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QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT

[January 1 through March 31, 2015]

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PUBLIC AFFAIRS RELATED PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

[Northwest Spectrum] – [6am, Sunday, February 15, 2015]

[ISSUE: Health. Nearly a dozen cases of measles in the northwest suburbs prompts a serious discussion on measles and why the outbreak has occurred and what people could do to protect themselves. Talked to Deb Quakenbush of the McHenry County Dept. of Health.]

[Northwest Spectrum] – [6am, Sunday, February 22, 2015]

[ISSUE: Government. Northwest suburban Congressman Randy Hultgren discusses terrorist at the Lincoln Day Dinner. ISIS has become a major concern in the U.S. and Northwest Spectrum felt the congressman who represents parts of Kane, McHenry, Lake, Kendall, Du Page, DeKalb, and Will Counties needed to explain our nation's response so far.]

[Northwest Spectrum] – [6am, Sunday, March 22, 2015]

[ISSUE: Health. Recent suicides of three young people in recent weeks prompted a community forum to examine what services are offered to help people with depression and suicidal thoughts. Interviews with Voni Coombs, a crisis response worker at McHenry County Crisis Program; Mike Quick, a detective with the McHenry County Sheriff's Dept.; and Scott Campbell, clinical director of Samaritan Counseling Center and co-president of NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness and Rick Kershof, co-president of NAMI, Mcty.)]

[The following summarizes a representative sample of programming that provided the most significant treatment of community issues during the past quarter. Programming frequently deals with more than one issue.]

Coverage Addressing the Following Issues:

1) [Issue]-HEALTH January 18, 2015 6am 10-minutes (Homelessness increasing....must find away to fund to continue operating every year.)

2) [Issue]-ECONOMY January 16, 2015 6am 10-minutes. (Newly installed McHenry County Board Chair explains the budget, his proposed projects and the upcoming election of a new chairman.)

3) [Issue]-ENVIRONMENTAL February 8, 2015 6am 10-minutes. (Woman demands Crystal Lake Park District be accountable to residents and ask for input before the park district continues clearing trees from a forest preserve.)

4) [Issue]-GOVERNMENT March 1, 2015 6am 10-minutes. (Lots of jobs are available in northern Illinois in the manufacturing sector but few people are skilled to take these high paying jobs. What one college is doing to get people to train in their manufacturing lab.)

5) [Issue]-COMMUNITY EVENTS March 8, 2015, 6am 10-minutes. (Volunteers keep dozens of service organizations alive in northern Illinois. An event called the Human Race provides dozens of organizations with necessary funding to keep going and encourage volunteers to receive training.)

6) [Issue]-HEALTH March 15, 2015 6am 10-minutes (A psychiatrist uses his time to discuss depression and suicide as the area is reeling from the recent deaths of three high school students from suicide.)

7) [Issue]-EDUCATION March 29, 2015 6am 10-minutes. (More and more people are in need of tutors for reading. One organization in Elgin is inundated with requests and is doing everything possible to meet the demand and plans on holding an important trivia bee to raise money.

Issue	Date(s) Aired	Time(s)	Duration	Description of the Segment
YOUTH	JANUARY 4	6AM	10MIN.	Building self esteem and helping teens make healthy choices are two of the goals of a program for young girls that's proven successful in DeKalb, Winnebago, Boone, and McHenry Counties. Interviewed Laurie Dayon, executive director of Girls on the Run of Northwest Illinois

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HEALTH	January 11	6AM	10 MIN.	In the middle of an enrollment period, this Northwest Spectrum interview helps explain the navigators role and why it's important to apply or renew health care insurance. Interviewed Deb Quakenbush, McHenry County Dept. of Health and Shelly Nicholson, grant coordinator for Enroll McHenry County.
HEALTH	January 18	6AM	10 MIN.	For those who can't escape the cold, an agency in the northwest suburbs is asking for help to make sure McHenry County PADS, Public Action To Deliver Shelter, is a lifesaver. While the number of homeless is not decreasing, PADS continues raising money to operate every year. Laurie Bivona, director of Marketing for Pioneer Center.
ECONOMY	January 26	6AM	10 MIN.	First interview with McHenry County Board Chairman Joe Gottemoller. Talks about the budget, his proposed projects, and the upcoming election of a new chairman.
ENVIRONMENTAL	February 8	6AM	10 MIN.	Jean Natoli of Crystal Lake, an elementary school teacher specializing in special education tries to convince the Crystal Lake Park District Board of Commissioners to allow the public to have input into the cutting down of trees in the forest.
ECONOMY	March 1	6AM	10 MIN.	Senator Dick Durbin toured the McHenry County College manufacturing lab, promoting the need for students in northern Illinois to seek out training for good paying manufacturing jobs.
COMMUNITY EVENTS	March 8	6AM	10 MIN.	Robin Doeden, executive director of the McHenry County Community Foundation and Carolyn Chadwell, outreach and resource coordinator for the Literacy Connection in Elgin discuss the importance of the Human Race for generating dollars to keep alive more than 50 organizations that depend greatly on volunteers.
HEALTH	March 15	6AM	10 MIN.	Three students in schools in the northwest suburbs committed suicide, all within a short time frame. We've turned to Dr. Paul Berkowitz of Centegra Health System. Berkowitz is director of Behavioral Health and talks about depression and suicide.

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EDUCATION	March 29	6AM	10 MIN.	Carolyn Chadwell, outreach and resource coordinator for the Literacy Connection in Elgin speaks on the importance of helping people learn to read and developing a stable of reading tutors to help the growing number of people who are reading challenged. This represents a push for support for the upcoming Trivia Bee event to raise money for the Literacy Connection.

NORTHWEST SPECTRUM ON WFXF 103.9 THE FOX AND WZSR-FM STAR 105.5 ON SUNDAY, JANUARY 4, 2015

BUILDING THEIR SELF ESTEEM AND HELPING THEM MAKE HEALTHY CHOICES.....ARE BUT TWO OF THE GOALS OF A PROGRAM FOR YOUNG GIRLS—that's proven successful in DEKALB, WINNEBAGO, BOONE AND MCHENRY COUNTIES..AND IN MANY PARTS OF THIS COUNTRY...

GOOD MORNING, I'M STEW COHEN AND THIS IS NORTHWEST SPECTRUM.....A PUBLIC AFFAIRS SHOW AIRING EVERY SUNDAY MORNING.

IN THE NORTHWEST SUBURBS.....MORE THAN ONE THOUSAND YOUNG GIRLS WILL BENEFIT FROM THE 2015 PROGRAM FOR GIRLS ON THE RUN.

MY GUESTS THIS MORNING ARE LAURIE DAYON (day-on) EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF GIRLS ON THE RUN OF NORTHWEST ILLINOIS AND TWO participants in girls on the run... elise Gorman and angelina oplt (oh-pult), both of crystal lake.

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YOU'VE BEEN LISTENING TO NORTHWEST SPECTRUM, I'M STEW COHEN, THANKS FOR LISTENING.

NORTHWEST SPECTRUM ON WFXF 103.9 THE FOX AND WZSR-FM STAR 105.5 ON SUNDAY, JANUARY 11, 2015 AT 6AM FOR 11-MINUTES.

We are in the middle of an enrollment periodand on this northwest spectrum, you'll hear about the efforts made to help people in their enrollment...as navigators had done last year for thousands of people. We'll also look at efforts to help people in flu season.

GOOD MORNING, I'M STEW COHEN AND THIS IS NORTHWEST SPECTRUM, A PUBLIC AFFAIRS SHOW AIRING EVERY SUNDAY MORNING.

MY GUESTS THIS MORNING ARE DEB QUAKENBUSH OF THE MCHENRY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SHELLY NICHOLSON, GRANT COORDINATOR FOR ENROLL MCHENRY COUNTY.

Deb, how are we doing so far....getting people coverage through the health insurance marketplace and expanded Medicaid program...

ON JANUARY 13THAT THE MCHENRY PUBLIC LIBRARY ON NORTH FRONT STREET IN MCHENRY.....FROM 6PM TO 8:45....YOU CAN MEET A NAVIGATOR TO GET YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED. THERE...YOU'LL LEARN HOW TO APPLY OR RENEW YOUR HEALTH CARE INSURANCE BEFORE JANUARY 15TH FOR COVERAGE BEGINNING ON FEBRUARY 1ST.

MY GUESTS THIS MORNING WERE DEB QUAKENBUSH OF THE MCHENRY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SHELLY NICHOLSON, GRANT COORDINATOR FOR ENROLL MCHENRY COUNTY.

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NORTHWEST SPECTRUM ON WFXF 103.9 THE FOX AND WZSR-FM STAR 105.5 ON SUNDAY, JANUARY 18, 2015 FOR 10-MINUTES AT 6AM.

FOR THOSE WHO CAN NOT ESCAPE THE COLD-----AN AGENCY IN THE NORTHWEST SUBURBS IS ASKING FOR YOU TO HELP MCHENRY COUNTY PADS BE A LIFESAVER IN THE WINTERTIME.

GOOD MORNING, I'M STEW COHEN AND THIS IS NORTHWEST SPECTRUM, A PUBLIC AFFAIRS SHOW AIRING EVERY SUNDAY MORNING.

MCHENRY COUNTY PADS, A PROGRAM OF PIONEER CENTER FOR HUMAN SERVICES, WORKS TO HELP THE HOMELESS POPULATION IN MCHENRY COUNTY. PADS IS DEPENDENT ON GRANTS AND DONATIONS...AND ONLY A COUPLE MONTHS AGO STARTED ITS YEAR END GIVING CAMPAIGN...GIVE THE GIFT OF SHELTER TO RAISE ENOUGH FUNDS TO OPERATE ANNUALLY.....PADS HAS NOT YET REACHED ITS GOAL OF 80-THOUSAND DOLLARS...AND TIME IS SHORT.

MY GUEST THIS MORNING IS LAUIRE BIVONA, DIRECTOR OF MARKETING FOR PIONEER CENTER.

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REMEMBER..LAST YEAR PADS PROVIDED FOOD, SHELTER AND SERVICES TO MORE THAN 290 PEOPLE WHO FOUND THEMSELVES HOMELESS, INCLUDING 20 FAMILIES, 38 CHILDREN AND 19 VETERANS. THE NUMBER OF HOMELESS IS NOT DECREASING.....

YOUR TAX DEDUCTABLE DONATION CAN BE MADE ONLINE AT GIFT OF SHELTER DOT ORG OR DONATIONS CAN BE MAILED TO MCHENRY COUNTY PADS ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE, 4100 VETERANS PARKWAY, MCHENRY ILLINOIS....60050.

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NORTHWEST SPECTRUM ON WFXF 103.9 THE FOX AND WZSR-FM STAR 105.5 ON SUNDAY, JANUARY 26, 2015 FOR 10-MINUTES AT 6AM

Signs of improvement in the economy of the northwest suburbs and fox valley..... For 2015. ... we'll take a look at what's ahead from the perspective of a county board chairman....

I'M STEW COHEN...AND THIS IS NORTHWEST SPECTRUM, A PUBLIC AFFAIRS SHOW AIRING EVERY SUNDAY MORNING....

This is our first interview with the new chairman of the mchenry county board..... joe gottemoller....in the studio for northwest spectrumand I know that in just a couple of years....there's an election for the first time by the public for the chairman's position

MY GUEST THIS MORNING WAS MCHENRY COUNTY BOARD CHAIRMAN JOE GOTTEMOLLER.

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NORTHWEST SPECTRUM ON WFXF 103.9 THE FOX AND WZSR-FM STAR 105.5 ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2015 FOR 12-MINUTES AT 6AM.

Controlled burns by conservation districts is a very common procedure. You may occasionally see smoke coming from these areas in mchenry and kane counties...and throughout northern Illinois. Also the removal of invasive species is another common procedure. While the importance of these procedures are generally understood, the question is whether people deserve an opportunity to make public their feelings on these processes before the work begins and for the pros and cons to be worth further discussion. GOOD MORNING, I'M STEW COHEN AND THIS IS NORTHWEST SPECTRUM, A PUBLIC AFFAIRS SHOW AIRING EVERY SUNDAY MORNING.

You'll likely witness road construction projects—especially in the summertime—in the northwest suburbs and fox valley and most of the time we won't think anything of it. Road crews move into an area and one of the first things they do is remove a number of trees. My guest this morning...saw that very process for the Walk-Up Road construction in Crystal Lake in the area of Sterne's Woods and Fen...and once again...this is not unusual...mature trees are removed in exchange for widening a road and easing traffic congestion. However, my guest...who signs emails and other correspondence as "Grieving Nature's Loss Even More," took her usual walk through Sterne's Woods and Fen this past Fall and saw more trees being removed....this time, she would not be silent—asking people in the area what they knew of this..and she says it became clear that no one really knew definitively why the trees are disappearing from Sterne's Woods. Now, from what Jean Natoli has learned, it seems to her that the Fen at Sterne's Woods is being expanded and that the Pine Forest is being as she puts it, "systematically dismantled to provide more sunlight for prairie plants."

MY GUEST THIS MORNING IS JEAN NATOLI (nah-toe-lee) OF CRYSTAL LAKE. Natoli is a 2nd through 3rd grade special education teacher in mchenry with a very strong interest in Sterne's woods in crystal lake... You've said to me that it's not WHAT is being done...but how. ...that the prized plant, the Princess of the Prairie—according to naturalists—can only thrive if only the pines didn't limit the hours and intensity of sunlight for the plant. ..You've told me that the stressed trees at the western edge of the pine forest in Veteran Acres were removed...but now rows and rows of pine trees have been destroyed, living and non living. ..and the argument is that the pines are not native to the Veteran Acres site—as mentioned....an invasive species. However, you say the same pine forest has been a refuge for wildlife, for hikers, bikers, families....and that the Park District needs to consider the aesthetics of Sterne's Woods and Fen and Veteran Acres....and most of all spend more time COMMUNICATING.

Jean, what does a walk in the woods mean to you?

Finally.....JeanI want to read something you wrote to me recently....that Sterne's Woods is a place where people can lose their everyday stress amongst the trees, where mountain bikers, runners, cross country skiers and feel accomplishment, where families can walk under a canopy of leafy tree branches. Nature, you say, may recover, but people who love and use Sterne's Woods and Fen and Veteran Acres will be missing out on the inspiration of nature.

MY GUEST THIS MORNING WAS JEAN NATOLI (nah-toe-lee) OF CRYSTAL LAKE. YOU'VE BEEN LISTENING TO NORTHWEST SPECTRUM, I'M STEW COHEN, THANKS FOR LISTENING.

NORTHWEST SPECTRUM ON WFXF 103.9 THE FOX AND WZSR-FM STAR 105.5 ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2015 FOR TEN MINUTES AT 6AM

ACROSS THE UNITED STATES.....THERE ARE REPORTS OF MEASLES CASES.....AND CLOSE TO HOME.....IN SUBURBAN COOK COUNTY, 8 CHILDREN, 2 ADULTS—ALL OF WHOM WERE UNVACCINATED WERE CONFIRMED TO HAVE MEASLES. MOST OF THOSE CASES WERE LINKED TO KINDER CARE IN PALATINE. THE QUESTION IS WHETHER TO TIGHTEN THE REASONS FOR EXEMPTIONS BASED ON RELIGION, MEDICAL AND IN SOME STATES, PHILOSOPHICAL .

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VACCINATIONS ARE THE MOST EFFECTIVE WAY TO PREVENT AGAINST THE MEASLES....AS WE KNOW THAT MEASLES IS HIGHLY CONTAGIOUS. WHILE MCHENRY COUNTY HAS NOT HAD A CONFIRMED CASE OF MEASLES....THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT REMAINS ALERT I HAVE AS MY GUEST THIS MORNING....

DEB QUAKENBUSH OF THE MCHENRY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

MY GUEST HIS MORNING WAS DEB QUAKENBUSH OF THE MCHENRY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

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NORTHWEST SPECTRUM ON WFXF 103.9 THE FOX AND WZSR-FM STAR 105.5 ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2015 10-MINUTES, 6AM

GOOD MORNING, I'M STEW COHEN AND THIS IS NORTHWEST SPECTRUM, A PUBLIC AFFAIRS SHOW AIRING EVERY SUNDAY MORNING.

THE MCHENRY COUNTY LINCOLN DAY DINNER THIS PAST SATURDAY AT THE HOLIDAY INN IN CRYSTAL LAKE BROUGHT A NUMBER OF POLITICAL LEADERS TO THE EVENT...INCLUDING THE CONGRESSMAN FOR THE 14TH DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS...REPUBLICAN...RANDY HULTGREN. THE DISTRICT REPRESENTED BY HULTGREN TAKES IN SEVEN SUBURBAN COUNTIES: KANE, MCHENRY, LAKE, KENDALL, DUPAGE, DEKALB AND WILL....HE SERVES ON THE FINANCIAL SERVICES AND SPACE, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEES.... TODAY THOUGH, CONGRESSMAN HULTGREN, MY GUEST ON NORTHWEST SPECTRUM WILL TALK ABOUT THE ISSUE THAT HAS A LOT OF PEOPLE CONCERNED....TERRORISM....AND THIS NATION'S RESPONSE....

MY GUEST THIS MORNING WAS CONGRESSMAN RANDY HULTGREN. YOU'VE BEEN LISTENING TO NORTHWEST SPECTRUM, I'M STEW COHEN, THANKS FOR LISTENING.

NORTHWEST SPECTRUM ON WFXF-103.9 THE FOX AND WZSR-FM 105.5FM ON SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 2015
FOR TEN MINUTES AT 6AM.

GOOD MORNING, I'M STEW COHEN ...AND THIS IS NORTHWEST SPECTRUM, A PUBLIC AFFAIRS SHOW
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Businesses have said they'd expand...but for lack of skilled workers...can't seem to fill these
positions....however, at colleges such as mchenry county college....their closing the skills gap.
Northwest spectrum came out to mcc recently to record a visit by senator dick durbin visiting the crystal
lake campuses' new manufacturing lab. Durbin has an interest because he had introduced legislation to
help community colleges train workers for high need technical jobs. Not only did durbin tour the mcc
new manufacturing lab, but he also examined the robotics lab and met with students and employers
who often hire the program's graduates.

You're listening to northwest spectrum, a public affairs show airing every Sunday morning...I'm stew
cohen....and this program was recorded last year...only airing now....as we continue in this country
working to close the skills to jobs mismatch that is often referred to as the nation's skill's gap.
Manufacturers such as scot forge and knack are now excited to see a partnership from the manufacturer
to the college to the high school students such as at Woodstock high school. Senator dick durbin's
thoughts...

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NORTHWEST SPECTRUM ON WFXF 103.9 THE FOX AND WZSR-FM STAR 105.5 ON SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 2015 FOR TEN MINUTES AT 6AM

THE HUMAN RACE IS A LITTLE OVER A MONTH AWAY.....GET YOUR HERO ON...AN EVENT HELPING DOZENS OF AGENCIES.....THAT DEPEND GREATLY ON THE VOLUNTEER SPIRIT.....

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MY GUESTS THIS MORNING WERE ROBIN DOEDEN (doe-din), EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE MCHENRY COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION....AND CAROLYN CHADWELL, OUTREACH AND RESOURCE COORDINATOR FOR THE LITERACY CONNECTION.

I HAVE ROBIN DOE-DIN...EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE MCHENRY COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION...A MAJOR SPONSOR OF THE HUMAN RACE....

MY NEXT GUEST IS CAROLYN CHADWELL, OUTREACH AND RESOURCE COORDINATOR FOR THE LITERACY CONNECTION. CHADWELL REPRESENTS ONE OF THE MANY ORGANIZATIONS BENEFITING FROM THE HUMAN RACE, SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 26TH AT MCHENRY COUNTY COLLEGE.

THE HUMAN RACE IS SUNDAY, APRIL 26TH AT 8AM AT MCHENRY COUNTY COLLEGE ON ROUTE 14 IN CRYSTAL LAKE. WALK, RUN,.....THEN VOLUNTEER TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY... THE HUMAN RACE---GET YOUR HERO ON.....IS A UNIQUE 5K THAT SUPPORTS CHARITIES SERVING MCHENRY COUNTY. ONLINE REGISTRATION CLOSES APRIL 23RD ...AT 11:59PM.

I'M STEW COHEN...THANKS FOR LISTENING.

NORTHWEST SPECTRUM ON WFXF 103.9 THE FOX AND WZSR STAR 105.5 ON SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2015 FOR 10-MINUTES AT 6AM

SUICIDE IS THE THIRD LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH FOR YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS.THE RECENT SUICIDES OF YOUNG PEOPLE IN THE PAST FEW WEEKS IN THE NORTHWEST SUBURBS....HAS SPARKED A SPECIAL COMMUNITY FORUM AT MCHENRY COUNTY COLLEGE.

GOOD MORNING, I'M STEW COHEN AND THIS IS NORTHWEST SPECTRUM, A PUBLIC AFFAIRS SHOW AIRING EVERY SUNDAY MORNING.

EARLY INTERVENTION AND PREVENTION ARE THE KEYS TO HELPING PEOPLE...NOW WE'RE REACTING TO RECENT SUICIDES....

MY GUESTS THIS MORNING ARE VONI COOMBS, A CRISIS RESPONSE WORKER AT THE MCHENRY COUNTY CRISIS PROGRAM, MIKE QUICK, A DETECTIVE WITH THE MCHENRY COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT, AND SCOTT CAMPBELL, CLINICAL DIRECTOR OF SAMARITAN COUNSELING CENTER AND CO PRESIDENT OF NAMI, THE NATIONAL ALLIANCE ON MENTAL ILLNESS AND....RICK KERSHOFF, CO PRESIDENT OF NAMI, MCHENRY COUNTY.

MY FIRST GUEST...VONIC COOMBS...OF THE MCHENRY COUNTY CRISIS LINE.....

THAT'S MCHENRY COUNTY SHERIFF'S POLICE DETECTIVE MIKE QUICK....

AND FINALLY....I'M WITH TWO MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL ALLIANCE ON MENTAL ILLNESS MCHENRY COUNTY.....SCOTT CAMPBELL AND RICK KERSHOFF...

THE MCHENRY COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS LINE....CALL 1-800-892-8900..... THE INFORMATION LINE IS 2-1-1.....FOR A LIFE THREATENING EMERGENCY , CALL 9-1-1.

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NORTHWEST SPECTRUM ON WFXF 103.9 THE FOX AND WZSR-FM STAR 105.5 ON SUNDAY, MARCH 29, 2015 FOR TEN MINUTES AT 6AM

UNFORTUNATELY THE ABILITY TO READ IS A SKILL THAT NOT EVERYONE HAS MASTERED...OR EVEN IS COMPETENT TO GET BY.....YET, AN ORGANIZATION BASED IN ELGIN.....WORKS TIRELESSLY THROUGH IT'S VOLUNTEERS TO TAKE ON THE CHALLENGE OF HELPING MANY PEOPLE...STILL...THERE ARE SO MANY MORE PEOPLE IN NEED OF AN ORGANIZATION CALLED THE LITERACY CONNECTION.

GOOD MORNING, I'M STEW COHEN AND THIS IS NORTHWEST SPECTRUM, A PUBLIC AFFAIRS SHOW AIRING EVERY SUNDAY MORNING.

MY GUEST IS CAROLYN CHADWELL, OUTREACH AND RESOURCE COORDINATOR FOR THE LITERACY CONNECTION IN ELGIN.

--body of interview-----

IT'S CERTAINLY A PRIVILEGE TO ONCE AGAIN EMCEE THE TRIVIA BEE FOR THE LITERACY CONNECTION....

CAROLYN...TELL OUR LISTENERS TO NORTHWEST SPECTRUM ABOUT THE LITERACY CONNECTION.

MY GUEST THIS MORNING ON NORTHWEST SPECTRUM WAS THE LITERACY CONNECTION'S CAROLYN CHADWELL, OUTREACH AND RESOURCE COORDINATOR FOR THE LITERACY CONNECTION.

THE LITERACY CONNECTION NEEDS MORE TUTORS. RECENTLY THE LITERACY CONNECTION HAS HELD SEVERAL SESSIONS CALLED "THE LITERACY CONNECTION AND TUTOR TRAINING" AFTER ANNOUNCING IN LATE 2014 THEY'VE HAD 162 ADULTS ON A WAITING LIST TO RECEIVE TUTORING. THE LITERACY CONNECTION SERVES 16 NORTHWEST SUBURBAN CHICAGO COMMUNITIES INCLUDING ALGONQUIN, BARTLETT, CARPENTERSVILLE, CARY., ELGIN, SOUTH ELGIN, EAST DUNDEE, WEST DUNDEE, GILBERTS, HANOVER PARK, HAMPSHIRE, HOFFMAN ESTATES, HUNTLEY, LAKE IN THE HILLS, STREAMWOOD, AND SCHAUMBURG. YOU CAN CALL THE LITERACY CONNECTION AT 847-742-65-65 OR EMAIL INFO @ ELGIN LITERACY DOT ORG. FOR MORE INFORMATION AND VISIT THE WEBSITE AT ELGIN LITERACY DOT ORG.

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Public File/Community File

WZSR-FM, STAR 105.5

Public Service/Outreach

February 21, 2015

January, February, March 2015

Team STAR 105.5 of Tina Bree, Mojo and Erin plunged into the icy Fox Lake for the Polar Plunge to raise money for Illinois Special Olympics. The team raised more than 12-hundred dollars for Special Olympics. The polar plunge on February 21, 2015

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Erin
February 24, 2015



January 26, 2015

Star 105.5
Joe Cicero and DJ Clinto
8800 US Route 14
Crystal Lake, IL 60014

Dear Friend of WNHS Basketball,

Thank you so much for coming to our Thunder Olympics on January 17th! What an awesome night—such a success for the WNHS Boys Basketball Program! We raised over \$3,000 for the Woodstock North High School Basketball program. The music was fantastic as well—could not have asked for anything better! Thank you again for your kindness!

Sincerely,

Thunder Olympics Committee— Karen Devore, Becky Jandron, Tami Zinnen
WNHS Basketball Coaches—Coach Ryan, Coach Huffman, Coach Laidig, Coach Stock,
Coach Stock, Coach Gould

*Thank you so much!!
Tami*

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BY STEW COHEN

NEWS DIRECTOR

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SPECIAL WX UPDATES

JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH 2015

FEBRUARY 2, 2015

ON FEBRUARY 1, A FOOT TO 18 INCHES OF SNOW FELL ON CHICAGOLAND....THE MOST AMOUNT MEASURED AT 19.3 INCHES....THE FIFTH LARGEST SNOW IN CHICAGOLAND HISTORY.

WFXF AND WZSR BROADCAST SPECIAL UPDATES THROUGHOUT THE DAY.

ON WFXF, BRIAN SHERMAN WENT LIVE WITH UPDATES BETWEEN 9AM AND NOON...FOLLOWED BY STEW COHEN...WITH THREE REPORTS AN HOUR, EACH AVERAGING 60-SECONDS. DURING SHERMAN'S PROGRAM, STEW COHEN...NEWS DIRECTOR APPEARED FOR THE 9:20AM, 10:20AM, AND 11:20AM SEGMENTS TO TALK TO SHERMAN ABOUT THE CONDITIONS.

ON WZSR-FM, STEW COHEN DID UPDATES FROM 8:30AM THROUGH MIDNIGHT, THREE REPORTS AN HOUR.

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Stew Cohen
Feb. 1, 2015

3 am hour -
 8:30 am to 10:30 am
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 WX Reports
 Feb 1, 2015
 FROM THE 1039 THE FOX NEWSROOM...I'M STEW COHEN...
 SUNDAY
 8-to-11
 Noon
 3 am
 4-5
 Noon
 to midnight

The storm started quietly enough.....for some.....rain...changed into snow.....but the snow never stopped.....just kept falling...and when it finally does stop for most of c hicagoland.....it'll continue for awhile longer close in to lake Michigan...with the lake effect snowfall number.....possibly 18 inches of snow. In the fox valley....a foot of snow is most likely.....the range of 10 to 16 inches.

Plow crews have been working for hours...trying to keep the main roads passable...but the difficulty has been the strong winds....gusting to 40 miles per hour;....ranging fom 20 to 30 miles per hour...blowing all that snow back onto the roads...especially in open areas and near lake Michigan.

Early on...police departments throughout the fox valley urged for common sense.....not to venture out unless absolutely necessary. For the most part.....people stayed off the roads...giving plow crews the best chance of doing their job.

Other concerns....power outages....scattered mainly because of the heavy snow on overhead lines and trees.

Cancellations at o'hare airport have pretty much stopped people from arriving or departing.

Once again....blizzrd conditions continue through midnight....and that means conditions are such that it's hard to see very far in front of your windshield especially for drivers in open areas and near lake Michigan.

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FROM THE ENWSROOM, I'M STEW COHEN ON 1039 THE FOX.

FROM THE 1039 THE FOX NEWSROOM...I'M STEW COHEN...

HEAVY SNOW HAS BLANKETED THE FOX VALLEY.....LEADING TO HAZARDOUS DRIVING.....POWER OUTAGES.....FLIGHT CANCELLATIONS.

THAT'S THE PICTURE OF THE FOX VALLEY AND ALL OF CHICAGOLAND ON THIS SUNDAY...WHERE A WIDESPREAD STORM HAS AFFECTED 19 STATES....ILLINOIS RIGHT IN THE MIDDLE...NORTHERN ILLINOIS HIT WITH AT LEAST 12 INCHES OF SNOW...AND WHEN THE SYSTEM FINALLY MOVES OUT...WE'RE LOOKING AT UP TO 18 INCHES OF SNOW IN SOME PLACES. THE WORST IS CLOSE IN TO LAKE MICHIGAN AND INTO INDIANA...BUT THE FOX VALLEY WAS ALSO HIT HARD....THAT BLIZZARD WARNING CONTINUES THROUGH MIDNIGHT...WINDS ARE PICKING UP...BLOWING ALL THAT FRESH SNOW ALL OVER THE ROADS THAT THE PLOWS HAVE TRIED TO CLEAR AS BEST THEY CAN.

DOWNED POWER LINES ARE A CONCERN WITH THE HEAVY SNOW ON THE OVERLEAD LINES AND TREES.....

IF YOU HAVE TO HEAD OUT IN THE FOX VALLEY.....EXPECT IT'LL TAKE MUCH LONGER.....AND PREPARE YOURSELF WITH THE NECESSARY EMERGENCY SUPPLIES.

IF YOU ARE SNOWBLOWING...CHECK ON YOUR NEIGHBOR ESPECIALLY THE ELDERLY...OFFER HELP IF YOU CAN. THE HEAVY SNOW AND LARGE ACCUMULATION CAN BE A DEFINITE THREAT .

ONCE AGAIN...WE HAVE A BLIZZARD WARNING...THAT'S TAKING US THROUGH MIDNIGHT.

WINDS ARE 20 TO 30 MILES PER HOUR...GUSTING TO 40 MILES PER HOUR.

FROM THE ENWSROOM, I'M STEW COHEN ON 1039 THE FOX.

LIZZARD WARNING

Warning Issue Date: 1029 AM CST SUN FEB 1 2015

Warning Expiration: 630 PM CST SUN FEB 01 2015

...BLIZZARD WARNING NOW IN EFFECT UNTIL MIDNIGHT CST TONIGHT...
...WINTER STORM WARNING IS CANCELLED...

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PRECAUTIONARY/PREPAREDNESS ACTIONS...

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Blizzard warning 10:00 - 11:00 PM

roads snow covered

plan snow - at work

temps falling -

blowing drifts 20 - to 30

50% to 60%

7 inches of snow

6 to 9 inches

see more than 9 foot

NORTHWEST HERALD

McHenry County-area community, school closings due to winter weather

Published: Sunday, Feb. 1, 2015 11:13 a.m. CST

The following schools and organizations have announced closings or reduced hours:

Sunday

- Algonquin Area Public Library - closed
- Cary Area Public Library District - closed
- Centegra Immediate Care Centers - closing at 1 p.m.
- Harvard Trinity Lutheran Church - open annual meeting is canceled
- Huntley Area Public Library - closed
- Johnsburg Public Library - closed
- McHenry Public Library District - closed

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PRELIMINARY LOCAL STORM REPORT
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE CHICAGO/ROMEOVILLE IL
1114 AM CST SUN FEB 01 2015

..TIME...	...EVENT...	...CITY LOCATION...	...LAT.LON...
..DATE...MAG....	..COUNTY LOCATION..ST..	...SOURCE....
..REMARKS..			
1110 AM	SNOW	WESTCHESTER	41.85N 87.89W
02/01/2015	M7.0 INCH	COOK	IL PUBLIC
1100 AM	SNOW	3 N SUGAR GROVE	41.81N 88.46W
02/01/2015	M10.3 INCH	KANE	IL TRAINED SPOTTER
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It's going to be a snowy and frigid Super Bowl Sunday for people in Chicago and for much of the Midwest. The Windy City is under a blizzard warning and winter storm warnings are in effect for parts of Iowa, Missouri, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York and parts of New England. The storm is expected to create treacherous driving conditions and possible flight delays.

Heavy snow.....and winter storm warning continues for the northwest suburbs this morning... That winter storm warning will change into a blizzard warning at 2 this afternoon and take us through midnight...with winds picking up...blowing all the snow around...and temperatures dropping. Expect visibility to continue to drop this afternoon...making already difficult driving conditions....much more dangerous this afternoon...this evening and overnight.

Talked to mchenry county sheriff's police this morning...they say no roads are closed....though conditions are very difficult. Plow crews are working the main road..... some of the secondary roads....have had the plows go through at least once....but many of the side streets are very difficult right now....

Once again...a winter storm warning through 2 to this afternoon...and then a blizzard warning from 2 to midnight.... Really dangerous white out conditions expected in open areas...and by lake Michigan.

5 to 9 inches already
10 to 15 expected
neighbor helped me
snow blower
car - snow covered
other lanes

travel - not unless you
have to go -

Office delays - cancel flights,
check your airline.

Capture and record the Steady Snow - large accumulation in 19 states

Blizzard Warning

URGENT - WINTER WEATHER MESSAGE
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE CHICAGO IL
408 AM CST SUN FEB 1 2015

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AFTERNOON...

...BLIZZARD WARNING IN EFFECT FROM 2 PM THIS AFTERNOON TO
MIDNIGHT CST TONIGHT...

THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE IN CHICAGO HAS ISSUED A BLIZZARD
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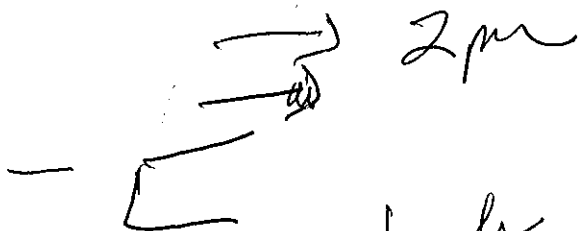
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hook-

NOON to 4pm



break
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pre 2
post 2

Visibility...between a quarter of a mile and a mile.

Southern and western suburbs..have already had ^{5 and 10} ~~10~~ inches of snow.

Accident in elgin.... Mclean boulevard south of Lawrence to bowes road..... police have had mclean closed from crispin to bowes.

In Lombard, an accident on main street, north of oakton drive.

Bartlett accident....on route 59 at Bartlett road.

And in glen Ellyn, a gas leak....route 38-roosevelt road at baker hill drive.

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several cuts
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For blizzard 01 Oct
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In northern illinois...the snowfall amounts range from 6 inches to just over 9 inches already.... ~~10 to 15 inches~~ ^{more than a foot} of snow are likely...and some predict up to 18 inches of snow....

Certainly...it's heavy snowfall...and we're looking at blizzard conditions with the winds blowing the snow around...creating very low visibilities especially in open areas and near lake Michigan. The national weather service didn't wait until 2 this afternoon to kick in the blizzard warning...forecasters noted the increased winds...and cancelled the winter storm warning...upgrading the severity of the winter storm to a blizzard.

Expect flight cancellations at o'hare...so you best check with the airline if you have plans to fly out of the area today. Also northern Illinois has scattered outages from the storm.

THE SNOW THAT HAS FALLEN ~~THUS FAR~~ ^{across} THE AREA HAS BEEN A STICKY WET SNOW AND HAS PRODUCED SIGNIFICANT ACCUMULATIONS ON TREES AND POWER LINES. THE INCREASING WINDS COULD BRING DOWN POWER LINES...LEADING TO SOME ISOLATED POWER OUTAGES.

With this blizzard...we're looking at gusty winds potentially whipping around at 40 miles per hour at times...

Once again...mchenry county and the rest of c hicagoland has a blizzard warning in effect through midnight.

12 to 16 inches of snow is expected...possibly up to 18 inches of snow.

More reports on the way.

blizzard warning - on. daylight
snow continue to midnight
10 to 15 inches - at least a foot
temps dropping -

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THE FOX VALLEY IS HIT WITH A SUPER STORM.....A FOOT OF SNOW IS NOT A STRETCH...SOME FORECASTERS THINK 18 INCHES IS EVEN POSSIBLE....EITHER WAY...WE'RE LOOKING AT BLIZZARD CONDITIONS...WITH STRONG WINDS AND STEADY HEAVY SNOW.

ROADS ARE SNOW COVERED...AND HAZARDOUS...DESPITE THE BEST EFFORTS OF SNOW PLOW CREWS IN THE FOX VALLEY AND THROUGHOUT CHICAGOLAND. NEIGHBORING ROADS ARE SNOW COVERED.

IF YOU DON'T HAVE TO GO OUT INTO THE BLIZZARD...POLICE DEPARTMENTS ACROSS THE FOX VALLEY ARE ENCOURAGING YOU TO STAY OFF THE ROADS...LET THE PLOW CREWS DO THEIR JOB.

ALERT YOU TO THE FACT THE HEAVY SNOW ON THE TREES AND OVERLEAD LINES IS LEADING TO SCATTERED POWER OUTAGES.

CHECK YOUR AIRLINES..MOST FLIGHTS ARE CANCELLED AT O'HARE.

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Blizzard conditions for the FOX
Valley and throughout Chicagoland -
cover in to Lake

Special Weather Statement

SPECIAL WEATHER STATEMENT
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE CHICAGO IL
333 AM CST FRI JAN 30 2015

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WINNEBAGO-BOONE-MCHENRY-LAKE IL-OGLE-LEE-DE KALB-KANE-DUPAGE-COOK-LA SALLE-KENDALL-GRUNDY-WILL-KANKAKEE-LIVINGSTON-IROQUOIS-FORD-LAKE IN-PORTER-NEWTON-JASPER-BENTON-INCLUDING THE CITIES OF...ROCKFORD...BELVIDERE...WOODSTOCK...WAUKEGAN...OREGON...DIXON...DEKALB...AURORA...WHEATON...CHICAGO...OTTAWA...OSWEGO...MORRIS...JOLIET...KANKAKEE...PONTIAC...WATSEKA...PAXTON...GARY...VALPARAISO...MOROCCO...RENSSELAER...FOWLER

333 AM CST FRI JAN 30 2015 /433 AM EST FRI JAN 30 2015/

...ACCUMULATING SNOW LIKELY SATURDAY NIGHT AND SUNDAY...

SNOW IS LIKELY TO OVERSPREAD THE REGION SATURDAY EVENING AND CONTINUE INTO SUNDAY...LIKELY DEPOSITING AT LEAST SEVERAL INCHES OF SNOW ACROSS MUCH OF THE REGION. LOW PRESSURE IS FORECAST TO ORGANIZE OVER COLORADO SATURDAY AND THEN TRACK EAST INTO THE OHIO RIVER VALLEY BY SUNDAY...PRODUCING A LARGE SWATH OF ACCUMULATING SNOW ACROSS THE MIDWEST. THE STORM SYSTEM IS ORIGINATING FROM A COMPLEX SERIES OF UPPER LEVEL DISTURBANCES THAT HAVE YET TO FULLY EVOLVE...MEANING IT IS QUITE POSSIBLE THAT LATER FORECASTS COULD CHANGE. CURRENT INDICATIONS ARE THAT MUCH OF NORTHERN AND CENTRAL ILLINOIS AND INDIANA WILL SEE 3 TO 6 INCHES OF SNOW...WITH LOCALLY HEAVIER TOTALS POSSIBLE. THE SNOW WILL FALL OVER AN EXTENDED PERIOD OF TIME LIKELY AFFECTING TRAVEL SATURDAY NIGHT THROUGH SUNDAY EVENING.

PERSONS PLANNING TRAVEL THIS WEEKEND SHOULD CLOSELY MONITOR LATER FORECAST AND STATEMENT ON THIS DEVELOPING WINTER STORM.

Stew
Thu 3/5/2015 10:04 AM
Inbox; Sent Items
Nancy,

The students are great at Indian Prairie. They are an excellent audience of listeners. Thank you for the opportunity to read to them.

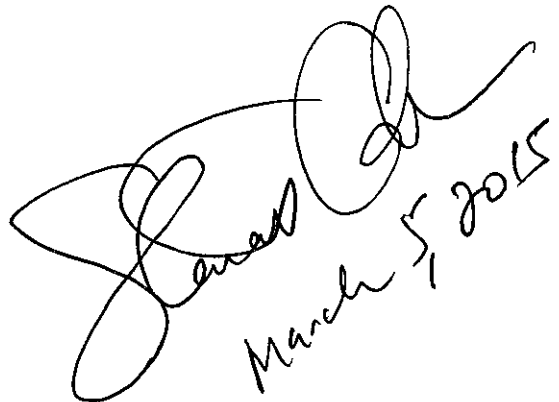
Stew Cohen
ND
STAR 105.5FM
103.9 The Fox

Perez, Nancy <njperez@d47.org>
Wed 3/4/2015 11:42 AM
To:
Stew;
You replied on 3/5/2015 10:04 AM.
Hi Stew,

On behalf of the Indian Prairie Staff, I would like to thank you for taking time out of your busy schedule to read to our students. We appreciate your support of Indian Prairie School!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Nancy J. Perez "ski"
Administrative Assistant
Indian Prairie Elementary School
651 Village Rd.
Crystal Lake, IL
815-459-2124
www.d47.org/ips

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Nancy J. Perez", is written over the date "March 5, 2015". The signature is stylized with loops and a long horizontal stroke.

PUBLIC FILE

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

STEW COHEN/ND

OUTREACH PUBLIC SERVICE

JOE AND TINA OF STAR 105.5 RAISED MONEY FOR ST. BALDRICK'S FIGHT OF CHILDHOOD CANCER BY APPEARING AT THE COTTAGE RESTAURANT IN CRYSTAL LAKE ON TUESDAY NIGHT, MARCH 10. JOE AND TINA HELPED TO RAISE \$850.00. DURING ONE PART OF THE EVENT, JOE CICERO RAISED 90-DOLLARS BY TAKING HIS PANTS OFF TO HIS SHORTS.

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Stew Cohen
March 11, 2015

March 23, 2015

WZSR - Star 105.5
Mr. Stew Cohen
8800 U.S. Highway 14
Crystal Lake, IL 60012

Dear Mr. Cohen:

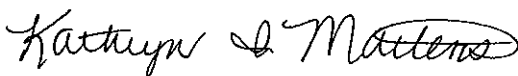
We wish you could hear the comments of gratitude we receive each year in regard to the donations made to our Summer Reading Program. Our more than 4,800 Summer Reading Program participants have a deep appreciation for the prizes that are donated. It is rewarding to know that together with our Partners, we are altering the future of our community by impacting the collective reading literacy in the City of Crystal Lake. Thank you for the part you have played in this effort.

As you have faithfully served our Community and supported the Summer Reading Program over the years, we want to remind you that we are here to support you. The Library has numerous resources that will enhance your business, including subscription databases, the loan of business equipment and training on a number of technologies. If you're not familiar with the Library's many business resources, we would like to introduce you to these resources and their benefits.

In the next few weeks, Linda Price-Natter will be contacting you about your partnership in the Summer Reading Program, which runs from June 15 – August 8. At that time we will also invite you to schedule a time to discuss what the Library can do for you. As one of our valued Summer Reading Program Partners we want to make sure that you are receiving the full privileges of your Crystal Lake Public Library card, available to you as a Crystal Lake business owner.

On behalf of the thousands of adults, teens and children of Crystal Lake, thank you for your past support of the Summer Reading Program. We look forward to another successful season. Together we can promote reading literacy in our community.

Sincerely,



Kathryn I. Martens
Library Director