QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

There follows a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by station **WHTJ**, **Charlottesville**, **VA**, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period **October 1, 2023**, to **December 31, 2023**. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

Description of Issue	Program/Segment	Date/Time	Length	Description of Issue
Culture Community Arts	CHARLOTTESVILLE INSIDE-OUT (Local Production)	10/01/23 @1230pm	30 min	#1201 Meet a local builder and musician who has been playing fiddle in Charlottesville and beyond for over eight decades; visit a nature photographer who hopes to inspire
Education Youth Community		10/08/23 @1230pm	30 min	others to not just look, but to see. #1202 Hear from a high school educator about the work of his afterschool group called BACON Best All Around Club of Nerds; then touch base with an organization dedicated to training and supporting local foster parents so that children are able to remain in their community while they get the assistance they need.
Education History Community		10/15/23 @1230pm	30 min	#1003 Discover an organization that connects and educates people through traditional roots music; then take a look back on life in Charlottesville and Albemarle Co. from before the turn of the century through World War I as captured on film by a successful local photographer.
Free Speech Media Community	CAPTURING THE MOMENT (Local Production)	10/12/23 @830 pm	30 min	Take a diverse group of talented photographers. Ask them to create their own assignments in which to explore the theme of democracy in America. Then film their photo shoots on location. The result is Capturing The Moment: Democracy, a series of unique and multifaceted stories that depict the concept of democracy in our world today.
Minorities Civil Rights Government	VPM NEWS FOCAL POINT Season 2 (Local Production)	10/05/23 @8pm 10/06/23 @8:30pm 10/08/23 @6:30pm	30 mins	#215 "Disparities" For centuries, America has grappled with stereotypes as well as real and perceived racial disparities in achievement and wealth. We explore persistent disparities and race-related myths to dispel fiction and illuminate facts.
Culture Science		10/12/23 @8pm 10/13/23 @8:30 pm 10/15/23 @6:30 pm	30 mins	#216 "Music" Music has the power to entertain, teach and heal. We explore scientific studies that prove how music can create joy. From the blues to gourds and drums, to

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Technology Children		10/19/23 @8:30 pm 10/20/23 @8:30 pm 10/21/23 @6:30 pm	30 mins	fiddling, we discover the many diverse musical traditions in Virginia. #217 "Big Tech" Is artificial intelligence going to outsmart humans? What are the benefits and dangers of AI? What companies are leading the big tech movement in Virgina? How do we protect our children when we are more connected and manipulated than
Civil Liberties Government Community		11/02/23 @8 pm 11/03/23 @8:30 pm 11/05/23 @6:30 pm	30 min	ever before? #218 "When Rights Collide" What challenges do we face as ones individual rights are hindered by another's rights? With clashes over religious beliefs, public safety vs gun ownership or the right to life vs bodily autonomy. Where are the
Veteran Rights		11/09/23 @8 pm 11/10/23 @8:30 pm 11/12/23 @6:30 pm	30 min	lines, and who are the referees? #219 "Veterans" What services and benefits are owed to our veterans? What special challenges do they face after returning from the trauma of armed conflict? How do we honor the afflicted or the fallen? What do veterans say about who
Community Food Security Poverty		11/16/23 @8 pm 11/17/23 @8:30 pm 11/19/23 @6:30 pm	30 min	they are and what they need most? #220 "Feeding Virginia " We take a comprehensive look at where Virginians get their food and ask about food safety, food scarcity, good nutrition and ways to better feed the Commonwealth. There are well-fed Virginians and people who are chronically hungry. What is working and what is not?
Local Election Politics Community	VIRGINIA DECIDES HOUSE OF DELEGATES DISTRICT 58 FORUM (Local Production)	10/05/23 @9pm	60 min	A debate between Delegate Rodney Willett and challenger Riley Shaia for the Virginia House of Delegates District 58 seat. Moderated by journalists from VPM News.
Government Election	VPM NEWS ELECTION COVERAGE (Local Production)	11/07/23 6:56 pm; 7:56 pm; 8:56 pm; 9:56	@3:14 each	Live, local election result updates presented by VPM News reporters covering elections across the Commonwealth.
Agriculture Gardening	VIRGINIA HOME GROWN (Local Production)	10/31/23 @8pm	60 min	Explore specialty gardens focused on unique products. Tour an herb garden focused on tea plants and learn how to make a perfect cup of the world's second most popular drink after water. Discover how luffa plants are grown and processed into sponges.

Veterans	TO BE OF SERVICE	11/10/23 @10pm	90 min	Meet several veterans with PTSD
Mental				and how service dogs help them
Health		11/22/22 @0.00		return to the world.
Science Technology Innovation	EARTHSHOT PRIZE 2023	11/22/23 @8pm	60 min	Founded by Prince William in 2020, The Earthshot Prize aims to discover and help scale the world's most innovative climate and environmental solutions to protect and restore our planet. A star- studded awards ceremony, filming in Singapore on November 7, celebrates this year's fifteen finalists before awarding the five winners of The Earthshot Prize.
Community Culture Minorities	RECIPROCITY PROJECT	11/16/23 @9pm	60 min	RECIPROCITY PROJECT is a collection of stories highlighting the value of communities living in reciprocity with the Earth. Featuring seven short films created with Indigenous communities across Turtle Island in the U.S. and Colombia, the filmmakers and community partners created stories in response to the question, "What does reciprocity mean to you and your community?"
Public Affairs World Affairs	AMERICA AT A CROSSROADS WITH JUDY WOODRUFF	12/19/23 @9pm	60 min	At a time of heightened partisanship, declining trust in institutions, increased political violence, and rapid social change, Judy Woodruff set out this year on a two-year reporting project, America at a Crossroads, to explore the forces driving Americans apart, and to ask people from all walks of life and all political persuasions what might be done to reverse these worrying trends.
Culture Community	CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS: KWANZAA	12/31/23 @7pm	60 min	Honoring the heritage, unity, culture, and rich contributions of African Americans, Kwanzaa is more than just a celebration; it's a way of life. CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS: KWANZAA explores the seven principles that are the foundation of Kwanzaa by sharing seven real-life stories of impact. These stories reveal how each principle plays a role in the Black community, enhanced by cultural elements of dance, storytelling, music, and spoken word.
History Veterans	ONE WEEK IN OCTOBER *Statewide Premiere*	10/26/23 @8pm	60 min	In October of 1983, US Military personnel served as peacekeepers in Lebanon during the Lebanese Civil War, and as rescuers on the

				Caribbean Island of Grenada. Two very different conflicts with two very different results. Two countries, hundreds of lives lost, many heroes made, and countless lives forever changed. This October, in observance of the 40th Anniversary of these two, all but forgotten, military engagements, Virginia veterans share their personal, emotional, tragic, and heroic stories of their ONE WEEK IN OCTOBER. Produced by Blue Ridge PBS in association with Virginia War Memorial in Richmond and privately funded by the Virginia War Memorial Foundation.
Indigenous Culture Education Language	NATIVE AMERICA	11/14/23 @9pm	60 min	#204 "Language is Life" Celebrate the power of Native languages and the inspirational people who are saving them. From secret recordings to Star Wars films dubbed in Navajo, follow the revolutionary steps transforming Native America.
Children Education Culture Social Emotional	SONGS AND STORIES WITH MARY AND MIKE	12/01/23 @8:30am	30 min	Mary and Mike use music and stories as the joyful pathway to learning for young children while integrating and modeling learning standards for literacy, math and social-emotional learning.