémence Michallon.

Week of 6-27-23 On this week's Shelf Discovery, Kristin joins a mom-to-be in reminiscing about her turbulent early 20s in The Rachel Incident by Caroline O'Donoghue.



## **Issue: Public Affairs Issues:** Loh Down on Science Program List

Week of 4-3-23 Where's my... what was I looking for again? This is Sandra Tsing Loh with the Loh Down on Science. Ever get a bad night's sleep and totally space on something important the next day? Like a great idea or... a wedding anniversary? Are those forgotten memories gone FOREVER?

Week of 4-10-23 If neurons could watch TV, they'd watch the SODIUM CHANNEL! This is Sandra Tsing Loh with the Loh Down on Science. Neurons are very complex cells in the brain. They're responsible for EVERYTHING: memory, movement, feelings... But some diseases make neurons stop working, and the whole body is affected.

Week of 4-17-23 Ouch, a paper cut! Can you fix that with a little... glue?! This is Sandra Tsing Loh with the Loh Down on Science. Our skin does a marvelous job of putting itself back together after an ouchie. When our skin cells regenerate, they have "glue molecules" that help them rejoin.

Week of 4-24-23 Thrifting and upcycling are so chic! But would you buy lightly used... medication?!? This is Sandra Tsing Loh with the Loh Down on Science. Recycling gives things a second life. Cool idea! So why not recycle medicine? Enter Dominic Bennet from the University of Liverpool in England.

Week of 5-1-23 Meet the new teenage generation! The Zoomers! This is Sandra Tsing Loh with the Loh Down on Science. Nowadays, meeting IRL is like seeing a unicorn... meeting in person happens so rarely! EVERYTHING is done online! Teenagers are some of the most affected! Could this influence their social skills?

Week of 5-8-23 The solution to dirty drinking water might be... BACTERIA!? This is Sandra Tsing Loh with the Loh Down on Science. Clean drinking water is a necessity, but contamination from toxic metals is a growing concern. Even tiny amounts can be extremely hazardous, so early detection is vital.

Week of 5-15-23 Architects should take tips from... chameleons?! This is Sandra Tsing Loh with the Loh Down on Science. Chameleons change color to maintain ideal body temperature. If only our houses could do the same! We'd save so much money! Wait... is that ... possible?

Week of 5-22-23 Can we take a lunch break? I'm so HANGRY This is Sandra Tsing Loh with the Loh Down on Science. We all look forward to eating. But why? We know that animals can anticipate food, but it's never been shown in humans. Could HANGER prove that we do it too?

Week of 5-29-23 Mmh! Delicious...electronics?!?!?! This is Sandra Tsing Loh with the Loh Down on Science. We need to keep our electronics out of the dump... Including medical devices. Can new sensors for measuring vital signs become environmentally friendly? And even more exciting... could they be ... edible? What?!?

Week of 6-5-23 An apple a day keeps the doctor away...right??? This is Sandra Tsing Loh with the Loh Down on Science. For years, researchers have wanted to find the healthiest diet. But perhaps all this time the answer was much more GREEN than we expected.

Week of 6-12-23 Goo goo ... a-HA! This is Sandra Tsing Loh with the Loh Down on Science. When it comes to math skills, are we Born This Way? Elisabeth Spelke and Fei Xu from the Northeastern University of Boston went to the source: Babies! They seated sixteen six-month-olds in a comfy chair.

Week of 6-19-23 Words can change your mind... literally! This is Sandra Tsing Loh with the Loh Down on Science. Language is a huge part of human development. But can the language we speak physically affect our brains? Xuehu Wei and team at the Planck Institute in Germany wondered.

Week of 6-27-23 What ancient craft is out of this world?! This is Sandra Tsing Loh, with the Loh Down on Science. Space is COLD! About minus four hundred and fifty five degrees Fahrenheit. Brr! Such chilly temperatures can turn spaceship materials brittle.

## **Issue: Public Affairs Issues:** With Good Reason Program List

Week of 4-3-23 In 1990s South Africa, there were violent clashes between Xhosa and Zulu people. And the main way they understood how to define the other group—lan...

Week of 4-10-23 What do the mythological Chimera and motherhood have in common?

Week of 4-17-23 We all remember what it was like entering the social battleground known as the school cafeteria.

Week of 4-24-23 Polar bears are no one's prey. Except for climate change itself.

Week of 5-1-23 These days, a lot of feminism is framed around young women rebelling against their mothers' values. But that wasn't always the case.

Week of 5-8-23 At markets in the ancient world, silver-tongued magicians hawked their wares of amulets, cursed tablets and even spells

Week of 5-15-23 We often think of cemeteries as separate worlds unto themselves.

Week of 5-22-23 In the late 70s, the University of Virginia inherited 10,000 glass plate negatives from the Holsinger Studio.

Week of 5-29-23 Growing up in Southwest Virginia, Tyler Hughes has been steeped in the traditions of mountain music and dance from a young age.

Week of 6-5-23 Political prisons in the Arab world are rooted in colonialism.

Week of 6-12-23 Jalane Schmidt recently brought a group of Virginia teachers to see Charlottesville's tiny monument to its enslaved residents.

Week of 6-19-23 As a Black literary scholar, Shermaine Jones was unsure of how to live and work through the Covid-19 pandemic and the George Floyd uprisings.

Week of 6-27-23 Virginia made headlines when it became the latest state to abolish the death penalty.