

Public Issues Show

Shaper Speaks

WAAV

Sundays 6am

4th Quarter Report 2015

OCTOBER

Oct. 4th We spoke with Charity Clark from Life Long Pregnancy Center as they celebrate their 30th year in Wilmington, NC. Life Line Pregnancy is an organization for women and men who have unexpected pregnancy...they offer testing, referrals, counseling and health of the baby.

Oct. 11th Travis sat down with the young Moguls mentoring group to discuss the state of Teens involved in violent crimes as the number begins to rise in the state of NC and here in Wilmington NC. Young Moguls Mentoring was also on with the Sherriff Ed McMahon and Lind Rawley of Wilmington Police Department.

Oct. 18th The Inaugural Running Agent Black Man Running discussed the reason for the name Black Men Running and the importance of running through neighborhoods to promote healthy living in African-American Communities as well as the need to see positive men staying healthy.

Oct. 25th The cast of the play Homecoming talked about the reason of the production and how it is targeted to battered women and the Domestic Violence Shelter sponsored the show and some participants were former clients of the Shelter and have given back to complete this production for the community during Domestic Violence Month.

NOVEMBER

Nov. 1st Shaper Speaks discusses the importance of incorporating digital promotions/social media with your small business with Tonya Wilson-Smith of Media Solution of Wilmington NC. Important topic was trademarks, copyright

and owning your name on the web so you can get google hits for searching your business in the area.

Nov. 8th Corey Wrisbon stopped by to talk about Crime is business and the judicial system as it pertains to bail bonds men/women and actually where the monies go once fines and fees are paid for tickets, probation and other court costs.

Nov. 15th Dr. Amada Lee new Chancellor of Cape Fear Community College discussed the new programs/degrees offered at Cape Fear Community College and where she wants to take the Community College in the Southeast as far as a leader in trades and Early College programs for High School Students that will be the first to attend college in their family.

Nov. 22nd Travis sat down with the director and producer of the Independent film Wilmington on Fire based on the Race Riots of 1898 in Wilmington NC. The next day was the viewing of the film with a panel and lecture from UNCW professors and members of the film that had documents of the Race Riots that actually happen in Wilmington.

Nov. 29th Shanna Dickens from the WHAT Center in Wilmington (Wilmington Health Access for Teens) discussed the ages for the Center has increased to 11-21. As long as students remain in school they can attend the center for help on any health issues male or female.

DECEMBER

Dec. 6th The discussion was about daily motivation for Lupus Patients. Writer Andres Richard talks about his book helping several Lupus patients in our area who were down about having the disease but the motivational book called Days to Get Through has even reduced the incidents of crisis among several patients who meditate, read and relax daily with the disease.

Dec. 13th Floyd Hart stopped by to talk about planned giving for families and individuals. Planned giving can help out organizations after people have passed on but want to leave a legacy to different organizations, schools, and churches. This art of funding different orgs keeps them alive.

Dec. 20th Teen Violence was the topic after a fatal drive by shooting of a 15 year old in Wilmington. A roundtable discussion with the Chief of Police, MOM – Moms Over Mourning, and Atiba Johnson founder of the OOPs Foundation.

Dec. 27th Frankie Pollock talked about the hope for youth as they present the HBCU Battle of the Marching Bands in January with a College Fair for the entire community to attend. This even is in conjunction with the Dr. Martin Luther King Celebration Week.