

WZLD-FM
PETAL, MS
QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST
FIRST QUARTER 2012
APRIL 10, 2012

ISSUES

WZLD-FM provides its listeners with programming and public service announcements that address issues of concern to our local community. Among the issues determined to be of most concern to the community during the preceding calendar quarter were:

Education -Tools for Classrooms - DonorsChoose.org is an online charity to help classrooms in need. Consumers can donate to classrooms in need of books, calculators, musical instruments, and more. Thanks to the leadership of Chase, listeners' donations during this campaign will be matched up to \$250,000. We aired a series of 30 second announcements urging listeners to support this online effort.

Teen Issues - Bullying - Donorschoose.org is an online charity to help students cope with in school bullying. We aired a series of 30 second announcements informing students of ways to report and cope with bullying.

Cancer Research - Accelerated Brain Cancer Cure - We aired a series of 60 second and 30 second announcements to bring attention to brain cancer research and ways local listeners can support this effort to cure accelerated brain cancer.

Underage Drinking - Underage Drinking Prevention -Us of alcohol by underage children is an all time high. We aired a series of 60 second announcement suggesting ways parents can begin a conversation with their children about alcohol abuse.

Housing - Habitat for Humanity - Habitat for Humanity of South Mississippi continued their mission of providing home ownership for those with financial need in January and February. We aired a series of 30 second announcements promoting the local chapter of Habitat for Humanity and helped them celebrate their latest home build.

PROGRAMS

SECTION 1

Section 1 lists regularly scheduled and special programs that represent the station's issue responsive programming providing the most significant treatment of the issues listed above for the calendar quarter.

SEE ATTACHED

HOTLINE PROGRAMS FIRST QUARTER, 2012

Date/Length/Time: January 1, 2012, 16 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: Issues before the upcoming session of the Mississippi Legislature.

Guest/Details: Rep. Herb Frierson of Poplarville talking about the above and the best way for citizens to have input into same.

Date/Length/Time: January 1, 2012, 14 minutes.

Program/Issues: The need for coordination among area churches to combat local problems.

Guest/Details: Vandarel Jones of the "Pine Belt 360" organization talking about that group's efforts to identify area strengths and weaknesses and to help solve the above problems.

Date/Length/Time: January 8, 2012, 15 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: Physical fitness.

Guest/Details: Heather Teat of Forrest General Hospital talking about numerous areas of physical fitness including diet, exercise, sleep, alcohol, caffeine, and hydration.

Date/Length/Time: January 8, 2012, 18 minutes.

Program/Issues: Need for very early intervention in and support of children to ensure their best futures, particularly as regards their education.

Guest/Details: Dan Kibodeaux talking about the "Excel by 5" program designed regarding the above.

Date/Length/Time: January 15, 2012, 10 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: traveling exhibit regarding the 400th anniversary of the King James Bible.

Guest/Details: Sherry Laughlin of William Carey University, which is displaying this exhibit, along with local artifacts regarding older Bibles.

Date/Length/Time: January 15, 2012, 10 minutes.

Program/Issues: Need for legal assistance for those unable to afford this.

Guest/Details: Joy Lambert Phillips, former President of the Mississippi State Bar and currently head of the "Advancing Justice, Restoring Hope" campaign of the Bar, talking about that program's efforts to offer this assistance.

Date/Length/Time: January 15, 2012, 10 minutes.

Program/Issues: Girl Scouts and their 100th anniversary.

Guest/Details: Jeanetta Bennett, local Girl Scout Program Manager, and Girl Scout Melody Hill, talking about this organization, including the upcoming cookie sale.

Date/Length/Time: January 22, 2012, 7 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: Hattiesburg area's first ever Mardi Gras parade.

Guest/Details: Melissa Davis, talking about the upcoming "Caierus" Parade.

Date/Length/Time: January 22, 2012, 12 minutes.

Program/Issues: The need for information about the Alumni Association, including costs, various ways alumni can serve and benefit from this association.

Guest/Details: Alvin Williams, President of the University of Southern Mississippi Alumni Association.

Date/Length/Time: January 22, 2012, 11 minutes.

Program/Issues: Counseling avenues for families needing this.

Guest/Details: Laurie Risher at the University of Southern Mississippi's Family Network Partnership Counseling Center, talking about various family issues and the services offered by her group to deal with these.

Date/Length/Time: January 29, 2012, 9 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: Appreciation and conservation of local natural resources.

Guest/Details: Pine Belt Audubon Society's President Joshua Hodges talking about

that group's efforts and goals regarding the above.

Date/Length/Time: January 29, 2012, 10 minutes.

Program/Issues: Mental illness and its affect on families.

Guest/Details: Ann Jensen, Family Education Program Coordinator of the National Alliance of the Mentally Ill, talking about the above and local programs and resources.

Date/Length/Time: January 29, 2012, 10 minutes.

Program/Issues: Disaster preparation.

Guest/Details: Terry Steed of the Forrest County Emergency Management, talking about preparation for various emergencies and covered such topics as water supplies, first aid kits, and the need for a weather radio.

Date/Length/Time: February 5, 2012, 10 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: Black History Month recognition.

Guest/Details: Latoya Norman of Hattiesburg's African American Military History Museum interviewed about the contributions of black soldiers in all of America's wars and this museum's displays commemorating this.

Date/Length/Time: February 5, 2012, 20 minutes.

Program/Issues: Need for information about the various Social Security programs.

Guest/Details: Shawn Mercer of the local Social Security office talking on this.

Date/Length/Time: February 12, 2012, 12 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: Women's unemployment.

Guest/Details: Janice Swiggum of the Pinebelt Christian Women's Job Corps being interviewed about that group's approach to the above problem by providing life skills training in addition to practical job search advise.

Date/Length/Time: February 12, 2012, 18 minutes.

Program/Issues: Need for information regarding gardening, lawn and crop care, as well as other matters handled through the Cooperative Extension Service.

Guest/Details: Lee Taylor of the above organization being interviewed on this.

Date/Length/Time: February 19, 2012, 10 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: Legislative update.

Guest/Details: Interview with Representative Toby Barker talking about numerous items currently being considered by the Legislature.

Date/Length/Time: February 19, 2012, 10 minutes.

Program/Issues: Cystic Fibrosis.

Guest/Details: Sid Gonsoulins talking about this disease and giving details of the "Great Strides Walk" fundraiser upcoming to support the fight against this disease.

Date/Length/Time: February 19, 2012, 10 minutes.

Program/Issues: The need for information about local service clubs.

Guest/Details: Jennifer Ducksworth, president of the Noonday Chapter of the Optimist Club of Hattiesburg talking about that group's goals and their invitation to others to join in their various community improvement projects, mostly involving children.

Date/Length/Time: February 26, 2012, 10 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: Outlet for local writers and musicians to perform.

Guest/Details: David Walker of the "Back Door Coffeehouse" talking about that group's 20th anniversary of offering this to the south Mississippi area.

Date/Length/Time: February 26, 2012, 9 minutes.

Program/Issues: Healthcare career preparation.

Guest/Details: Alissa King of William Carey University talking about their upcoming symposium in which numerous local educational institutions would be participating in informing the attending high school students of various options in this field.

Date/Length/Time: February 26, 2012, 11 minutes.

Program/Issues: Offerings at local libraries.

Guest/Details: Mary Louise Breland of the Laurel-Jones County Library talking about what is offered at that institution's two branches, including, in addition to books, also book on tapes, children's activities, and internet access.

Date/Length/Time: March 4, 2012, 19 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: Upcoming April 15th tax filing deadline.

Guest/Details: Dee Stepter of the Internal Revenue Service giving practical advice, such as internet usage in filing taxes and getting information, and also new regulations affecting taxes now in effect.

Date/Length/Time: March 4, 2012, 11 minutes.

Program/Issues: Remembrance of Vietnam War veterans.

Guest/Details: Dan Reece of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Fund talking about that group's effect to secure photos of all fatalities of the Vietnam War among other matters associated with the Vietnam War memorial in Washington, D.C.

Date/Length/Time: March 11, 2012, 8 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: HIV-AIDS.

Guest/Details: Alicia Walker of the Delta Sigma Theta sorority in Laurel with information about this disease and a local fundraiser regarding this.

Date/Length/Time: March 11, 2012, 12 minutes.

Program/Issues: Independent living for handicapped people.

Guest/Details: Kris McNair of LIFE (Living Independence for Everyone) talking about that group's effort to inform and assist those who are handicapped in available resources and programs that can benefit them.

Date/Length/Time: March 11, 2012, 10 minutes.

Program/Issues: Local festival.

Guest/Details: David Tisdale talking about the upcoming Irish/Italian Festival and parade.

Date/Length/Time: March 18, 2012, 9 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: United Way and their upcoming home raffle.

Guest/Details: Brook Bryan of the United Way of Southeast Mississippi talking about that group in general, and specifically about their home raffle fundraiser.

Date/Length/Time: March 18, 2012, 11 minutes.

Program/Issues: Jaycees information.

Guest/Details: Lisa Foster of the Hattiesburg Jaycees talking about that group's history and goals, including leadership development of the club's members.

Date/Length/Time: March 18, 2012, 12 minutes.

Program/Issues: Recognition of activities in area communities.

Guest/Details: Marie Shoemake of the Covington County Chamber of Commerce talking about that county's assets, with particular emphasis on their upcoming "Okatoma Fest."

Date/Length/Time: March 25, 2012, 10 minutes. 7:30AM

Program/Issues: Economic development, community pride in Hattiesburg.

Guest/Details: Catherine Lott of the Area Development Partnership (ADP) talking primarily about the upcoming "Hubfest" and adding information about the ADP's efforts to lure solid businesses to this area of south Mississippi.

Date/Length/Time: March 25, 2012, 20 minutes.

Program/Issues: Consumer fraud, good business practices.

Guest/Details: John O'Hara, CEO of the Better Business Bureau of Mississippi, who mentioned several scams going around on the internet and door to door, and various resources of the BBB available to the public, encouraging both internet and phone users to take advantage of those services.

SECTION II

Section II lists the network provided (and/or syndicated) programming that the station broadcast during the preceding calendar quarter that addresses community issues.

Weather Channel Forecast	Mon - Sun	6A-6P	60 minutes / wk
Randy Bell News	Mon-Fri	6A-9A	60 minutes / wk

SECTION III

Section III lists public service announcements that the station broadcast during the preceding calendar quarter that address community issues. Plus the attached community events that were announced "live" on the days preceding the date/time of the event.

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**Section III
WZLD-FM PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Section III lists public service announcements that the station broadcast during the preceding calendar quarter that address community issues.

ISSUE	ORGANIZATION OR TITLE	DURATION	RUNS
CANCER RESEARCH	ACCELERATE BRAIN CANCER CURE	000:30	006
CANCER RESEARCH	ACCELERATE BRAIN CANCER CURE	001:00	002
EDUCATION	Ad Council - College Access	000:29	018
MILITARY	Air Force Reserve	000:30	010
MILITARY	Air Force Reserve	000:59	002
MILITARY	Air Force Reserve	001:00	010
CHILD HEALTH	CHILDHOOD OBESITY PREVENTION	000:15	019
CHILD HEALTH	CHILDHOOD OBESITY PREVENTION	000:58	011
CHILD HEALTH	CHILDHOOD OBESITY PREVENTION	000:59	006
HEALTH ISSUES	Donate Life . Net	000:59	006
HEALTH ISSUES	Donate Life . Net	001:00	006
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS	Emergency Preparedness	000:31	011
TEEN ISSUES	HIGH SCHOOL DROPOUT	000:15	003
TEEN ISSUES	HIGH SCHOOL DROPOUT	000:30	019
TEEN ISSUES	HIGH SCHOOL DROPOUT	000:59	005
TEEN ISSUES	HIGH SCHOOL DROPOUT	001:00	001
TEEN ISSUES	UNDERAGE DRINKING PREVENTION	000:59	007
TEEN ISSUES	UNDERAGE DRINKING PREVENTION	001:00	004
COMMUNITY	United Way	001:00	010
BULLYING	DONORSCHOSE.ORG	000:30	029
BULLYING	DONORSCHOSE.ORG	000:31	015
BULLYING	DONORSCHOSE.ORG	000:32	006
LITERACY	DONORSCHOSE.ORG	000:30	006
POVERTY	DONORSCHOSE.ORG	000:33	023
SELF ESTEEM	DONORSCHOSE.ORG	000:31	006

Fri. 1/6
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Elvis birthday show benefits Relay for Life

Bring your family & friends for "An Evening Celebrating Elvis" this Friday night (Jan. 6th) at the Petal Civic Center. Celebrate the King of Rock-n-Roll's birthday with Mike Russell on stage as Elvis. Refreshments will be served and all proceeds benefit Petal's "2012 Relay for Life". Tickets \$10.00 - children 10 and under "Free". Tickets are available at the door, Petal Drug and Petal Florist. More info call 601-516-0624...thank you...thank you very much...712 South Main St,

(Tues. 1/10) OGHS presents "Junglebook"

Oak Grove Theatre presents "Junglebook" Tuesday, January 10, 2012. 7:00pm until 10:00pm at Oak Grove Primary Auditorium. House will open at 6:30pm - Tickets are \$5 for students and \$7 for adults. Please come out and support Oak Grove high school's drama department!

(Sat. 1/14) Famous seafood gumbo on sale

Just in time for the big game crowd- the world famous cooks at the Episcopal Church of the Ascension are selling gumbo! Pre-order and pick up on Sat. Jan. 14th at the church on Arlington Loop in Hattiesburg. This annual tradition is a fundraiser for the Outreach Ministry. For orders, call the church at 601-264-6773 or online at ascension.ms.

(Mon, Thurs. 1/16 & 19) EPAT auditions for Kids show

Encore Performing Arts Theatre is announcing Tryouts for their 2012 Season Opener: Tryouts for Winnie the Pooh Kids will be held Jan 16th and 19th 7:00pm at the Dance Etcetera building on Old Bay Springs Rd. You can prepare a song or we will teach you part of a song from ...the show to sing for us. We are looking for children ages 4-16 years of age. This show has all of the characters we know and love plus lots of solos and parts for the chorus. We are going to have a blast with this one!! See you there!!! For more information please contact dancediva2606@comcast.net or 601-297-5157.

(Mon-Tues. 1/16-17) JORT auditions for 'church ladies'

JORT Auditions for "The Ladies of Harmony" Monday, January 16, and Tuesday, January 17, 7pm..Directed by Chris Wooten. Auditions: Roles for 6 females, assorted ages—Petal Cultural Arts Center,

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(tfn.) Red Cross "Gifts that save the day"- www.redcross.org/gifts

Make a donation online at redcross.org and you can specify how that donation is used: Donate safely and securely online from our website-_____. Or text the words REDCROSS to 90999!

(TFN) Disaster unemployment assistance

If you are unemployed due to the recent disasters, the MS Employment Security help line is now open 8am-8pm, 7 days a week. The toll free number is 888-844-3577. The MDES is also hiring up to 500 temporary workers to help communities affected by tornados. To apply, visit the nearest WIN Job Center.

(TFN) Spay -Neuter Clinic appointments available

The Southern Pines Animal Shelter spay & neuter clinic in Hattiesburg is taking appointments for dogs and cats. Appointments are required and space is limited, Call now for info: 601-544-5678. Make an appointment now! The SNC also has grant money available to fix any BIG dogs over 40 pounds and male cats.

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(Tues. 1/10) Relay for Life Lamar County kick-off

The Am. Cancer Society's Relay for Life will officially get underway with a rally for volunteers- in Lamar County it's Tuesday Jan. 10th in Sumrall. The relay date is May 4th at Sumrall High school. For more info, call Kerri Mauldin at 601-543-8874. For time & location of rally, check the 4-1-1-

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(Wed. 1/11) Free Health Fair in Laurel

The South Central Health Care Foundation will host a free community health fair Wed. January 11, at South Central Place in Laurel from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m no preregistration is required. The SCRMC event will offer a variety of free health screenings- BMI (Body, Mass, Index) Testing, Blood Sugar, Cholesterol, Vision, Skin Cancer and many more. Healthy refreshments will be provided and there will be a variety of door prizes.

(Thurs. 1/12) Family Bibles Road Show in Hattiesburg

Wm. Carey University is hosting a King James Bible historical exhibit, Jan. 19-Feb. 16 in the Gillespie museum. As part of that, The Family Bibles Road show will be at the Hattiesburg library Thursday Jan. 12th at 5pm and 6pm with a workshop on care and preservation of the family bible. Several more events are planned through the month- www.library.wmcarey.edu

(Sat. 1/14) Humane Society raffle for super bowl tx

Raffle tickets are on sale now to support the Hub City Humane Society- the grand prize? A trip to the BIG GAME including airfare to Indianapolis and hotel rooms. Get yours for \$10 or 11 for \$100- but hurry- the drawing is Sat. Jan. 14th at he Elks Lodge in Dixie. Call 601-268-1157.

(Sat. 1/14) Springhill Church homecoming sing

Springhill Missionary Baptist Church in Laurel is holding a Homecoming Celebration, Saturday Jan. 14th and Sunday the 15th. Saturday night will be a Gaither style sing and Sunday includes 2 services and dinner on the ground. For complete info, call 601-729-8019.

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(Tues. 1/17-til april) Free Tax prep in Hattiesburg

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(Sat. 1/21) Christian Services grocery give-away

Volunteers are needed to assist with a Grocery Give-Away Saturday, January 21, 10am at Christian Services, E. Second Street, Hattiesburg. 100 Boxes of groceries to be given away on a first-come/first-served basis- ONE BOX PER HOUSEHOLD- Pictured ID required. FOR MORE INFORMATION: Call Christian Services office 601-582-5683

(Fri. Jan. 27) Habitat hoopsters face off Harlem Ambassadors

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(Fri-Sat. 1/27-28) LHS dinner theatre

The Laurel High School Theater Department will host a Dinner Theater Friday & Sat. Jan. 27 & 28. The dinner will begin at 6 p.m., with the show, "Book of Murder," starting at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$10.00 and must be purchased in advance at the LHS Career and Technical Center, 1100 West 11th Street. The dinner bar will be prepared by the LHS Culinary Arts Department. For more info, call 601-649-4144.

(Sun. 1/29) V-Day Until The Violence Stops

~~Actors Wanted!! Females 18-70 are needed to audition for the benefit production of The Vagina Monologues. Sunday January 29th 3pm-6:30pm at the Oak Grove Community Center on Old Hwy 11, behind the Oak Grove Library. Volunteers are also needed. For more info and a copy of the play contact Dena Semmons at (601) 466-0367. Ticket proceeds go to the Domestic Abuse Family Shelter, Inc. (DAFS)~~ *JM-*

(Tues. 1/31) Laurel city hall Blood drive

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(Wed. 1/25) Smoke Free mini-forum

The public is invited to attend a 'Smoke Free Mississippi' mini forum in Ellisville. "Clearing the air: Eliminating exposure to Secondhand smoke in Public Places" will be at the Terrell Tisdale Library, Court Street, noon til 1pm. Please RSVP by emailing cheree.a.britton@healthy-miss.org or call 662-316-0374.

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(til mid-March) Girl Scout cookie time!!!!

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(Sat. 2/4) Local art auction to benefit Bethany Christian

(Thurs. 2/9) Hattiesburg Mardi Gras Parade

(Sat. 2/11) Family Y Daytrippers Mardi Gras trip to Mobile

(Sun. 2/12) Benefit Poker Run for local Army Veteran

(Feb. 16) free seedlings for Arbor day

(Sat. 3/3) Relay for Life parking lot sale

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(now) Animal shelter in need of old towels

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(Sat. 1/28) Laurel church holding blood drive

East Laurel Church of Christ is hosting a Blood Drive, Sat. Jan. 28th, from 10am-3pm at the church on 1901 N. Miss Ave. in Laurel. Come and eat Lunch while you give. For more info call 601-649-7853 Marilyn Graham.

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Make plans to play in the 2nd annual Lyles Freeze Memorial Golf Tournament, Friday April 13 at Castlewoods Country Club in Brandon. Lyles was a Hattiesburg native killed by a train in Oct. 2010. Fee is \$100 per player and all proceeds benefit the Brook and Gavin Freeze Benefit Fund. The entry fee covers lunch, goodie bags, 18 holes, and awards. For complete details, visit askfreeze.com or call 601-953-3597

(Thurs. 4/19) First Priority hosts Faith, family & football

Quarterback for the Cleveland Browns, Colt McCoy will be sharing his story of Faith, Family and Football. Thursday April 19th at 7:00pm at Temple Baptist Church, west Hattiesburg. Tickets will be \$25.00 each. Call 601-268-9666 for further details. This event is a part of First Priority's 13th Annual Golf Tournament and Auction.

(Sat. 4/21) Annual ATO Crawfish Boil benefits childrens fund

The men of Alpha Tau Omega at USM will host the 27th annual ATO Crawfish Boil on Sat. April 21st. The proceeds this year benefit the Adalius Thomas Children's Fund. 10-thousand pounds of crawfish and fixins, plus grilled burgers & dogs. For more info how ho to get involved, call Davey at 228-697-1889.

(Sat. 4/28) Car show benefits Wounded Warrior Project

Hub City Showoff 2012 Hosted By: Inertia Car Club, Sat. April 28th - 9am-5pm in The Grand Theatre parking lot- Hattiesburg, Proceeds to benefit the Wounded Warriors Project. Raffles throughout the day, 50/50 cash