



Issues Programs List

Quarterly Issues Programs List for Station – WTL-FM

October 1 – December 31, 2018

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Section I. Issues.

The station has identified the following issues as significant issues facing our community in this quarter:

1. **WTL News:** This quarter, WTL provided a series of on-air interviews with school and community leaders.
2. **Meet the Need:** This quarter, WTL brought awareness to multiple non-profit organizations through 2 minute news features.
3. **WTL Involvement:** With eighth grade students beginning the registration process, WTL has taken steps to provide information on the station to this section of the community
4. **LTHS Football:** The community, as always, asks that WTL provides live play-by-play coverage of LTHS Football and Basketball, and again this Fall/Winter WTL was able to meet this need.

Section II. Responsive Programs

The station has broadcast programming dealing with each of the above-referenced issues. Programming dealing with each issue is set out below:

A. News Maker Interview

School Leader Interviews– WTL was able to air four (4) live interviews with different school leaders over the course of a couple of weeks in October 2018 to give the community insight into the decisions being made behind the scenes at Lyons Township High School. Interviews were at least 20-minutes in length, broadcast live on 88.1 FM and online at www.wtl.net. Those interviewed included Officer Time Andries, La Grange Police Department; Kevin Brown, LTHS Associate Principal; Ed Tennant, LTHS Director of Technology; and Gary Morrill, LTHS Director of Student Safety.

B. Meet the Need

Meet the Need Programing: Through November 23- December 31, 2019 for a total of 15.5 hours, WTL aired programing to help Meet the Need by bringing awareness to non-profit organizations in the La Grange area. These programs contained information on the non-profit organizations and how the community can help them.

C. WLTL Involvement

Future Freshman Night: WLTL always receives an influx of calls and emails from eighth grade students and parents asking how they can get involved in this, their school radio station, when they attend LTHS in 2019-2020. In order to meet this need, WLTL broadcast live from the LTHS Future Freshman Night on Tuesday, December 3 from 6:30-9pm at South Campus. While there, students could sign-up to join WLTL (as well as other LTHS clubs). WLTL will also be hosting a community/8th grade open house during the second quarter of 2020.

D. LTHS Sports

Live Football Broadcasts: LTHS community members consistently ask that WLTL provide play-by-play coverage for LTHS sports, most notably, football. This fall, WLTL was able to provide live play-by-play coverage for every home and away football game this year, for a total of more than 40 hours of live broadcasts. During this quarter, WLTL also broadcast five boys basketball games and three girls basketball games during the months of November and December as well.