

WNOB(FM) QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT FOR SECOND QUARTER 2019 (APRIL-JUNE)

Public Service Program: "Focus"

Date: 26th May 2019

Time: 6:05am-6:24am

Duration: 19 minutes

Host: Tony Macrini

Guest: Laura Caso, Reporter for WAVY-TV

Topics:

- The Norfolk City Jail's new Messages Project, a program for inmates who are mothers to continue to parent during their sentences
- The program's mission in helping the children of inmates maintain a semblance of a normal relationship with their mothers and curtail any negative effects from the stigma associated with having a parent behind bars, i.e. children blaming themselves
- Wide-ranging reasons for the mothers' incarceration
- The qualifications for entering the program

Guest: Kerry Dougherty, blogger, former columnist for *The Virginian-Pilot* newspaper

Topics:

- A firsthand account of Something in the Water, which was a large festival at the Virginia Beach Oceanfront 26th-28th April 2019
- The positives that can stem, and have stemmed, for Virginia Beach from the success of the festival
- The competent management that made it a success
- The artist Pharrell's contribution back to his community

Guest: Ben MacFarlane, Senior Planner, Hampton Roads Planning District Commission

Topics:

- GetFloodFluent.org, a regional public awareness campaign made by the HRPDC and member localities that promotes education of flood risk in the community and why the public should consider flood insurance
- The risk of flooding from hurricanes, wind driven tides, or even a simple rainfall that encompasses South Hampton Roads
- Emphasis on the fact that "low risk does not mean no risk" and even areas not as flood-prone as Virginia Beach still must assess potential flood dangers
- The limited circumstances which would qualify you for assistance from the

- federal government in the event of destruction of homes from flooding
- Resources through which the public can find flood insurance

Public Service Program: "Focus"

Date: 30th June 2019

Time: 6:08am-6:34am

Duration: 26 minutes

Host: Tony Macrini

Guest: Joanne Steen, author, nationally certified counselor, founder of Grief Solutions

Topics:

- The 31st May massacre at the Virginia Beach Municipal Centre
- The internal damage done to the community and the long-term effect the event will have on its collective psyche
- The importance of continuing to promote Virginia Beach's image as a safe community despite the event
- What victims, those close to the victims, or anyone affected by the event in a personal way should do going forward, mainly continuing to address the event and keep it in their consciousness by way of reconciliation
- How the feelings brought on by such an event tend to manifest at a later date
- Briefly Discussed Ms. Steen's book, *We Regret to Inform You: A Survival Guide for Gold Star Parents*

Host: Bob Matthews

Guest: Robert "Bobby" Friedman, filmmaker

Topics:

- Mr. Friedman's new film shooting in the area, working title *The Fremont Twenty*
- The film's subject of a group of kids from Fremont, Ohio and their attempt to break the world record for the longest game of baseball ever played and success in doing so by playing for 73 hours straight in 1981
- The story's potential and commonalities with the all-time great sports films
- The Kickstarter campaign started by Mr. Friedman to raise money to get the film made
- What Mr. Friedman is looking for specifically in his cast
- How those wishing to audition can get in touch with the filmmaker