

WUEZ-FM
Carterville, Illinois
Issues and Programs List
First Quarter: January – March 2020
Filed 04/08/2020

Program: Magic Mornings With April

Date/Time: January 27th/7:40am

Length: 5 minutes

Issue: Will Rock For Food

Issue: J.R. Russell – Marion Ministerial Alliance

Synopsis: Fundraising concert to replenish the Marion Area Food Banks, which are always depleted following the holidays.

Program: Magic Mornings With April

Date/Time: February 5th/7:40am

Length: 5 minutes

Issue: Boys & Girls Club Trivia Night at the Oscars

Issue: Tina Carpenter

Synopsis: Fundraiser to finance the many programs the Boys & Girls Club offers from education and after school programs to summer camp.

Program: Magic Mornings With April

Date/Time: February 5th / 8:40am

Length: 5 minutes

Issue: Tourism / SI Boat Show

Issue: Ashlee Spiller

Synopsis: In an effort to boost tourism in the region the Pavoion is hosting their annual boat show, hoping to introduce people new to the area to all Southern Illinois has to offer with regard to boats & lakes.

Program: Magic Mornings With April

Date/Time: February 10th /8:40am

Length: 5 minutes

Issue: Human Trafficking

Issue: Melissa McKinnies

Synopsis: Introduction to the fact that human trafficking does exist in Southern Illinois. Looking at the size and scope of it and how to effectively combat it.

Program: Magic Mornings With April

Date/Time: February 13th/8:40am

Length: 5 minutes

Issue: Recognizing Stroke / Stroke Simulation

Issue: American Heart Association / Dr. Hornike

Synopsis: Effort to raise awareness about stroke symptoms and how to respond.

Program: Magic Mornings With April

Date/Time: February 18th /8:40am

Length: 5 minutes

Issue: Tourism / Maple Syrup Festival

Issue: Touch of Nature – JD Tanner

Synopsis: Bring awareness to the weekend event being held at Touch of Nature. The Maple Syrup Festival raises money for the many different programs hosted by Touch of Nature for special populations.

Program: Magic Mornings With April

Date/Time: February 24th / 8:40am

Length: 5 minutes

Issue: Nubability / Special Populations' Camp

Issue: Jana & Sam Keenart

Synopsis: Founders of the world-renowned camp for kids of all ages that are limb challenged. Looking for nominations for Special Star to be honored at annual banquet & bring awareness to the annual fundraiser.

Program: Week in Review

Date / Time: 03/01/2020 | 6am

Length: 12 minutes

Issue: Congressional Redistricting

Issue: Madelyn Doubek, Executive Director of Change Illinois

Synopsis: Following the 2020 US Census, Illinois will redraw its political maps. With a long history of corruption, many Illinois residents want to take the map making power out of the hands of politicians and put it in the hands of an independent commission. A similar effort was attempted in 2010. In this interview with Madelyn Doubek, the Executive Director of Change Illinois, listeners are provided with a brief history of the issue and given information on how they can help change Illinois' political future.

Program: Week in Review

Date / Time: 03/01/2020 | 6:12am

Length: 13 minutes

Issue: Cairo River Port

Issue: Illinois State Senator Dale Fowler

Synopsis: Cairo, Illinois sits at the confluence of the Mississippi and Ohio Rivers. For years, the residents of the once booming river town have been promised a river port that would bring the struggling community back to prosperity. A big step towards achieving that goal was taken in early 2020 when millions of dollars for the building of that port was included in the state budget. In this interview with Illinois State Senator Dale Fowler, whose district includes Cairo, Fowler explains the process of planning and designing the port, lays out a possible timeline for the construction, and estimates the economic impact the construction and completed project would make not only in Cairo, but for all of southern Illinois.

Program: Magic Mornings With April

Date/Time: March 4th /8:40am

Length: 5 minutes

Issue: SIU Foundation

Issue: Day of Giving / Rae Goldsmith

Synopsis: An effort on behalf of Southern Illinois' largest employer, SIU, to reach out to all former students to give back to the university in any department they wish to support.

Program: Week in Review

Date / Time: 03/22/2020 | 6am

Length: 6 minutes

Issue: Local response to COVID-19

Issue: Williamson County Commissioner Brent Gentry

Synopsis: Conducted early in the Coronavirus Pandemic, this interview with Williamson County Commissioner Brent Gentry covers the local response at that time to COVID-19, including actions like closing the county administrative building to all non-essential personnel. Also discussed was important information for senior citizens regarding a delay in the collection of some county taxes due to COVID-19.

Program: Week in Review

Date / Time: 03/29/2020 | 6am

Length: 11 minutes

Issue: State response to COVID-19

Issue: Illinois State Representative Terri Bryant

Synopsis: In an effort to enforce social distancing guidelines, Illinois Governor J-B Pritzker closed all state run parks and recreations areas. This action upset many residents of southern Illinois where COVID-19 was not as widespread. In this interview with Illinois State Representative Terri Bryant, she describes her response to the governor's action and the official request she made to the Pritzker administration and the Illinois Department of Natural Resources to reopen the parks.