

2nd Quarter 2017 (Apr 1 – June 30)

Issues and Programs for WJTC

Issues addressed:

Public Health
Public Safety
Consumer Awareness
Education
Crime

Regularly Scheduled Programs:

Local 15 News – Daily local news programs

WPMI's daily newscasts give considerable time to issues that concern the communities of the South Alabama and Western Florida areas.

9pm –9:30

WJTC News at 9:00

M-F

Meteorologists Jake Dunne and Chris Dunn visited multiple elementary schools to talk about weather and meteorology.

Public Health

5/15/17 Local 15 News at 9PM (WJTC) trt: 2:20

Marijuana Ordinance

The mayor and city attorney have presented an ordinance to reduce the punishment for marijuana possession to a ticket and a \$100 fine rather than an arrest. The ordinance would be expected to free police officers for more pressing issues and reduce the cost of booking and housing a law violator.

Public Safety

6/28/17 Local 15 News at 9PM (WJTC) trt: 2:20

In an effort to comfort the public about a recent spike in violence, Mobile police officers went door to door meeting with neighbors in midtown.

4/27/2017 Local 15 News at 9PM (WJTC) trt: 20

Safe Zones

Mobile police have “safe spots” for the public to make internet purchases or exchanges.

Consumer Awareness

6/28/17 Local 15 News at 9PM (WJTC) trt: 0:45

OB Express Bridge

Now through Labor Day weekend, drivers will spend less to get across the Orange Beach Expressway.

Education

4/26/17 Local 15 News at 9PM (WJTC) trt: 2:10

Teacher arrest

A Spanish Fort High School teacher and her husband have turned themselves in on a charge of providing students with alcohol after prom.

Crime

5/24/17 Local 15 News at 9PM (WJTC) trt: 0:35

Mobile Murder

A 21-year-old woman was found shot to death at the Budgetel Inn on I-65 Service Road. Officers are searching for a suspect tonight.

5/19/17 Local 15 News at 9PM (WJTC) trt: 0:31

Drug Bust

Prichard police are searching for a man after a traffic stop ends with police finding a rolling meth lab. The driver got out and ran leaving a woman in the car.

5/17/17 Local 15 News at 9PM (WJTC) trt: 1:55

Domestic Assault

Man wanted for assaulting his ex-girlfriend just hours after bailing out of jail. The same suspect was also charged with pistol whipping a teenage girl two years ago. Our reporter asks why a man like this is out on bond – no answer...

4/25/17 Local 15 News at 9PM (WJTC) trt: 1:55

Subway Robbery

The latest of three fast food restaurants hit by armed robbers over the last few weeks. 8:30pm two men entered the Subway on South University. One robber actually fired his gun inside the store.