

Maryland ViewPoints Public Affairs Show: Quaterly Issues and Programs Schedule Second Quarter 2012

Maryland ViewPoints is a 25-minute weekly public affairs program addressing statewide issues that is aired on radio stations across Maryland. The program is hosted by Meredith Marx.

Weekend of April 4, 2020

Guest: Brock Yetso

Topic: Cancer, Healthcare, Support Services

Meredith Marx (host) speaks with Brock Yetso about the Ulman Foundation and the Ulman House, which supports young adults and their loved ones that are impacted by cancer.

Weekend of April 11, 2020

Guest: Dr. Cliff Mitchell, Director of Maryland Department of Health

Topic: Coronavirus

Meredith Marx (host) speaks with Dr. Cliff Mitchell of the Maryland Health Department with an update on the Coronavirus, what we have learned, and how we can stay safe.

Weekend of April 18, 2020

Gust: Kerry Graves, NAMI Topic: Mental Health

Meredith Marx (host) speaks with Kerry Graves, the Executive Director of NAMI, about the percentage of people with mental illness and breaking the stigma of supporting those facing mental illness and how people with mental illness can seek help during the Coronavirus lockdown.

Weekend of April 25, 2020

Guest: Randi Weingarten, President of American Federation of Teachers

Topic: Coronvirus, Education

Meredith Marx (host) speaks with Randi Weingarten about school closings, how students will continue the learning process during extended school closures and how parents can take part in the learning during school closings, as well as touching on the subject of long-term school changes due to Coronavirus.

Weekend of May 2, 2020

Guest: David Meshea, American Diabetes Association (MD Chapter)

Topic: Health

Meredith Marx (host) speaks with David Meshea, the regional director of the American Diabetes Association, about the statics of diabetes in Maryland and how it impacts healthcare in the state and ways people with diabetes can seek help and stay healthy during the Coronavirus outbreak.

Weekend of May 9, 2020

Guest: Dr. Cliff Mitchell, Director of Maryland Department of Health (re-broadcast)

Topic: Coronavirus

Meredith Marx (host) speaks with Dr. Cliff Mitchell of the Maryland Health Department with an update on the Coronavirus, what we have learned, and how we can stay safe.

Weekend of May 16, 2020

Guest: Tundra Simon, National Kidney Foundation Topic: Kidney Disease, Health, Mental Health Support

Meredith Marx (host) speaks Tundra Simon of the National Kidney Foundation about her personal story of being a kidney transplant recipient and National Kidney Month and ways to support the organization.

Weekend of May 22, 2020

Guest: Mike Coleman, The Children's Home

Topic: Childcare, Volunteering

Meredith Marx (host) speaks with Mike Coleman, Chairman of the Board for the Children's Home, about the facility located in Catonsville, and how people can donate, volunteer and learn more about the residential care facility that provides both long- and short-term services to youth 13 to 21 years of age who have experienced abuse, neglect, violence, abandonment, and/or are in need of supervised care.

Weekend of May 30, 2020

Guest: Jessica Gregg and Emily Zikouris, Ronald McDonald House Charities

Topic: Health, Poverty, Childcare

Meredith Marx (host) speaks with Jessica Gregg and Emily Zikouris about Style Bash, which benefits the Ronald McDonald House's facilities and how the RMD House is tying in style with influencers from around Baltimore to raise funds for the charity.

Weekend of June 6, 2020

Guest: Steven Barnett of Eco Warriors

Topic: Environment

Meredith Marx (host) speaks with Steven Barnett, the founder of Eco Warriors, about initiatives to clean up the waterways in Central Maryland. Meredith and the guest also discuss volunteer efforts in the community involving Marylanders in active restoration of natural landscapes and encouraging stewardship of the state's parks and waterways.

Weekend of June 13, 2020

Guest: Kat Olbrich, American Foundation for Suicide Prevention

Topic: Mental Health

Meredith Marx (host) speaks with Kat Olbrich of the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention about breaking the stigma of mental health, presenting statistics about suicide and prevention and how people impacted by suicide can reach out and get assistance during the Coronavirus pandemic.

Weekend of June 20, 2020

Guest: Kerry Graves, NAMI

Topic: Mental Health

Meredith Marx (host) speaks with Kerry Graves, the Executive Director of NAMI, about the percentage of people with mental illness and breaking the stigma of supporting those facing mental illness and how they can seek help during the Coronavirus pandemic.

Weekend of June 27, 2020

Guest: Darius Johnson, Eastern Shore Land Conservancy

Topic: Environment

Meredith Marx (host) speaks with Darius about the Eastern Shore Land Conservancy (ESLC), a private, nonprofit 501-C charity that works to conserve the wetlands and natural habitats of birds on the Eastern Shore. The show discussed how the organization provides public access to open space, including: parks, farmland, hiking trails, urban gardens, and the Chesapeake Bay and how the organization helps landowners discover, evaluate, and implement the land preservation options available to them.