

**WCNI-FM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT
FIRST QUARTER, 2015
(JAN 01 - MAR 31)**

WCNI Radio Club is a non-commercial radio station serving New London County, which broadcasts from Connecticut College, New London, CT. WCNI Radio Club randomly airs numerous public service announcements daily, at the rate of at least two per hour. The public service announcements (PSAs) that we use are sent to us via mail, e-mail or are phoned in to us from various organizations. The PSA Director chooses those PSAs that are relevant to the college and community (and that meet PSA criteria), and are then provided to the DJs in the form of pre-recorded CDs or copy for reading by the DJ. Written PSAs are kept in a notebook and small flip-binder for easy access.

WCNI Radio Club also provides airtime for programs and interviews with important members of world, national and local political and civic organizations, teachers, community leaders, journalists, and those persons with relevant views on important topics of the day. These programs are taped by others and aired on WCNI, or are live or taped interviews conducted by WCNI DJs and Board members. A listing of these programs and interviews is attached.

WCNI Radio Club has determined the most significant issues facing New London County through discussions with community leaders, civic and social service organizations, Connecticut College instructors, and regional newspaper articles. They are listed as follows:

- Economy:
 - National
 - Local
- Education
- Environment
- Health and Safety
- Local Community Issues
- Military Issues
- Minority Issues:
 - African-American
 - Gay/Lesbian
 - Hispanic
 - Women
- Nuclear Power
- Political:
 - Local
 - National
 - International
- Religion

WCNI Radio shows that periodically address these issues:

| <u>ISSUES</u> | <u>DESCRIPTION-DAY AND TIME</u> |
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| MINORITY ISSUES | Latin Show, Saturday, 3-6 PM |
| RELIGION SHOWS | Gospel Show, Sunday, 6-9 AM; What's The Buzz?, Tuesday, 12-3 PM |
| ARTS/EDUCATION activities. | Various shows provide information about local concerts, shows and community activities. |

LOCAL PROGRAMS DJs periodically interview local musicians, businesses, and social agencies that provide information about local programs. For a listing of this, see the Community Programming page in this document.

| ISSUE COVERED | PROGRAM/DJ | DATE/TIME/DURATION | DESCRIPTION |
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| Education/Minority relations | John E's World/ John E | 1/30/15 0905 55' | Interview with Daryl Davis- musician, author, lecturer. Discussed racism, forgiveness, and planting the seeds of hope... |
| Education | A Touch Of Jazz/ Lenny | 3/9/15 1005 45' | Interview with jazz musician Reggie Codrington. Discussed music and its importance in life and education. |
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| Issue Covered | Program / DJ | Date / Time Duration | Description |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• "Why are you a conservative?"• Should corporations receive government aid?• Should welfare recipients be drug tested?• Should the U.S. be run like a business?• How should the U.S. handle ISIS?• Should military spending be cut?• Is gun control a good idea? | The Fred Show / Fred McNulty | February 17, 9pm-11:30pm | Zach Jay '16 of Connecticut College was a guest on the program to debate current events. |

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Why are you a libertarian?" • Should businesses have a right to discriminate? • Do people a right to health care? • Should abortion remain legal? • Is gun control a good idea? • Should the death penalty be abolished? • Should the Constitution be amended? | The Fred Show / Fred McNulty | March 3, 9pm-midnight | Billy Sheehan '15 of Connecticut College was a guest on the program to debate current events. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Should U.S. policy toward Israel be changed? • Is legalized gambling a good idea? • Has the feminist movement gone too far? • What is it like being conservative on U.S. college campuses? • What should the United States do about ISIS? | The Fred Show / Fred McNulty | March 24, 9pm-midnight | Ryan Friend '17 of Connecticut College was a guest on the program to debate current events. |
