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Program deals with current events and subject matters that are related to Chinese Americans living in New York City. Programs accept phone in by audience to share and exchange their points of views with program hosts and other callers.

話題 (topics) 2016 Jan

01/01 你如何迎接 2016 年的來臨? 你有何新年願望? Forecast and New Year resolutions

01/04 寒流襲擊美東地區,紐約市這二天温度將降至冰點以下,你對日常禦寒有何對策? How should one deal with the current extreme cold weather?

01/05 總統奧巴馬簽署行政指令,推出新的槍械管制措施,你是否同意? Do you agree with President Obama's executive order in gun control?

01/06 北韓首次成功試爆氫彈,南韓全軍宣布進入緊急戒備狀態。你對朝鮮半島的安全有何意見? With the success of Hydrogen Bomb test in North Korea, South Korea is on the alert. What's your view on the prospect and outlook for peace in this region?

01/07.紐約州今天正式啟用醫療用大麻,紐約州成為全國第二十三個推出醫用大麻產品的州。你對此有何意見?

New York marijuana medical program finally launched today. Listeners voice the pros and cons for this new program.

01/08 Powerball 彩票,累積獎金達破紀錄的七億美元,你會否購買彩票碰運氣? Powerball jackpot has reached over \$700 million. Audience shared their thoughts and dreams if they were the lucky winners, and commented on the odd of winning.

01/11 被視為二十世紀英國最具影響力的歌手,搖滾樂大師大衛寶兒病逝,終年六十九歲。你對他有何懷勉勉?

Program played tribute to David Bowie's passing.

01/12 總統奧巴馬發表任內最後一份的國情咨文,內容著重國家未來二十年的發展。你對此有何意見?

Program focuses on the State of the Union Address that took place the previous nights. Audience called in and exchanged their point of views.

01/13 Powerball 連續兩個月無人中頭獎,今天晚上開彩的頭獎獎金已累積到十五億美元,打破歷來頭獎累積獎金的紀錄,全國已經掀起一片 Powerball 熱潮。你對此有何意見?

Powerball jackpot hits record \$1.5 billion. Audience share their personal experience in number of tickets they are purchasing, reasons for numbers they pick, and things they would do if they were to be the lucky winners tonight.

01/14 台灣星期六舉行大選,民意調查顯示,民進黨總統候選人蔡英文,支持率大幅領先兩名對手,國民黨的朱立倫和親民黨的宋楚瑜,你認為蔡英文會成為台灣首位女總統嗎?

In the upcoming Taiwan election this Saturday, Tsai Ing Wen of the Democratic Progressive Party is leading the other candidates by a huge margin. How would the audience feel about having a first female president in Taiwan (if she wins this Saturday)?

01/15 全球原油原油價格自 2004 年 4 月以來首次跌破每桶 30 美元,報收於 29.99 美元。你認為低油價對整體經濟有何影響?

Oil price drops to US\$30 a barrel, record low since April 2004. Program examines how this low oil price would affect the world economy as a whole.

01/18 今日是馬丁路德金日,全國各地都有活動,紀念民權運動領袖馬丁路德金的誕辰。你對馬丁路德金有何感受?

Today is Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Program pays tribute to the Civil Right leader.

01/19 紐約市達成一項協議,將獲得許可上路的中央公園觀光馬車的數量,減少近一半,並將馬車使用限在中央公園為主,不能夠前往市區的街道觀光。你對此有何意見?

New York City has a new plan for horse carriages that nobody seems to really like. Now, horse carriages can only operate in Central Park. This will hurt the horse carriage operators' livelihood, but animal right people wanted an out right ban. Audience was encouraged to offer their opinions on air.

01/20 聯邦疾病控制和預防中心發布拉美和加勒比海 14 國旅行警告,稱蚊子叮咬傳播的寨卡 ZIKA 病毒正引發疫情,公民應慎重前往上述地區,孕婦尤須警惕。你對此有何意見?

The Center for Disease Control issued a warning pertaining to the Zika virus, advising women who are pregnant not to travel to 14 Latin and Caribbean countries. Program explored what the Zika virus is, and the prevention and precautions that people should abide.

01/21 美国东岸地区,本周末将迎来超强暴风雪,首都华盛顿和纽约市等地都会降雪,部分地区积雪或厚达二十寸,瘫痪交通和日常生活,你有何禦防措施?

Heavy snow storm hit the eastern cities from Washington to New York. Program explored ways to deal with this adverse condition.

01/22 世界經濟論壇日前公佈一份報告警告說,到 2050 年,全球海洋裡的塑料總重量將超過魚類。你對地球的環境保護有何意見?

A recent report indicates that by 2050, the total weight of waste dumped into the ocean will be heavier than the total weight of fish living in the ocean. It is an alarming fact for environmental protection. Audience called in and shared their views.

01/25 紐約市前市長彭博,可能會以獨立候選人身分,競逐十一月的美國總統大選。你會否支持他?

Ex New York City Mayor Bloomberg may enter the presidential race as an independent candidate. Would you support him?

01/26 美國與古巴的外交關係正走上正常化,財政部去年九月放寬對古巴貿易和人員往來政策之後,今天宣佈,放寬對古巴旅遊出口限制。你對此有何意見?

Upon the normalization of relationship between Cuba and the United States, the U.S. government announced that it would relax the rules for U.S. citizens travelling to Cuba. Do you agree with such measure?

01/27 用信用卡來消費是美國人的重要理財方式之一,不過,也同時引發各種各樣的詐騙行為,如何保護好自己的信用資料,防止不法分子盜用呢?

Using credit cards instead of paying cash is part of our daily lives; but credit card theft is a major problem that we are confronting. Program explored ways to protect and avoid credit card theft.

01/28 紐約州衛生官員表示,已確診五名寨卡(Zika)病毒攜帶者,患者曾前往寨卡病毒正流行的地區,當局呼籲民眾慎重出行並應採取防護措施。你對此有何意見?

The NYC Department of Health issues a list of guide lines and warnings to educate those travelling about Zika virus. Program focuses on Zika virus, preventions, and precaution steps for those that travel.

01/29 總統奧巴馬今天在白宮發表講話,公佈性別工薪平等新計劃,呼籲女性在工薪方面,應該享有與男性一樣的權利。你認為今時今日美國社會男女平等嗎?

President Obama is announcing new actions the Administration is taking to advance equal pay for all workers. Do you agree?

02/01 在上星期紀念了穿梭機挑戰者號爆炸墜毀三十週年,今天,又紀念穿梭機哥倫比亞號空難十三週年。你對昔日的太空穿梭機有何感受?

Columbia Space Shuttle crew remembered 10 years after accident. Audience called in to share their feelings of loss, and pay tribute to the Shuttle Crew.

02/02 喜劇明星Bill Cosby, 因為被控性侵而受到刑事指控, 今天到賓州一個法庭出庭接受審訊。 你對此有何意見?

Bill Cosby' first hearing in the criminal sexual-assault case against him is proving to be a mixed bag so far in helping or hurting his efforts to persuade a judge to dismiss charges. What is your view on this?

02/03 國防部去年決定對女兵開放軍隊中的所有職務,五角大廈有高階將領表示,女性也應該要加入兵役登記。你對此有何意見?

The top officers in the Army and Marine Corps testified on Tuesday that they believe it is time for women to register for future military drafts, following the Pentagon's recent decision to open all jobs in combat unite to female service members. Do you agree?

02/04 藏身在厄瓜多爾駐倫敦大使館三年半的維基解密創辦人阿桑奇,向聯合國一個小組申訴,遭受英國及瑞典非法羈押,你預測裁決結果為何?

More than 3 years ago, Wikileaks founder Julian Assange fled into the embassy of Ecuador in London. He complained to the Swedish and the British governments have no basis to arrest or detain him. What's your opinion?

02/05 紐約市有大型起重機翻側,天秤壓著多輛汽車,至少一人死亡,另外最少三人受傷,未知意外是否與天氣或人為因素有關。你有何感受?

A Crane collapse in Lower Manhattan kills one person and injured at least 3 people. Authority is trying to determine if the accident was caused by human error or weather related. What do you think?

02/08 今日是農曆大年初一,在此祝各位新春愉快,萬事如意,中國多地都有各式各樣慶祝農曆新年活動,你如何歡渡新歲?

Happy Chinese New Year to all. Celebrations are being held over the world especially in China, Hong Kong and Taiwan. How do you spend your New Year?

02/09 在四天內第二波來襲的冬季風暴開始影響東北部,導致陸海交通受阻,紐約市今晚有雪,氣溫將進一步下降,迎接冬季以來最嚴寒的週末。你有何感受?

Within the past four days, another winter storm attacks the northeast region again. In New York City, snow is forecasted for tonight, and temperature will dip, making this weekend the coldest in history. How do you cope with this weather?

02/10.一輛滿載乘客,由紐約開往康州的賭場巴士,星期一在大雪中,在 95 號州際公路翻側,導致三十多人受傷,初步調查報告指是因為下雪路滑,導致意外。你對此有何意見?

At least 30 people were hurt, some of them seriously, after a bus headed to a casino rolled over on Interstate 95 in Connecticut during a blizzard Monday afternoon. Should we have tougher rules for bus drivers especially under this weather condition?

02/11 紐約市曼哈頓東村一處建築物去年 3 月 26 日發生劇烈爆炸,引起熊熊大火,三座建築物夷為廢墟。事故導致 25 人受傷,2 人失踪。紐約檢察官今天宣布起訴建築物的管理人員。你對此有何意見?

A building owner and four others were arrested Thursday on manslaughter, negligent homicide and other charges in connection with a gas explosion last year that killed two people and leveled three Manhattan buildings. Do you think these people should be prosecuted?

02/12 紐約華裔警員梁彼得,被控在 2014 年在執勤期間,其流弹誤中一名黑人男子致死,誤殺罪名成立,面臨最高刑罰監禁十五年。你認為此案有何意見?

NYC policeman Peter Liang was convicted in a fetal shooting of a black man in a housing project. Mr. Liang faces up to 15 years in prison on the second-degree manslaughter charge when he is sentenced on April 14th. Do you agree with the verdict?

02/15 今天是總統日,全國各地都有活動,以便民眾更了解和熟悉美國歷史。你對總統日的歷史有何認識?

Today is Presidents' Day. Celebrations are being held at different parts in the country in order to be more aware of the history of this Holiday. How much do you know of the history of this American holiday?

02/16 前總統喬治布殊公開露面,為在共和黨總統提名戰中,選情告急的弟弟杰布布殊站台造勢,發表二十分鐘演說。你認為這對杰布的選情有幫助嗎?

With the crucial South Carolina primary nearing, Former president George Bush is finally campaign for his brother Jeb Bush. It was the former president's first appearance on the campaign trail this cycle. Do you think it can help his brother's candidacy?

02/17 去年底造成十四死的加州槍擊案,聯邦調查局雖然搜獲疑犯一部iPhone手機,法院下令蘋果公司提供技術支援協助解密,蘋果拒絕協助。你認同蘋果公司的做法嗎?

A Judge has ordered Apple to comply with an FBI demand to help unlock a phone used by one the San Bernardino shooters, but Apply vowed to fight the decision. Do you agree with Apple?

02/18 總統奧巴馬下個月出訪古巴,共和黨總統參選人克魯茲和盧比奧抨擊奧巴馬的計劃。你對奧巴馬此時此刻訪問古巴有何意見?

Republican candidates Ted Cruz and Marco Rubio voiced their objection to Obama's planned visit to Cuba. What's your opinion?

02/19 美國各地約四十個城市將於明日發起集會,聲援日前被判誤殺黑人青年格利罪成的紐約華裔警員梁彼得,希望梁彼得獲得更公平公正的法律對待,希望藉今次大規模集會,推動華裔社群更積極追求公正的權益。

Huge gatherings are held in various parts of the country in support of Peter Liang in hope that he can receive a fair sentencing and treatment.

02/22 美國同俄羅斯就敘利亞停火方案達成共識,交戰各方將在星期六停止敵對狀態,你認為此停火方案真可以執行嗎?

New US-Russia plan sets Syria ceasefire for Saturday. Do you think such plan can be implemented?

02/23 英國近二百間企業在當地報章發表聯署信,支持英國留在歐盟,警告若英國脫離歐盟,將令當地經濟面臨風險。你認為英國會脫歐嗎?

Big businesses back UK to stay with the European Union, warning economic troubles if Britain leaves the EU. Do you think Britain will stay with EU?

02/24 涉嫌串謀敲詐勒索的加州前參議員余胤良,被法院判處入獄五年。你認為此案有何意見? Ex-California state senator Leland Yee sentenced to 5 years in prison in racketeering case. What do you know about this case? Was justice served?

02/25 最新發佈的胡潤報告顯示,北京億萬富翁人數已達 100 人,超過紐約的 95 人,成為了新的全球億萬富翁之大都會。你對此有何意見?

According to the latest Forbes report, there are over 100 billionaires in Beijing, more than the number of billionaires in New York. Beijing is now the city with most billionaires in the world. What is your view on this?

02/26 肯塔基州一名男子,在一家便利店內,試圖掏出褲內的電子香菸抽菸時,電子香菸突然爆炸起火,導致他大腿燒傷。你對此有何意見?

A Kentucky man was hospitalized Tuesday with second degree burns after the battery in his electronic cigarette in his a pocket of his pants. Do you think electronic cigarette is a good alternative for real cigarette?

02/29 今屆奧斯卡頒獎禮被種族問題籠罩,第二度擔任主持人的黑人喜劇演員Chris Rock,一如所料,典禮一開始就藉著種族話題,以幽默的方式演繹開場白。你認為奧斯卡有種族歧視嗎? Oscar host Chris Rock opened the show on Sunday night with a monologue that tackled racism and discrimination in Hollywood. Do you agree with him that Hollywood lacks diversity?

03/01 加州機動車輛管理局公開報告,顯示一輛谷歌無人駕駛車最近在進行路試時,撞上一輛公共巴士,相信是谷歌無人駕駛車釀成的首宗意外. 你認為無人駕駛車會流行嗎?

One of Google's self-driving cars has collided with a public bus in Mountain View, an accident report has revealed, in what appears to be the first example of one of the company's prototype cars causing an accident. Do you think self-driving cars will be popular?

03/02 總統大選黨內提名戰投票結束,民主共和兩黨的熱門參選人,特朗普與希拉莉成為大贏家,逐漸形成兩人在大選對決的局面。你對此有何意見?

All the recent polls and primary results suggest that it will be Donald Trump against Hilary in the upcoming presidential election, what is your point of view?

03/03 聯合國安全理事會通過對北韓新制裁決議後,北韓隨即發射短程導彈示威,南韓正監視北韓會否有進一步舉動。你對此有何意見?

In response to the UN Security Council's resolution against its country, North Korea launched another missile. South Korea is monitoring the situation closely. What is your opinion on this sensitive situation?

03/04 紐約警方將放寬執法,公共場合喝酒,大街上撒尿等不再會被逮捕,原因是警方希望集中精力對付嚴重罪案。你對此有何意見?

New York City Police eases public drinking laws before St. Patrick's Day; offenders will be issued summons instead of being arrested. Police want to concentrate their efforts in solving more serious crime. Do you agree?

03/07 已故前總統列根的遺孀南茜心臟衰竭逝世,享年 94 歲,她被形容是列根的守護者和最佳幕僚,是美國其中一位 最具影響力的第一夫人,不過有人批評她過分插手政治。你對南茜逝世有何感受?

Nancy Reagan, one of the most high profile and influential first ladies of the 20th century passed away at age 94. She's described to be the most loyal protector and companion of President Ronald Reagan. But some critics think she muddled into politics too much while in the white house, your opinion?

03/08 為遏制對跨性別人士的歧視和騷擾,紐約市長白思豪簽署一項行政命令,讓紐約人可以根據自己的性別認同,自由選擇希望使用男廁還是女廁。你對此贊成嗎?

NYC Mayor Bill de Blasio signed an executive order Monday morning that allows transgender New Yorkers to use whatever bathroom or changing area best aligns with their gender identity. Do you agree?

03/09 佛羅里達州一場春季棒球訓練賽上,出現了驚人的一幕,一名父親揮臂為埋頭玩手機的兒子,攔截了橫空飛來的球棒,使他免受傷害。你對此有何意見?

In a spring training baseball game in Florida, a baseball bat flew out of a player's hand and toward and 8-year old boy's head. The boy's father used him arm to fend off the bat so that his son would not get hurt. That is really human nature, don't you think?

03/10 加拿大總理杜魯多首庾展開美國國事訪問行程,總統奧巴馬在白宮南草坪以紅地氈儀式歡迎。你對美加關係有何意見?

The first official visit to the U.S. by a Canadian Prime Minister (Justin Trudeau) in 19 years is an opportunity for the countries to deepen their close relationship. Do you agree?

03/11 今日是日本 311 大地震五週年,多處舉行悼念活動,首相安倍晉三重申要重振災區,政府又確認五年重建計劃,承諾加快為災民建屋及重振東北地區旅遊業。你對此有何意見?

Today is the fifth anniversary of the March 2011 quake and tsunami that devastated costal region of the Tohoku region in Japan. The Japanese reaffirms the 5 year rebuilding plan, helping residents with affordable housing and revitalize the tourist industry in that region. Your thought?

03/14 這星期開始日光節約時間,有資料顯示在改為日光節約時間後的一周,從清早 5 時到上午 10 時這一段時間,嚴重車禍都會比前一周增加 30%。你對此有何意見?

Daylight Saving Time will commence this Saturday. There's a research that suggests traffic accidents would increase by as much as 30% between 5am to 10am during the first week of Daylight Saving time. Do you agree with this research?

03/15 總統奧巴馬將於下星期歷史性到訪古巴,你認為美古的關係的前景如何? President Obama will make historical visit to Cuba next week. How will his visit affect the future relationship between the two countries?

03/16 總統候選人提名戰,共和黨的特朗普分別在佛羅里達州,伊利諾州同北卡羅來納州的初選勝出,另一名候選人,魯比奧在主場佛羅里達州敗選後宣布退出。你對魯比奧的退選有何意見? Republic president candidate Donald Trump won the primary in Florida, Illinois, and North Carolina. Marco Rubio dropped out of the race. What is your opinion on Rubio dropping out of the race?

03/17 總統奧巴馬簽署行政命令對北韓實施新的制裁,你認為此舉會否令北韓屈服? President Obama on Wednesday imposed new sanctions on North Korea. Do you think North Korea leadership will back down?

03/18 眾議院召開聽證會跟進密歇根州鉛水風波,議員指摘地方政府和環境部門處理不當,你認為州長及環境保護局局長應否引咎辭職?

The ranking Democrat on the U.S. House Oversight and Government Reform Committee lead off hearings. Do you agree that the Governor and EPA Administrator should resign?

03/21 由於天氣影響深圳機場航班延誤,導致乘客引發騷亂,你對此有何意見? Disturbance at Shenzhen airport due to numerous flight delays that were caused by bad weather. Your thought?

3/22 比利時首都布魯塞爾機場,及市中心一個地鐵站接連發生自殺式恐怖襲擊,逾34人死亡,超過二百人受傷,你對此有何意見?

34 people reported dead, and 170 plus people reported injured in the Brussels attacks. What's your view on the terrorist attacks?

3/23 三個州舉行總統初選,共和黨的特朗普和克魯茲各贏一場,民主黨方面,一直落後的桑德斯三場贏了兩場,你對這結果有何意見?

What's your opinion on the presidential race and primary results so far?

3/24 布碌崙地區檢察官湯普森建議法官判梁彼得緩刑五年,在家中配戴電子追蹤器關押半年,以及進行五百小時社會服務。你認為梁彼得應否接受而放棄上訴?

Brooklyn DA Ken Thompson has opted to ask for five years' probation, six months of home confinement and 500 hours of community service for convicted policeman Liang. Do you agree with such the DA?

3/25 世界各地機場均準備加強安檢措施, 你是否同意? Airports around the world are on high alert, and double the security. Do you agree with such measure?

3/28 手機的應用越來越普遍,究竟手機對你現時的生活有多大影響? Cell phone is something that we can't do without nowadays. How much do you depend on the cell phone in your daily lives?

3/29 台北一名四歲女童在街上遭人用刀襲擊,身首異處死亡,行兇男子王景玉當場被捕,兇手被懷疑精神有異,你對此有何意見?

In Taipei, a 4 year old girl was beheaded on the street. The suspect was caught, and believed to have mental problem. What's your view?

3/30 有調查很多歐洲的大城市居民幸福感均很高,你覺得居於紐約的幸福感如何? Research shows that many city residents in Europe are very happy with their daily livings. Are you happy living in New York City?

3/31 特朗普表示墮胎婦女應受某種形式的處罰。而民主黨總統參選人桑德斯提倡免費大學教育,你對這二位參選人的言論有何意見?

Republican presidential candidate Donald Trump thinks that women who have abortions should face 'some form of punishment'; while Democratic presidential candidate Bernie Saunders thinks 'it's time to make college tuition free and debt free'. What's your view on the ideas proposed by these two candidates?

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