

## PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAMMING

<u>Program</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>
ILLINOIS LEARNING 2000	1st Saturday of each month	12:30 to 1 p.m.
DIGEST	1st. & 4th Sunday	Noon to 12:30 p.m.
WOMEN'S VOICES	2nd Saturday	12:30 to 1 p.m.
NEWS EXTRA	2nd Sunday	Noon to 12:30 p.m.
ILLINOIS AGRICULTURE	3rd Saturday	12:30 to 1 p.m.
sixtysomething +	3rd Sunday	Noon to 12:30 p.m.
TEEN TALK	4th Saturday	12:30 to 1 p.m.

All of the above are locally produced, issue responsive programs. All are 30 minute programs.

## NEWS PROGRAMMING

<u>Program</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>
Good Morning Central Illinois	Monday -Friday	6 to 7 a.m.
MIDDAY	Monday-Friday	11:30 a.m. to Noon
Live at 5	Monday-Friday	5 to 5:30 p.m.
News at 6	Monday-Friday	6 to 6:30 p.m.
NIGHTCAST	Monday-Friday	10 to 10:30 p.m.
News at 6	Saturday	6 to 6:30 p.m.
Weekend Edition	Sunday	5 to 5:30 p.m.
News at 10	Saturday & Sunday	10 to 10:30 p.m.
Weekend Edition		

All of the above programs are locally produced News programs presenting a mix of news, weather, sports and issue-related feature stories. Issue-responsive program segments are usually two minutes in duration, unless otherwise indicated (series).

**QUARTERLY STATEMENT/PROGRAM LIST**

There follows a list of some of the significant issues responded to by station WAND-TV, Decatur, Illinois, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period April 1, 2001 to June 30, 2001. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

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<i>Minority Concerns</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>May 3</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"The Outsider" – Elizabeth Vargas tells the story of Perry Reece, who became the only and most prominent black man in the small community of Burlin, Ohio. Reece first came to the town to become a basketball coach and had to overcome the town's initial hatred of him. To win their respect, he turned the not-so-great basketball team into a dominate force and preached the important of loving God, your family, and basketball.</i>
<i>Women's Issues</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>May 10</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"Exception to the Rules" – Elizabeth Vargas talks about the popular book, "The Rules," a book about how to get a man. Authors Ellen Fine and Sharon Schneider have also written a new book about how to keep a happy husband called "The Rules to Keeping a Marriage."</i>
<i>Women's Issues</i>	<i>Digest</i>	<i>June 3</i>	<i>Noon</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"Race for the Cure" – Host Zenobia Gerald takes a look at this annual fundraiser for breast cancer research. Five thousand people participated in the race this year – many of them are cancer survivors. Guests – Gwendolyn Childress/ Breast Cancer Survivor. Terry Mikeworth / Race for the Cure Committee.</i>
<i>Women's Issues</i>	<i>Women's Voices</i>	<i>June 9</i>	<i>12:30 p.m.</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"Women in Government" –Host Cindy Gutteridge takes a look at a Springfield organization that helps women who are interested in running for office.</i>
<i>Women's Issues</i>	<i>60something +</i>	<i>June 17</i>	<i>Noon</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"Sexual Assault"- Host Marjorie Sangster takes a look at Growing Strong Sexual Assault Center and its work with older women. Guest – Peg Kovach/Growing Strong Executive Director.</i>
<i>Women's Issues</i>	<i>News Extra</i>	<i>June 30</i>	<i>12:30 p.m.</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"Women's Health Issues" - Host Melaney Koch examines health issues of particular interest to women; including cancer, stress, heart disease and diabetes. Guests –Mary Coventry / Nurse Practitioner. Jane Piraino/ Nurse Practitioner.</i>

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<i>Senior Issues</i>	<i>60something +</i>	<i>April 15</i>	<i>Noon</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"Senior Celebration" – The specific purpose of the Central Illinois Senior Celebration is to provide annually, free of charge, informational exhibits, materials and quality health screenings to persons 50 and older, in order to create awareness to assist them in planning their own dignity and independence. Host – Marjorie Sangster. Guests – Debbie Deopere / Central Illinois Senior Celebration Steering Committee. LuAnn Meyer / Central Illinois Senior Celebration Steering Committee.</i>
<i>Senior Issues</i>	<i>60something+</i>	<i>May 20</i>	<i>Noon</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"Adult Day Care" –If you're caring for an aging parent who lives at home, chances are you'll need some help; especially if you're on the job from 9 to 5. One option is adult day care. Jamie Danbury, the director of skilled care at St. Mary's Hospital, discusses the adult day care concept with host Marjorie Sangster.</i>
<i>Youth Problems &amp; Promise</i>	<i>Digest</i>	<i>April 1</i>	<i>Noon</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"Juvenile Crime" - A recent report for the U.S. Surgeon General says there's an epidemic of youth violence....marked by school shootings around the country...as well as other murders, rapes and armed robberies. Host Zenobia Gerald goes over the report and what's going on in the area of youth violence in Central Illinois. Guests – Detective . Bill Hotwick / Macon County Sheriff's Department. Sgt. Cliff Kretsinger, Supervisor of the Decatur Police Department's Juvenile Investigation Unit.</i>
<i>Youth Problems &amp; Promise</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>April 13</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"Sticks and Stones" Connie Chung speaks with Elizabeth Bush, the 14-year-old girl who made headlines after she shot one of the most popular girls in school. Friends considered Elizabeth an outcast and Elizabeth says that she became depressed. After unsuccessful counseling, Elizabeth had every intention of killing herself. But in one moment, she turned the gun away from herself, and shot classmate Kimberly Marchese in the shoulder.</i>

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<i>Youth Problems &amp; Promise</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>April 13</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"A Jackass Stunt" – Lynn Sherr looks at the popular MTV show "Jackass" to try and figure out why the show has led many children to copy the dangerous stunts performed by Johnny Knoxville and his group of stuntmen. Tommy Hitz, a 12-year-old was one child who attempted to mimic a stunt he had seen on the show and ended up setting his shirt on fire. As a result, he suffered second and third degree burns on his body.</i>
<i>Youth Problems &amp; Promise</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>May 25</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"DARE" John Stossel contends that the government's main drug prevention program called DARE is not working, but the government keeps giving it more money. Although DARE has claimed short-term success, long-term studies have found that DARE does not curb substance abuse.</i>
<i>Youth Problems &amp; Promise</i>	<i>Digest</i>	<i>May 26</i>	<i>12:30 pm</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"Youth Coalition" - LaKeysha Bates and Teresa Combs join host Zenobia Gerald to talk about the Macon County Youth Coalition. LaKeysha is an Eisenhower High School student and Teresa is the Diversity Program Coordinator at DOVE.</i>
<i>Youth Problems &amp; Promise</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>June 11</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"Easy Money" (Counterfeits) – Chris Cuomo discovers how easy it is for people to make counterfeit money. Kids are making bills that look and feel real, but they don't come from any bank. Instead, they are printed right off home computers.</i>
<i>Youth Problems &amp; Promise</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>June 18</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"Falling Star" (Street Kids) – Chris Cuomo followed the story of Star Chase for two years. At 15-years-old, Star abandoned her life in the suburbs and her loving family for the streets. The journey in homelessness depicts Star falling in and out of love, and suddenly facing the reality that she will be a mother.</i>
<i>Youth Problems &amp; Promise</i>	<i>Digest</i>	<i>June 23</i>	<i>12:30 p.m.</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"Youth Empowerment/Stop the Violence" – Zenobia Gerald talks with Decatur City Council Member Betsy Stockard. She organized Youth Empowerment Agency more than five years ago. To bring attention to gang violence, the group marched every day for one year in area neighborhoods plagued by gang violence. All of a sudden, the marches stopped. Now, they're at it again.</i>

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<i>Youth Problems &amp; Promise</i>	<i>Digest</i>	<i>June 24</i>	<i>Noon</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"ACT Program" - The ACT Program (Assertive Community Treatment) provides a comprehensive array of services to help 13 to 17-year-olds to identify and address emotional and mental crises and difficulties as quickly as possible. The services include assessment activities, development and implementation of individual and family service plans, provision of 24-hour emergency responses, follow-up monitoring, and assertive case management activities. The goal is to regain and/or maintain the preservation of the family system and the child client within that system. Host - Zenobia Gerald. Guests - Dawn Bunnow/ACT Program Coordinator and Beth Pruitt/ACT Program Art Therapist.</i>
<i>Health &amp; Safety</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>April 5</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"Primetime Owner's Manual: Your Body" - John Quinones reports that women's sleeping patterns may provide researchers the clues they need to cure some of the nation's sleep disorders.</i>
<i>Health &amp; Safety</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>April 6</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"The Cancer Pill" Dr. Timothy Johnson talks about a new cancer pill that is saving many lives and restoring some patients to complete health. A seven-year-old boy with leukemia took the pill and became healthy within weeks.</i>
<i>Health &amp; Safety</i>	<i>20?20</i>	<i>April 19</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"Jennifer's Story." Dr. Nancy Snyderman warns people about the dangers associated with a routine test. Jennifer Roofer discovered the dangers after seeing her doctor when she thought she was pregnant. Doctors tested Jennifer with a special test called the Avid Pregnancy Test after they discovered high levels of HCG in Jennifer; cancerous HCG cells are often mistaken for pregnancy. After numerous doses of chemotherapy and a hysterectomy, doctors performed surgery on Jennifer to look for the cancerous cells and after finding no malignant cells, doctors declared that Jennifer never really had cancer. Now, Jennifer is unable to have children due to the misdiagnosis.</i>

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<i>Health &amp; Safety</i>	<i>Digest</i>	<i>April 22</i>	<i>Noon</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"Never Shake a Baby" – You would think people would know better than to shake a baby. But the sad fact is an estimated 600 to 1,400 babies are severely shaken each year in this country. Some die from their injuries. Others face a lifetime of therapy because of brain damage. Guests – Janet Simmons and Kristen Nolan. Janet's daughter Kristina is a victim of shaken baby syndrome. Kristin is a health educator at the Macon County Health Department. Host – Zenobia Gerald.</i>
<i>Health &amp; Safety</i>	<i>Digest</i>	<i>June 2</i>	<i>12:30 p.m.</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"Organ Donations" – Illinois Secretary of State Jesse White joins host Scot England to talk about Organ Donations in Illinois. Stacy Bacon, the mother of a donor, also joins the discussion.</i>
<i>Consumer</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>April 12</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"Skyway Robbery" – Chris Wallace reports on the growing number of people who are falling prey to stolen luggage.</i>
<i>Consumer</i>	<i>Digest</i>	<i>April 29</i>	<i>Noon</i>	<i>30 Min.</i>	<i>"Identity Theft" – What do you do if you're a victim of identity theft? Sharon Law says you must act immediately and aggressively to minimize the damage to your financial reputation. Law is with the Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Central Illinois. Host – Zenobia Gerald. Issues covered include: How identity theft occurs. Minimize your risk. Choosing to share your personal information – or not. If you're a victim. Your first three steps. Your next steps. Where to get help.</i>
<i>Consumer</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>May 3</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"Primetime Investigation" (Mini Vans) Chris Wallace runs an investigation on the safety of Ford Chrysler's mini-vans. Primetime discovers that Chrysler's neglecting to install a Break Shift Interlock, a device that prevents the van from going into gear, causes many accidents.</i>

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<i>Consumer</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>May 18</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"Getting Nailed" Arnold Diaz leads a 20/20 investigation of nail salons in three states that revealed bacteria and unsanitary practices at many of the salons.</i>
<i>Consumer</i>	<i>Primetime</i>	<i>June 14</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"A Primetime Investigation" (Antiques) – Chris Wallace leads a hidden camera investigation following the antique craze that is sweeping the nation. Primetime says beware. There are many people out there ready to turn your antique find into their fortune.</i>
<i>Consumer</i>	<i>Primetime</i>	<i>June 14</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"The Sting" (Home Repair) – Diane Sawyer and Primetime, in conjunction with a Long Island District Attorney, set up a massive sting, using eight hidden cameras in ordinary homes, to see what home repairmen do when you're not looking.</i>
<i>Crime</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>April 12</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"Stolen Dreams" – Cynthia McFadden talks about the more than 50 men and women who have been released from prison throughout the last few years because they were wrongfully accused. Primetime talks with several of these wrongly convicted men to see how they were compensated, if at all, for their time spent in prison.</i>
<i>Crime</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>April 27</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"Innocence Lost" (Alabama Burning) – Connie Chung talks about the details surrounding the case of former Klansman, Thomas Blanton, accused of blowing up a black church in Birmingham, Alabama in 1963 that killed four young girls. Blanton was one of the original suspects, but only one other man has been convicted. If Blanton is convicted, he will face life in prison.</i>
<i>Crime</i>	<i>20/20</i>	<i>May 4</i>	<i>9 p.m.</i>	<i>60 Min.</i>	<i>"An Eye for an Eye....A Life for a Life" – (Execution Hour) – Barbara Walters takes viewers through the execution procedures....she travels to a prison in Angola, Louisiana, where 91 prisoners are on death row and almost 100 people have been put to death over the past few years. She also speaks with Timothy McVeigh's lawyer; sits down with the lead prosecutor for the Timothy McVeigh case, Joseph Hartzler; and talks with survivors of the Oklahoma City bombing.</i>

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<b>Religion</b>	<b>20/20</b>	<b>May 24</b>	<b>9 p.m.</b>	<b>60 Min.</b>	<b><i>“Dangerous Passion” – Peggy Wehmeyer tells of the dangers faced by Christian missionaries. Every year, nearly 130 missionaries are killed because of their commitment to spreading the gospel. In particular, missionaries in Latin American countries are increasingly finding themselves caught in the crossfire of drug traffickers and political conflicts. Peggy Wehmeyer speaks with missionary friends of the Bauer family, as well as the widow of another missionary who was killed while spreading the faith.</i></b>
<b>Religion</b>	<b>20/20</b>	<b>June 11</b>	<b>9 P.M.</b>	<b>60 Min.</b>	<b><i>“Desperate Prayers” - Bill Ritter meets with people whose lives are consumed by religious prayers. They have an uncomfortable obsession with ritual, praying over and over again each day.</i></b>
<b>Special Populations</b>	<b>News Extra</b>	<b>April 7</b>	<b>12:30 p.m.</b>	<b>30 Min.</b>	<b><i>“Disabilities” – Host Scot England talks with some special people who are challenged every minute of every day. They’re disabled. Lucinda Crutchfield is a medical transcriptionist. And Kim Richter is a Home Services Coordinator.</i></b>