WCFB Quarterly Report

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Retrospect is a public service program that airs on WCFB Sunday mornings from 5:00 – 6:30 a.m. On this program, members of the Central Florida community discuss issues of concern to the region's citizenship. For the first quarter 2018, the following issues were addressed:

Crime

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- Antiques Vintage & Garden Show
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- · Wine, Women, & Shoes Event

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- Precautions to Prevent the Spread of Flu
- Support for individuals with Bleeding Disorders
- Women Encouraged to Be Screened for Cervical Cancer
- Therapeutic Horseback Riding Volunteers Needed
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- Community Discussion about Election Day Massacre of 1920
- Service to Lift People Out of Poverty

- Fostering with PRIDE Outreach Events
- NAMI Walks 2018

ISSUE:

Crime

5:00 a.m.

Segment Topic: National Slavery and Human Trafficking Prevention

Month

Organization: Paving the Way

Guest(s): Jan Edwards

Contact: Paving the way.com; stoptraffickingtoday.com/;

Florida Abuse Hotline: 1-800-962-2873

Date: 1/28/17

Duration: 30:00

Issues: Paving the Way is committed to educating and

empowering businesses, governmental organizations and the community to prevent children from being trafficked here in the United States. Edwards explained what parents need to know to keep their children and teens safe. She made it very clear that trafficked victims come from every walk of life and that this crime is happening in every neighborhood. So she has produced an informative film to spread this

information to others.

ISSUE:

Culture

6:00

a.m.

Segment Topic: Women of the Research Studio: Past and Present

Through February 18th

Organization: Art & History Museums – Maitland

Guest(s): Dr, Rangsook Yoon, A&H's Director of Experiences

Elisabeth Condon, Artist

Contact: 407-539-2181; www.artandhistory.org

Date: 1/14/18

Duration: 30:00

Issues: Yoon and Condon described the upcoming exhibit, *Women*

of the Research Studio: Past and Present. Dr. Yoon explained that the exhibit will honor the legacy of female who have visited the Art and History's Maitland Art Center. The exhibit will include works by Mina Citron, Jan Gelb, and two artists in residence. Condon, one of the featured artists in residence, described her mixed-media artwork and

explained the symbolism.

The exhibit will be on view from January 5th until February

18th.

5:00

a.m.

Segment Topic: City of Orlando 2018 MLK Calendar of Events

Organization: City of Orlando

Guest(s): Courtney Powell, Member of the Orlando Mayor's Dr.

Martin Luther King, Jr. Commission

Contact: MLKOrlando.com.

Date: 1/14/18 **Duration:** 30:00

Issues: Powell explained why the City of Orlando dedicates a week

of events to the memory of Dr. Martin Luther King and described some of the many events in which listeners may participate. He explained that there will be parades, a film screening, art projects, service projects and more. Listeners can look at the City of Orlando's website for a complete

listing.

5:30

a.m.

Segment Topic: An Evening with Fabulous Friends Gala

will be a part of the Gala.

Organization: Mennello Museum of American Art

Guest(s): Sam Azar, Board Member of the Board of Directors

Contact: 407-246-4278; mennellomuseum.org

Date: 1/21/18

Duration: 30:00

Issues:

Azar described the works at the Mennello Museum of American Art and invited listeners to attend the annual *An Evening with Fabulous Friends Gala*. He explained that the *Gala* will be a celebration of the museum's 20th anniversary of showcasing the works of Earl Cunningham. Azar described the history of the museum and the activities that

5:00 a.m.

Segment Topic: Antiques Vintage & Garden Show

Organization: Orlando Museum of Art

Guest(s): Jan Clanton, Volunteer Council of 101

Contact: Omart.org/events/antiques_vintage_and_garden_show

407-896-4231

Date: 2/11/18

Duration: 30:00

Issues: Clanton invited listeners to the 2018 Antiques Vintage and

Garden Show, taking place on February 16th through the 18th. The home, garden, and floral design event is a fundraiser put on by the Council of 101 to support the Orlando Museum of Art's programs and exhibits. There will be floral workshops, tours, a book signing, a speaker,

preview party and antiques.

5:00 a.m.

Segment Topic: Art 31 2018: Thirty-One Days of Fiber Art

Organization: Art & History Museums – Maitland

Guest(s): Dr. Rangsook Yoon, Director of Experiences

Jessie Van Pelt, Communications Manager

Contact: 407-539-2181; artandhistory.org

30:00

Date: 2-18-18

Duration:

Issues: The guests invited listeners to *Art 31*, thirty-one days of art

experiences at the Art & History Museums of Maitland. Dr. Yoon described the Fiber exhibits that will be on view and their symbolic meaning. The art is made of fibrous materials like cloth and paper and created with traditional techniques like stitching, quilting, and crocheting. Van Pelt described the Museum's goals for the event and the activities that will offered throughout the month to supplement an appreciation

of the artworks.

5:00 a.m.

Segment Topic: Wine, Women, & Shoes Event

Organization: Benefiting Second Harvest Food Bank of Central Florida

Guest(s): Maureen Mikel, Director of Development

Contact: 407-514-1006; Feedhopenow.org

Date: 3/25/18 **Duration:** 20:00

Issues: Second Harvest Food Bank of Central Florida collects food

that is then distributed to those who need it through its feeding partners (soup kitchens and food pantries.) Mikel invited listeners to participate in the *Wine, Women, & Shoes* fundraiser to benefit Second Harvest. There will be hors d'oeuvres, wine tasting, shopping at boutique vendors, and a silent auction. The proceeds go right back into feeding the community. The event takes place on April 28th at the Ritz-

Carlton Orlando.

ISSUE:

Economy

5:00

a.m.

Segment Topic: New Year's Advice for Household Budgeting

Organization: Axiom Bank

Guest(s): Jessica Ludvigsen, Senior Vice-President of Retail Banking

Contact: 321-972-3971

Date: 1/7/18 **Duration:** 30:00

Issues: Ludvigson encouraged listeners to start the new year with a

sound budget. She shared six "big-picture" tips to create and maintain that budget: be realistic, take one step at a time, connect the dots, strive to save, take the *52-week Challenge* (which is setting up a savings), and fund the full match in

work 401K programs.

5:30

a.m.

10:00

Segment Topic: Mayor's Job Fair - January 31st

Organization: Central Florida Employment Council (CFEC)

Guest(s): Paulette Weir

Contact: Cfec@cfec.org

Date: 1/28/18

Duration:

Issues: Weir invited job seekers to attend the *Mayor's Job Fair* at the

Central Florida Fair Expo Park on January 31st. There will be nearly 100 companies looking to fill hundreds of positions in various industries. Weir also invited listeners to utilize the employment services, such as resume writing assistance,

available every day at CFEC.

5:30 a.m.

Segment Topic: 2018 Sight and Sole Walkfest

Organization: Lighthouse Central Florida

Guest(s): Richard Alleyne, Communications and Public Policy

Manager

Contact: 407-898-2483; lighthousecfl.org

Date: 2/25/18 **Duration:** 20:00

Issues: Alleyne explained that Lighthouse Central Florida helps

individuals who have any degree of visions loss to live comfortably and productively. The organization helps children reach developmental milestones, helps prepare teens to become independent and successful, and to help rehabilitate adults who have lost their sight later in life. Alleyne also discussed the job training, employment, and career opportunities offered by Lighthouse Works. All of these efforts will be supported by the funds raised at the 2018

Sight and Sole Walkfest.

5:30

a.m.

Segment Topic: Culinary Training Program Prepares Students for

Career in the Culinary Industry

Organization: Second Harvest Food Bank of Central Florida

Guest(s): Gred Higgerson, Vice President of Development

Contact: Feedhopenow.org

Date: 3/4/18 **Duration:** 30:00

Issues: Higgerson discussed the Second Harvest Food Bank's

Culinary Training Program which is celebrating its fifth anniversary. The ultimate goal is to help students train so they can achieve a successful career in the culinary industry. He said that there are three classes graduating this coming May, including one made up of Puerto Rican hurricane evacuees. Higgerson invited listeners to help the Second Harvest Food Bank by volunteering and making donations.

5:40

a.m.

Segment Topic: Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Programs (VITA)

Organization: Heart of Florida United Way (HFUW)

Guest(s): David Foote, Manager, Financial Stability Initiatives

Contact: David.foote@hfuw.org

Date: 3/18/18 **Duration:** 30:00

Issues: Foote explained that HFUW offers free tax preparation

assistance at various locations. He explained how helping people with their taxes is a part of HFUW's financial stability initiatives. He also explained the impact of the Earned

Income Tax Credit on Central Florida economy.

5:30

a.m.

Segment Topic: Social Enterprise Accelerator

Organization: Rally: The Social Enterprise Accelerator

Guest(s): Ben Hoyer,

President and COO of Rally and Founder of Downtown

Credo

Contact: cflsea.com

Date: 3/25/18

Duration: 15:00

Issues: Rally: The Social Enterprise Accelerator, is an effort to help

social enterprise entrepreneurs in the early stages of business development. Rally is spearheaded by the Central Florida Foundation, Rollins College, and Downtown Credo with the goal that companies solve social issues with their products. Hoyer explained that over the past year, eight companies have been functioning as a cohort as they worked through the early stages of business development, learning how to access resources, funding, and mentors. The resulting business will impact social issues like poverty and

environmental sustainability.

ISSUE:

Education

5:15 a.m.

Segment Topic: 49 Fund Accepting Applications for College

Scholarships

Organization: Central Florida Foundation

Guest(s): Mark Brewer, President/CEO

Contact: Cffound.org; the49Fund.org

Date: 3/4/18 **Duration:** 15:00

Issues: The Central Florida Foundation is currently accepting

applications for the *49 Fund's* second annual scholarship awards. The *49 Fund* honors the lives lost in the Pulse tragedy by awarding up to 10 local LGBT students \$4,900 each to pay for college tuition. Applicants must be self-identified as "out" and a member of the LGBT community, attend an accredited two- or four-year institution of higher learning on a full-time basis, earn a 3.0 GPA or higher, and demonstrate a commitment to making Central Florida a

better place.

6:00

a.m.

Segment Topic: Financial Literacy Month - 401K Race for Financial

Fitness, 4/28

Organization: Junior Achievement of Central Florida

Guest(s): Kathy Panter, President & CEO

Contact: 407-898-2121; kpanter@jacentralfl.org

Date: 3/18/18

Duration: 30:00

Issues: Panter explained how Junior Achievement provides youth

with financial literacy training and invited families to participate in the *401K Race for Financial Fitness*. She also encouraged people to volunteer with Junior Achievement.

5:45

a.m.

Segment Topic: Fabulous Dresses at Fantastic Prices Event Benefits

Goodwill

Organization: Goodwill Industries of Central Florida

Guest(s): Karla Radka

Contact: 407-616-5332

Date: 3/25/18

Duration: 15:00

Issues: Goodwill Industries is holding a Fabulous Dresses at

Fantastic Prices event to benefit their COMPASS alternative high school program for at-risk youth. The dress event will feature 1,000 formal and semi-formal dresses for sale at \$25.00 or less – which makes it affordable for girls who are shopping for high school prom. Then the funds raised will support the COMPASS program, which allows participating students to complete their high school studies while also

getting job training and job experience.

ISSUE:

Environment

6:00 a.m.

Segment Topic: Lake Apopka Birding Festival, January 19th-21st

Organization: Orange Audubon Society (OAS)

Guest(s): Deborah Green, Past President and

Chair of Lake Apopka Birding Festival

LynnMarie Folts, Member.

Contact: Facebook.com/groups/lakeapopkawd/

Date: 1/7/18 **Duration:** 30:00

Issues: Green and Folts invited listeners to the annual *Lake Apopka*

Birding Festival, taking place on January 19th through the 21st. They described the location as being a prime birding area and explained that participants would have knowledgeable birding and photography guides. The event takes place on the 20,000-acre Lake Apopka North Shore

property and other nearby sites.

Green also described the overall mission of Orange Audubon while Folts shared her expertise related to taking pictures of birds along the North Shore. She will lead several hikes during the event.

6:00 a.m.

Segment Topic: Wetlands Festival 2018

Organization: City of Orlando

Guest(s): Mark Sees, Wetlands Manager

Contact: Mark.sees@cityoforlando.net

Date: 1/21/18

Duration: 30:00

Issues: Sees described the events planned for the 2018 Wetlands

Festival. He explained that visitors will be able to take tours of the park, see birds and other animals, learn about nature photography, enjoy the food and entertainment, and learn about how this park area is maintained. Sees explained how the water the Orlando sends through the wetlands is cleaned

by the grasses before it goes into the St. Johns River.

6:00 a.m.

Segment Topic: Trash 2 Trends

Organization: City of Orlando

Guest(s): Jody Buyas. Keep Orlando Beautiful Coordinator

Contact: 407.246.2752; www.cityoforlando.net/kob

Date: 1/28/18 **Duration:** 30:00

Issues: Buyas described the Keep Orlando Beautiful program and

invited listeners to the annual Trash 2 Trends fundraiser.

Through Keep Orlando Beautiful, residents receive support

in carrying out beautification projects. *Trash 2 Trends* is a fashion show of clothing that is made out of trash. Buyas

said the money raised goes right back into the beautification

projects. Overall, the point is to make the Orlando

community a more sustainable, beautiful place in which to

live, work, and play. The event is scheduled for Saturday,

February 3rd, 2018.

6:00 a.m.

Segment Topic: Orange County's Offers Solar Co-ops

Organization: Orange County and Solar United Neighbors of Florida

Guest(s): Mary Dipboye,

Solar United Neighbors of Florida Advisory Board

Contact: Doreen.Overstreet@ocfl.net;

Solarunitedneighbors.org/orange

Date: 2/4/18

Duration: 30:00

Issues: Dipboye explained how solar co-ops work and invited

listeners to learn more at upcoming Orange County information sessions. Co-ops work by bringing together a group of individual home owners and businesses who want to add solar panels to their home. As a large group, they are able to negotiate bulk discounts from a company they select through a competitive bidding process. Once they have the solar installed, the homeowners are able to power their homes and when they produce extra energy, they can earn credits for power needs during those months with less

sunshine.

6:00

a.m.

Segment Topic: Mead Botanical Garden Habitat Enhancement Project

Organization: City of Winter Park's Parks and Recreation Department

Guest(s): Tim Egan, Natural Resources Manager

Dru Dennison, Urban Forestery Manager

Contact: 407-599-3428

Date: 2/18/18 **Duration:** 30:00

Issues: Several groups are joining forces to create a habitat

enhancement project at Mead Botanical Gardens. The goal is for Mead Botanical Garden to be a model of urban habitat management and wildlife corridor development. The groups working on this project are the City of Winter Park's Parks and Recreation Department, City of Winter Park's Urban Forestry Divisions, Mead Botanical Garden, Inc., the Tarflower Chapter of the Florida Native Plant Society, and

the Orange Audubon Society.

ISSUE:

Health

5:30

a.m.

Segment Topic: Lung Force Run/Walk Orlando Forming Teams Now

Organization: American Lung Association

Guest(s): Keishan Moore, Development Manager

Contact: 407-425-5864; Keishan.Moore@Lung.org

Date: 1/7/18 **Duration:** 30:00

Issues: Moore explained the mission of Lung Force and encouraged

people to help by participating with a *Lung Force Run/Walk* team. She said that lung cancer is the number one cancer killer of women and that other lung conditions like asthma affect 32 million Americans. She said that we can all do our part to lessen the impact of lung diseases by raising funds and awareness through the *Run/Walk*. She explained how to

form or join a team.

5:30

a.m.

Segment Topic: Organization Experiences increased Pediatric Needs

Organization: Shepherd's Hope

Guest(s): Marni Stahlman, President / CEO

Contact: 407-876-6699; Shepherdshope.org

Date: 1/14/18

Duration: 30:00

Issues: Shepherd's Hope provides free health care for the uninsured

and under-insured. Stahlman discussed the work being conducted at Shepherd's Hope and how there wan an increase in the number pediatric patients served in 2017. Stahlman also described the role Shepherd's Hope has had in responding to the health needs of Puerto Rican evacuees who are relocating in central Florida and about the plans for

a new Shepherd's Hope facility in West Orange County.

5:00

a.m.

Segment Topic: Precautions to Prevent the Spread of Flu

Organization: Florida Department of Health in Seminole County

Guest(s): Mirna Chamorro. PIO

Contact: 407-665-3374; Seminolecohealth.com

Date: 1/21/18 **Duration:** 15:00

Issues: Chamorro explained that flu activity is on the rise in Florida

and that individuals should take steps to protect themselves. She described the various methods, such as washing hands that can help one to stay healthy. However, her main

message was for everyone to get flu shots because it's not too late. Chamorro addressed some of the concerns people

often have about getting a vaccine, making the point that it is

safe.

5:40

a.m.

Segment Topic: Support for individuals with Bleeding Disorders

Organization: Hemophilia Foundation of Greater Florida (HFGF)

Guest(s): Leah Nash, Development manager

Fran Haynes, Exec Director

Contact: 407.629.0000; leahnash@hemophiliaflorida.org.

Date: 1/28/18

Duration: 10:00

Issues:

The Hemophilia Foundation of Greater Florida (HFGF) provides services for the bleeding disorders community, so they can live healthier and more independent lives. The two guests invited listeners to support HFGF by attending the Lion King Live at the Dr. Phillips Center for the Performing Arts on February 17th. There will be a special reception and silent auction to raise funds for HFGF programs such as the medically supervised *Camp Spirit*, *Family Support Weekends*, and emergency financial assistance for patients who need help paying for their treatments.

5:50

a.m.

Segment Topic: Women Encouraged to Be Screened for Cervical

Cancer

Organization: Florida Department of Health in Orange County

Guest(s): Dr. Kevin Sherin, Health Officer

Contact: www.FloridaHealth.gov

Date: 1/28/18

Duration: 10:00

Issues: January is Cervical Health Awareness Month so the Florida

Department of Health in Orange County is encouraging women to be screened for cervical cancer and to focus on prevention. Dr. Sherin discussed the impact of certain lifestyle choices and the HPV vaccination on cervical cancer

prevention.

5:00

a.m.

Segment Topic: Therapeutic Horseback Riding – Volunteers Needed

Organization: Freedom Ride, Inc.

Guest(s): Marianne Gray, Executive Director

Jessica Uhl, Volunteer Coordinator

Contact: 407-293-0411; www.freedomride.com;

volunteerinfo@freedomride.com

Date: 2/4/18

Duration: 30:00

Issues: Gray and Uhl explained that with the help of volunteers,

Freedom Ride provides therapeutic horseback riding to individuals with disabilities. Gray described how the program works and shared some of the many success stories. Uhl described what volunteers do and invited listeners to attend

the next volunteer training session.

6:00

a.m.

Segment Topic: Run for the Angels 5K at Orlando Executive Airport

Organization: Angel Flight

Guest(s): Steve Purello, CEO Angel Flight Southeast Volunteer Pilot

and Director of the Air Charity Network

Contact: Angelflightse.org

Date: 3/4/18 **Duration:** 30:00

Issues: Purello explained that Angel Flight offers free transportation

for patients who need to travel in order to receive life-saving medical appointments. Pilots volunteer their skills to fly these individuals where they need to go. Purello explained that many of these pilots also flew supplies into Puerto Rico following the hurricane. The *Run for the Angels 5K* is a way

to raise funds and awareness for this program.

5:00 a.m.

Segment Topic: Healthy Living Expo and Milk Run

Organization: UF/IFAS

Guest(s): Jana Griffin, Family and Consumer Science Extension

Agent

Contact: griffinj@ufl.edu

Date: 3/4/18 **Duration:** 15:00

Issues: Griffin invited listeners to learn more about good nutrition

and get exercise by participating in the 2018 Milk Run, an off-road 5K. She explained that runners will make their way through historic dairy cow pastures and wooded fields. The

event is open to adults and children.

5:10 a.m.

Segment Topic: March is National Nutrition Month

Organization: Department of Health in Seminole County

Guest(s): Deepa Mathew, Nutrition Educator WIC Nutrition Services

Contact: 407-858-1400; eatright.org

Date: 3/18/18 **Duration:** 20:00

Issues:

As part of *National Nutrition Month*, the Women, Infants, and Children program (WIC) at the Florida Department of Health in Orange County is encouraging participants to eat healthy food. Mathew explained that the theme this year is *Go Further with Food*, so she's educating families on ways to make informed food choices and get exercise. She shared some nutrition ideas for listeners to incorporate into their meals.

ISSUE:

Public Safety

6:00

a.m.

Segment Topic: Health Expert Discusses Gun Violence

Organization: Brookline Massachusetts Health Department

Guest(s): Dr. Swannie Jett, Director of Health and Human Services

and Former Seminole County Health Manager

Contact:

Date: 2/25/18

Duration: 30:00

Issues: Dr. Jett discussed health issues related to gun violence and

how that violence is tracked by the CDC. He said the CDC should study gun violence prevention as well as suicide prevention. Finally, he said that the National Association of County and City Health Officials (NACCHO) encourages

everyone to adopt prevention methods.

ISSUE:

Social Issues

5:30

a.m.

Segment Topic: 6th Annual Walk A Mile in Her Shoes

Organization: Harbor House of Central Florida

Guest(s): Tony Cardoza, Board Chair and Event Chair

Tekoa Pouerie, Director of Development

Contact: www.harborhousefl.com

Date: 2/4/18 **Duration:** 30:00

Issues: The two guests discussed the issue of domestic violence and

invited listeners to participate in the 6th Annual Walk a Mile in Her Shoes. Pouerie described the various ways that Harbor House of Central Florida works to support victims of domestic violence, including offering a shelter to the victims and their children. Cardoza explained how men must take a part in raising awareness about this issue and invited men to put on a pair of women's heels and Walk a Mile in Her Shoes

on February 8th in downtown Orlando.

6:00

a.m.

Segment Topic: Community Discussion about Election Day Massacre of

1920

Organization: Valencia College Peace & Justice Institute

Guest(s): Rachel Allen, Director

Contact: rallend39@valenciacollege.edu

Date: 2/11/18 **Duration:** 30:00

Issues: Valencia College's Peace & Justice Institute is sponsoring a

series of community discussions about the *Election Day Massacre of 1920*, which started because a black man attempted to vote. Each event will include a screening of the documentary, *Ocoee: Legacy of the Election-Day Massacre,* followed by discussions led by a panel of local historians, scholars and activists. Allen explained that the goal is to get people to talk honestly about the history of race relations in

Central Florida, so that progress can be made.

5:30

a.m.

Segment Topic: Service to Lift People Out of Poverty

Organization: United Against Poverty Orlando

Guest(s): Eric Gray, Executive Director

Contact: 407-650-0774; Uporlando.org

Date: 2/18/18

Duration: 30:00

Issues: Gray spoke about the level of poverty in central Florida and

how it impacts the community as a whole. He explained that

United Against Poverty Orlando offers a reduced cost

grocery store, emergency food assistance, a STEP program,

and life enrichment services to persons who are working but

struggling. The programs and case management available to clients allows them to develop a plan for improving their

circumstances.

6:00 a.m.

Segment Topic: Fostering with PRIDE Outreach Events

Organization: Community Based Care of Central Florida

Zebra Coalition

Guest(s): Danielle Abbey, Community Based Care Central Florida

Heather Wilkie, with Zebra Coalition

Contact:

Date: 3/11/18

Duration: 30:00

Issues: Community Based Care of Central Florida and the Zebra

Foundation are offering a series of panel discussions to raise awareness about the need for foster parents and to find safe living arrangements for LGBTQ youth. They explained that

currently, there is a critical need for foster families.

6:00 a.m.

Segment Topic: NAMI Walks 2018

Organization: National Alliance on Mental Illness of Greater Orlando

(NAMI)

Guest(s): Eric L. Welch, Executive Director

Katherine, Volunteer

Hedy Bass, Community Advocate

Contact: 407.253.1900; NAMIGO.org

Date: 3/25/18 **Duration:** 30:00

Issues: The guests described the services offered by NAMI Orlando

and invited listeners to participate in *NAMI Walks 2018*. They also discussed the NAMI's efforts related to new Florida gun legislation, Katherine's experience with suicide, and a school program called *Ending the Silence*. They encouraged

listeners to be a part of NAMI Walks.

COMMUNITY

CONNECTION

Segment Topic: Culture

Organization: City of Orlando MLK Commission

Guest(s): Courtney Powell

Contact: 407/246-2221 **Date:** Dec. 31, 2017

Duration: 30 min

Events listed throughout the tri-county area pertaining to Dr.

Issues: King. We discussed his visit to Orlando back in 1964 and all

of the events happening to commemorate his birthday.

Segment Topic: Education

Organization: Winter Park Library/Hannibal Square Heritage Center

Guest(s): Dr. Ruth Edwards and Barbara Chandler

Contact: 321/594-3922

Date: January 7, 2018

Duration: 30 min.

They began a joint book club based on 3 books from author

Issues: James Baldwin. "Let's Talk Diversity" was designed to get the

Winter Park community to talk about equity and inclusion.

Segment Topic: Education

Organization: Infinite Scholars

Guest(s): Professor Laura Dorsey

Contact: 407/719-0225

Date: January 14, 2018

Duration: 30 min.

This program comes to the tri-county area once a year and

Issues: brings various colleges that students can apply to. Several

will be accepted right on the spot. The schools make a

donation of at least a million dollars in scholarships that

evening

Segment Topic: Health

Organization: Orange County Drug Free Coalition/Federation of Families

Guest(s): Carol Burkett/Muriel Jones

Contact: Ocfl.net/ 407/929-3133

Date: January 21, 2018

Duration: 30 min.

OCDF was hosting a lunch & learn on drugs and their

Issues: danger while FOF was hosting their 1st My FEST at Barnett

Park for youth and families affected by mental health

Segment Topic: Politics

Organization: Florida Rights Restoration Coalition

Guest(s): Sheena Meade and Rhianna Brown

Contact: 772/924-6436

Date: January 28, 2018

Duration: 30 min.

Sheena was a featured speaker at the Women's March here

Issues: and Rhianna is a youth activist. The two recanted the

platform for equality

Segment Topic: Culture/Education

Organization: Harry T. and Harriet V. Moore Cultural Complex Org.

Guest(s): Bill Geary

Contact: 321/720-8933

Date: February 4, 2018

Duration: 30 min.

The civil rights workers were memorialized with a complex

Issues: built on the land they lived on before they were murdered in

the 50's by the KKK. STAR 94.5 took listeners to the home

Segment Topic: Education

Organization: Friends of Children and Families

Guest(s): Meghan Wilson
Contact: 407/273-8444

Date: February 11, 2018

Duration: 30 min.

FCF introduces youth in foster care to resources they'll need

Issues: to transition out of foster care to live independently.

Segment Topic: Culture/Education

Organization: University of Central Florida

Guest(s): Professor Tony Major

Contact: 407/892-0732

Date: February 18, 2018

Duration: 30 min.

Monica received the Dr. John Washington award for

Issues: community service. Dr. Washington was a professor at

UCF and icon in the Orlando community.

Segment Topic: Education/Health

Organization: Tech Sassy Girlz/Queen Bee

Guest(s): Laine Powell and Dr. Andrea Dunn

Contact: 321/848-4723

Date: February 25, 2018

Duration: 30 min.

TSG creates a platform to interest girls in STEM. Dr. Dunn's

Issues: program Queen Bee encourages women to be proactive in

protecting themselves against HIV/AIDS

Segment Topic: Politics

Organization: Orange County Democratic Black Caucus

Guest(s): Russell Drake
Contact: 321/438-2244

Date: March 4, 2018

Duration: 30 min.

Mr. Drake is the President of the OCDBC and conducts

Issues: monthly meetings open to all Democrats. The purpose of

the organization is to make the political open to all

Segment Topic: Political/Community

Organization: African American Women's History Project

Guest(s): Mpumi Nobiva

Contact: @mpumi_nobica

Date: March 11, 2018

Duration: 30 min.

This young South African woman was born into extreme

Issues: poverty but managed to catch the eye of Oprah Winfrey and

graduate in the 1st class of her academy. She has since

moved to the U.S. and is now a national speaker.

STAR Cares Community Events



January 2018



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| Event | Count |
| January 12: City Hall- Haiti 8th Earthquake Anniversary | 100 People |
| January 13: Sade/Safety Event | 75 People |
| January 15: Pappy Kennedy | 1,000 People |
| January 17: Infinite Scholars Evans High School | 345 People |
| January 26: Orange County Drug Free Coalition Lunch | 10 People |
| January 26: Valencia College 50 th Year Anniversary Orlando Science Center | 175 people |
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February 2018



| Today's R&B and Throubacks | |
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| Event | Count |
| February 8:Principal for a Day – Innovations Charter Middle School | 40 People |
| February 10: Gift of Gospel | 200 People |
| February 17: Black HIV Awareness | 100 People |
| February 19: UCF Awards Luncheon | 250 People |
| February 24:Black History Bus Tour- Mims FL | 54 People |
| February 24: Seminole County Safe House Teen Dating Violence | 100 People |
| February 26: Wayne Dench Boys and Girls Club Black History Read-a-Thon | 100 Kids |
| February 26: Principal for a Day Sheeler High School | 25 Teens |



March 2018



| Event | Count |
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| March 1: HEBNI 20 Years | 250 People |
| March 2: Tech Sassy Girlz @ Orlando Science Center | 100 People |
| March 10: Women and Girls HIV Awareness | 175 People |
| March 24: Women's Conference St. Mark's AME | 200 Women |

STAR CARES COMMUNITY DONATIONS

| January | City of Orlando MLK Commiss | \$1,000.00 | |
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| February | Black History Trip to Mims, FL | (w/ 50 listeners) | \$1,194.00 |
| March | Women's History Seminar | (w/50 listeners) | \$1,380.77 |

Trump opiod plan

 $\underline{http://www.news965.com/news/national/death-penalty-for-some-drug-dealers-part-trump-opioid-plan-report-says/oGViP4RC4r9JtFNJMcudCN/$

Parkland shooter could have been committed last year for mental health eval

 $\underline{http://www.wesh.com/article/some-wanted-florida-school-shooting-suspect-committed-in-2016/19472422}$

Fl. Governor signs bill for PTSD help for 1st responders

https://www.wftv.com/news/florida/florida-gov-signs-bill-to-add-benefits-to-first-responders-1/722619163

CRIME

Grandmother injured in Titusville drive by shooting

https://www.wftv.com/news/local/grandmother-injured-in-titusville-drive-by-shooting-deputies-say/723039454

Stephon Clark buried in Sacramento, protests continue

https://blackamericaweb.com/2018/03/29/stephon-clark-is-buried-in-sacramento-protests-continue/

Ocoee officer won't fact charges for shooting into wrong home

http://www.mynews13.com/content/news/cfnews13/news/article.html/content/news/articles/cfn/2018/3/29/ocoee officer carlos anglero sentencing.html

Woman fights off man who attempts to kidnap her while masturbating

http://www.news965.com/news/local/police-woman-fights-off-masturbating-man-

baldwin-park/C9ITSBXuiYqHl5NNt4hV9H/

Explosion at FedEx from package bound for Austin, TX

http://www.wesh.com/article/report-police-investigating-explosion-at-fedex-facility-intexas/19489975

TRANSPORTATION

Morgan & Morgan file lawsuit in bridge collapse

 $\underline{http://www.news965.com/news/local/orlando-law-firm-morgan-morgan-file-first-civil-lawsuit-fiu-bridge-collapse/CHR50P6iI6tVsgmM3ptEjK/$

School starts back today in Miami after bridge collapse

http://cbs12.com/news/local/all-victims-identified-in-fiu-bridge-collapse

Gov. Scott directs FDOT to suspend federal payment to bridge builders

https://www.flgov.com/2018/03/19/gov-scott-directs-fdot-to-suspend-federal-payments-for-collapsed-fiu-bridge/

8 Year old Pine Hills girl killed in car crash

https://www.clickorlando.com/news/child-struck-by-vehicle-killed-in-orange-county-fhp-says

Attorney files 1st lawsuit after bridge collapse

 $\underline{http://www.wesh.com/article/orlando-based-attorney-to-file-first-lawsuit-in-fiu-bridge-collapse/19473680}$

EDUCATION

Students March for Our Lives is tomorrow in Washington and around the country

 $\underline{https://www.wftv.com/news/local/deputies-human-skeletal-remains-discovered-in-disc$

orange-county-woods/720282773

Black students at Stoneman Douglas H.S. hold press conference

https://www.theroot.com/black-students-at-stoneman-douglas-want-gun-violence-so-1824188315

ENTERTAINMENT/SPORTS

Black Panther wins at box office again

http://www.mynews13.com/content/news/cfnews13/on-the-

town/article.html/content/news/articles/ap/2018/03/18/_black_panther_leads.html

FSU beats Gonzaga headed to the Elite 8 now -

http://www.wltx.com/article/sports/fsu-defeats-gonzaga-headed-to-the-elite-eight/101-531205766

POLITICS

Trump fires VA secretary

http://www.mynews13.com/content/news/cfnews13/news/article.html/content/news/articles/cfn/2018/3/28/trump fires va secretary shulkin.html

LOCAL INTEREST

Deliberation continues in Noor Salman case https://www.wftv.com/news/local/deliberations-continue-as-jurors-focus-on-statement-to-fbi-in-pulse-shooting-trial/723472905
Extra patrols on sight at Lockhart M.S.https://www.wftv.com/news/local/deputies-man-grabs-girl-who-was-walking-to-bus-stop-in-orange-county/723363928