



WPGP-AM ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

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## WPGP RADIO

### ISSUE/PROGRAM LIST

WPGP radio on a continuing basis seeks to stay informed regarding the issues, problems, and needs of its service area. This is accomplished in part through meetings with prominent and informed leaders in the community. WPGP also utilizes informal contacts with community in general media sources outside our organization (i.e., TV, radio, and print media). WPGP management, through an ongoing relationship with leaders of various civic and charitable organizations, maintains active involvement dealing with problems and issues confronting our community. Information is also obtained through general issue-oriented material sent to the station and station personnel. In this report, WPGP will list the issues it has determined to be of major local concern and will list some of the programming avenues taken to address those issues.

The Major Issues Included In This Report

IMMIGRATION

CRIME / VIOLENCE

COVID / HEALTH

ENVIRONMENT / ENERGY

EDUCATION

GOVERNMENT

ELECTIONS

GENDER / LGBTQ ISSUES

RACE / RACISM

## **WPGP Programs That Deal With Important Issues And Problems**

### **2 Lights Media**

**Saturday: 10 AM – 10:30 AM**

Providing content rich advertising that delivers cutting-edge news, information and current events listeners want to hear. Distributing ethical, topical and engaging 30 minute interviews.

### **America First with Sebastian Gorka**

**Sunday: 12 AM – 3 AM**

**Monday – Friday: 12 AM – 3 AM, 3 PM – 5 PM**

**Saturday: 12 AM – 3 AM**

When Dr. Sebastian Gorka was growing up, he listened to Talk Radio under his pillow with a transistor radio, dreaming that one day he would be behind the microphone. Beginning New Year's Day 2019, he got his wish. Gorka's unique story works well on the radio. He is national security analyst for the Fox News Channel and author of two books: "Why We Fight" and "Defeating Jihad". He is uniquely qualified to fight the culture war, and stand up for what is great about America, his adopted home country.

### **Armed American Radio**

**Sunday: 8 PM – 11 PM**

Armed American Radio is the official radio program of The United States Concealed Carry Association. As the USCCA continues to expand its reach across the US, and since its flagship publication - Concealed Carry Magazine has become one of, if not THE most informative gun magazines in the nation. Reaching up to the next level of media outlets became a natural, no brainer.

### **The Dennis Prager Show**

**Sunday: 6 AM – 7 AM; 5 PM - 6 PM; 11 PM – 12 AM**

**Monday – Friday: 1 PM – 3 PM**

**Saturday 9 PM – 12 AM; 5 PM – 6 PM**

Broadcasting from his home station of KRLA in Los Angeles, the Dennis Prager Show is heard across the country. Everything in life – from politics to religion to relationships – is grist for Dennis' mill. If it's interesting, if it affects your life, then Dennis will be talking about it – with passion, humor, insight and wisdom.

### **Health & Wellness (Local)**

**Saturday: 9 AM – 10 AM**

Focusing on a natural, holistic approach to human and animal wellness. Dr. Edmund Sulkowski and his guests discuss various topics on health and wellness for us and our companion animals.

## **WPGP Programs That Deal With Important Issues And Problems**

### **Hugh Hewitt Show**

**Monday – Friday: 6 AM – 9 AM**

Hugh Hewitt is one of the nation’s leading bloggers and a genuine media revolutionary. He brings that expertise, his wit and what The New Yorker magazine calls his “amiable but relentless manner” to his nationally syndicated show each day.

### **Sekulow**

**Monday – Friday: 6 PM – 7 PM**

**Saturday: 12:30 PM**

**Sunday: 8:30 AM**

Sekulow tackles issues that matter most to America- national security, protecting families, and protecting human life. The reports are brought by the American Center for Law & Justice (ACLJ), a nonprofit organization specializing in constitutional law and based in Washington, D.C.

### **The Del Walmsley Radio Show**

**Monday – Friday: 12 PM – 1 PM**

### **The John Steigerwald Show (Local)**

**Monday – Friday: 5 PM – 6 PM**

John Steigerwald has been a fixture in Pittsburgh media for over 40 years. He brings his tell-it-like-it-is and take-no-prisoners style to a show that covers just about anything and everything including sports, politics, culture, media and local issues.

### **The Officer Tatum Show**

**Sunday: 6 PM – 7 PM**

**Monday – Friday: 7 PM – 9 PM**

**Saturday: 6 PM – 7 PM; 8 PM – 9 PM**

The Officer Tatum Show is thought provoking, inspiring, and filled with raw truth. The show will cover current news events and topics that are culturally relevant. As a Black Conservative, his voice couldn't have come at a more consequential time in American politics.

## **WPGP Programs That Deal With Important Issues And Problems**

### **The Charlie Kirk Show**

**Monday – Friday: 9 PM – 12 AM**

**Sunday: 7 PM – 8 PM**

Charlie Kirk is the next big thing in conservative talk radio and he's now hosting a daily radio show called "The Charlie Kirk Show" on the Salem Radio Network. The radio show can be heard on great talk radio stations all over the country. He also airs a daily podcast of the same name, which has become one of the top 10 news shows on Apple New Podcast rankings.

### **The Mike Gallagher Show**

**Monday – Friday: 3 AM – 5 AM; 9 AM – 12 PM**

**Saturday: 3 AM – 6 AM; 1 PM – 3PM**

**Sunday: 3 AM – 6 AM; 12 PM – 3 PM**

Biden Promises To Get More People Vaccinated By ‘Literally Knocking On Doors’. New York first state to declare disaster emergency on gun violence.

### **The Mohsin Program (Local)**

**Saturday: 12 PM – 12:30 PM**

Mortgage expert Sarah Mohsin hosts a show dedicated to financing folks from all walks of life for residential and commercial properties in 37 states.

### **Networth Financial Hour (Local)**

**Sunday: 11 AM – 12 PM**

**Saturday: 7 AM – 8 AM; 4 PM – 5 PM; 7 PM – 8 PM**

Beth Andrews, of Networth Advisors, discusses many topics retirees should consider when developing their retirement and financial strategies. Beth is well recognized in the financial world and locally throughout the greater Pittsburgh area. Listen to Beth every week as she discusses the difficulties people face with planning for retirement.

### **RMWorldTravel Connection**

**Saturday: 3 PM – 4 PM**

**Sunday: 3 PM – 5 PM**

Take flight with America's #1 Travel Radio Show, the RMWorldTravel Connection, hosted by Robert & Mary Carey and Rudy Maxa, and experience this informative, Entertaining, Fast-paced, Contemporary and Interactive show.

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### **This Morning with Gordon Deal**

**Monday – Friday: 5 AM – 6 AM**

Wake-up with America's first news – Host Gordon Deal goes beyond the headlines with the day's first look at news and business from the U.S. and around the world.

### **Townhall Review**

**Saturday: 6 AM – 7 AM**

**Sunday: 7:30 AM – 8 AM; 10:30 AM - 11 AM**

Hosted by Hugh Hewitt, Townhall.com Weekend Journal is an hour-long look back at the week's news.

## **WPGP Programs That Deal With Important Issues And Problems**

### **The Christian Outlook**

**Sunday 9:00 - 10:00 AM**

### **Purity Products**

**Saturday: 8 AM – 8:30 AM; 8:30 AM – 9 AM; 11 AM - 11:30 AM**

**Sunday: 7 AM - 7:30 AM; 10 AM - 10:30 AM**

### **The FLOT Line**

**Sunday: 8 AM – 8:30 AM**

The FLOT Line hosted by Rick Hughes is 30 minutes of inspiration, motivation, education, but never any manipulation. FLOT is an acronym for Forward Line of Troops. Rick teaches principles from the Bible focusing on God's 10 unique problem-solving devices designed to act as a main line of resistance in your soul (a FLOT line) preventing the outside sources of adversity from becoming the inside pressure of stress in your soul.

### **Retirement & Income Radio**

**Saturday 10:30 – 11 AM; 11:30 AM – 12 PM**

Programs

On the following pages, major issues are presented along with the programs that have aired to address those issues. The program list is not exhaustive and many other programs were aired on most issues. The attached listing, however, is representative of the commitment of WPGP to address those issues and problems that concern our community. The format is as follows: programs, dealing with the category at the top, are underlined in bold, followed by the day, date, and time the program aired, underneath is the specific issue dealt with, followed by a brief description of the program.



**ISSUES/PROGRAM LIST**

**CATEGORY: IMMIGRATION**

DATE: January 18, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: What's going on down there in Texas on the Mexico boarder? Matt Macowiak, Chairman of the Travis County, Texas Republican Party explains why we could see a confrontation between the Texas National Guard and Joe Biden's federal government.

DATE: January 23, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: The Texas Nationalist Movement has had a lot of support for having Texas secede from the union. Dan Miller, President of the Texas Nationalist Movement talks about how the recent border standoff between the governor and the Feds has helped the movement.

DATE: January 24, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Adam Andrzejewski of Openthebooks.com has the bad news about how much American taxpayers are being forced to pay for the 2.5 million "refugees" who have come across the southern border.

DATE: February 26, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Todd Bensman author of "Overrun: How Joe Biden Unleashed the Greatest Immigration Crisis in US History," has all the reasons why the fiasco on the southern border is Joe Biden's fault and how and why it was planned.

DATE: February 26, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Just in case you haven't seen enough evidence that New York City has been turned into a rat hole, wait until you hear about about the stupidity (and the corruption) of a \$50 million plan that gives illegal immigrants debit cards worth \$10,000.

**ISSUES/PROGRAM LIST**

**CATEGORY: CRIME / VIOLENCE**

DATE: January 18, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: John Lott, author of More Guns Less Crime on the news that violent crime has gone down since Ohio passed a conceal carry law.

DATE: January 22, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: The CDC has some advice on how to reduce crime. What could they get wrong? How about everything? Guest: Rafael Mangual – City Journal

DATE: March 8, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Christine Flowers, newspaper columnist and immigration attorney from Philadelphia with her take on the reaction to the murder of Laken Riley

DATE: March 14, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Police in Toronto are advising homeowners to leave their car keys at the front door to make it easier for thieves to steal their car. It's a polite way of preventing burglars from entering their homes with loaded guns. They're serious.

**ISSUES/PROGRAM LIST**

**CATEGORY: COVID / HEALTH**

DATE: January 12, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Professor of Medicine at Stanford, who called out the stupidity of the government's response to Covid 19 before just about everybody and was vilified by Dr. Fauci and most of the media, is back to talk about being right all along and Fauci being wrong about almost everything.

DATE: March 12, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Happy 4th Anniversary. It was four years ago today when we were told by our government leaders that we just had to cave in to their ridiculous, unconstitutional and useless demands for 14 days until the curve was flattened. Why we should never forget the insanity that followed. Guest: Guy Ciarrocchi - Broad and Liberty columnist.

**ISSUES/PROGRAM LIST**

**CATEGORY: ENVIRONMENT / ENERGY**

DATE: January 10, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Congresswoman and socialist Summer Lee is bragging about getting lots of federal money to buy electric busses for Western Pa. What could go wrong? Daniel Turner – Power the Future is our guest.

DATE: January 23, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: The U.S. Senate is working on a carbon tax that would mean a new tax on just about everything and there are are Republicans on board. Why? Guest: Diana Furchgott-Roth – Heritage Foundation.

DATE: January 26, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: The Big Guy announced today that he's cutting back on liquid natural gas exports in order to save the planet. H. Sterling Burnett of Heartland Institute ridicules the decision.

DATE: February 15, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Governor Shapiro wants to destroy the natural gas and coal industries in Pennsylvania with the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative and he's in court trying to avoid having to involve the state legislature. What happens if he wins? Guest: Guy Ciarrochi - Commonwealth Foundation

DATE: February 16, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: An energy expert on why the Biden administration's plan to ban gas powered cars is going to be a huge campaign issue, especially in swing states like Pennsylvania. Guest: Kenny Stein - American Energy Alliance

**ISSUES/PROGRAM LIST**

**CATEGORY: EDUCATION**

DATE: January 2, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Thanks for Giving It the Old College Try - Harvard couldn't take it anymore, so their President and Plagiarist in Chief Claudine Gay "resigned." Are more people starting to re-think the idea of college? Jeffrey McCall Professor of Communications at DePauw University talks about his column at The Hill.

DATE: January 19, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Victoria Taft of PJ Media explains a new federal government program, paid for with your tax dollars, that states as its mission to "train educators across the country on how to divert students away from conservative ideas..."

DATE: January 29, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: They're teaching teachers in Georgia how to indoctrinate students about the evils of America beginning in kindergarten. Guest: Mark Bauerline – Emory University

DATE: February 1, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Laura Beltz, Policy Director for the Foundation For Individual Rights and Expression has the results of a study on free speech rights on college campuses. They're not encouraging.

DATE: February 20, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Adam Andrzejewski of Openthebooks.com has found that the U.S. Department of Defense is continuing to push DEI and Marxist ideology in schools attended by the children of military personnel and paid for by you and me. One of the stated goals: "A refusal to teach a white washed curriculum .... and to teach social Justice rather than heroes holidays and celebrations."

**ISSUES/PROGRAM LIST**

**CATEGORY: GOVERNMENT**

DATE: January 2, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (local)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Congressman Guy Reschenthaler on impeachment of Joe Biden and Alexandro Mayorkas, immigration and what to expect from Republicans in 2024.

DATE: January 9, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (local)

ISSUE/TOPIC: The Secretary of Defense went missing for three days. Dakota Wood, a defense expert with the Heritage Foundation says the stupidity and incompetence is mind boggling.

DATE: January 24, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (local)

ISSUE/TOPIC: J.Michael Waller, former CIA operative and author of “Big Intel: How The CIA and The FBI Went From Cold War Heroes to Deep State Villains” with some frightening revelations.

DATE: January 29, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (local)

ISSUE/TOPIC: A United Nations Agency helped massacre Jews on October 7th, which means your money contributed to it. What does the US get from its membership in the United Nations and how much does it cost? An expert on International Regulatory Affairs at the Heritage Foundation has the numbers.

DATE: February 2, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (local)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Christine Flowers, a conservative columnist from Philadelphia says the Republicans impeaching DHS Secretary Mayorkas is all for show and won't make a difference. She's also a practicing immigration attorney.

**ISSUES/PROGRAM LIST**

**CATEGORY: ELECTIONS**

DATE: January 16, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (local)

ISSUE/TOPIC: MSNBC and CNN beclowned themselves last night by refusing to air Donald Trump's victory speech in Iowa. How long will that policy be in effect? Jeff McCall, Professor of Communications at DePauw University and media critic for The Hill dissects the media's inability to avoid embarrassing themselves in their comically biased coverage of and their hatred for Donald Trump and his supporters.

DATE: January 16, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Former member of the Federal Election Commission Hans von Spakovsky explains the fix that Fulton County, Ga. District Attorney Fani Willis is in because she decided to shack up with the married, unqualified attorney she paid to be her special prosecutor in her flimsy case against Donald Trump.

DATE: January 11, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (local)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Donald Trump is going to be the nominee. Joel Gilbert, author of Michelle Obama 2024 is as convinced as ever that Mrs. Barack Obama will end up with the Democrats' nomination.

DATE: January 31, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (local)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Mike Benz, a former state department cyber expert, explains why the talk about Taylor Swift being part of a Democrat psyop may not be a conspiracy theory.

DATE: February 6, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (local)

ISSUE/TOPIC: J. Christian Adams of the Public Interest Legal Foundation has a case before the Supreme Court on Thursday. The hope is for the court to get Donald Trump back on the ballot in California.

**ISSUES/PROGRAM LIST**

**CATEGORY: GENDER / LGBTQ ISSUES**

DATE: January 12, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: This Could Be Her Last One. Kim Russel, who was fired from her job as women's lacrosse coach at Oberlin College talks about her trip to the NCAA convention in Phoenix to confront the organization's President about the stupidity of allowing men to compete against women in sports.

DATE: January 25, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Psychiatrist, Dr. Carole Lieberman on whether she buys a study that says almost 30% of Gen Z (18-25) identify as LGBTQ.

DATE: January 26, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: David Menzies of Rebel News, whose videos have gone viral and been seen by millions of people, describes his attempts to report the story of the 50-year old Canadian man who claims to be a 13 year-old girl and who has been competing against real 13-year old girls in swimming competitions and changing in their locker room. The cops protected the man from David instead of protecting the girls from the 50-year old man. More examples of Canada's descent into totalitarianism.

DATE: February 7, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Dr. Rachel Levine is having trouble backing up his claims about the benefits of mutilating children and nonprofit watchdog Protect the Public Trust is calling him and the Department of Health and Human Services out on it.

DATE: February 27, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: There's a bipartisan bill working it's way through the California legislature that requires menstrual products in all girls and BOYS bathrooms beginning in the third grade. Sophia Lorey of the California Family Council says it's just one more attempt to "erase women."



**ISSUES/PROGRAM LIST**

**CATEGORY: RACE / RACISM**

DATE: January 17, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Daniel Penny, the former Marine who came to the aid of several passengers on a NYC subway who were being threatened by a violent lunatic and was charged with second degree murder, asked a judge to dismiss the charges against him. The judge said no. Donna Jackson of The Black Leadership Network says it's all about race and it stinks.

DATE: February 6, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: It's Black History Month. Diante Johnson, Founder and President of the Black Conservative Federation says reflecting on blacks in American History is important and valuable but it's more important that Donald Trump is part of America's future.

DATE: February 12, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Melanie Collete of Black Leadership Network Project 21 on why the problem isn't with singing "Lift Every Voice and Sing" before the Super Bowl, it's with the song's "nickname."

DATE: February 32, 2024

TIME: 5:35 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: Scott McKay paints an ugly picture of Barack Obama and his loyal followers in his book, "Racism Revenge and Ruin: It's All Obama."

DATE: February 15, 2024

TIME: 5:13 p.m. (17 minutes)

PROGRAM: The John Steigerwald Show (*local*)

ISSUE/TOPIC: In Kansas City it was stupid teenage boys who somehow -illegally-got a hold of guns and then were stupid enough to get into a gunfight in the middle of a crowd of hundreds of thousands of people. Who sold or gave them the guns? Will we ever see that person identified and punished?

### News Broadcasts

With an ongoing effort to keep our audience informed of newsworthy events happening around the country, WPGP-AM broadcasts “Salem Radio Network News” at the top of each hour. With fully equipped broadcast facilities at the U.S. House, Senate and White House, Salem Radio Network ensures on-the-spot coverage.