

## ISSUES PROGRAMS LIST

There follows a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by Station WQHZ, WRIE, WXKC, WXTA, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_. This listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

Agency/Representative	Program/Date/Time/Duration	Description of issues covered
<p>1. Erin Siegrist, Volunteer – American Cancer Society</p> <p>2. Heather Christensen, Events Coordinator at NAMI of Erie County</p> <p>3. Tammy Roche, VP Financial Development, Membership &amp; Marketing YMCA of Greater Erie</p>	<p>North Coast Views Sunday, June 03, 2018 6:00am - 30 min</p>	<p>1. Reminded everyone that the American Cancer Society gives information and support to those diagnosed with all forms of cancer (Making Strides is just for breast cancer awareness and research) Heard about a couple of programs – rides to dr. appointments and hotel stays for patient and guest. Also learned about the strides made in research – and how important fund raising is. Learned about Relay for Life and how to get involved. 9m30s</p> <p>2. Talked about how the National Alliance for Mental Illness has been run nationally for a very long time, and they have tools and research with proven outcomes for all chapters to take advantage of. Learned that there are 2 sessions for 2 different programs (one for the person going through the challenges &amp; one for the family) – that are free. Found out you do not have to be diagnosed with any mental illness to take part. Heard about how to volunteer and got details about their upcoming Fabulous golf outing. 9m35s</p> <p>3. Heard about how the YMCA has again teamed up with the City of Erie to offer a summer recreation program, where children and youth of all ages can come to area playgrounds every day – for free activities and lunch – with caring adults running the program. Learned about the free program to teach children and youth to swim. 10m50s</p>
<p>1. Jared McGarey, Environmental Education Specialist for DCNR</p> <p>2. Jon DeMarco, Executive Director, Presque Isle Partnership</p>	<p>North Coast Views Sunday, June 10, 2018 6:00am - 30 min</p>	<p>1. Reviewed what makes our State Park(s) special – reminding everyone about how lucky we are to have such a variety of animals and activities – for free – including the Bluffs and some activities that go on there. Went over some of the family events and classes coming this summer – for free, or a nominal charge...including pontoon boat rides, kayak lessons, bike tours, – night hikes and more. Learned about the area in the Tom Ridge center that many don't know about, the Aqua lab and heard about the plastics exhibit that reminds everyone how dangerous it can be for our waters and for just pollution. Let everyone know that there are changes to how you dispose of recyclables now (no plastic bags) 20m20s</p> <p>2. Heard about the Partnership's mission to help enhance everyone's experience at Presque Isle State Park, so they do activities to fund their projects. Got details about the upcoming UPMC Sunset Music Series, volunteer opportunities, DPI coming soon &amp; the Best Summer Night Concert. 9m40s</p>

<p>1 Vanessa Wienert, Marketing, Chautauqua Institution and Athenaeum Hotel</p>	<p>North Coast Views Sunday, June 17, 2018 6:00am - 30 min</p>	<p>1. Reminded everyone about how the Institution got started and how it hopes to open the conversation about religion, politics and more. Heard about the variety of programming for the 9 weeks it is open...from lectures– to discussions about topics important worldwide – to live entertainment and a their food festival. Reminded everyone that Sundays are free to enter and park. Reviewed how to get information about the entire season. 30m</p>
<p>1. Dave “Astro” Astemborski &amp; Lou LaRiccia, A.B.A.T.E.</p> <p>2. Rich Kirkpatrick, Communications Director, PENNDOT</p>	<p>North Coast Views Sunday, June 24, 2018 6:00am - 30 min</p>	<p>1 Learned that ABATE stands for Alliance of Bikers Aimed Toward Education, actually started by Easy Rider Magazine. One man a chapter in Erie (the state office used to be in Erie – now it is in Harrisburg) Most states have a chapter – but, they all work individually for the riders in each state. They have a lobbyist in Harrisburg to fight for their rights...including the choice to or not to wear a helmet – trying to get motorcycle safety put into drivers’ tests and more. They help many local charities with their fundraisers. 14m50s</p> <p>2. Learned about how PENNDOT does everything possible to be sure our roadways and bridges are safe and kept up. Learned about where the funding comes from (between tax on gas and a fee during registration) Found out where to get information on roadways while travelling across the state in real time, by phone or on your mobile device –and how to see what bridges and roadways are being worked on in general on their projects page. 14m55s</p>

Cristal Lepak, Youth Institute of Erie, Youth Program Coordinator, Global Youth Service Day

Learned about the Youth Institute of Erie – an after school program for inner-city youth to be connected with their community and have civic training. They meet at Gannon 2 days a week to learn about becoming a leader. Grades 9-12 have a group leadership program – with the idea they will join the Student Ambassador Leadership Team. They attend meetings in the area (City & County Council – School Board, etc.) They also reach out to 8<sup>th</sup> graders to help them decide what their goals will be for high school and beyond. They want to raise the graduation rate – and then follow the first year after graduation to help them succeed. Also got details on Global Youth Service Day that is open to everyone – but that really speaks to the mission of YLI to help our youth be civic minded and give back to the community.

We have also rotated PSA announcements highlighting the following:

Family Services, Big Brother – it is easy and takes very little time to impact the life of a child just by being yourself

Erie County Library- not just books –music, movies, language instruction and more – most of it free, online or stop by

Lucy’s 1st Step – free assistance / counseling for parents who have lost a child

NAMI – group classes and support groups to assist individuals and family members dealing with mental health challenges

2nd Harvest Food Bank – highlighting the hunger problem – and local contact info

Erie VA Medical Center –reminding veterans and their families about services – specific info for women

Therapy Dogs United- get your dogs involved with therapy services for children & adults– contact if your business wants a visit from a therapy dog

Career Link – remind employers and those looking for employment that there are many free services to help find each other

Safe Harbor/Safe Line- how to get help for sadness or bullying issues – for teens and adults

Environment Erie – contact info on how to help our earth

Feed the Pig – reminder to save money

Erie County Human Relations Commission – Help for discrimination

ExpERIEnce Childrens Museum – featuring hands on play while learning

Make A Wish – telling you 3 ways to help children with life threatening illnesses

SafeNet – with help for domestic violence

Parkinson Partners – Support and Information

United Way – Be A Caring Adult – simple suggestions on how to make a difference in a child/youth

Voices for Independence – Support for those with physical challenges

Let's Move – getting our children out and moving and away from electronic devices

Cody's Wheels of Hope – contact info to get children with a life threatening illness wheeled toys

Jefferson Educational Society – local think tank, reminding you learning never has to end

Boots on Ground – assists Veterans and families dealing with PSD & military suicide

Get Connected – lets you know how to volunteer locally – or post volunteer opportunities

American Red Cross / YMCA - Pool Safety

Linked by Pink – Assistance for Breast Cancer patients and their families

American Heart & Stroke Association - Go Red for Women (risk of heart disease)

EUMA - Erie United Methodist Alliance – Helping homeless families

Crime Victim Center – Help for those affected by violent crimes

Highmark Caring Place – assistance for grieving children, adolescents and their families

Kinship Care – Support for people raising someone else's child (grandparents, etc)

Humane Society – Info about new facility

Presque Isle Partnership – Enhancing our Peninsula

Gaudenzia – Help with addiction

Early Connections – helping with education for the little ones

A.N.N.A. Shelter – info on how to adopt or help rescued animals

Autism Society – support and resources for families with those on the spectrum

Habitat for Humanity – restore for donations or to shop

SOS 4 Kidz – to assist children with needs for school and self esteem