

4th Quarter 2021 “Georgia Focus” Public Affairs Issues/Clearance

Station: WTGA FM **Market:** THOMASTN,GA

Camp Twin Lakes

Jill Morrissey, CEO, Dan Mathews, COO of Camp Twin Lakes discuss their programs and \$22.5-million capital campaign to build a third year-round campus in Rutledge that will allow them to serve 3,500 more campers. Available October 2-3.

This show aired on (Day) SUNDAY from: (Start Time) 6;AM to: (End Time): 6:30AM

GA Focus Extra: Susan G. Komen More Than Pink Walk.

Georgia Public Libraries

The Georgia Public Library Service empowers libraries to improve the lives of all Georgians. The innovative, scalable technology and resources we provide saves libraries money and enables them to provide great service to all patrons, no matter where they live. Julie Walker, State Librarian, discusses the services of Georgia’s libraries. Available October 9-10.

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GA Focus Extra: Traci Clark Rothwell from the Georgia Trust for Historic Preservation talks about Halloween ghost tours at Rhodes Hall in Atlanta.

UGA’s New Film Degree Program

UGA’s Jeff Springston discusses their new Master of Fine Arts in Film, Television, and Digital Media Degree, the first in the state. Available October 16-17.

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GA Focus Extra: Musician Keb Mo talks about this new children’s book.

Atlanta Community Food Bank

The Atlanta Community Food Bank works with more than 700 nonprofit partners—including food pantries, community kitchens, childcare centers, shelters and senior centers—to distribute over 67 million meals to more than 1 million people in 29 counties across metro Atlanta and North Georgia. CEO Kyle Waide talks about their work. Available October 23-24.

GA Focus Extra: Arborist Chris Heim provides advance on tree health and insuring great fall foliage.

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Paradise Gardens

Reverend Howard Finster, a self proclaimed “Man of Visions”, was one of America’s most widely known and prolific self-taught artists. Today, his home and outdoor art exhibit known as Paradise Gardens, in Summerville, has been preserved and is open to visitors. The Paradise Garden Foundation works to preserve, maintain and showcase Paradise Garden and Tina Cox, Executive Director and Howard Pousner, board member, discuss the garden. Available October 30-31.

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GA Focus Extra: Dr. Benjamin Watkins from Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta discusses efforts to provide medical care to parts of the world that have very little access, especially Cambodia.

Adoption

Currently there are 300 children in GA with no adoptive family, 55% of those waiting children are teens. November is National Adoption Month and this year’s theme is “Every Conversation Matters”. Deborah Burrus, State Adoption Director for Georgia Division of Family & Children Services, discusses adoption. Available November 6-7.

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GA Focus Extra: TBD

Fisher House Veterans Day Special

Fisher House Foundation builds comfort homes where military & veterans families can stay free of charge, while a loved one is in the hospital. These homes are located at military and VA medical centers around the world including 2 in Georgia. Available November 13-14.

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Solving the West Georgia Murder of Gwendolyn Moore

On an August morning in 1970, the battered body of a young woman was hoisted from a well just outside Hogansville. Author and investigator Clay Bryant was there, witnessing the macabre scene. Then 15, he was tagging along with his father, Buddy Bryant, Hogansville chief of police. The victim, Gwendolyn Moore, had been in a violent marriage but her husband had connections to a political machine that held sway over the Troup County Sheriff's Office overseeing the case. Decades later, Clay Bryant solved the case and discusses it and his book, *Solving the West Georgia Murder of Gwendolyn Moore: A Cry From the Well*. Available November 20-21.

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GA Gives Day

GA Gives offers every Georgia nonprofit the chance to be part of a worldwide end-of-year giving-season kickoff, and the tools to make it a revenue-generating success. The Georgia Center for Nonprofits is serves as Georgia's official #GivingTuesday campaign organizer and Karen Beavor, GCN President and CEO, and Lee Ann Else, Director of Development at Health M Powers, a nonprofit organization that promotes healthy habits for children, discuss this year's effort. Available November 27-28.

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GA Focus Extra: Ken Fisher, CEO of the Fisher House Foundation, discusses Giving Tuesday.

Medicinebow

Medicine Bow is a 35 acre wilderness school tucked into the Chattahoochee National Forest in the mountains of north Georgia near Dahlonega. The owner and teacher, Mark Warren, guides students toward their own unique relationship with nature through the Earth lore accumulated by the Native Americans, Cherokee in particular. Available December 4-5.

GA Focus Extra: Curing Kids Cancer Little Hearts Run in Grovetown, Georgia.

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Places in Peril 2022

Mark McDonald, President and CEO of the Georgia Trust for Historic Preservation, discusses the 2022 Places in Peril list of 10 historic structures in Georgia that are in danger of being torn down and efforts to save them. Available December 11-12.

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GA Focus Extra: Goizueta Professor of Marketing Dan McCarthy discusses the best subscription services and direct-to-consumer businesses making an impact on the retail environment this holiday season.

Paul Hornsby

Fix it in the Mix is the memoir of Paul Hornsby, acclaimed record producer and musician best known for his work at Capricorn Records in Macon during the 1970's. The book expounds upon his life, music, joining Gregg and Duane Allman as a member of the Hour Glass. He later was hired as a producer at Capricorn Studios, producing the Marshall Tucker Band, the Charlie Daniels Band and others. Today, he is still producing great music from his Muscadine studios in Macon. Available December 18-19.

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GA Focus Extra: The popularity of online shopping during this holiday season .

111 Place in Atlanta You Must Not Miss

111 Places in Atlanta That You Must Not Miss is the ultimate insider's guide to Atlanta. The book by Travis Swann Taylor features interesting and unusual places not found in traditional travel guides. The book is part of the international 111 Places/111 Shops series with over 250 titles and 1.5 million copies in print worldwide. Available December 25-26.

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GA Focus Extra: Edward Drake talks about the Why Not Toy Drive.