

**FOX 24 WGXA 2nd QUARTER**

**CRIME ISSUES**

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TRAYVON CANDLELIGHT VIGIL 4/1/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A SATURDAY NIGHT VIGIL IN FLORIDA HONORED THE LIFE OF SLAIN TEENAGER, TRAYVON MARTIN...

THE FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY LIT CANDLES AND GATHERED TO REMEMBER THE SEVENTEEN-YEAR-OLD.

HUNDREDS WALKED EARLIER IN THE AFTERNOON DEMANDING THE ARREST OF GEORGE ZIMMERMAN, THE MAN WHO SAYS HE SHOT TRAYVON IN SELF-DEFENSE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON MURDERS 4/2/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THREE DEATHS OVER THE WEEKEND IN MACON ARE CAUSING MACON POLICE TO STRESS THE FACT THE INCIDENTS ARE NOT RELATED.

MACON'S POLICE CHIEF MIKE BURNS INFORMED MEDIA THROUGH A PRESS RELEASE UPDATES ON ALL THREE CASES...SAYING QUOTE... "THE CASES ARE SEPARATE INCIDENTS AND AREN'T EVEN CLOSE TO BEING RELATED, END QUOTE. NEVERTHELESS, HERE IS A COMPILATION OF WHAT TOOK PLACE THIS WEEKEND.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MCDANIEL ARRAIGNMENT 4/3/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

STEPHEN MCDANIEL PLEAD NOT GUILTY TODAY TO THE BRUTAL MURDER OF MERCER LAW GRADUATE AND FELLOW CLASSMATE LAUREN GIDDINGS.

MCDANIEL'S DEFENSE TEAM ENTERED SEVERAL EXHIBITS TO THE COURT TO DETERMINE IF A REASONABLE BOND SHOULD BE SET. NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES REPORTS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BALDWIN MURDER TRIAL 4/4/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A MURDER TRIAL OUT OF BALDWIN COUNTY IS SET TO BEGIN MAY 8TH AT 9 A-M.

ASHLEIGH RICKS AND ANDRE BROWN WILL BE TRIED FOR THE MURDER OF MANDLE CHARLIE WATERS SENIOR ALSO KNOWN AS "M.C"

OCMULGEE JUDICIAL CIRCUIT DISTRICT ATTORNEY FRED BRIGHT SAYS HE WILL BE PROSECUTING THE CASE WHERE RICKS AND BROWN ARE ACCUSED OF SHOOTING AND KILLING WATERS OCTOBER 7TH OF 2011.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DEATH PENALTY DROPPED 4/5/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

TWO BIBB COUNTY MURDER CASES ARE NO LONGER CAPITOL CASES AFTER A DECISION BY PROSECUTORS....

OUR MEDIA PARTNER THE TELEGRAPH REPORTS THAT THE BIBB D-A'S OFFICE IS NO LONGER SEEKING THE DEATH PENALTY AGAINST

MAURICE MURRAY(MUREE) BATTLE CHARGED WITH THE 2009 KILLING OF DIPAK(DE-PAK) DANNY PATEL AT A CHEVRON STATION.

THE TELEGRAPH SAYS BATTLE NOW FACES A MAXIMUM SENTENCE OF LIFE IN PRISON WITHOUT PAROLE IF HE IS CONVICTED.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MCDANIEL BRIEF 4/6/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

STEPHEN MCDANIEL'S DEFENSE LAWYERS FILED A BRIEF ON THE BOND REQUEST HEARD IN COURT EARLIER THIS WEEK.

ATTORNEY FRANKLIN HOGUE TELLS NEWSCENTRAL, THE BRIEF'S PURPOSE IS TO ARGUE THAT BIBB COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE PHILLIP BROWN MISREAD THE BOND STATUTES WHEN HE SAID THE DEFENDANT HAD TO PROVE HE IS NOT A RISK TO HIMSELF.

AT TUESDAY'S BOND HEARING, THE DEFENSE SUGGESTED A BOND AMOUNT OF 100-THOUSAND DOLLARS AND THE BIBB D-A'S OFFICE RECOMMENDED A TWO-POINT-FIVE MILLION DOLLAR BOND.

A BOND AMOUNT HAS NOT BEEN SET, AND JUDGE BROWN SAID THE DEFENSE HAD NOT OFFERED EVIDENCE THAT THE DEFENDANT WOULD NOT HARM ANY BEING, INCLUDING HIMSELF.

JUDGE BROWN HAS NOT SET A BOND YET, AFTER THE D-A'S OFFICE READS THE BRIEF, THEY WILL ALSO HAVE A CHANCE TO RESPOND.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MURDER SUSPECT 4/9/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ONE MAN ON THE RUN FOR A RECENT MURDER HAS SURRENDERED TO THE MACON POLICE DEPARTMENT.

ACCORDING TO MELANIE HOFMANN WITH THE MACON P-D, NUWRULHAQQ HAMILTON SURRENDERED ON APRIL 7 AROUND 10 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING.

HAMILTON WAS WANTED FOR QUESTIONING IN CONNECTION WITH MURDER OF ANTONIO FELTON ON PIO NONO AVENUE IN MACON.

HAMILTON IS CHARGED WITH FELONY MURDER AND IS BEIGN HELD AT THAT BIBB COUNTY L-E-C.

Story:  
GREENE CLEMENCY

Date Aired:  
4/10/2012

Newscast:  
10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A MAN WHO IS SCHEDULED TO DIE BY LETHAL INJECTION THIS MONTH FOR A STABBING DEATH BACK IN 1991 WILL HAVE A CLEMENCY APPOINTMENT NEXT TUESDAY.

REPRESENTATIVES FOR INMATE DANIEL GREENE ARE SCHEDULED TO MEET WITH THE STATE BOARD OF PARDONS AND PAROLES ON APRIL 17TH TO ADVOCATE CLEMENCY FOR HIM. GREENE IS SCHEDULED TO DIE ON APRIL 19TH.

GREENE WAS SENTENCED TO DEATH FOR MALICE MURDER FOR THE STABBING OF BERNARD WALKER BACK IN SEPTEMBER OF 1991.

WALKER WAS KILLED DURING A CONVENIENCE STORE ROBBERY IN TAYLOR COUNTY. GREENE ALSO STABBED A CLERK AT THE STORE, BUT THE CLERK SURVIVED.

Story:  
MCDANIEL BOND

Date Aired:  
4/11/2012

Newscast:  
10:00 PM

Synopsis:

TODAY A JUDGE SET AN 850-THOUSAND DOLLAR BOND FOR THE MAN ACCUSED OF MURDERING AND DISMEMBERING LAUREN GIDDINGS IN JUNE.

BUT, THAT DOESN'T MEAN STEPHEN MCDANIEL WILL BE RELEASED JUST YET. ACCORDING TO THE ORDER WE RECEIVED SIGNED BY BIBB COUNTY CHIEF SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE PHILLIP BROWN, THE AMOUNT OF BAIL IS LARGER THAN THE SELF-REPORTED FINANCIAL ASSETS OF MCDANIEL AND MCDANIEL'S PARENTS.

FOR MCDANIEL TO BE RELEASED, BOND ALSO MUST BE SET IN TWO OTHER CASES AGAINST HIM, THE CHARGES OF 30 COUNTS OF SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF CHILDREN AND TWO COUNTS OF BURGLARY.

Story:  
MCDANIEL LATEST

Date Aired:  
4/12/2012

Newscast:  
10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BAIL HAS BEEN SET FOR STEPHEN MCDANIEL, THE MERCER LAW GRADUATE ACCUSED OF THE SLAYING OF HIS FELLOW LAW SCHOOL CLASSMATE, LAUREN GIDDINGS.

THAT'S NOT THE ONLY CHARGE THAT MCDANIEL IS FACING. NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES FINDS OUT WHAT THEIR NEXT STEPS WILL BE.

Story:  
MCDANIEL LATEST

Date Aired:  
4/13/2012

Newscast:  
10:00 PM

Synopsis:

NEW DETAILS IN THE STEPHEN MCDANIEL CASE. TODAY, HIS DEFENSE TEAM FILED A MOTION TO RECONSIDER THE BOND SET BY BIBB COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT CHIEF JUDGE PHILLIP BROWN ON THE FELONY MURDER CHARGE.

MCDANIEL'S LAWYERS, FRANKLIN HOGUE AND FLOYD BUFORD, FILED A BRIEF ASKING JUDGE BROWN TO HOLD ANOTHER HEARING TO LOWER THE BOND AMOUNT FOR MCDANIEL WHICH IS CURRENTLY SET AT 850-THOUSAND DOLLARS.

THEY ALSO WANT THE HEARING TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR SUPERVISION FOR MCDANIEL IF HE BONDS OUT.

HOWEVER, HIS LAWYERS PLAN TO FILE BOND REQUESTS ON THE OTHER CHARGES AGAINST HIM, THOSE ARE THE TWO COUNTS OF BURGLARY AND THE CHILD PORNOGRAPHY CHARGES.

MCDANIEL CANNOT BE BONDED OUT UNTIL BOND IS SET FOR ALL OF HIS CHARGES.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MONROE DRUG ARRESTS 4/14/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FIRST TONIGHT ON FOX...

31 PEOPLE ARE ARRESTED DURING A ONE-DAY DRUG SWEEP CONDUCTED BY THE MONROE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE IN CONJUNCTION WITH SEVERAL OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES.

THE INVESTIGATION BEGAN IN 2011 WHEN LOCAL NARCOTICS DETECTIVES RECEIVED A TIP ABOUT A DRUG TRAFFICKING AND DISTRIBUTING RING IN THE CITY OF FORSYTH AND MONROE COUNTY...

ON THURSDAY APRIL 12TH, INVESTIGATORS CARRIED OUT 'OPERATION FLUSH EM OUT' WITH 71 ARREST WARRANTS CONTAINING OVER 800 COUNTS...

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BURGLARY & ARREST 4/15/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A COLUMBUS MAN IS ARRESTED IN MACON FOR ALLEGEDLY ATTEMPTING TO STEAL 12-THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF MERCHANDISE FROM WALMART...

POLICE SAY THEY FOUND JOHN PAUL JONES JUNIOR HIDING BEHIND THE WAL-MART SUNDAY ON GRAY HIGHWAY WITH SHOPPING CARTS OF ITEMS..

THEY ALSO SAY HE WAS IN POSSESSION OF BURGLARY TOOLS AND METHAMPHETAMINE.

PRECINCT ONE OFFICERS SAY THEY WERE SEARCHING THE AREA AFTER HEARING A SUSPICIOUS PERSON WAS NEAR THE STORE...

ALL THE MERCHANDISE WAS RECOVERED AND JONES WAS TRANSPORTED TO THE BIBB L-E-C.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
PULASKI MURDER 4/16/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A HAWKINSVILLE MAN ACCUSED OF KILLING HIS GIRLFRIEND LAST JUNE PLEAD GUILTY TODAY.

PULASKI COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY TIM VAUGHN SAYS BIRAGO BLACKSHEAR PLEAD GUILTY TO VOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER AND POSSESSION OF A FIREARM.

VAUGHN SAYS BLACKSHEAR RECEIVED A 25 YEAR PRISON SENTENCE. BLACKSHEAR SHOT AND KILLED HIS GIRLFRIEND, ASHTON BARTLETT, ON MCDUFFIE STREET IN HAWKINSVILLE. A TRIAL WAS ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR TOMORROW.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:

6 YO HANDCUFFED

4/17/2012

10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A TEMPER TANTRUM BY A 6-YEAR-OLD STUDENT AT CREEKSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENDED WITH THE STUDENT IN HANDCUFFS ON FRIDAY.

THE CHIEF OF POLICE SAYS THE OFFICERS ACTED APPROPRIATELY BUT SOME IN THE COMMUNITY DISAGREE.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
KINDERGARTNER FOLLOWUP 4/18/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IT'S BEEN NEARLY A WEEK SINCE A 6 YEAR OLD STUDENT WAS HANDCUFFED AND WHILE OFFICIALS ARE KEEPING QUIET, SOME MILLEDGEVILLE RESIDENTS SEEM TO HAVE AN OPINION ON THE INCIDENT.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
RUTLAND GUN 4/20/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

CAMPUS POLICE AND SCHOOL FACULTY ARE ALWAYS PATROLLING AROUND A SCHOOL'S CAMPUS. AND TODAY DURING A NORMAL ROUTINE...ONE STUDENT WAS ARRESTED AFTER POLICE FOUND A GUN INSIDE A CAR..HERE IS HOW IT ALL HAPPENED.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SHOOTING 4/21/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A WOMAN SHOOTS AN ARMED ROBBER IN SELF-DEFENSE AFTER SHE SAYS THE SUSPECT FIRED AT HER...

MACON POLICE SAY THE INCIDENT OCCURRED AT THE TWO-THOUSAND BLOCK OF ENGLISH AVENUE AT AROUND 2 A-M SATURDAY WHEN A WOMAN IN HER CAR WAS APPROACHED BY TWO MEN...

SHE SAYS ONE WAVED A HANDGUN AT HER PASSENGER WINDOW DEMANDING MONEY WHILE A SECOND ARMED SUSPECT STOOD INFRONT OF HER CAR.

SHE SAYS THE SUSPECT AT THE PASSENGER WINDOW FIRED AT HER AND SHE FIRED BACK IN SELF-DEFENSE WITH HER HANDGUN...

THE SUSPECTS FLED THE SCENE, BUT WERE LATER CAUGHT BY POLICE AT FORSYTH AND COLLEGE STREETS RUNNING BEHIND A CONVENIENCE STORE HIDING THEIR GUNS...

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MISSING MAN BODY 4/22/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A DECOMPOSED BODY OF A WHITE MALE IS DISCOVERED IN CRAWFORD COUNTY SATURDAY AND GBI OFFICIALS BELIEVE IT IS THE BODY OF DARYL JAMES OXFORD WHO'S BEEN MISSING SINCE APRIL 9TH.

ACCORDING TO A G-B-IPRESS RELEASE,

A PARK RANGER PATROLLING CAMP BENJAMIN HAWKINS BOY SCOUT RESERVATION DISCOVERED THE BODY WRAPPED IN BED LINENS.

CRAWFORD COUNTY SHERIFF'S INVESTIGATORS AND PERRY GBI AGENTS HAVE EVIDENCE SUGGESTING OXFORD IS DECEASED.

THE UNBURIED REMAINS WERE FOUND IN AN AREA WHERE AUTHORITIES WERE SEARCHING FOR THE MISSING MAN.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ROBBERY 4/23/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON POLICE ARE LOOKING FOR TWO MEN WHO ROBBED A YELLOWCAB DRIVER.

THE DRIVER OF THE CAB SAID HE PICKED UP TWO MALES IN THEIR MID 20'S...

WHO ASKED TO BE TAKEN TO THE SCOTTISH INN.

ONCE THERE, ONE OF THE MEN PULLED THE DRIVER'S SHIRT OVER HIS HEAD AND TOLD HIM NOT TO MOVE. THE OTHER SUSPECT STUCK AN UNKNOWN OBJECT TO THE DRIVER'S NECK. THE MEN TOOK THE DRIVER'S WALLET, THE KEYS TO HIS CAB, TWO CELL PHONES AND THEN FLED ON FOOT. ANYONE WITH INFORMATION ON THE INCIDENT IS ASKED TO CALL CRIMESTOPPERS AT 1-877-68-CRIME.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
GAMBLING PROBLEM 4/24/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IT'S NOT UNCOMMON TO SEE AN ELECTRONIC GAMBLING MACHINE IN A LOCAL CONVIENCE STORE.

POSSESSION OF THE GAMBLING MACHINES IS NOT ILLEGAL.

ITS THE WAY THEY ARE USED THAT MAKES IT ILLEGAL.

AND IT CAN BE DANGEROUS FOR BUSINESSES IN POSSESION OF THEM.

CLINTON BOURGEOIS EXPLAINS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
JOHN WILLIAMS UPDATE 4/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FORMER WARNER ROBINS CITY COUNCILMAN JOHN WILLIAMS APPEARED IN FEDERAL COURT IN MACON THIS MORNING FOR THE THIRD DAY IN A ROW.

JUROR'S DELIBERATED FOR HOURS AFTER CLOSING ARGUMENTS THIS MORNING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BREAKING NEWS 4/27/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON POLICE ALONG WITH A SWAT TEAM WERE ON THE SCENE AT RUTHERFORD AND HOUSTON AVENUES THIS EVENING.

OFFICERS AND THE SWAT TEAM WERE CALLED TO THE AREA AFTER A REPORT OF SHOTS FIRED AND A WITNESS WHO STATED THAT A MAN HAD RUN INTO THE HOUSE. OFFICERS MADE CONTACT THROUGH THE REAR DOOR OF THE UNOCCUPIED HOUSE WHERE WITH THE MALE SUSPECT WAS ALLEGED TO BE BARRICADED. A SHELL CASING WAS FOUND IN THE BACKYARD ALONG WITH OTHER UNIDENTIFIED ITEMS INCLUDING A SMALL AMOUNT OF DRUGS.

WHEN OFFICERS DEMANDED THAT THE ALLEGED SUSPECT OPEN THE DOOR, HE STATED THAT HE WOULD COMPLY BUT DID NOT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
STANDOFF UPDATE 4/28/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FIRST TONIGHT ON FOX...

MACON POLICE ARE STILL SEARCHING FOR THE MAN WHO ALLEGEDLY FIRED SHOTS ON RUTHERFORD AVENUE AND BARRICADED HIMSELF INSIDE A HOME....

THE INCIDENT BEGAN FRIDAY NIGHT AT SIX P-M AT THE 600 BLOCK OF RUTHERFORD OFF HOUSTON AVENUE...

OFFICERS AND THE SWAT TEAM WERE CALLED TO THE AREA AFTER A REPORT OF SHOTS FIRED AND A WITNESS WHO STATED THAT A MAN HAD RUN INTO THE HOUSE.

OFFICERS MADE CONTACT THROUGH THE REAR DOOR OF THE UNOCCUPIED HOUSE WHERE THEY SAY THE MALE SUSPECT WAS BARRICADED.

A SHELL CASING WAS FOUND IN THE BACKYARD ALONG WITH OTHER UNIDENTIFIED ITEMS INCLUDING A SMALL AMOUNT OF DRUGS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ARMED ROBBERY 4/29/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE BIBB COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS SEARCHING FOR A MAN ACCUSED OF ARMED ROBBERY AT A LOCAL GAS STATION...

THE INCIDENT OCCURRED AT AROUND 1 A-M SUNDAY MORNING AT THE WALTHALL CHEVRON GAS STATION AT 4900 OCMULGEE EAST BOULEVARD...

THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE SAYS A WHITE MALE ENTERED THE GAS STATION WITH A LONG BARREL SHOTGUN AND FIRED A SHOT INTO THE CEILING...

AFTER RECEIVING AN UNDISCLOSED AMOUNT OF MONEY HE LEFT THE GAS STATION AND FIRED ANOTHER SHOT AT A CANDY RANK INJURING THE CASHIER FROM DEBRIS...

ANYONE WITH INFORMATION ON THIS INCIDENT should CALL THE BIBB SHERIFF'S OFFICE AT 478-746-9441.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CORDELE TEEN 4/30/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE GBI AND CORDELE POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING THE STABBING DEATH OF A 16-YEAR-OLD BLACK MALE WHO WAS FOUND WITH TWO STAB WOUNDS AFTER 2:30 A.M. SATURDAY AT ROSEWOOD ESTATES.

16-YEAR-OLD ANDREW FORD DIED AT CRISP REGIONAL HOSPITAL FROM HIS INJURIES. ACCORDING TO THE CORDELE POLICE DEPARTMENT, THE INVESTIGATION SHOWED THAT THERE WAS A STRUGGLE BY FORD AT THE ROSEWOOD ESTATES GAZEBO AREA BEFORE HE WAS ABLE TO RUN TO A NEARBY HOME FOR HELP WHERE 911 WAS CALLED.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
WEAVER MIDDLE SCHOOL 5/1/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A MIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHER ACCUSED OF SEXUALLY ASSAULTING HIS STUDENT HAS BEEN ARRESTED AND IS IN CUSTODY.

ACCORDING TO CHIEF DEPUTY DAVID DAVIS OF THE BIBB COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, SAMUEL MCPHEE WAS ARRESTED AFTER A WARRANT WAS ISSUED TODAY.

MCPHEE, A WEAVER MIDDLE-SCHOOL TEACHER IS ACCUSED OF INAPPROPRIATELY TOUCHING ONE OF HIS STUDENT LAST WEEK.

MCPHEE WAS ARRESTED EARLIER TODAY AND IS IN CUSTODY AT THE BIBB COUNTY L-E-C.

A BIBB COUNTY INCIDENT REPORT STATES THAT THE WEAVER MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT ACCUSED HIS MUSIC TEACHER OF TOUCHING HIM IN AN INAPPROPRIATE MANNER.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MCPHEE APPEARANCE 5/2/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A MIDDLE SCHOOL MUSIC TEACHER ACCUSED OF SEXUALLY ASSAULTING A STUDENT MADE AN APPEARANCE IN COURT TODAY.

SAMUEL MCPHEE WENT BEFORE A BIBB COUNTY MAGISTRATE JUDGE THIS AFTERNOON SEEKING BOND, WHICH WAS SET AT JUST OVER 49-THOUSAND DOLLARS AFTER COURT COSTS WERE ADDED IN. HE WAS ALSO ORDERED TO HAVE NO CONTACT WITH THE ALLEGED VICTIM, THE VICTIM'S FAMILY, OR ANYONE UNDER THE AGE OF 16.

HE ALSO CAN'T GO BACK TO WEAVER MIDDLE SCHOOL, WHERE HE WAS EMPLOYED.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MOM MURDER PLEA 5/3/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A HOUSTON COUNTY MOTHER PLEADS GUILTY TO STARVING HER 2 YEAR OLD SON TO DEATH.

NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES WAS IN THE COURTROOM THIS MORNING AT THE SENTENCING AND HAS THE STORY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BODY FOUND 5/5/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A MAN IS FOUND DEAD IN A MACON ALLEY ON SATURDAY... BIBB COUNTY CORONER LEON JONES TELLS NEWSCENTRAL THAT 52-YEAR-OLD CARL ANDERSON WAS FOUND AGAINST A FENCE AT THE INTERSECTION OF THIRD STREET LANE AND CONCORD STREET.

THE BODY WAS DISCOVERED BY A PASSER-BY AT AROUND 8:30 A-M.  
JONES SAYS THERE WAS BLOOD BUT NO VISIBLE TRAUMA ON THE MAN...  
AN AUTOPSY WILL BE PERFORMED ON MONDAY TO DETERMINE THE CAUSE OF DEATH...

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
WHITEHEAD HEARING 5/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ONE OF THE MEN CHARGED WITH THE MURDER OF BIBB COUNTY SHERIFF DEPUTY JOSEPH WHITEHEAD APPEARED IN COURT TODAY...

27 YEAR OLD ANTRON FAIR ONE OF MEN ACCUSED OF KILLING WHITEHEAD APPEARED AT A HEARING TODAY BEFORE SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE TRIPP SELF. THE HEARING WAS SET TO SEE IF THE CASE WILL BE SENT TO THE STATE SUPREME COURT FOR A THIRD PRE-TRIAL APPEAL. MONDAY JUDGE SELF RULED THAT THERE WILL BE NO PRETRIAL APPEAL. THIS HEARING FOLLOWS AN APRIL RULING THAT THERE IS NO CONFLICT OF INTEREST IN FAIR AND DAMON JOLLY BOTH BEING REPRESENTED BY GEORGIA CAPITAL DEFENDERS. A HEARING FOR DAMON JOLLY WILL TAKE PLACE ON FRIDAY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
RUTLAND GUN 5/9/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE CAMPUS OF RUTLAND HIGH SCHOOL HAD A BIT OF A SCARE THIS MORNING IN THE PARKING LOT. BUT IT'S A PROBLEM THAT HAS HAPPENED MORE THAN ONCE AT THE SCHOOL. NEWSCENTRAL'S CRISTEN DRUMMOND REPORTS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
RUTLAND GUN BOND 5/10/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AN EIGHTEEN YEAR OLD CHARGED WITH BRINGING A WEAPON ON SCHOOL PROPERTY IS RELEASED FROM JAIL.

ACCORDING TO BIBB SHERIFF'S OFFICE JAIL RECORDS... MATTHEW GREGORY MANDERS HAS BEEN RELEASED ON THIRTEEN HUNDRED DOLLARS BOND AFTER BEING CHARGED WITH POSSESSING A WEAPON ON SCHOOL PROPERTY.

WEDNESDAY MORNING... A GUN AND KNIFE WERE FOUND INSIDE A STUDENT'S VEHICLE AT RUTLAND HIGH SCHOOL.

LAST MONTH ANOTHER STUDENT WAS ARRESTED AFTER AUTHORITIES FOUND A GUN IN HIS GLOVE COMPARTMENT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
STARVING BABY TRIAL 5/11/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A HOUSTON COUNTY COUPLE'S FELONY MURDER CASE IS EXPECTED TO CONTINUE ON MONDAY.

SADE KING AND HER LIVE IN BOYFRIEND WILLIAM THOMAS DAVIS THE THIRD WERE CHARGED IN THE DEATH OF THEIR 2-YEAR-OLD SON D'SHAWN DAVIS AFTER HE HAD BEEN STARVED TO DEATH IN SEPTMEBER OF 2010. KING PLEAD GUILTY AND WAS SENTENCED TO LIFE IN PRISON WITH THE POSSIBLITY OF PAROLE. HER THEN LIVE IN BOYFRIEND IS SCHEDULED TO GO TO TRIAL MONDAY MAY 14TH.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
W.R. ROBBERY	5/14/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A YOUNG WARNER ROBINS MAN DEFENDS HIS HOME FROM ROBBERY AND ENDS UP BEHIND BARS.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE IN TONIGHT'S TOP STORY.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
GANG GRANT	5/15/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

GANGS EXIST THROUGHOUT MACON AND BIBB COUNTY, WHICH IS WHY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES ARE HOPING FREE MONEY AVAILABLE WILL HELP THEM COMBAT THE PROBLEM.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
JUSTICE FOR ASHTON	5/16/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A WOMAN IN HAWKINSVILLE IS SEEKING JUSTICE FOR HER MURDERED GRANDDAUGHTER.

ASHTON BARTLETT'S ACCUSED KILLER BER-AH-GO BLACKSHEAR HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO TWENTY-FIVE YEARS IN PRISON... NOT LIFE WITHOUT PAROLE, WHICH THE PULASKI DISTRICT ATTORNEY TOLD ASHTON'S FAMILY TO EXPECT.

RICK DEVENS HAS THE STORY.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
W.R. STABBING UPDATE	5/18/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A WARNER ROBINS MAN HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH AGGRAVATED BATTERY AFTER STABBING A WOMAN YESTERDAY.

NEWSCENTRAL WAS AT THE SCENE ON THURSDAY AS POLICE WERE INVESTIGATING. A PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION REVEALED 34-YEAR-OLD TRACY SMITH OF MACON WAS STABBED BY AN UNKNOWN PERSON IN THE 200 BLOCK OF WILLIAMSBURG AVENUE. SHE

REMAINS IN THE HOSPITAL. CONTINUED INVESTIGATIONS LED TO THE ARREST OF 26-YEAR-OLD ISAAC HOOD OF FORT VALLEY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
W.R. STABBING UPDATE 5/19/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A FORT VALLEY MAN IS CHARGED WITH AGGRAVATED BATTERY FOR STABBING A WOMAN IN WARNER ROBINS.

26 - YEAR - OLD ISAAC HOOD IS UNDER ARREST AFTER POLICE SAY HE STABBED 34 - YEAR - OLD TRACY SMITH ON THE 200 BLOCK OF WILLIAMSBURG AVENUE NEAR RUSSELL PARKWAY THURSDAY.

SMITH WAS TAKEN TO A LOCAL HOSPITAL ... HER CONDITION IS UNKNOWN.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
GANG MODEL 5/21/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON CITY LEADERS ARE WORKING TO DEVELOP A WAY OF ADDRESSING THE GANG PROBLEM.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
COLUMBUS ROAD HOMICIDE 5/28/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON POLICE ARE BUSY TRYING TO FIND THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR SHOOTING AND KILLING A THIRTY ONE YEAR OLD WOMAN.

MACON POLICE SPOKESWOMAN JAMI GAUDET TELLS NEWSCENTRAL NETTRA LEANNA BRROKS DIED AT A COLUMBUS ROAD HOME OF A GUNSHOT WOUND MONDAY MORNING.

THE CASE IS STILL UNDER INVIESTIGATION.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
COLUMBUS MURDER 5/29/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON POLICE ARE ALSO BUSY TRYING TO FIND THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR SHOOTING AND KILLING A THIRTY ONE YEAR OLD MACON WOMAN.

ACCORDING TO CORNER LEON JONES NETTRA LE-ANNA BROOKS DIED AT AROUND 5:30 AM MEMORIAL DAY MORNING ON COLUMBUS ROAD AT HER HOME... OF A GUNSHOT WOUND IN THE CHEST.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE 5/30/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SOMEONE IS A VICTIM OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE EVERY 9 SECONDS IN THE UNITED STATES. MANY OF THOSE SITUATIONS END IN DEATH, AND ALLIGATIONS IN A RECENT MURDER IN MACON OVER THE HOLIDAY WEEKEND POINT IN THAT DIRECTION. NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES HAS THE DETAILS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TAYLOR COUNTY GIRL 5/31/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE TAYLOR COUNTY COULPLE SUSPECTED OF KEEPING THEIR 15 YEAR OLD ADOPTED DAUGHTER LOCKED IN A SHED, SAY THE ALLEGATIONS ARE NOT TRUE

DEPUTIES AND THE DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY AND CHILDRENS SERVICES TOOK THE TEEN FROM THE HOME OF SAMUEL AND DIANE FRANKLIN FRIDAY AFTER THE ALLEGATIONS WERE REPORTED.

TODAY MACON ATTORNEY KEVIN BRADLEY RELEASED A STATEMENT TODAY ON BEHALF OF THE FRANKLINS SAYING THEY DENY THAT THEY MISTREATED THEIR DAUGHTER AND THEY WILL HANDLE THE MATTER IN THE COURTS AND NOT THE MEDIA.

THE GBI IS HANDLING THE INVESTIGATION, AT THIS TIME THE FRANKLINS HAVE NOT BEEN CHARGED.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FORDHAM WANTED 6/1/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

THE MONDAY SHOOTING DEATH OF A 29-YEAR-OLD IN HER OWN HOME STILL REMAINS UNSOLVED.

CANDICE RICE WAS FOUND DEAD IN HER LAFAYETTE DRIVE HOME ON MONDAY NIGHT. HER FATHER WAS THE ONE THAT FOUND HER BUT IT WAS NEIGHBORS WHO HAD SOME CONCERNS WEEKS BEFORE HER DEATH.

THEY SAY SHE COULD HAVE BEEN A VICTIM OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

POLICE ARE STILL LOOKING FOR BOBBY LEE FORDHAM JUNIOR.

HE'S ABOUT 170 POUNDS 6-FEET TALL WITH LIGHT SKIN, A GOATEE AND A MOLE UNDER HIS LEFT EYE.

ACCORDING TO MACON POLICE...HE MAY BE DRIVING A BLACK FOUR DOOR KIA SPECTRA WITH GEORGIA TAG B-M-M-5-1-3-6.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON COUNTY MURDER 6/4/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A BIRTHDAY PARTY TURNED DEADLY IN MACON COUNTY OVER THE WEEKEND.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE TRAVELED TO AN AREA JUST OUTSIDE OF OGELTHORPE TO SEE WHAT EXACTLY HAPPENED.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TWIGGS HOME INVASION 6/5/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A WEEKEND HOME INVASION KEEPS TWIGGS COUNTY OFFICERS WORKING AROUND THE CLOCK LOOKING FOR ANSWERS.

IN A FEW SHORT HOURS THEY SOLVED THE CASE. NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES WAS AT A PRESS CONFERENCE THIS MORNING AND HAS THE DETAILS.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
BIBB BURGLARIES	6/6/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A TEAM OF BURLGARY SUSPECTS WHO AUTHORITIES SAY WERE HITTING BIBB COUNTY HARD EARLY THIS YEAR WILL SOON BE BROUGHT TO JUSTICE.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
ROBBERY BY SNATCHING	6/7/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A MACON TEENAGER IS BEHIND BARS ACCUSED OF ROBBING A MAN AT A BLOOMFIELD BUSINESS.

MACON POLICE SAY 19 YEAR-OLD EMMANUEL LEE STROUD, JR. IS IN CUSTODY CHARGED WITH ROBBERY BY SNATCHING AND A PROBATION VIOLATION. STROUD WAS ONE OF THREE SUSPECTS ACCUSED OF ROBBING A MAN OUTSIDE THE ROCKY CREEK FOODS STORE IN THE BLOOMFIELD NEIGHBORHOOD ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

TWO OTHER SUSPECTS REMAIN ON THE RUN. NO BOND HAS BEEN SET FOR STROUD. THIS IS STROUD'S EIGHTH ARREST AND HIS FIFTH SINCE JANUARY.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
MOSS INDICTMENT	6/8/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A JONES COUNTY WOMAN ACCUSED OF KILLING A MISSING MAN IS INDICTED ON TWO CHARGES. PAMELA MOSS, HAS NOW BEEN INDICTED WITH MURDER AND FELONY MURDER IN CONNECTION IN THE DOUG COKER MISSING PERSON CASE BY JONES COUNTY GRAND JURY.

COKER'S BODY WAS FOUND AT THE HOME OF PAMELA MOSS AFTER WHAT IS BELIEVED TO BE A BUSINESS DEAL GONE WRONG.

MOSS WAS ALSO DENIED BOND IN FRONT OF MAGISTRATE COURT.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
WARNER ROBINS SHOOTING	6/10/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A WARNER ROBINS MAN IS SHOT AFTER AN ALTERCATION WITH SHERRIF'S DEPUTIES IN HOUSTON COUNTY.

ACCORDING TO THE HOUSTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE 61 - YEAR - OLD DAVID CLAYBOSS WAS SHOT AROUND 6 P - M YESTERDAY AFTER DEPUTIES RESPONDED TO A DOMESTIC PROBLEM AT CLAYBOSS'S HOME ON NORTH HOUSTON LAKE ROAD.

ACCORDING TO A PRESS RELEASE WHEN DEPUTIES ENCOUNTERED CLAYBOSS HE WAS ARMED ... WHEN ASKED TO PUT DOWN HIS WEAPON ... HE FAILED TO DO SO AND WAS SHOT.

FAMILY MEMBERS OF THE VICTIM SAY HE SUFFERS FROM A MENTAL CONDITION ... AND THEY ARE UPSET INVESTIGATORS WON'T GIVE THEM ANY INFORMATION ON HIS MEDICAL STATUS OR JUSTIFICATION FOR THE SHOOTING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
WOMAN SHOT 6/11/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

A MACON WOMAN IS STABLE AND WALKING AROUND AFTER A BULLET HIT HER HEAD.

ACCORDING TO THE MACON POLICE DEPARTMENT, OFFICERS WERE DISPATCHED TO MILLER-FIELD ROAD AFTER RECEIVING A CALL THAT DORIS DAY WAS SHOT AT CHRIS' CORNER SHOP ON SATURDAY.

DAY SAYS AN ALTERCATION BROKE OUT AT THE CAR WASH NEXT DOOR AND SHE HEARD GUN SHOTS.

WHILE RUNNING INTO THE STORE, OF THE BULLETS RICOCHETED OFF THE ROOF OF THE BUILDING AND INTO HER HEAD.

SHE WAS IMMEDIATELY RUSHED TO THE MEDICAL CENTER OF CENTRAL GEORGIA BUT SOON RELEASED AFTER DOCTORS TOLD HER THEY WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO REMOVE THE BULLET FOR AT LEAST TEN DAYS IN ORDER FOR THE SCAR TISSUE TO HEAL.

DORIS SAYS SHE IS FINE... AND HAPPY HER KIDS WEREN'T WITH HER.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
GRAND JURY 6/12/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

THE HOUSTON COUNTY D-A'S OFFICE IS LOOKING TO UPGRADE THE AGGRAVATED ASSAULT CHARGES ON HOWARD ALLEN TO FELONY MURDER.

ALLEN IS SCHEDULED FOR A BOND HEARING THIS THURSDAY... BUT THE D-A'S OFFICE IS ASKING THE COURT TO DENY BOND BECAUSE THEY'RE VIEWING THIS AS A MURDER CASE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SUMMER CURFEWS 6/13/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

A SUMMER CURFEW FOR TEENAGERS IN MACON IS NOTHING NEW, BUT THE MACON POLICE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THE CURFEW IS IN EFFECT.

AND ALSO THAT CITIZENS SHOULD EXPECT TO SEE A WHOLE NEW LEVEL OF ENFORCEMENT COURTESY OF A SUMMER-LONG DETAIL.

NEWSCENTRAL'S RICK DEVENS HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ANTRON FAIR PLEA 6/15/2012 10:00 PM



Synopsis:

BIBB COUNTY STUDENTS CAN EXPECT A LONGER SCHOOL DAY THIS FALL.

HIGH SCHOOLS IN THE BIBB SYSTEM THAT RECEIVED A FEDERAL SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GRANT REQUIRE AN ADDITIONAL 60 HOURS EACH YEAR TO REMAIN ELIGIBLE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
JOHN WILLIAMS SENTENCING 6/21/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

JOHN WILLIAMS FACES 14 MONTHS IN FEDERAL PRISON IN CONNECTION WITH THE CHARGES.

A JURY FOUND WILLIAMS GUILTY OF USING HIS POSITION ON CITY COUNCIL FOR FINANCIAL GAIN.

HIS SENTENCE WILL NOT BEGIN IMMEDIATELY.

THE COURTS MAY TAKE UP TO SIX WEEKS TO DECIDE WHERE WILLIAMS WILL SERVE OUT HIS TIME.

THE FORMER COUNCILMAN WAS ALSO SERVE A YEAR OF SUPERVISED PROBATION UPON HIS RELEASE AND HAS BE ISSUES A 3 HUNDRED DOLLAR FINE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ARSON FIRE UPDATE 6/22/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THREE EARLY MORNING FIRES, DETERMINED AS ARSON HAVE ALL BEEN CONNECTED TO EACH OTHER.

ACCORDING TO CAPTAIN MUSSELWHITE WITH THE MACON-BIBB FIRE DEPARTMENT, A BACK PORCH FIRE AT A VACANT HOUSE ON PANSY AVENUE, A BLAZING TOW TRUCK ON MIMOSA DRIVE, AND FIVE VEHICLES BURN TO THE CORE ON LOG CABIN HAVE ALL BEEN CONNECTED.

THE BLAZES HAPPENED WITHIN 30 MINUTES OF ONE OTHER ON THURSDAY MORNING.

THE MACON POLICE DEPARTMENT IS TEAMING UP WITH THE FIRE DEPARTMENT TO CATCH THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR THE FIRES. THESE FIRES ARE STILL UNDER INVESTIGATION.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SANDUSKY 6/23/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WELCOME BACK TO NEWSCENTRAL ... THE JERRY SANDUSKY SAGA IS FINALLY COMING TO A CLOSE FOR NOW ... AS JURORS DECIDE WHETHER THE FORMER PENN STATE ASSISTANT FOOTBALL COACH IS INNOCENT OR GUILTY OF SEXUAL ABUSE.

INES (FAIR) FERRE SHOWS US THE REACTION TO THE JURY'S VERDICT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
GIDDINGS ANNIVERSARY 6/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WHEN A PERSON GOES MISSING, IT CREATES THEIR LOVED ONES WORST FEAR.

THE CASE OF LAUREN GIDDINGS WENT FROM MISSING PERSON TO MURDER IN A MATTER OF DAYS IN JUNE OF 2011, MAKING HEADLINES ACROSS THE NATION. NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES TAKES A LOOK BACK.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MCDANIEL CASE 6/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ALL THE EVIDENCE IN THE MURDER OF LAUREN GIDDINGS IN JUNE OF LAST YEAR POINTED IN THE DIRECTION OF ONE MAN THAT IS BELIEVED TO BE HER KILLER.

THE PROCESS HAS BEEN LONG ONE HEADED TOWARD STEPHEN MCDANEILS TRIAL, AND THE ROAD ONLY GETS LONGER.

NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES SITS DOWN WITH ONE OF MCDANEILS LAWYERS FOR A LOOK AT ALL THOSE STEPS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
LAUREN GIDDINGS CASE 6/26/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

HAVE YOU EVER THOUGHT ABOUT HOW THE MIND OF A MURDERER WORKS?

NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES SITS DOWN WITH A PROFESSIONAL THAT EXPLAINS WHAT IT TAKES FOR A CRIMINAL TO COMMIT A CRIME LIKE THE BRUTAL SLAYING OF MERCER LAW SCHOOL STUDENT LAUREN GIDDINGS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FIREFIGHTER MOLESTATION 6/27/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A MACON-BIBB COUNTY FIREFIGHTER HAS BEEN ARRESTED ON CHARGES OF CHILD MOLESTATION.

41 YEAR OLD JERALD LAVEL GILES WAS ARRESTED ON ONE COUNT OF CHILD MOLESTATION. GILES HAS BEEN PLACED ON ADMINISTRATIVE LEAVE WITHOUT PAY PENDING INVESTIGATION OF THE CHARGES.

GILES HAS BEEN RELEASED UNDER A \$16,700 BOND.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
LAUREN GIDDINGS FRIDAY 6/29/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IT'S HARD FOR MOST IN THIS REGION TO FORGET THE BRUTAL SLAYING OF MERCER LAW GRADUATE LAUREN GIDDINGS.

THE DETAILS OF THE CASE HAVE BEEN BROADCAST EVERY STEP OF THE WAY.

TONIGHT, NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES JOINS CORONER LEON JONES AS HE REFLECTS ON THE DISCOVERY OF HER BODY ONE YEAR AGO TOMORROW.

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### EDUCATION ISSUES

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CHILDREN'S PROCLAMATION 4/2/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

THE CITY OF MACON ANNOUNCED AN ONGOING COMMITMENT TO END THE CYCLE OF CHILD ABUSE.

TODAY'S PROCLAMATION SENT THE MESSAGE OF ENDING CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT BY WORKING TOGETHER WITH THE MEDICAL CENTER AND OTHER SOCIAL SERVICE AGENCIES TO SUPPORT CHILDREN AND FAMILIES.

THE PROCLAMATION AT CITY HALL INCLUDED A PRESENTATION ABOUT THE REGIONAL PROBLEM OF SEX TRAFFICKING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
INGRAM PYE GARDEN 4/3/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

STUDENTS AT INGRAM PYE ELEMENTARY ARE "GOING GREEN", BUT IN A DIFFERENT WAY.

THEY'VE PLANTED GARDENS ON SCHOOL GROUNDS IN AN EFFORT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT EATING HEALTHY. TEACHERS ARE ALSO USING THE GARDEN IN THE CURRICULUM TO INCLUDE MATH SKILLS AND TEACH STUDENTS HOW TO GRAPH. THE SCHOOL SAYS IT'S ALL ABOUT SHOWING THE STUDENTS HOW SOMETHING FROM A SEED CAN BE BROUGHT TO THE LUNCHTABLE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
RUTLAND PRECAUTION 4/5/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

A LOCAL SCHOOL WAS ON HIGH ALERT TODAY ALL BECAUSE OF POSTINGS ON A POPULAR SOCIAL MEDIA SITE THAT THE SCHOOL CALLS "RUMORS AND GOSSIP."

BUT ONE PARENT NEWSCENTRAL SPOKE WITH SAYS THE PROBLEM IS ALL TOO REAL AND GOES FAR BEYOND THE COMPUTER SCREEN.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ALEXANDER II 4/9/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

A LOCAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL WAS RECOGNIZED BY THE STATE TODAY FOR BEING A "SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE."

STATE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT DOCTOR JOHN BARGE VISITED ALEXANDER 2 MAGNET SCHOOL IN MACON THIS MORNING.

THE SCHOOL IS IS ONE OF THE TOP 10 PERCENT IN GEORGIA, ACCORDING TO ASSESSMENTS FROM READING AND MATH.  
DOCTOR BARGE IS TRAVELING THE STATE VISITING EACH SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BIBB HOUSTON GRAD RATES 4/10/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION RELEASED THE NEW FOUR-YEAR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION RATE BASED ON A NEW CALCULATION RATE SYSTEM THAT WILL BE USED NATIONWIDE.

THE NEW METHOD IS KNOWN AS THE ADJUSTED COHORT RATE. OFFICIALS SAY IT WILL ALLOW STATES TO UNIFORMLY COMPARE GRADUATION RATES ACROSS THE NATION. USING THE NEW SYSTEM... 67.4 PERCENT OF GEORGIA'S STUDENTS GRADUATED DURING THE 2010 AND 2011 ACADEMIC SCHOOL YEAR. BIBB COUNTY'S RATE IS 51.34 PERCENT COMPARED TO 65.1 PERCENT USING THE STATES OLD METHOD. HOUSTON COUNTY'S GRADUATION RATE IS 73.24 PERCENT COMPARED TO THE FORMER FIGURE OF 80.8 PERCENT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
JONES SHOCK TRAUMA 4/11/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THIS TIME OF YEAR THOUSANDS OF HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ACROSS THE COUNTRY ARE PREPARING FOR THEIR SENIOR PROM. AND EMERGENCY CREWS WANT IT TO BE A SAFE EXPERIENCE.

TODAY IN JONES COUNTY, IT WAS ALL ABOUT CONVEYING THAT MESSAGE TO STUDENTS. A MOCK ACCIDENT THAT SEEMED ALL TOO REAL UNFOLDED RIGHT BEFORE THEIR EYES.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HOUSTON TEACHERS 4/15/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IN HOUSTON COUNTY, THE BOARD OF EDUCATION WELCOMED SIX TEACHERS TO ITS HALL OF FAME SUNDAY...

THE CEREMONY INTRODUCED INEZ BREWTON, DONNA HAVRILLA, SHERIN HINNANT, JOYCE JONES, JEANNE MCDONALD, AND CAROLYN STONEHOUSE AS THE CLASS OF 20-12.

THE TEACHERS WERE RECONGIZED FOR THEIR QUALITY TEACHING INSIDE AND OUT OF THE CLASSROOM AS WELL AS THEIR CONTRIBUTION TO STUDENT SUCCESS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION 4/16/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

PARENTS IN BIBB COUNTY CAN NOW START REGISTERING CHILDREN FOR KINDERGARTEN

THE BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT STARTED REGISTERING STUDENTS FOR THE 2012-2013 SCHOOL YEAR. AND INSTEAD OF HAVING TO VISIT THE SCHOOL TO REGISTER

STUDENTS...PARENTS CAN NOW GO TO THE WELCOME CENTER. THE DISTRICT IS ENCOURAGING PARENTS TO REGISTER EARLY TO AVOID THE RUSH BEFORE THE BEGINNING OF THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
STUDY BREAK 4/17/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE HOUSTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION PASSED A NEW SEX EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS LAST WEEK

IN TONIGHTS STUDY BREAK SERIES I LOOKED INTO WHAT EXACTLY THE NEW PROGRAM WILL BE TEACHING CHILDREN.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DALLEMAND BELGIUM 4/19/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BIBB COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT DOCTOR ROMAIN DALLEMAND ONCE AGAIN FINDS HIMSELF AT THE CENTER OF A CONTROVERSY.

THE DIFFERENCE THIS TIME... IS THAT IT ALL STARTED WITH AN HONOR FROM ABROAD.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DALLEMAND NYC TRIP 4/20/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AND IN BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS...

BLOGGER BILL KNOWLES BROKE NEWS THIS MORNING ON NEWSTALK CENTRAL THAT BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT DOCTOR ROMAIN DALLEMAND TOOK A TRIP TO NEW YORK ON THE COUNTY'S BUDGET.

FURTHER INVESTIGATION BY MR. KNOWLES REVEALED THAT TRIP NEVER TOOK PLACE, THOUGH THE TICKETS WERE PURCHASED.

ACCORDING TO TRAVELOCITY, THE ROUND TRIP TICKETS ORIGINALLY PURCHASED FOR APRIL 11 THROUGH APRIL 14 CAN BE RESCHEDULED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT BUT ARE NONREFUNDABLE AND MUST BE USED BY THE END OF THE YEAR.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE CAUGHT UP WITH KNOWLES THIS AFTERNOON. KNOWLES HAD THIS TO SAY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CELEBRATION DAY 4/21/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AND ANOTHER CELEBRATION WAS UNDERWAY AT THE METHODIST CHILDREN'S HOME THE HOME CELEBRATED ONE HUNDRED AND FOUR YEARS OF COMMUNITY SERVICE AND FOCUSED ON THE CHILDREN BY HAVING FUN ACTIVITIES AND GAMES FOR ALL AGES..

ORGANIZERS SAY EVENTS LIKE THIS ARE NEEDED ESPECIALLY FOR THOSE IN GROUP HOMES.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FRATERNITY CEREMONY 4/22/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FOURTEEN BOYS EARNED THEIR RITE OF PASSAGE TO MANHOOD THROUGH A PROGRAM CREATED BY THE EPSILON BETA LAMBDA CHAPTER OF THE ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY... THE YOUNG MEN WENT THROUGH A TWELVE WEEK PROCESS WHERE THEY LEARNED EVERYTHING ABOUT BECOMING A YOUNG ADULT FROM VOTING TO DRESS ETIQUETTE. THE CANDIDATES PLAN ON BECOMING ROLE MODELS WITHIN THE COMMUNITY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CHARITY GAME 4/23/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A LOCAL SPORTS TEAM HITS THE BASKETBALL COURT TO PLAY A LITTLE FOOTBALL.... NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE EXPLAINS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
PAGE CONFERENCE 4/24/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION OF GEORGIA EDUCATORS, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS PAGE, GATHERED TEACHERS OF THE YEAR FROM ACROSS THE STATE. THE TOP TEACHERS WERE AT THE MACON MARRIOTT TODAY CELEBRATING THEIR HARD WORK, TRAINING, AND LISTENING TO SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKERS. ONE OF THE BIGGEST TOPICS AT TODAY'S CONFERENCE WAS HOW THE NEW GENERATION OF STUDENTS IS A LOT MORE COMPUTER SAVVY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FVSU NO CONFIDENCE 4/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ON APRIL 19TH, MEMBERS OF THE FORT VALLEY STATE FACULTY SENATE APPROVED A RESOLUTION OF NO CONFIDENCE FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY LARRY RIVERS. ONLY 19 OF THE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE WERE IN ATTENDANCE WHEN THE DECISION WAS MADE. THE ENTIRE SENATE IS MADE UP OF 29 MEMBERS. ONLY 13 IN ATTENDANCE VOTED FOR THE NO CONFIDENCE. THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IS FROM DOCTOR CANTER BROWN, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT AND CHIEF LEGAL OFFICER FOR FORT VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FVSU NO CONFIDENCE 4/25/2012 10:00 PM



Synopsis:

SOME BRAINY STUDENTS FROM QUAIL RUN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PUT A GROUP OF ADULTS TO SHAME THIS AFTERNOON.

THE FIFTH GRADE TEAM AND THE HOUSTON COUNTY ACADEMIC BOWL WINNERS TOOK ON THE WARNER ROBINS OPTIMIST CLUB IN A QUIZ BOWL OF THEIR OWN DURING A CEREMONY TO HONOR THE STUDENTS' ACCOMPLISHMENTS.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
DALLEMAND	5/4/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BIBB SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT DOCTOR ROMAIN DALLEMAND RECENTLY RETURNED FROM A TRIP TO BELGIUM WHERE HE PRESENTED THE MACON MIRACLE PLAN AT AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE.

DALLEMAND PAID FOR THE TRIP OUT OF HIS OWN POCKET... AND TODAY HE SITS DOWN WITH RICK DEVENS FOR AN EXCLUSIVE TO TELL US WHAT HE LEARNED.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
GCSU GRADUATION	5/5/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

YEARS OF LATE NIGHTS AND HARD WORK HAVE FINALLY PAID.

THE LARGEST GRADUATING CLASS IN GEORGIA COLLEGE HISTORY HELD ITS COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY THIS MORNING.

NEWSCENTRALS CLINTON BOURGEOIS HAS MORE FROM MILLEDGEVILLE.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
DALLEMAND PART TWO	5/7/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

TONIGHT WE CONTINUE WITH PART TWO OF OUR EXCLUSIVE WITH DOCTOR ROMAIN DALLEMAND.

IN PART ONE, WE TALKED WITH THE BIBB SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDANT ABOUT HIS RECENT TRIP TO BELGIUM TO SHARE THE MACON MIRACLE PLAN WITH EDUCATORS FROM AROUND THE GLOBE.

TODAY WE TAKE A LOOK INSIDE THE NEGATIVE REACTION THAT THE MIRACLE PLAN HAS RECEIVED RIGHT HERE AT HOME. RICK DEVENS HAS MORE....

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
HOUSTON SCHOOLS	5/8/2012	5:30 PM

Synopsis:

HOUSTON COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS MET TODAY TO DISCUSS SOME IMPORTANT CHANGES TO NEXT YEARS BUDGET.

THE PRELIMINARY HEARING DISCUSSED THE FIVE MILLION DOLLAR INCREASE FROM LAST YEAR'S PLAN.

THIS ADDITION COMES FROM THE STATE REQUIRING HEALTH CARE AND RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR EMPLOYEES.

THE MONEY WILL BE COMING FROM THE RESERVE THAT IS CURRENTLY IN PLACE.

AND THERE'S NO NEED TO WORRY ABOUT NOT HAVING ENOUGH MONEY AFTERWARDS, THERE WILL STILL BE A SURPLUS LEFT OVER.

THE FINAL DECISION WILL BE VOTED ON IN JUNE.

Story: MIDDLE GEORGIA SCHOOL Date Aired: 5/9/2012 Newscast: 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AFTER MANY MONTHS, MACON STATE COLLEGE AND MIDDLE GEORGIA COLLEGE FINALLY APPROVED A NAME.

TODAY THEY ANNOUNCED THE NEW NAME FOR THE CONSOLIDATED INSTITUTION WILL BE "MIDDLE GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE."

THE NAME WAS ONE OF FOUR THEY WERE LOOKING AT.

ADDING THESE TWO COLLEGES TOGETHER WILL ALLOW STUDENTS MORE VARIETY IN THEIR CLASS CHOICES WHICH ADMINISTRATORS LIKE.

Story: BIBB VOTING MAPS Date Aired: 5/10/2012 Newscast: 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE IS IN THE PROCESS OF APPROVING THE REDISTRICTING MAPS FOR THE BIBB COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION....

BUT THEY AREN'T THE MAPS THE BOARD APPROVED.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE EXPLAINS.

Story: DALLEMAND SPEAKS Date Aired: 5/14/2012 Newscast: 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BIBB COUNTY SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDANT DOCTOR ROMAIN DALLEMAND TOOK TIME TODAY TO REINFORCE HIS PLANS FOR CHANGING THE FUTURE OF MACON EDUCATION.

DALLEMAND LET ROTARY CLUB MEMBERS AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH KNOW THAT EVERYONE SHOULD SHARE THE URGENCY OF TRANSFORMING THE COMMUNITY'S EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM.

DALLEMAND'S MACON MIRACLE PLAN IS WHAT HE CALLS A DRASTIC STEP TO IMPROVE THE EDUCATION SYSTEM.

Story: BIBB SCHOOLS SAFETY Date Aired: 5/17/2012 Newscast: 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD MET THIS EVENING AT CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL. THE AUDITORIUM WAS FULL OF HONOREES YOUNG AND OLD, BUT EVEN THEY COULDN'T OVERSHADOW A PROBLEM LURKING IN OUR SCHOOLS. RICK DEVENS HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
STRATEGIC PLANNING 5/18/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BIBB SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT DOCTOR ROMAIN DALLEMAND WANTS TO PARTNER UP WITH COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS TO MAKE BIBB COUNTY BETTER FOR ITS STUDENTS.

ABOUT 25 ORGANIZATIONS SHOWED UP TO THE FIRST OF TWO MEETINGS HOSTED TODAY TO SHARE IDEAS WITH DOCTOR DALLEMAND ON HOW THEY COULD WORK TOGETHER WHILE PUTTING THE MACON MIRACLE PLAN TO ACTION.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DALLEMAND MEETING 5/19/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A BIBB COUNTY SCHOOLS LEADER IS ASKING LOCAL CLERGY FOR THEIR HELP WITH HIS CONTROVERSIAL MACON MIRACLE PLAN.

ROMAIN DALLEMAND MET WITH LOCAL PASTORS AT CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL TODAY TO INCORPORATE THEIR IDEAS INTO HIS CONTROVERSIAL PLAN.

DALLEMAND LISTED BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATISTICS DURING A POWERPOINT PRESENTATION TO EXPLAIN WHY THE SCHOOLS NEED HELP.

DALLEMAND SAYS HE HELD THE MEETING TODAY FOR THE MINISTERS BECAUSE HE KNOWS HOW IMPORTANT THEIR VOICES ARE IN THE PARISHES AND NEIGHBORHOODS THEY SERVE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
KIT COLBURN 5/22/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

HOUSTON COUNTY STUDENTS AT RUSSELL ELEMENTARY CAN EXPECT AN APOLOGY FROM ONE OF THEIR CLASSMATES BEFORE THEY GO HOME FOR SUMMER.

KIT COLBURN, A 10-YEAR-OLD STUDENT AT RUSSELL ELEMENTARY WENT MISSING FOR OVER 50 HOURS EARLIER THIS MONTH.

KIT RAN AWAY FROM THE SCHOOL'S CAMPUS AFTER BEING SENT TO THE OFFICE MAY 9TH IN HOUSTON COUNTY.

NOW, KIT WANTS TO APOLOGIZE TO HIS CLASSMATES THROUGH A WRITTEN LETTER.

HOUSTON COUNTY SCHOOLS SAY THAT KIT'S PUNISHMENT FOR RUNNING AWAY FROM THE CAMPUS IS CONFIDENTIAL.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SUMMER EDUCATION 5/24/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SCHOOL IS OUT AND SUMMER VACATION IS IN FULL FORCE FOR MOST STUDENTS.  
TEACHERS HAVE A FEW TIPS TO MAKE SURE STUDENTS RETAIN INFORMATION THEY LEARN  
AND ARE READY TO GO WHEN THEY COME BACK FOR THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BIBB GRADUATION 5/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SOME BIBB COUNTY GRADUATES MADE THE LONG WALK TO RECEIVE THEIR DIPLOMAS  
THIS EVENING.

THE CENTREPLEX WAS FULL OF PROUD PARENTS, FRIENDS, AND SUPPORTERS OF THE  
GRADUATES OF HOWARD HIGH SCHOOL AS THEY RECEIVED THEIR DIPLOMAS AND READIED  
THEMSELVES FOR THEIR NEXT LIFE CHALLENGE.

HUTCHINGS CAREER CENTER GRADUATES ALSO WALKED TONIGHT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MENTOR'S PROJECT 5/29/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SUMMER VACATION DOESN'T MEAN STUDENTS HAVE TO STOP LEARNING.

THE BIBB COUNTY MENTORS PROJECT IS HAVING ITS SIXTH ANNUAL INTENSIVE 10-DAY  
SUMMER PROGRAM.

MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE LEARNING MORE ABOUT MATH... AND  
LANGUAGE ARTS AND PREPARING FOR UPCOMING COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMS.

TO VOLUNTEER TO HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE LIFE OF A CHILD AND BE A MENTOR...  
CALL THE BIBB COUNTY MENTORS PROJECT AT (478)765-8624.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DALLEMAND PSC 5/30/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A LOCAL MAN PLANS TO CHALLENGE BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDANT DR.  
ROMAINE DALLEMAND...HE DISCUSSED THE COMPLAINT HE FILED AGAINST THE SCHOOL  
LEADER WITH THE GEORGIA PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS COMMISSION TODAY ON WGXA'S LIVE  
AT 5 WITH KENNY B. HE SAYS HE'S CONCERNED WITH THE SUPERINTENDANTS HIRING  
PRACTICES AND HIS ACCOUNTABILITY.HE TELL'S KENNY WHAT HE HOPES TO ACCOMPLISH  
THROUGH THE FILING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FVSU CAMP 6/1/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SUMMER IS HERE AND PARENTS MAY WANT TO FIND A SAFE PLACE FOR THEIR CHILDREN  
TO CONTINUE LEARNING OVER THE SUMMER, AND HAVE A LITTLE FUN TOO.

NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES, TAKES US TO A SUMMER CAMP THAT'S DOING JUST  
THAT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SCHOOL TASK FORCE 6/4/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT IS TAKING STEPS TO PREVENT SOME MAJOR DISCIPLINARY ISSUES THAT PLAQUED THE SYSEM DURING THE LAST SCHOOL YEAR. THOSE ISSUES RANGE FROM WEAPONS ON CAMPUS TO SEXUAL HARRASSMENT AND HOW TEACHERS SHOULD DEAL WITH A DISRUPTIVE STUDENT. NEWSCENTRALS CLINTON BOURGEOIS SAT IN ON TODAYS DISCIPLINARY TASK FORCE MEETING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HOUSTON GRADUATION 6/5/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A NATIONAL ORGANIZATION IS COMPLAINING ABOUT TWO RECENT HOUSTON COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATIONS AND NOW IT WANTS CHANGE. THE FREEDOM FROM RELIGION FOUNDATION IS SENDING LETTERS TO SUPERINTENDENT ROBIN HINES AFTER SOME ATTENDEES AT VETERANS AND PERRY HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATIONS COMPLAINED ABOUT A PRAYER AND GOSPEL MUSIC AT THE COMMENCEMENTS. THE FOUNDATION WANTS THE DISTRICT TO PREVENT RELIGION FROM BEING A PART OF OFFICIAL CEREMONIES FROM NOW ON.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON STATE GRANT 6/6/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

MORE NURSING STUDENTS WILL SOON HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO TAKE CLASSES AT MACON STATE COLLEGE. THE STATE HAS ALLOCATED MORE THAN 450-THOUSAND DOLLARS TO THE SCHOOL'S NURSING PROGRAM TO HIRE FIVE NEW FACULTY MEMBERS. SCHOOL OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES DEAN, DOCTOR REBECCA CORVEY, SAYS THE MONEY WILL ALLOW THE COLLEGE TO ADMIT AN ADDITIONAL 100 STUDENTS INTO THE SCHOOL'S NURSING PROGRAM. THE MONEY WILL ALSO GO TOWARDS CREATING A SATELLITE PROGRAM IN WARNER ROBINS TO BETTER SERVE STUDENTS LIVING IN THAT AREA. MACON STATE WILL ALSO RECIEVE MORE THAN 326-THOUSAND DOLLARS TO HIRE SIX NEW FACULTY MEMBERS IN HISTORY, POLITICAL SCIENCE, NATURAL SCIENCES AND THE ARTS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TRADE VS COLLEGE GRADS 6/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MANY PEOPLE BELIEVE GRADUATING FROM A FOUR YEAR UNIVERSITY IS THE RIGHT PATH TO A WELL PAYING JOB ... BUT A NEW STUDY SHOWS THAT MAY NOT ALWAYS BE THE CASE.



THE SIX YEAR AGREEMENT MEANS THE SCHOOL WILL HOST THE TOURNAMENT BEGINNING WITH BASKETBALL IN 2013... WHILE FOOTBALL WILL BE PLAYED IN THE NEW MERCER STADIUM BEGINNING IN FALL OF 2013.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DALLEMAND COMPLAINTS 6/13/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

DOCTOR ROMAIN DALLEMAND, THE BIBB SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT, WILL HAVE TWO COMPLAINTS HEARD BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TOMORROW MORNING. WE CANT CONFIRM WHAT BOTH OF THE COMPLAINTS ARE IN REFERENCE TO, BUT WE DID SPEAK WITH DARREN LATCH WHO FILED ONE OF THE COMPLAINTS OVER CONCERNS FOUND ON THE SUPERINTENDENT'S RESUME.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DALLEMAND COMPLAINTS 6/14/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BIBB COUNTY SUPERINTENDANT ROMAIN DALLMAND HAD TWO COMPLAINTS CONSIDERED THURSDAY MORNING BY THE GEORGIA PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS COMMISSION. ACCORDING TO CHIEF INVESTIGATOR JOHN GRANT, ONE OF THE COMPLAINTS WILL BE SEALED AND EXPUNGED FROM THE RECORD. THE COMMISSION FOUND NO PROBABLE CAUSE FOR THAT COMPLAINT. THE SECOND COMPLAINT WAS FROM A BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL SUPPORTER DARREN LATCH OVER DALLEMAND'S RESUME. THE COMMISSION SENT THIS COMPLAINT BACK TO THE BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD FOR AN ETHICAL INVESTIGATION. PENDING THAT INVESTIGATION AN ADDITIONAL REPORT WOULD HAVE TO BE FILED OR EITHER HANDLED ON A LOCAL LEVEL.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
JUNE TEENTH 6/16/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE STAGE IS SET FOR THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL JUNETEENTH FREEDOM FESTIVAL. DIFFERENT GROUPS LIKE THE TUSKEGEE AIRMEN'S LEGACY EXHIBIT, AND THE BLACK UNION RE-ENACTORS ARE ON HAND TEACHING PARK GOERS ABOUT THE HISTORY OF THE BLACK COMMUNITY DURING AND AFTER THE CIVIL WAR, JUNETEENTH COMMEMORATES WHEN ABRAHAM LINCOLN SENT FEDERAL TROOPS TO TEXAS TO ENFORCE THE EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION. BUT SOME PEOPLE VISITING THE FESTIVAL SAY IT'S NOT JUST ABOUT REMEMBERING SLAVES FREEDOM BUT HOW TO FREE ALL PEOPLE OF THE WORLD FROM THEIR INHIBITIONS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
THEATRE CAMP 6/18/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

MORE THAN THIRTY CHILDREN BETWEEN THE AGES OF SEVEN AND FOURTEEN WILL BE SPENDING THE NEXT TWO WEEKS AT 4TH WALL CHILDREN'S THEATRE CAMP TO DEVELOP BASIC ACTING SKILLS.

THE CHILDREN WILL BE COACHED WITH THEATRE TERMINOLOGY, STAGE DIRECTION, AND LEARN HOW TO PREPARE BACK DROPS

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MERCER COMPUTER CAMP 6/19/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

CAMPERS ARE INTRODUCED TO SEVERAL DIFFERENT ROBOTS TO PROGRAM AT MERCER'S CREATIVE COMPUTER CAMP.

CAMPERS BUILD AND PROGRAM ROBOTS TO MAKE THE DO SEVERAL DIFFERENT THINGS.

THE ROBOTS DRAW AND PERFORM TRICKS AS A PART OF THE PROGRAM CONDUCTED.

CHILDREN IN ATTENDACE DID NOT HAVE TO HAVE PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE IN ROBOTICS TO ATTEND THE CAMP.

INSTRUCTORS SAY, IT'S PREPARING THEM FOR LIFE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CONSUMER CREDIT SUMMER UPDATE 6/20/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

LOOKING FOR FINANCIAL RELIEF THIS SUMMER?

CONSUMER CREDIT COUNSELING WILL BE OFFERING TWO NEW TRAINING PROGRAMS THIS SUMMER FOR CONSUMERS.

THE "BETWEEN JOBS" PROGRAM OFFERS FINANCIAL ADVICE FOR PEOPLE WHO HAVE BEEN LAID OFF, TERMINATED OR DOWNSIZED.

"THINKING ABOUT RETIRING" OFFERS FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT TIPS FOR PEOPLE APPROACHING THEIR RETIREMENT YEARS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MATH SCIENCE CAMP 6/21/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

RISING THIRD AND FIFTH GRADERS ATTENDED A SUMMER CAMP AT VINEVILLE ACADEMY OF THE ARTS.

EDUCATORS HOPE THAT THE CAMP WILL HELP STUDENTS GAIN AN UNDERSTANDING OF UPCOMING MATH AND SCIENCE STANDARDS THEY WILL BE TAUGHT IN THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BIBB BOE SCHOOL DAYSB 6/22/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BIBB COUNTY STUDENTS CAN EXPECT LONGER SCHOOL DAY THIS FALL.



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**HEALTH CARE ISSUES**

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CHILDREN'S PROCLAMATION 4/2/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE CITY OF MACON ANNOUNCED AN ONGOING COMMITMENT TO END THE CYCLE OF CHILD ABUSE.

TODAY'S PROCLAMATION SENT THE MESSAGE OF ENDING CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT BY WORKING TOGETHER WITH THE MEDICAL CENTER AND OTHER SOCIAL SERVICE AGENCIES TO SUPPORT CHILDREN AND FAMILIES.

THE PROCLAMATION AT CITY HALL INCLUDED A PRESENTATION ABOUT THE REGIONAL PROBLEM OF SEX TRAFFICKING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CHILD CONVOCATION 4/4/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WITH THE NATIONAL SPOTLIGHT ON CHILD ABUSE IN RECENT MONTHS, AND WITH IT BEING NATIONAL CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH,

THE CRESCENT HOUSE, A SERVICE OF THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL AT THE MEDICAL CENTER OF CENTRAL GEORGIA, IS TALKING CANDIDLY ABOUT THE PROBLEM. MAYOR ROBERT REICHERT PROCLAIMED TODAY AS CHILD ABUSE AWARENESS DAY IN MACON.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
LOVE YOURSELF 4/5/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

CITY EMPLOYEES LEARN A SERIES OF LESSONS ABOUT BEING HEALTHY EMPLOYEES.

THE CITY OF MACON AND CONVENTRY HEALTH CARE OF GEORGIA HOSTED A "LOVE YOURSELF TO HEALTH" HEALTH FAIR TODAY AT CENTRAL CITY PARK.

EMPLOYEES ATTENDED THE AFTERNOON HEALTH FAIR AS PART OF THE CITY EMPLOYEE MACON HEALTHY HABITS PROGRAM.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BOWL 4 LEUKEMIA 4/6/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

EVERY DAY 118 PEOPLE ARE DIAGNOSED WITH LEUKEMIA WHICH MEANS THAT IN EVERY HOUR OF THE DAY AT LEAST FOUR PEOPLE COULD BE LEARNING THEY HAVE THE DISEASE.

ONE OF OUR VERY OWN AT NEWSCENTRAL HAS BEEN TOUCHED BY THESE STATISTICS WITH HER SISTER'S DIAGNOSIS AND SHE IS RAISING AWARENESS AND FUNDS WITH A BOWLING FOR LEUKEMIA EVENT.

IN TONIGHT'S FAMILY FIRST, NEWSCENTRAL'S MICHELLE QUESADA TELLS US HOW YOU CAN JOIN THE FIGHT AGAINST LEUKEMIA AND HELP HER SISTER.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BOWLING FUNDRAISER 4/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

NEWSCENTRAL SPENT THE DAY AT GOLDEN CUP LANES TO BENEFIT AWARENESS FOR AN ILLNESS THAT HITS CLOSE TO HOME.

NEWSCENTRALS CLINTON BOURGEOIS BRINGS YOU THE STORY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
WORKING WORLD 4/9/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE MEDICAL CENTER IS ONE OF 20 HOSPITALS NATIONWIDE TO RECEIVE THE LIVESTRONG GRANT TO PROVIDE BETTER RESOURCES FOR PALLIATIVE CARE.

IN TODAY'S WORKING WORLD CLINTON BOURGEOIS HAD A CHANCE TO SPEAK WITH WORKERS EXCITED ABOUT HOW THIS GRANT WILL HELP THEM BETTER SERVE THEIR PATIENTS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
KODY LUCAS 4/10/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A PERRY TEENAGER WHO SPENT THE LAST THREE YEARS HELPING TO SAVE LIVES, HAS LOST HIS BRAVE BATTLE AGAINST CANCER.

19-YEAR OLD KODY LUCAS DIED EARLY TUESDAY MORNING, AND ONE PERSON HE HELD DEAR TO HIS HEART, SPEAKS ON THE LEGACY HE CREATED. NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HEALTHY LIVING 4/11/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

UNLOCKING THE KEYS TO THE MYSTERY BEHIND RISING AUTISM RATES HAVE DOMINATED HEADLINES DURING AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH.

IN THIS WEEK'S HEALTHY LIVING I WILL INTRODUCE YOU TO A TALENTED AWARD WINNING MUSICIAN WHO DESCRIBES HIS JOURNEY FROM AUTISTIC CHILD TO AUTISTIC ADULT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
KODY LUCAS 4/13/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A VISITATION FOR A VERY BRAVE YOUNG MAN WAS HELD AT CROSSPOINT BAPTIST CHURCH IN PERRY TODAY.

NEWSCENTRAL'S MARIO RAMIREZ SHARES THE STORY OF A TEEN WHO IS GOING TO CHANGE SO MANY LIVE'S AFTER LOSING HIS OWN TO CANCER.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
CUTS FOR JAY'S HOPE	4/14/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

GREAT CLIPS SALONS ACROSS CENTRAL GEORGIA ARE DONANG ONE DOLLAR FROM EVERY APPOINTMENT TO THE JAYS HOPE FOUNDATION THIS WEEKEND.

ITS PART OF HOLLY SLAVIN'S, "BLESSING OF THE BIRDS".

AT TIMES, LIKE ALL CANCER FIGHTERS, HOLLY LOSTS HER HAIR...

AND WHENEVER THAT HAPPENS, HER MOM JANICE CUTS HER HAIR OFF ALSO.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
FOOD BANK	4/16/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

LAWYERS ACROSS THE STATE ARE COMPETING AGAINST EACH OTHER ...BUT ITS ALL FOR A GOOD CAUSE.

THEIR GOAL IS TO HELP FOOD BANKS PREPARE FOR THE CRITICAL SUMMER MONTHS.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
TWILIGHT MOMS	4/17/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A CHARITY WITH A VERY GIVING HEART IS GIVING BACK TO CENTRAL GEORGIA.

TONIGHT NEWSCENTRAL'S PORTIA LAKE SHOWS YOU HOW YOU CAN HELP A GROUP OF DEVOTED FANS SAVE A LIFE.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
CHILD CUFFED PROBLEMS	4/19/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WHETHER OR NOT A 6 YEAR OLD CHILD'S UNRULY BEHAVIOR WAS PROPERLY DEALT WITH BY SCHOOL AND POLICE OFFICIALS IS CAUSING MUCH CONTROVERSY...

NEWSCENTRAL'S MICHELLE QUESADA TALKS TO LOCAL CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER DAPHNE STEVENS.

IN THIS REPORT, MICHELLE EXPLORES THE PSYCHOLOGICAL ASPECTS INVOLVED IN THE INCIDENT.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
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JONES CO. RELAY FOR LIFE 4/20/2012

10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SOME MIDDLE GEORGIANS ARE SPENDING THE EVENING GETTING SOME EXERCISE FOR A VERY WORTHY CAUSE.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MARCH OF DIMES 4/21/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

PREMATURE BIRTH IS THE MOST URGENT INFANT HEALTH PROBLEM IN THE UNITED STATES TODAY.

THIS MORNING FAMILIES PARTICIPATED IN THE NATION'S OLDEST FUNDRAISER HONORING BABIES BORN HEALTHY AND THOSE NEEDING HELP TO SURVIVE.

CLINTON BOURGEOIS HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HOUSTON HEALTH 4/24/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

HOUSTON COUNTY IS USING TOYS TO ENCOURAGE KIDS TO GET THEIR SHOTS.

THE HOUSTON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT IS GIVING AWAY FREE TOYS TO CHILDREN WHO GO IN TO GET THEIR IMMUNIZATION SHOTS.

THE EFFORT IS TO CELEBRATE NATIONAL IMMUNIZATION WEEK.

CHILDREN 4 AND YOUNGER WHO GET THEIR IMMUNIZATIONS BEFORE APRIL 28TH CAN GET A FREE TOY DONATED BY TARGET AND WALMART.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ALZHEIMER'S SWEEPS 4/26/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IF YOU ARE ONE OF THE LUCKY FEW PEOPLE WHO DON'T HAVE A LOVED ONE SUFFERING FROM ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE THE FACT REMAINS THAT IT WILL AFFECT US ALL EVENTUALLY.

IN THIS FIRST OF A FOUR-PART SERIES, WGXA'S PORTIA LAKE SHOWS YOU WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT THE DISEASE AND WHY YOU SHOULD CARE ABOUT FINDING A CURE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ALZHEIMER'S DANCE 4/27/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WGXA IS PROUD TO SPONSOR THE DANCING STARS OF CENTRAL GEORGIA, A BENEFIT TO RAISE FUNDS AND AWARENESS FOR THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION.

WGXA'S JEFF COX TAKES IT FROM HERE. JEFF?

THANKS AARON...ALZHEIMER'S IS NOW A DISEASE THAT SOMEONE IS DIAGNOSED WITH EVERY 69 SECONDS.

ON MAY 12TH, STARS FROM CENTRAL GEORGIA WILL DANCE FOR A CURE.

THIS AFTERNOON, WE PROFILE OUR NEXT TWO DANCERS...ELBERT MCQUEEN AND MARY PERDUE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
NICK MALLOY BENEFIT 5/1/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FRIENDS AND FAMILY OF A LOCAL SINGER WHO WAS CRITICALLY INJURED IN A CAR ACCIDENT IS NOW HOLDING A BENEFIT TO HELP OUT HIS FAMILY.

NICK MALLOY, A MACON MUSICIAN, WAS CRITICALLY INJURED IN A SINGLE-VEHICLE CAR ACCIDENT IN LATE MARCH. HIS FRIENDS ARE NOW PUTTING TOGETHER A BENEFIT FEATURING THE "SHANE BRIDGES BAND" AND "BACK CITY WOODS." THE EVENT TAKES PLACE ON FRIDAY, JUNE 1ST AT THE COX CAPITOL THEATRE. DOORS WILL OPEN AT 7, WITH THE SHOW STARTING AT 8. ADMISSION IS 20 DOLLARS FOR STANDING ROOM FLOOR AND 15 DOLLARS FOR BALCONY SEATS.

MALLOY FELL ASLEEP AT THE WHEEL AT THE BASS ROAD EXIT ALONG I-75. HE'S SINCE UNDERGONE MULTIPLE SURGERIES AND REHABILITATION.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
RESCUE CHOPPER 5/2/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A RESCUE HELICOPTER SERVICE IS SERVING THE CENTRAL GEORGIA AREA AND REDUCING THE TIME IT TAKES FOR PATIENTS IN NEED TO RECEIVE HOSPITAL CARE...

THE AIR EVAC LIFETEAM CHOPPER LANDED AT TWIGGS ACADEMY WEDNESDAY TO PROMOTE ITS SERVICES AND BENEFITS TO THE TWIGGS COMMUNITY...

THE COMPANY IS SERVING THE RURAL AREAS OF CENTRAL GEORGIA AND ARE BASED IN SEVEN DIFFERENT LOCATIONS THROUGHOUT THE REGION...

THEY SAY BECOMING A MEMBER OF THE LIFETEAM COULD HELP YOU DURING THOSE CRUCIAL MINUTES WAITING FOR CARE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ALZHEIMER'S SWEEPS 2 5/3/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ALZHEIMER'S IS A DISEASE THAT DOESN'T JUST AFFECT THE PATIENT BUT AFFECTS THE FAMILY AS WELL.

TONIGHT, NEWSCENTRAL'S PORTIA LAKE INTRODUCES YOU TO ONE ALZHEIMER'S CAREGIVER HIT NINE TIMES BY THE DISEASE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
QUESADA SWEEPS 5/4/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FOR TWO YEARS NEWSCENTRAL'S MICHELLE QUESADA HAS GONE INTO THE HOMES OF CENTRAL GEORGIA FAMILIES AND INTRODUCED THE PUBLIC TO REAL, LIVE, AND EVERYDAY FAMILY ISSUES.

TONIGHT, MICHELLE RECAPS THE HEROES SHE'S MET ALONG THE WAY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SULLIVENT BLOOD DRIVE 5/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A BLOOD DRIVE WAS HELD TODAY IN HONOR OF TWO SISTERS WHO DIED TRAGICALLY IN A CAR ACCIDENT LAST YEAR...AND ORGANIZERS SAY ITS AN EVENT THAT THE SULLIVENT SISTERS ALWAYS TOOK A PART OF.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
STROKE AWARENESS 5/8/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE CENTRAL GEORGIA REHABILITATION HOSPITAL IS TAKING THE LEAD DURING NATIONAL STROKE AWARENESS MONTH.

WHILE MANY TEND TO BELIEVE THEY'RE NOT AT RISK DUE TO THEIR AGE, IT CAN AFFECT ALL OF US.

TWO YOUNG SURVIVORS SHARED THEIR STORIES AND HOW THE EXPERIENCE HAS CHANGED THEIR LIVES.

CLINTON BOURGEOIS HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DANCING STARS 5/11/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

NEWSCENTRAL IS PROUD TO SPONSOR THE FIRST ANNUAL DANCING STARS OF CENTRAL GEORGIA EVENT WHERE ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION.

THE EVENT TAKES PLACE TOMORROW NIGHT IN FRONT OF A SOLD OUT CROWD. CHIEF METEOROLOGIST JEFF COX HAS BEEN PROFILING DANCERS LEADING UP TO THE EVENT AND JOINS US NOW WITH TONIGHT'S DANCING DUO. JEFF?

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DANCING STARS 5/12/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

TONIGHT, TEN LOCAL CELEBRITIES TOOK TO THE MACON CITY AUDITORIUM'S STAGE TO SHOWCASE SOME SERIOUS MOVES AND RAISE SOME SERIOUS MONEY FOR THE ALZHEIMERS ASSOCIATION.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CRISTEN DRUMMOND REPORTS FROM THE MUCH ANTICIPATED "DANCING STARS OF CENTRAL GEORGIA".

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:

DANCING STARS RECAP

5/13/2012

10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IT WAS A BIG DAY FOR STUDENTS GRADUATING FROM MERCER UNIVERSITY BUT FOR ONE STUDENT IN PARTICULAR HE'S BEEN WAITING SIXTY YEARS TO SAY HE GRADUATED.

DR. ROY VANDIVER FINALLY WALKED DOWN THE COMMENCEMENT AISLE TODAY TO RECEIVE HIS DIPLOMA.

HE IS THE OLDEST STUDENT TO RECEIVE A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MEDICINE FROM THE SCHOOL AND THE THIRD OLDEST TO EVER GRADUATE.

IT TOOK AWHILE, BUT HE FINALLY MADE IT AND IS GLAD THE DAY IS FINALLY HERE.

Story:

Date Aired:

Newscast:

DANCING STARS RECAP

5/14/2012

10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FINALLY TONIGHT, THE INAUGURAL "DANCING STARS OF CENTRAL GEORGIA", CO-SPONSORED BY NEWS CENTRAL, TOOK PLACE SATURDAY WITH ALL PROCEEDS BENEFITING THE ALZHEIMERS ASSOCIATION.

THE EVENT, HOSTED BY OUR OWN JEFF COX, FEATURED TEN CELEBRITY DANCERS, INCLUDING PORTIA LAKE!

THE END RESULT...SOME SERIOUS MONEY FOR THE ALZHEIMERS ASSOCIATION.

THE EVENT RAISED OVER 200-THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Story:

Date Aired:

Newscast:

ALLERGY DEATHS

5/16/2012

10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT DIED IN ATLANTA MONDAY MORNING AFTER AN ALLERGIC REACTION TO PEANUTS AT GOLDEN CORRAL.

NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES SPOKE WITH THE 15-YEAR OLDS FAMILY AND AN ALLERGY SPECIALIST TO RECAP HIS FINAL HOURS.

Story:

Date Aired:

Newscast:

ALZHEIMER'S SWEEPS

5/17/2012

10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FINALLY TONIGHT, ONE IN EIGHT OLDER AMERICANS HAS ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE.

IN A SPECIAL REPORT, NEWSCENTRAL'S PORTIA LAKE SHOWS US THE CHALLENGES ALZHEIMER'S CAREGIVERS FACE AND THE RESOURCES AVAILABLE.

Story:

Date Aired:

Newscast:

RELAY FOR LIFE

5/18/2012

10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE PERRY FAIRGROUNDS WAS CROWDED THIS EVENING WITH PEOPLE WALKING FOR THE CURE.

THE ANNUAL HOUSTON COUNTY RELAY FOR LIFE BROUGHT HUNDREDS TO THE FAIRGROUNDS INCLUDING DONNA MOSS, THE MOTHER OF THE LATE KODY LUCAS WHO HIMSELF SERVED AS AN INSPIRATION TO MANY WITH HIS BRAVE FIGHT AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FLESH BACTERIA 5/23/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A MILLEDGEVILLE MAN HAS BECOME GEORGIA'S FOURTH CASE OF A FLESH EATING BACTERIA THAT HAS MADE NATIONAL HEADLINES.

AND AS HE FIGHTS FOR HIS LIFE IN THE MEDICAL CENTER OF CENTRAL GEORGIA, OTHER MILLEDGEVILLE RESIDENTS WANT TO KNOW IF IT'S SAFE TO GO IN THE WATER.

RICK DEVENS HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FLESH EATING 5/24/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MILLEDGEVILLE GRANDFATHER PAUL BALES IS IN STABLE CONDITION IN THE MEDICAL CENTER OF CENTRAL GEORGIA. BALES IS RECOVERING AFTER HAVING PART OF HIS LEFT LEG AMPUTATED YESTERDAY IN ORDER TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF A FLESH EATING BACTERIA.

TODAY NERVOUS MILLEDGEVILLE RESIDENTS WONDER HOW THE BACTERIA MAY EFFECT ONE OF LAKE SINCLAIR'S BUSIEST TIMES OF THE YEAR, MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND.

RICK DEVENS HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FLESH EATING VICTIM 5/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ON WEDNESDAY WE TOLD YOU ABOUT MILLEDGEVILLE GRANDFATHER PAUL BALES... WHO HAD PART OF HIS LEFT LEG AMPUTATED DUE TO A FLESH EATING BACTERIA.

PAUL'S SON... MIKE BALES... TELLS NEWSCENTRAL THIS AFTERNOON THAT HIS FATHER IS IN STABLE CONDITION AT THE MEDICAL CENTER OF CENTRAL GEORGIA... STILL RECOVERING FROM HIS SURGERY.

THERE IS NO NEW INFORMATION AT THIS POINT ON WHETHER MORE SURGERY WILL BE NEEDED.

PAUL BALES HURT HIS LEG WORKING ON HIS DOCK ON MAY SECOND.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ROOMS FROM THE HEART 5/26/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A BIBB COUNTY TEEN WITH A BRAIN TUMOR IS GETTING A VERY SWEET SURPRISE FOR HER SIXTEENTH BIRTHDAY.

THE VOLUNTEER GROUP ROOMS FROM THE HEART TOTALLY RENOVATED QUANISHA RUTHERFORD'S BEDROOM TODAY WHILE THE TEEN AND HER FAMILY WERE OUT TO LUNCH AND A MOVIE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
OBESE CHILDREN 5/31/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

OBESE CHILDREN ARE MORE LIKELY TO BECOME OBESE ADULTS.

SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO PROVIDE AND PROMOTE HEALTHY LIFE STYLES THAT WILL INFLUENCE THE BEHAVIOR OF YOUNG CHILDREN.

GEORGIA STATICS CONVINCED ONE CENTRAL GEORGIA ORGANIZATION TO TAKE ACTION. NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CENTERVILLE GOLF 6/8/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AND THE CENTERVILLE FIRE DEPARTMENT IS ONCE AGAIN RAISING THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS FOR THE MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY ASSOCIATION.

TODAY THE DEPARTMENT HOSTED A GOLF TOURNAMENT TO RAISE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE ORGANIZATION. LAST YEAR THE DEPARTMENT RAISED 65-HUNDRED DOLLARS IN THE WELL-KNOWN BOOT DRIVE, BUT DECIDED TO HOLD A GOLF TOURNAMENT AS WELL. THEY DIDN'T HAVE A MONETARY GOAL FOR THE INAUGURAL TOURNAMENT, BUT DID MEET THEIR OTHER GOALS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MEN IN MEDICINE 6/11/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ASPIRING YOUNG MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS ARE USING HUTCHINGS CAREER CENTER AS AN INTRODUCTION TO THE FIELD OF MEDICINE.

HUTCHINGS CAREER CENTER HOSTED "MEN IN MEDICINE" TO INTRODUCE MORE MEN TO THE MEDICAL FIELD.

STUDENTS IN GRADES NINE THROUGH 11TH HEARD FROM GUEST SPEAKERS IN THE MEDICAL FIELD AND LEARNED TO TAKE VITAL SIGNS, PERFORM C-P-R AND MAKE OTHER MEDICAL ASSESSMENTS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MILLEDGEVILLE BACTERIA 6/14/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE MILLEDGEVILLE GRANDFATHER WHO CONTRACTED A FLESH EATING BACTERIA IS STILL RECOVERING AT THE MEDICAL CENTER TODAY... BUT HIS FAMILY SAYS HE'S DOING MUCH BETTER.





## FOX 24 WGXA 2nd QUARTER

### HOUSING ISSUES

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HOME AND GARDEN SHOW 4/1/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

AND JUST NEXT DOOR IN THE MCGILL MARKETPLACE, THERE WAS THE SPRING HOME AND GARDEN SHOW.

SPECTATORS BROWSED THROUGH HANDMADE CRAFTS AND GOODS, AND GARDEN PLANTS.

JUST LIKE THE KOI SHOW, VENDORS ALSO CAME FROM AREAS OUTSIDE OF CENTRAL GEORGIA TO PROVIDE A TASTE OF WHAT THE REST OF THE COUNTRY HAS TO OFFER.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON CITY COUNCIL 4/2/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

SOME MEMBERS OF MACON CITY COUNCIL WERE WAITING TO HEAR SOME IMPORTANT NUMBERS THIS AFTERNOON.

BUT THE NUMBERS THEY RECEIVED DID NOT MAKE THEM HAPPY.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
NO KILL ANIMAL SHELTER 4/3/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

WITH THE RECENT PASSING OF THE SPLOST AND THE NEW SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY BETWEEN THE CITY OF MACON AND BIBB COUNTY COMING INTO PLAY, THE COMMUNITY COULD SOON HAVE A NO-KILL ANIMAL SHELTER.

AT TONIGHT'S MEETING OF THE BIBB COUNTY COMMISSION, IT WAS DECIDED THE NEW ANIMAL CONTROL SHELTER WOULD FALL UNDER THE GUIDANCE OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE CHAIRED BY LONZY EDWARDS.

UNDER NEW BUSINESS AT TONIGHTS MEETING, COMMISSIONER JOE ALLEN ASKED THAT THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE CONSIDER LEGISLATION TO MAKE THE SHELTER A NO-KILL OR LOW-KILL SHELTER.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 4/4/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

AFTER A SERIES OF NAMES AND OWNERS, THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS THE RAMADA PLAZA IN DOWNTOWN MACON MAY HAVE A CHANCE TO BREATHE IN NEW LIFE.

NEWSCENTRAL'S MICHELLE QUESADA TELLS US HOW ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IS GOING TO HELP THE PROPERTY RE-OPEN FOR BUSINESS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
W.R. GROWTH 4/6/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ROBINS AIR FORCE BASE BRINGS PEOPLE FROM ACROSS THE NATION TO WARNER ROBINS AND THE SURROUNDING COMMUNITIES, TO WORK , LIVE AND PLAY.  
IN FACT... THE CITY OF WARNER ROBINS HAS GROWN SO MUCH IT'S BEING NOTICED ACROSS THE NATION.  
AMBER JONES HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HISTORIC MACON 4/9/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A MACON NEIGHBORHOOD THAT'S BEEN IN EXISTANCE SINCE 1917 MAY SOON RECEIVE A SPECIAL RECOGNITION  
NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SALLIE DAVIS HOUSE 4/10/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A HISTORIC HOME HAS BEEN RESTORED AND TODAY IT WAS REOPENED TO THE PUBLIC.  
THIS WAS THE HOME OF SALLIE ELLIS DAVIS FROM 1912 UNTIL HER DEATH IN 1950. DAVIS WAS AN AFRICAN-AMERICAN EDUCATOR WHO TAUGHT GENERATIONS OF AFRICAN-AMERICANS INSIDE AND OUTSIDE THE HOME.  
AROUND 20 YEARS AGO, CAROLYN THOMAS INITIALIZED THE PROJECT TO RESTORE THE HOME AND REOPEN IT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BUILDING DEMOLISHED 4/11/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE CITY OF MACON IS WORKING TOWARD AN INITIATIVE TO DEMOLISH ABANDONED HOMES...  
THE STOP TODAY WAS MACON'S UNIONVILLE NEIGHBORHOOD.  
ANYONE TAKING A DRIVE THROUGH THAT NEIGHBORHOOD WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO MISS THE THE SCENE OF THESE EYESORES...  
NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES TAKES US THERE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MASTER PLAN 4/12/2012 10:00 PM



THE DETAILS OF THE BILL HAVE PROVEN TO BE CONTROVERSIAL DEMANDING DRUG TESTING FOR RECIPIENTS OF TANF...OR TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES. NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES HAS THE DETAILS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SOLAR PANELS 4/19/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A REAL ESTATE COMPANY WITH MULTIPLE DOWNTOWN PROPERTIES IS LOOKING TO THE SUN TO POWER ONE OF ITS BUILDINGS AND IT HAS ALREADY STARTED TO PAY OFF. AS I FOUND OUT, SOLAR POWER MIGHT BE MACON'S NEXT BIG THING UNDER THE SUN.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
EARTH DAY 4/21/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

EARTH DAY ISN'T UNTIL TOMORROW, BUT CELEBRATIONS IN MACON ARE ALREADY UNDERWAY...

THE CITY OF MACON PARKS AND RECREATION CENTER DISTRIBUTED TREES TO CELEBRATE EARTH DAY...

WHILE ST. FRANCIS EPISCOPAL CHURCH CREATION HOSTED ACTIVITIES FOR KIDS AS WELL AS DEMONSTRATIONS OF RECYCLING, GARDENING AND COMPOSTING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
INGLESIDE AVENUE 4/22/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON IS FILLED WITH HISTORIC BUILDINGS AND NEIGHBORHOODS....

TWELVE HISTORIC DISTRICTS TO BE EXACT.

AND NOW THE CITY IS ADDING NUMBER THIRTEEN.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CLINTON BOURGEOIS BRINGS US THAT STORY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MAC PUPPY DISH 4/23/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MORE BAD NEWS FOR THE MACON ANIMAL CONTROL.

THE FACILITY HAS BEEN WORKING OVER THE YEARS TO CLEAN-UP ITS IMAGE DUE TO POOR LIVING CONDITIONS FOR ANIMALS.

VOLUNTEER SUSAN HELTON RELEASED PHOTOS OF A PUPPY'S WATER DISH FILL WITH URINE AND FECES. SHE SAID IT WAS THE ONLY WATER THE PUPPY HAD ALL DAY AND OTHERS DIDN'T HAVE ANY.

SOME ANIMALS WERE REPORTEDLY LIVING IN THE DARK OR IN FLOODED ROOMS BECAUSE THE DRAINAGE SYSTEM WAS BACKED UP.

NEWSCENTRAL TRIED TO CONTACT MACON ANIMAL CONTROL, BUT WAS DENIED AN INTERVIEW.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MAC UPDATE 4/24/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

YESTERDAY THE MACON ANIMAL CONTROL SAID THEY ARE GOING TO HUNKER DOWN AND DO WHATS NEEDED TO CLEAN ITS IMAGE.

AND IT STARTED WITH THE REMOVAL OF DIRECTOR JIM JOHNSON FROM OVERSEEING DAY-TO-DAY OPERATIONS AT THE SHELTER.

JOHNSON HAS FACED HARSH CRITICISM IN THE PAST FOR POOR CONDITIONS AT THE SHELTER.

JOHNSON WILL REMAIN ANIMAL CONTROL DIRECTOR, BUT HE WILL BE FOCUSING ON THE UPCOMING ANIMAL CONTROL TRANSITION FROM THE CITY TO BIBB COUNTY.

THE CHANGE IN JOHNSON'S JOB DUTIES WENT INTO EFFECT MONDAY. NO DECISION HAS BEEN MADE ABOUT WHO WILL BE IN CHARGE OF THE SHELTER.

THE COUNTY IS SET TO TAKE OVER OPERATIONS ON JULY 1.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
EARTH DAY KICKOFF 4/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

EARTH DAY CELEBRATIONS HAVE BEEN UNDERWAY SINCE LAST WEEK, BUT THE HOLIDAY'S KICK-OFF CEREMONY FINALLY TOOK PLACE TODAY AFTER IT GOT RAINED OUT LAST WEEK....

AN OPENING CEREMONY RECOGNIZED SEVERAL ORGANIZATIONS WHO HAVE GONE ABOVE AND BEYOND IN MAKING CENTRAL GEORGIA A CLEANER PLACE TO LIVE...

VENDORS SOLD PLANTS AND PRODUCE AMONG OTHER ITEMS...

THE CEREMONY FOCUSED ON BRINGING THE COMMUNITY TOGETHER AND PROMOTING RECYCLING AND CLEAN ENERGY THROUGHOUT CENTRAL GEORGIA.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
LAMAR TORNADO ANNIVERSARY 4/26/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AND AS JEFF MENTIONED, TWO PEOPLE DIED IN BARNESVILLE, GEORGIA AND SEVERAL HOMES WERE COMPLETELY DESTROYED DURING THE STORM.

NOW, A YEAR LATER, NEWSCENTRAL'S MICHELLE QUESADA REVISITS A RESIDENT ON GROVE STREET WHO STILL HAS NOT BEEN ABLE TO REBUILD HIS HOME.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
GA. POWER BILL 4/27/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

GEORGIA POWER CUSTOMERS COULD SEE LOWER BILLS THIS SUMMER THANKS TO A PROPOSED EARLY SUMMER RATE DECREASE.

GEORGIA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER CHUCK EATON ASKED THE COMPANY TO DECREASE FUEL RECOVERY RATES ON JUNE 1ST INSTEAD OF THE PLANNED JULY 1ST DATE.

GEORGIA POWER FILED A REQUEST ON MARCH 30TH TO REDUCE FUEL RATES BY MORE THAN HALF A BILLION DOLLARS ANNUALLY.

THAT EQUALS AN ESTIMATED SIX PERCENT MONTHLY REDUCTION FOR RESIDENTIAL CONSUMERS. EATON SAYS BY LOWERING RATES NOW, IT WILL PUT MORE MONEY IN CONSUMERS HANDS FOR THE SUMMER.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TORNADO ANNIVERSARY 4/28/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A YEAR AGO TODAY TWO LAMAR COUNTY RESIDENTS LOST THEIR LIVES WHEN AN EF-THREE TORNADO RIPPED THROUGH BARNSEVILLE.

AT LEAST A DOZEN PEOPLE WERE INJURED AND HUNDREDS OF HOMES WERE COMPLETELY DESTROYED.

THAT SAME TORNADO TRACKED ACROSS PIKE, MONROE AND BUTTS COUNTIES WITH WINDS TOPPING AT 140 MILES PER HOUR...

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MAJESTIC HOUSE FIRE 4/29/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FIRST TONIGHT ON FOX...

SIX PEOPLE WALKED AWAY FROM A HOUSE FIRE TONIGHT IN MACON...

THE MACON-BIBB FIRE DEPARTMENT WAS ON-SCENE AT 3361 MAJESTIC LANE AT AROUND 6-30 P-M THIS EVENING...

INVESTIGATORS ARE STILL TRYING TO DETERMINE WHAT CAUSED THE BLAZE...

MOST OF THE DAMAGE IN THE HOME IS DUE TO SMOKE...

NEWSCENTRAL WILL HAVE MORE INFORMATION AS IT IS RELEASED....

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
NEIGHBORHOOD PROBLEMS 4/30/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AFTER A HOUSE FIRE ON NIAGRA STREET ON SATURDAY, LOCAL RESIDENTS ARE UPSET ABOUT ABANDONED HOMES IN THEIR NEIGHBORHOODS.

NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES HAS THE DETAILS ON WHAT CITY COUNCIL HAS PLANNED TO HELP.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FOREST HILL CHANGES 5/2/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE EXPANSION OF FOREST HILL ROAD WAS A TOPIC OF DISCUSSION AT TODAY'S MEETING OF MACON'S PUBLIC WORKS AND ENGINEERING COMMITTEE.

THE COMMITTEE CONSIDERED A RESOLUTION THAT WOULD NOTIFY THE GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION THAT THE CITY DOES NOT AGREE TO ACCEPT THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR FOREST HILL ROAD UPON COMPLETION OF THE IMPROVEMENTS. THE RESOLUTION ALSO REQUIRES GDOT TO RECONSIDER THE DESIGN.

THE RESOLUTION FAILED THE COMMITTEE BY A VOTE OF 3 TO 2.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
GAS MILEAGE CAR SHOPPING 5/2/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

RISING GAS PRICES ARE NOT ONLY CONTROLLING HOW MUCH WE DRIVE BUT WHAT WE ARE DRIVING.

NEWSCENTRALS TYLER SOUTHARD TELLS WHAT A NEW SURVEY IS SAYING ABOUT OUR AUTO BUYING HABITS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FORT HAWKINS DIG 5/2/3012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FORT HAWKINS WAS AN OFFICIAL U-S ARMY FORT AND INDIAN FACTORY FOR TRADING AND MEETING WITH NATIVE AMERICANS.

TODAY ARCHEOLOGISTS WERE BACK AT THE MACON SITE LOOKING FOR A PIECE OF THE PUZZLE TO LOCAL HISTORY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HABITAT BUILD 5/5/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY WITH THE HELP OF WOMEN FROM ACROSS CENTRAL GEORGIA WILL SOON DEDICATE THREE NEW HOMES.

ITS PART OF HABITAT'S WOMEN BUILD PROGRAM.

THE PROGRAM IS SPONSORED BY LOWE'S AND IS INTENDED TO TEACH WOMEN CONSTRUCTION SKILLS AND THEN USE THEM TO HELP SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF POOR HOUSING.

SATURDAY'S CREW STARTED OFF BY PAINTING THE EXTERIOR OF THE FIRST HOME.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TOURISM WEEK 5/6/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE MACON-BIBB COUNTY CONVENTION AND VISITORS BUREAU IS TAKING PART IN NATIONAL TRAVEL AND TOURISM WEEK.

THE WEEK WILL KICK OFF MONDAY WITH AN ADVENTURE-IN-MACON SCAVENGER HUNT AND WILL RUN THROUGH MAY 12.

MACON-BIBB COUNTY TOURISM GENERATED MORE THAN EIGHT MILLION DOLLARS IN LOCAL TAX REVENUE AND IN 20-10 RANKED TENTH IN THE STATE OF GEORGIA FOR TOURISM EXPENDITURE LEVELS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
WESTSIDE GROWTH 5/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

EMPTY SHOPPING CENTERS ARE BECOMING A COMMON TREND THROUGHOUT MACON. AFTER THE ECONOMY TANKED, BUSINESSES WEREN'T OPENING IN SEVERAL AREAS. NOW THERE IS A PLAN TO CHANGE THAT IN WEST MACON'S SHOPPING DISTRICT. NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
OVERNIGHT FIRE 5/8/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FIREFIGHTERS WERE BUSY LAST NIGHT RESPONDING TO A POSSIBLE ARSON ATTEMPT AT A HOUSE HERE IN MACON. NEWSCENTRAL'S CRISTEN DRUMMOND HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HIGH POINT DRIVE 5/9/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

ANOTHER HOUSE FIRE BROKE OUT IN MACON LAST NIGHT. IT STARTED AROUND MIDNIGHT IN THE 31-HUNDRED BLOCK OF HIGHPOINT DRIVE. FIRE CREWS BATTLED THE FLAMES FOR HOURS BUT WERE UNABLE TO SALVAGE THE INSIDE OF THE HOUSE THAT IS CURRENTLY IN FORECLOSURE. THE OWNER WAS OUT OF TOWN BUT CAME HOME TODAY TO SEE IT LOOKING LIKE THIS. THE FIRE DEPARTMENT SAYS THE CAUSE OF THE FIRE IS CURRENTLY UNKNOWN AND UNDER INVESTIGATION.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
RESCUE MISSION 5/10/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE IS IN THE PROCESS OF APPROVING THE REDISTRICTING MAPS FOR THE BIBB COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION.... BUT THEY AREN'T THE MAPS THE BOARD APPROVED. NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE EXPLAINS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
POST OFFICE CHANGES 5/14/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE OF MACON CITY COUNCIL IS TAKING ANOTHER LOOK AT AN ORDINANCE AMENDMENT.

THE AMENDMENT WOULD CHANGE THE PENALTY FOR DEPARTMENT HEADS GOING OVER BUDGET IN A LINE ITEM FROM A 300-DOLLAR FINE TO INTERNAL DISCIPLINE.

BUT THE AMENDMENT THAT WAS HANDED TO THE COMMITTEE INCLUDED NEW LANGUAGE THAT NO ONE ON THE COMMITTEE HAD RECEIVED UNTIL THE TIME OF THE MEETING, SO THE COMMITTEE POSTPONED ACTION. THE COMMITTEE WILL ACT ON THE AMENDMENT AT THEIR NEXT MEETING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DESIGNING MACON 5/15/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A NEW GROUP OF ACTIVISTS SPOKE TO THE CITY COUNCIL TONIGHT ABOUT CLEANING UP THE STREETS.

DE-SIGNING MACON IS A GROUP OF INDIVIDUALS LED BY CHERRY HORTON WHO WANTS TO SEE ILLEGAL SIGNS ON THE RIGHT OF WAY IN MACON REMOVED.

THE GROUP OF VOLUNTEERS GOES THROUGH NEIGHBORHOODS REMOVING AND DISPOSING OF THE SIGNS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
WX VIDEO 5/16/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SEVERE STORMS BLEW THROUGH PARTS OF CENTRAL GEORGIA EARLIER THIS EVENING...

AND THEY BROUGHT A LOT OF HEAVY RAIN, WIND, HAIL, THUNDER AND LIGHTNING...

HEAVY RAIN AND HAIL PUMMELED PARTS OF DOWNTOWN MACON, AND WHILE IT WAS MUCH NEEDED, WE COULD DO WITHOUT SOME OF THE DAMAGE THOSE STORMS LEFT BEHIND...

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TAX LEVY 5/20/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MIDDLE GEORGIA VOTERS WILL SOON DECIDE IF A 1 - PERCENT SALES TAX INCREASE IS WORTH SEVERAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS IN BIBB, HOUSTON AND SURROUNDING COUNTIES.

ACCORDING TO OUR MEDIA PARTNERS AT THE MACON TELEGRAPH SUPPORTERS OF THE "TRANSPORTATION SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX" OR T - SPLOST ... SAY THE PROJECTS ARE ESSENTIAL TO EASE TRANSIT PROBLEMS AND LINK BUSINESSES WITH CUSTOMERS.

THE NEW TAX, WHICH WOULD GO INTO EFFECT ON JANUARY FIRST 20 - 13 WOULD RAISE THE EFFECTIVE RATE TO 8 - PERCENT.

THE MONEY, TOTALING MORE THAN 550 - MILLION DOLLARS WOULD FUND AROUND 60 INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS IN ALL 11 COUNTIES COMPRISING THE MIDDLE GEORGIA REGION.

VOTERS WILL HEAD TO THE POLLS TO MAKE A DECISION ON THE TAX INCREASE ON JULY 31ST.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BIBB BUDGET 5/21/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BIBB COUNTY LEADERS ARE BEGINNING THE BUDGET PROCESS TO FUND SERVICES FOR NEXT FISCAL YEAR.

FOUR DAYS OF BUDGET HEARINGS KICKED OFF THIS MORNING AS DEPARTMENT HEADS MET WITH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO DISCUSS INDIVIDUAL BUDGETS.

LAST FISCAL YEAR COMMISSIONERS ADOPTED A BUDGET OF MORE THAN 83 - MILLION DOLLARS.

BOARD CHAIRMAN SAMUEL HART SAYS SO FAR THE DEPARTMENT HEADS HAVE BEEN VERY COOPERATIVE WITH THEIR BUDGET PROPOSALS.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
JOPLIN TORNADOES	5/22/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IT'S HARD TO BELIEVE ITS BEEN ONE YEAR SINCE THE JOPLIN TORNADO TRAGEDY. IT WAS THE SINGLE MOST DEADLIEST TORNADO IN UNITED STATES HISTORY. METEOROLOGIST CLINTON BOURGEOIS HAS MORE ON THE PROGRESS THE CITY HAS MADE.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
FLESH BACTERIA	5/23/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A MILLEDGEVILLE MAN HAS BECOME GEORGIA'S FOURTH CASE OF A FLESH EATING BACTERIA THAT HAS MADE NATIONAL HEADLINES. AND AS HE FIGHTS FOR HIS LIFE IN THE MEDICAL CENTER OF CENTRAL GEORGIA, OTHER MILLEDGEVILLE RESIDENTS WANT TO KNOW IF IT'S SAFE TO GO IN THE WATER. RICK DEVENS HAS MORE.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
FLESH EATING	5/24/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MILLEDGEVILLE GRANDFATHER PAUL BALES IS IN STABLE CONDITION IN THE MEDICAL CENTER OF CENTRAL GEORGIA. BALES IS RECOVERING AFTER HAVING PART OF HIS LEFT LEG AMPUTATED YESTERDAY IN ORDER TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF A FLESH EATING BACTERIA. TODAY NERVOUS MILLEDGEVILLE RESIDENTS WONDER HOW THE BACTERIA MAY EFFECT ONE OF LAKE SINCLAIR'S BUSIEST TIMES OF THE YEAR, MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND. RICK DEVENS HAS MORE.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
GAS PRICES	5/25/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AND WHILE MANY PEOPLE ARE HITTING THE ROAD THIS MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND, GAS PRICES SEEM TO BE HELPING OUT. ACCORDING TO TRIPLE-A, REGULAR RETAIL GASOLINE FELL FOR 45 CONSECUTIVE DAYS. 30.7 MILLION AMERICANS ARE EXPECTED TO TRAVEL BY



Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CENTRAL STATE LAYOFFS 6/1/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

LAYOFFS ARE COMING TO MILLEDGEVILLE AND WILL AFFECT NEARLY 180 PEOPLE...NEWSCENTRALS CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TRAIN ACCIDENT 6/2/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FAMILY AND FRIENDS SAY GOODBYE TO THE VICTIMS OF A TRAIN ON VEHICLE ACCIDENT THAT KILLED TWO PEOPLE IN WARNER ROBINS LAST WEEK.

MORE THAN A HUNDRED PEOPLE CAME TO MOUNT OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH IN MACON TODAY TO PAY THEIR RESPECTS TO DONELLE REID AND HER INFANT DAUGHTER.

THE DRIVER OF THE CAR WILLY LYONS WAS RELEASED FROM THE HOSPITAL YESTERDAY.

A SPOKESPERSON FOR THE FAMILY SAYS THEY ARE REQUESTING PRIVACY FROM THE MEDIA DURING THEIR TIME OF GRIEVING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ENCROACHMENT 6/3/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MORE PEOPLE ARE MOVING OUT OF THEIR HOMES NEAR ROBINS AIR FORCE BASE DUE TO THE NOISE OF AIRCRAFT AND SAFETY CONCERNS OF LIVING IN A CRASH ZONE.

BUT AS NEWSCENTRAL'S CRISTEN DRUMMOND SHOWS US THERE ARE STILL SOME WHO ARE RELUCTANT TO LEAVE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DESIGN MACON 6/5/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WITH THE ELECTION PRIMARY RAPIDLY APPROACHING, ONE GROUP WANTS TO MAKE SURE THE CANDIDATE'S SIGNS AS WELL AS OTHER ADVERTISEMENTS ARE NOT ILLEGALLY PLACED.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE ON "DE-SIGNING MACON."

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TRAIN GUARD 6/6/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION HAS GIVEN NORFOLK SOUTHERN THE GO-AHEAD TO INSTALL CROSSING ARMS IMMEDIATELY AT HIGHWAY 2-47 AND IGNICO DRIVE TRAIN CROSSING IN WARNER ROBINS.

A MACON WOMAN AND HER 13-MONTH OLD BABY WERE KILLED ON MAY 27TH WHEN A VEHICLE STRUCK A TRAIN AT THE INTERSECTION. DANELL REID AND HER ONE MONTH OLD BABY KINSLEY DIED AT THE SCENE OF THE WRECK. THE DRIVER OF THE CAR, WILLY LYONS, SUFFERED FROM BLUNT FORCE TRAUMA UPON IMPACT AND WAS TAKEN TO THE MEDICAL CENTER OF CENTRAL GEORGIA, WHERE HE UNDERWENT SURGERY.

PASSERBYS AND NEARBY BUSINESS OWNER SAY THEY'RE GLAD SOMETHING IS FINALLY BEING DONE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CEILING COLLAPSE 6/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A SCARY SCENE FOR A GRANDMOTHER, HER HUSBAND, AND THEIR GRAND KIDS AS A PART OF THEIR CEILING COLLAPSED ON THEM TODAY.

IT HAPPENED ALONG HOLLAND DRIVE IN MACON.

WHERE TERESA CLARK SAYS THEY WERE SITTING IN THE LIVING ROOM WATCHING T-V AT THE TIME.

SHE SAYS THEY HEARD SOMETHING, LOOKED UP, AND NOTICED THE CEILING STARTING TO COLLAPSE.

CLARK GRABBED HER GRANDCHILDREN AND RAN OUT JUST IN TIME BEFORE MORE OF THE CEILING FELL IN.

SHE SAYS THE ISSUE COULD HAVE BEEN AVOIDED ALTOGETHER.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE 6/8/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ONE NON PROFIT ORGANIZATION IS MAKING THE DREAM OF OWNING A HOME A REALITY FOR PEOPLE WHO THOUGHT THEY NEVER COULD. AND THEY ARE DOING IT WITH THE HELP OF A GOVERNMENT AGENCY WHO'S PROVIDING FAMILIES WITH AFFORDABLE FINANCING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON TRANSIT 6/11/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE MACON TRANSIT AUTHORITY HAS SEEN A DRAMATIC INCREASE IN RIDERSHIP IN RECENT YEARS, ESPECIALLY SINCE INSTALLMENT OF THEIR MORE EFFICIENT SMALLER BUSES.

NOW THE COMPANY IS LOOKING TO EXPAND ITS SERVICES.

NEWSCENTRALS CLINTON BOURGEOIS HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ROASTED CAFÉ 6/12/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IN OTHER MEDICAL NEWS, THE FATHER OF A GEORGIA COLLEGE STUDENT BATTLING A RARE FLESH-EATING BACTERIA HAS ORGANIZED A BLOOD DRIVE AT HER ALMA MATER.

24-YEAR-OLD AIMEE COPELAND GOT THE FLESH-EATING BACTERIA LAST MONTH, AFTER FALLING OFF A HOMEMADE ZIP LINE AND CUTTING HERSELF.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MPD MALL SECURITY 6/13/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AND YOU CAN EXPECT TO SEE AN INCREASED POLICE PRESENCE AT THE MACON MALL THIS SUMMER.

AS NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE REPORTS, PEOPLE WITH CONCERN OVER SAFETY AT THE MACON MALL CAN REST A LITTLE EASIER.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
WEST CLUB FIRE 6/14/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A WEST CLUB APARTMENT BUILDING CAUGHT FIRE AROUND 2:00 THIS MORNING.

THE APARTMENT HOMES ARE LOCATED ON STEVEN DRIVE JUST OFF MERCER UNIVERSITY DRIVE. FIREFIGHTERS EVACUATED FAMILIES FROM 8 UNITS THAT WERE DAMAGED IN THE FIRE. THE ORIGIN OF THE FIRE WAS FROM A LIGHTER INSIDE ONE OF THE HOME.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MTA BUS PROMO 6/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SERVICE IN TOWN IS TRYING TO BRING IN MORE CUSTOMERS.

THE MACON-BIBB COUNTY TRANSIT AUTHORITY IS KICKING OFF THE FIRST EVER " TRY TRANSIT WEEK" TODAY.

M-T-A WANTS TO DRAW ATTENTION TO PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION IN THE AREA BY LOWERING FARES AS WELL AS HOSTING SPECIAL EVENTS AT THE TERMINAL STATION ALL WEEK. .

THEY ARE ALSO PROMOTING NEW ROUTES INCLUDING THE PROPOSED DOWNTOWN SECOND STREET CORRIDOR ROUTE WHICH WILL BE FREE TO THE PUBLIC TOMORROW.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 6/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

JOBS ARE ON THE WAY FOR THE MACON BIBB COUNTY COMMUNITY. 200 JOBS TO BE EXACT.

LOCAL LEADERS ANNOUNCED THAT TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY IS BUILDING A DISTRIBUTION CENTER IN MACON AND BIBB COUNTY.

THE COMPANY WANTS TO BE UP AND RUNNING BEFORE THE YEAR ENDS.

LT. CASEY CAGLE SAYS, THAT LOCAL GOVERNMENTS LIKE MACON AND BIBB COUNTY MAKE IT EASY TO CREATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN THE GEORGIA.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
VOTING LAWSUIT 6/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE UPCOMING ELECTION FOR SEVERAL SEATS ON THE BIBB COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION COULD BE HALTED DUE TO A LAWSUIT.

THE SUIT WAS FILED IN FEDERAL COURT BY LOCAL ATTORNEY LESTER MILLER WHO IS RUNNING FOR THE BOARD'S DISTRICT FOUR SEAT, BRENDA SUTTON WHO IS RUNNING FOR THE DISTRICT ONE SEAT AND BOARD MEMBER GARY BECHTEL.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TAYLOR LANDFILL 6/26/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE VEOLIA SOLID WASTE LANDFILL IN TAYLOR COUNTY HELD AN EXPANSION RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY ON WHAT IS NOW THE LARGEST FACILITY OF ITS KIND.

CLINTON BOURGEOIS HAS MORE ON THE EXPANDED EIGHT MEGAWATT FACILITY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
LINWOOD CEMETERY 6/27/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS TAKE SOME TIME OUT OF THEIR SUMMER TO PRESERVE A LITTLE BIT OF MACON'S HISTORY.

MEMBER OF THE MENTOR'S PROJECT SPEND THURSDAY MORNING CLEANING UP LINWOOD CEMETERY IN AN EFFORT TO PRESERVE THE ACRES OF LAND THAT HAVE BEEN ABANDONED FOR SOME TIME.

LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS ARE COMING TOGETHER TO VOLUNTEER TO BRING THE CEMETERY UP TO REASONABLE STANDARDS TO HONOR THOSE BURIED THERE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FIREFIGHTER HEAT 6/29/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE EXTREME HEAT IS ALSO A DANGER TO THOSE THAT WORK OUTDOORS, NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE TELLS US HOW ONE PROFESSION PREPARES FOR THAT DANGER.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HEAT WAVE 6/30/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SUMMER IS OFFICIALLY UPON US AND EMERGENCY PERSONNEL WANT TO MAKE SURE PEOPLE ARE PREPARING THEMSELVES TO DEAL WITH EXTREME TEMPERATURES.

NEWSCENTRALS' S CRISTEN DRUMMOND SHOWS US WHAT PRECAUTIONAY MEASURES YOU SHOULD TAKE TO BEAT THE HEAT.

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**MINORITY ISSUES**

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TRAYVON CANDLELIGHT VIGIL 4/1/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A SATURDAY NIGHT VIGIL IN FLORIDA HONORED THE LIFE OF SLAIN TEENAGER, TRAYVON MARTIN...

THE FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY LIT CANDLES AND GATHERED TO REMEMBER THE SEVENTEEN-YEAR-OLD.

HUNDREDS WALKED EARLIER IN THE AFTERNOON DEMANDING THE ARREST OF GEORGE ZIMMERMAN, THE MAN WHO SAYS HE SHOT TRAYVON IN SELF-DEFENSE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON CITY COUNCIL 4/2/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SOME MEMBERS OF MACON CITY COUNCIL WERE WAITING TO HEAR SOME IMPORTANT NUMBERS THIS AFTERNOON.

BUT THE NUMBERS THEY RECEIVED DID NOT MAKE THEM HAPPY.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MLK READ 4/4/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AND TONIGHT IN MACON, GREATFUL CITIZENS ALSO CELEBRATED HIS LIFE. MARTIN LUTHER KING JUNIOR WAS BEST KNOWN FOR HIS WORK IN ADVANCING CIVIL RIGHTS HERE IN THE UNITED STATES.

AT THE GREATER ZION HILL BAPTIST CHURCH THE MARTIN LUTHER KING JUNIOR COMMISSION PRESENTED AWARDS TO A FEW PUBLIC FIGURES THAT CONTINUE TO LIVE KING'S DREAM.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
NAACP TRAYVON 4/9/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

N-AA C-P STATE LEADERSHIP IS JOINING LOCAL COLLEGE STUDENTS IN COCHRAN FOR A PRAYER VIGIL FOR TRAYVON MARTIN.

NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES WAS THERE, AND CAUGHT UP WITH AN ON CAMPUS ORGAZINATION WHO HOPES THIS VIGIL WILL CREATE AWARENESS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FVSU BREAKFAST 4/10/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

FORT VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY HELD ITS ANNUAL HAM AND EGG BREAKFAST THIS MORNING.

MANY TOOK THE CHANCE TO HAVE BREAKFAST WITH SOME STATE LEGISLATORS.

SOME ALSO TOOK THE OPPORTUNITY TO VOICE CONCERNS THEY HAVE IN POLITICS AND THROUGHOUT THE COMMUNITY.

ORGANIZERS SAY THE EVENT ALLOW CONSTITUENTS AND THEIR POLITICAL REPRESENTATIVES A CHANCE TO HAVE FACE TO FACE CONVERSATION ON IDEAS AND SUBJECTS CLOSE TO THEIR HEARTS.

GOVERNOR NATHAN DEAL AND UNITED STATES SENATORS JOHNNY ISAKSON AND SAXBY CHAMBLISS WERE JUST SOME IN ATTENDANCE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ZIMMERMAN 4/11/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

TONIGHT THE CASE OF TREYVON MARTIN MAKES AN IMPORTANT MOVE MOVE. GEORGE ZIMMERMAN NOW FACES A MURDER CHARGE IN THE DEATH OF TRAYVON MARTIN. THE NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH VOLUNTEER SAYS HE SHOT THE UNARMED TEEN IN FEBRUARY OUT OF SELF-DEFENSE, BECAUSE HE WAS BEING ATTACKED.

YOU CAN SEE HIM HERE GETTING OUT OF AN S-U-V WITH A BLACK CLOTH DRAPED OVER HIS HEAD. ZIMMERMAN WAS TRANSPORTED TO THE JUSTICE CENTER HOURS AFTER PROSECUTORS ANNOUNCED HE WAS ARRESTED ON A SECOND-DEGREE MURDER CHARGE IN THE SHOOTING DEATH OF THE 17-YEAR-OLD.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DRAGON FESTIVAL 4/14/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AND IT WAS A GREAT DAY TO BE IN THE SUN AT SANDY BEACH PARK FOR THE HEART OF THE DRAGON FESTIVAL...

ABOUT TWENTY TEAMS RACED FORTY FOOT CANOES DOWN LAKE TOBESOFKEE.

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFITED BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS OF THE HEART OF GEORGIA.

THE GOAL IS TO BRING TO LIFE THE HISTORY OF DRAGON BOAT RACING AND TO ENCOURAGE EVERYONE TO PARTICIPATE IN A TEAM SPORT THAT ORIGINATED IN CHINA.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CONFEDERATE FLAG 4/16/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE CONTROVERSY CONTINUES IN DODGE COUNTY OVER THE PLACEMENT OF A CONFEDERATE FLAG.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
6 YO HANDCUFFED 4/17/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A TEMPER TANTRUM BY A 6-YEAR-OLD STUDENT AT CREEKSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENDED WITH THE STUDENT IN HANDCUFFS ON FRIDAY.  
THE CHIEF OF POLICE SAYS THE OFFICERS ACTED APPROPRIATELY BUT SOME IN THE COMMUNITY DISAGREE.  
NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
WELFARE 861 4/18/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

HOUSE BILL 8-61 IS MAKING HEADLINES ACROSS GEORGIA AFTER BEING SIGNED BY GOVENOR DEAL ON MONDAY.  
THE DETAILS OF THE BILL HAVE PROVEN TO BE CONTROVERSIAL DEMANDING DRUG TESTING FOR RECIPIENTS OF TANF...OR TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES.  
NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES HAS THE DETAILS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
VIOLENCE MARCH 4/19/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ITS A PROBLEM THAT PLAGUES THE NATION AND MANY PEOPLE REFUSE TO DISCUSS THE ISSUE PUBLICLY.  
ITS DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, AND TONIGHT MANY IN MACON TOOK A STAND AGAINST IT.  
NEWS CENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HANDCUFFED CHILD 4/20/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE FAMILY OF A 6-YEAR-OLD HANDCUFFED AFTER A TANTRUM AT CREEKSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL THIS WEEK IS NOW SPEAKING OUT.  
HER PARENTS AND A REPRESENTIVE FROM THE NATIONAL ACTION NETWORK HEADED BY AL SHARPTON... ADDRESSED THE MEDIA TODAY IN ATLANTA. THEY STILL CANT BELIEVE THE WAY THINGS WERE HANDLED.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CELEBRATION DAY 4/21/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AND ANOTHER CELEBRATION WAS UNDERWAY AT THE METHODIST CHILDREN'S HOME

THE HOME CELEBRATED ONE HUNDRED AND FOUR YEARS OF COMMUNITY SERVICE AND FOCUSED ON THE CHILDREN BY HAVING FUN ACTIVITIES AND GAMES FOR ALL AGES.. ORGANIZERS SAY EVENTS LIKE THIS ARE NEEDED ESPECIALLY FOR THOSE IN GROUP HOMES.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MARCH AGAINST VIOLENCE 4/26/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

TRAGEDIES INVOLVING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ARE SO POWERFUL THAT THEY HAVE THE ABILITY TO TEAR COMMUNITIES APART... BUT IN MILLEDGEVILLE TONIGHT A COMMUNITY COMES TOGETHER TO SUPPORT VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC ABUSE. RICK DEVENS HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TEENS FOR TRAYVON 4/28/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MEANWHILE IN MACON, TEENS WERE LEARNING MORE ABOUT PERSONAL SAFETY AND AWARENESS. TEENS SHOWED UP TO A TOWN HALL MEETING TO DISCUSS THEIR THOUGHTS ABOUT THE DEATH OF TRAYVON MARTIN. ATTORNEY SAM HART JUNIOR AND DOCTOR LARMIA ROBBINS-BRINSON ALSO TOLD THE TEENS HOW TO HANDLE THEMSELVES IN POTENTIAL LIFE THREATENING SITUATIONS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
EASTMAN YDC 5/3/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

NATIONALLY-RENOWNED ARTIST EMANUEL MARTINEZ IS GIVING BACK TO JUVENILES WHO FELL INTO TROUBLE WITH THE LAW. HAVING BEEN THERE HIMSELF WHEN HE WAS 13, HE LEARNED THEN ART WAS HIS GIFT. NOW, HE'S TAKING HIS PASSION ACROSS THE COUNTRY TO MOTIVATE JUVENILE OFFENDERS TO TURN THEIR LIVES AROUND.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
WOMEN BUILD 5/9/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WOMEN VOLUNTEERS AND SPONSORS ARE LENDING A HAND TO BUILD HOMES. A GROUP OF WOMEN FROM SEVERAL COMPANIES ARE WORKING WITH MACON AREA HABITAT FOR HUMANITY TO HELP BUILD HOUSES IN THE LYNMORE ESTATES NEIGHBORHOOD. THESE GROUPS OF WOMEN ARE A PART OF THE WOMEN BUILD PROGRAM THAT BRINGS WOMEN FROM DIFFERENT BACKGROUNDS TO LEARN CONSTRUCTION AND USE THOSE SKILLS TO HELP BUILD A HOME FOR A FAMILY. WEDNESDAY WOMEN WITH COX COMMUNICATIONS WERE ON SITE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
GANG GRANT 5/15/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

GANGS EXIST THROUGHOUT MACON AND BIBB COUNTY, WHICH IS WHY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES ARE HOPING FREE MONEY AVAILABLE WILL HELP THEM COMBAT THE PROBLEM.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BIBB SCHOOLS SAFETY 5/17/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD MET THIS EVENING AT CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL. THE AUDITORIUM WAS FULL OF HONOREES YOUNG AND OLD, BUT EVEN THEY COULDN'T OVERSHADOW A PROBLEM LURKING IN OUR SCHOOLS. RICK DEVENS HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
GLOVER PRESSER 5/18/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IF YOU FOLLOW LOCAL ACTIVIST DANNY GLOVER ON TWITTER, YOU KNOW THAT HE ANNOUNCED HIS RESIGNATION OF BIBB COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PARTY CHAIR VIA THE SOCIAL NETWORKING SITE THURSDAY EVENING.

AND THIS MORNING HE MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT OFFICIAL AS HE HOSTED A PRESS CONFERENCE IN MACON'S THIRD STREET PARK.  
NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
100 DEADLIEST DAYS 5/19/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SCHOOL IS COMING TO A CLOSE WHICH MEANS SUMMER IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER ... AND WITH THE WARMER MONTHS ALSO COMES THE ONE HUNDRED DEADLIEST DAYS OF DRIVING FOR TEENAGERS IN THE UNITED STATES AS DUBBED BY AUTO CLUB TRIPLE "A" AND VOLVO.

BUT JUST HOW AND WHY ARE YOUNG DRIVERS PUTTING THEMSELVES IN HARM'S WAY ON THE ROAD?  
NEWSCENTRAL'S CRISTEN DRUMMOND TAKES A LOOK.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
NAACP GAY MARRIAGE 5/20/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE OR N  
-DOUBLE A-C-P COMES OUT WITH A BIG STATEMENT THAT MAY FUEL THE FIRE TO THE EVER  
GROWING CONTROVERSY OF SAME SEX MARRIAGE.

BOARD DIRECTORS FOR THE ASSOCIATION VOTED LAST NIGHT TO SUPPORT MARRIAGE  
EQUALITY FOR ALL PEOPLE INCLUDING SAME SEX COUPLES.

THEY STATE THE FOURTEENTH AMMENDMENT AS THEIR CAUSE TO SUPPORT SAME SEX  
COUPLES GETTING MARRIED.

BUT THE NEW PROCLAMATION ISN'T SUPPORTED BY EVERYONE.

MANY PEOPLE IN CENTRAL GEORGIA HAVE DIFFERING OPINIONS ABOUT THE RECENT  
ANNOUNCEMENT.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
GANG MODEL	5/21/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON CITY LEADERS ARE WORKING TO DEVELOP A WAY OF ADDRESSING THE GANG  
PROBLEM.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
MENTOR'S PROJECT	5/29/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SUMMER VACATION DOESN'T MEAN STUDENTS HAVE TO STOP LEARNING.

THE BIBB COUNTY MENTORS PROJECT IS HAVING ITS SIXTH ANNUAL INTENSIVE 10-DAY  
SUMMER PROGRAM.

MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE LEARNING MORE ABOUT MATH... AND  
LANGUAGE ARTS AND PREPARING FOR UPCOMING COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMS.

TO VOLUNTEER TO HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE LIFE OF A CHILD AND BE A MENTOR...  
CALL THE BIBB COUNTY MENTORS PROJECT AT (478)765-8624.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	5/30/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SOMEONE IS A VICTIM OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE EVERY 9 SECONDS IN THE UNITED STATES.

MANY OF THOSE SITUATIONS END IN DEATH, AND ALLIGATIONS IN A RECENT MURDER IN  
MACON OVER THE HOLIDAY WEEKEND POINT IN THAT DIRECTION.

NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES HAS THE DETAILS.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
OBESE CHLDREN	5/31/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

OBESE CHILDREN ARE MORE LIKELY TO BECOME OBESE ADULTS.

SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITIES ARE ENCOURAGE TO PROVIDE AND PROMOTE HEATHLY LIFE  
STYLES THAT WILL INFULENCE THE BEHAVIOR OF YOUNG CHILDREN.

GEORGIA STATICS CONVINCED ONE CENTRAL GEORGIA ORGANIZATION TO TAKE ACTION.  
NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FVSU CAMP 6/1/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SUMMER IS HERE AND PARENTS MAY WANT TO FIND A SAFE PLACE FOR THEIR CHILDREN TO CONTINUE LEARNING OVER THE SUMMER, AND HAVE A LITTLE FUN TOO.

NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES, TAKES US TO A SUMMER CAMP THAT'S DOING JUST THAT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
INDIANS 6/2/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE TRAIL OF TEARS IS A DARK EVENT IN OUR NATION'S HISTORY ... AS MANY AMERICAN INDIAN TRIBES WERE FORCED TO UPROOT AND MOVE TO OKLAHOMA.

BUT TODAY, ONE TRIBE IS BRINGING JOY TO THE TRAIL BY RELIVING THE JOURNEY IN AN INTERACTIVE WAY.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CRISTEN DRUMMOND SHOWS US THE FIRST EVER BIKE RIDE ON THE TRAIL OF TEARS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CELEBRITY SOIREE 6/3/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE "I THINK I AM" FOUNDATION HOSTED ITS FIRST FUNDRAISING EVENT YESTERDAY AT THE COURTYARD MARRIOTT IN WARNER ROBINS TO RAISE MONEY FOR LOCAL KIDS.

THE SOIREE FEATURED THE MOTHERS OF SOME PROMINENT ATHLETES INCLUDING FORMER N - B - A STAR SHAQUIELLE O'NEAL AND N - F - L QUARTERBACK VINCE YOUNG.

THE FOUNDATION WAS LAUNCHED LAST NOVEMBER BY DEANNE MOORE ... THE MOTHER OF N - F - L PLAYER KYLE MOORE.

MOORE SAYS SHE HOPES TO RAISE AROUND 30 - THOUSAND DOLLARS TO DEVELOP PROGRAMS AND PLATFORMS FOR LOCAL KIDS PLACED IN FOSTER CARE, GIVEN UP FOR ADOPTION, AND OTHER AT RISK YOUTH.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
JACKIE ROBINSON 6/6/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A LOT OF EXCITEMENT IN MACON AS ANOTHER MAJOR MOVIE PRODUCTION IS SET TO BEGAN FILMING IN TOWN.

THE HARRISON FORD FILM "42" IS FOCUSED ON THE LEGENDARY JACKIE ROBINSON.

CLINTON BOURGEOIS LOOKS BACK TO THE MAN BEHIND IT ALL.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
WESTSIDE HS GIRLS 6/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A GROUP OF BIBB COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS IS PUTTING THEIR CONSTRUCTION SKILLS TO THE TEST...

15 GIRLS ARE PARTICIPATING IN THE MENTORING A GIRL IN CONSTRUCTION OR M.A.G.I.C CAMP AT WESTSIDE HIGH SCHOOL THIS WEEK.

AND SINCE MOST GIRLS LIKE PINK...AT THE CAMP THE GIRLS RECEIVED PINK HARD HATS AND TOOL KITS.

THE CAMP EXPOSES THEM TO CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN NON-TRADITIONAL FIELDS SUCH AS CONSTRUCTION.

Story: JUNETEENTH Date Aired: 6/9/2012 Newscast: 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

JOGGERS IN MACON HIT THE PAVEMENT TO RAISE MONEY FOR A GOOD CAUSE AND KICK OFF A LOCAL CELEBRATION.

ABOUT SEVENTY FIVE PEOPLE RAN IN THE TENTH ANNUAL "SALUTE TO FREEDOM 5 - K RUN - WALK FOR HEALTH AND PEACE" TODAY IN TATTNALL SQUARE PARK.

THE 5 - K RUN - WALK IS THE FIRST EVENT IN THE JUNETEENTH FREEDOM FESTIVAL CELEBRATIONS GOING ON ALL WEEK LONG.

JUNETEENTH COMMEMORATES WHEN PRESIDENT ABRAHAM LINCOLN SENT FEDERAL TROOPS TO THE SOUTH TO ENFORCE THE EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION AND FREE SLAVES.

Story: SAFE HOUSE CELEBRITY Date Aired: 6/12/2012 Newscast: 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

CELEBRITY WAITERS PUT THE SPOTLIGHT ON CRISIS LINE AND SAFE HOUSE.

MYSELF ALONG WITH NEWSCENTRAL'S... MARIO RAMIREZ AND CHARLES RICHARDSON JOINED OTHER CELEBRITY WAITERS AT CHEDDARS IN MACON FOR THE 1ST ANNUAL APPETITES FOR ADVOCACY.

Story: SUMMER CURFEWS Date Aired: 6/13/2012 Newscast: 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A SUMMER CURFEW FOR TEENAGERS IN MACON IS NOTHING NEW, BUT THE MACON POLICE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THE CURFEW IS IN EFFECT.

AND ALSO THAT CITIZENS SHOULD EXPECT TO SEE A WHOLE NEW LEVEL OF ENFORCEMENT COURTESY OF A SUMMER-LONG DETAIL.

NEWSCENTRAL'S RICK DEVENS HAS MORE.

Story: IMMIGRATION Date Aired: 6/16/2012 Newscast: 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WELCOME BACK TO NEWSCENTRAL ... PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA RECENTLY ANNOUNCED HIS ADMINISTRATION WILL STOP DEPORTING YOUNG ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS WHO ENTER THE U - S AS CHILDREN IF THEY MEET CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS.

CNN'S NICK VALENCIA SHOWS US ONE GEORGIA TEEN WHO MAY BE SPARED FROM DEPORTATION FOLLOWING THE POLICY CHANGE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
RODNEY KING 6/17/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IN NATIONAL HEADLINES TODAY ... THE MAN AT THE CENTER OF THE L - A RIOTS IS DEAD.

POLICE SAY RODNEY KING HAS DROWNED ... CNN'S CRISTINA MUTCHLER REPORTS THAT HIS FINACEE FOUND HIM AT THE BOTTOM OF THIER SWIMMING POOL EARLIER TODAY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
RODNEY KING UPDATE 6/18/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

AUTHORITIES ARE AWAITING AUTOPSY AND TOXICOLOGY RESULTS -- AFTER RODNEY KING WAS FOUND DEAD IN HIS SWIMMING POOL.

KING -- WHO WAS 47 YEARS OLD -- BECAME AN SYMBOL OF POLICE BRUTALITY AFTER L-A-P-D OFFICERS NEARLY BEAT HIM TO DEATH MORE THAN 20 YEARS AGO.

THE INCIDENT LED TO WIDESPREAD RACE RIOTS IN L-A.  
ANDREW SPENCER REPORTS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
GA. IMMIGRATION ISSUES 6/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ITS BEEN NEARLY ONE YEAR SINCE GEORGIA PASSED ONE OF THE TOUGHEST IMMIGRATION LAWS IN THE COUNTRY.

NOW THE STATE MAY COME DOWN HARD ON LOCAL GOVERNMENTS THAT ARE FAILING TO UPHOLD THE LAW

ACCORDING TO THE ATLANTA JOURNAL CONSTITUTION STATE OFFICIALS ARE PREPARING A MASS MAILING THIS WEEK TO REMIND GOVERNMENTS THAT THEIR STATE FUNDING COULD BE IN JEAPARDY IF THEY DONT FOLLOW THE LAW.

IT REQUIRES THE MAJORITY OF PRIVATE EMPLOYERS, GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND CONTRACTORS USE E-VERIFY, A FEDERAL WORK AUTHORIZATION PROGRAM TO ASSURE WORKERS ARE ELIGIBLE TO WORK IN THE UNITED STATES.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CONSOLIDATION FORUM 6/26/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A SPECIAL FORUM WAS HELD TONIGHT TO GET YOUNG PEOPLE EXCITED TO VOTE FOR CONSOLIDATION.



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**PARENTING ISSUES**

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CHILDREN'S PROCLAMATION 4/2/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE CITY OF MACON ANNOUNCED AN ONGOING COMMITMENT TO END THE CYCLE OF CHILD ABUSE.

TODAY'S PROCLAMATION SENT THE MESSAGE OF ENDING CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT BY WORKING TOGETHER WITH THE MEDICAL CENTER AND OTHER SOCIAL SERVICE AGENCIES TO SUPPORT CHILDREN AND FAMILIES.

THE PROCLAMATION AT CITY HALL INCLUDED A PRESENTATION ABOUT THE REGIONAL PROBLEM OF SEX TRAFFICKING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CHILD CONVOCATION 4/4/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WITH THE NATIONAL SPOTLIGHT ON CHILD ABUSE IN RECENT MONTHS, AND WITH IT BEING NATIONAL CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH,

THE CRESCENT HOUSE, A SERVICE OF THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL AT THE MEDICAL CENTER OF CENTRAL GEORGIA, IS TALKING CANDIDLY ABOUT THE PROBLEM. MAYOR ROBERT REICHERT PROCLAIMED TODAY AS CHILD ABUSE AWARENESS DAY IN MACON.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
RUTLAND PRECAUTION 4/5/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A LOCAL SCHOOL WAS ON HIGH ALERT TODAY ALL BECAUSE OF POSTINGS ON A POPULAR SOCIAL MEDIA SITE THAT THE SCHOOL CALLS "RUMORS AND GOSSIP."

BUT ONE PARENT NEWSCENTRAL SPOKE WITH SAYS THE PROBLEM IS ALL TOO REAL AND GOES FAR BEYOND THE COMPUTER SCREEN.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
EASTER EGG HUNT 4/8/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AFTER SERVICE IT WAS TIME FOR THE LITTLE ONES TO GET OUT OF THEIR EASTER CLOTHES AND PUT ON THEIR HUNTING GEAR.

EASTER EGG HUNTING...THAT IS.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CLINTON BOURGEOIS WAS AT TATNALL PARK WHILE KIDS SEARCH FOR THE HIDDEN TREASURES.



Synopsis:

A TEMPER TANTRUM BY A 6-YEAR-OLD STUDENT AT CREEKSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENDED WITH THE STUDENT IN HANDCUFFS ON FRIDAY.

THE CHIEF OF POLICE SAYS THE OFFICERS ACTED APPROPRIATELY BUT SOME IN THE COMMUNITY DISAGREE.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
KINDERGARTNER FOLLOWUP	4/18/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IT'S BEEN NEARLY A WEEK SINCE A 6 YEAR OLD STUDENT WAS HANDCUFFED AND WHILE OFFICIALS ARE KEEPING QUIET, SOME MILLEDGEVILLE RESIDENTS SEEM TO HAVE AN OPINION ON THE INCIDENT.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
MACON MIRACLE PLAN	4/19/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THIS EVENING SUPERINTENDENT ROMAIN DALLEMAND INTRODUCED A DISTRICT MANAGEMENT PLAN... THAT ADDS ACTION STEPS TO THE MACON MIRACLE PLAN.

THE MANAGEMENT PLAN INCLUDES A "BUDGET HIGHLIGHT SHEET" THAT OUTLINES THREE WAYS THE DISTRICT WILL FOCUS ON STUDENTS.

THE PLAN CALLS FOR THE HIRING OF THREE CAREER COACHES... THAT COST THE DISTRICT 120 THOUSAND DOLLARS... AS WELL AS THE HIRING OF SEVEN MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS FOR 200 THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
HANDCUFFED CHILD	4/20/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE FAMILY OF A 6-YEAR-OLD HANDCUFFED AFTER A TANTRUM AT CREEKSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL THIS WEEK IS NOW SPEAKING OUT.

HER PARENTS AND A REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE NATIONAL ACTION NETWORK HEADED BY AL SHARPTON... ADDRESSED THE MEDIA TODAY IN ATLANTA. THEY STILL CANT BELIEVE THE WAY THINGS WERE HANDLED.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
MARCH OF DIMES	4/21/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

PREMATURE BIRTH IS THE MOST URGENT INFANT HEALTH PROBLEM IN THE UNITED STATES TODAY.



Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
STUDENT SPANKED 4/30/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A PARENT OF A STUDENT AT LINDSEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL RECEIVED RESULTS AFTER HAVING REASON TO BELIEVE THAT A PARA- PROFESSIONAL AT THE SCHOOL SPANKED HER 5 YEAR OLD SON IN CLASS.

ON APRIL 26TH, AS SCHOOL WAS RELEASED, FIVE YEAR OLD EDDIE KING, A KINDERGARTEN STUDENT AT LINDSEY ARRIVED HOME AND EXPLAINED TO HIS MOTHER THAT AN EMPLOYEE AT THE SCHOOL SPANKED HIM IN A DARK ROOM EARLIER THAT DAY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SCHOLARSHIP AWARD 5/1/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE MENTORS PROJECT CELEBRATES AN ANNUAL TRADITION AND A BRAND NEW SCHOLARSHIP.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BIBB PARENT CONFERENCE 5/5/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY WITH THE HELP OF WOMEN FROM ACROSS CENTRAL GEORGIA WILL SOON DEDICATE THREE NEW HOMES.

ITS PART OF HABITAT'S WOMEN BUILD PROGRAM.

THE PROGRAM IS SPONSORED BY LOWE'S AND IS INTENDED TO TEACH WOMEN CONSTRUCTION SKILLS AND THEN USE THEM TO HELP SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF POOR HOUSING.

SATURDAY'S CREW STARTED OFF BY PAINTING THE EXTERIOR OF THE FIRST HOME.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BOOK DONATION 5/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SENIOR FOSTER GRANDPARENTS ARE GIVING THE GIFT OF READING TO DAY CARE STUDENTS.

THE BOOK GIVEAWAY TO STUDENTS AT JOSHUA HOUSE DAY CARE IS PART OF SENIOR CORP WEEK.

THE FOSTER GRANPARENTS DO A DIFFERENT PROJECT EVERY YEAR AND THIS YEAR, VOLUNTEERS DONATED TWO BOOKS TO THE PROJECT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MISSING CHILD 5/8/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AND THE SEARCH IS STILL ON FOR A MISSING 10 YEAR OLD. POLICE ARE CONTINUING TO LOOK FOR TEN YEAR OLD KIT COLBURN WHO DISAPPEARED FROM A WARNER ROBINS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. WARNER ROBINS POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORTS THERE IS A HELICOPTER INVOLVED IN THE SEARCH NOW AND THEY ARE FOLLOWING UP ON ALL LEGITIMATE TIPS

THE FIFTH GRADER WAS SENT TO THE PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE AT RUSSELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUT NEVER ARRIVED.

COLBURN WAS REPORTED MISSING TO WARNER ROBINS POLICE JUST AFTER NOON IT IS BELIEVED HE LEFT THE SCHOOL GROUNDS. POLICE, SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS AND THE CHILD'S FATHER ARE ASSISTING IN THE SEARCH.

PARENTS HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED BY THE AUTOMATED NOTIFICATION SYSTEM.

KOLBURN IS FOUR FOOT TEN INCHES AND SEVENTY POUNDS. LAST SEEN WEARING A TAN OR OFF WHITE COLORED SHIRT WITH A DESIGN.

IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION... PLEASE CALL 9-1-1.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
MISSING CHILD	5/9/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AS THE SEARCH CONTINUES THE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES IN CHARGE ARE MAKING SOME SLIGHT CHANGES TO THE SEARCH STRATEGY.

NEWSCENTRAL HAS TEAM COVERAGE TONIGHT INCLUDING AMBER JONES, RICK DEVENS, BUT FIRST WE BEGIN WITH CHACE AMBROSE ON TONIGHT'S ONGOING SEARCH.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
MISSING CHILD FOUND	5/10/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

TODAY NEWS BROKE THAT A MISSING BOY HAD BEEN FOUND IN WARNER ROBINS.

HE FIRST WENT MISSING ON TUESDAY AND SINCE, THE COMMUNITY HAS TAKEN A BIG PART IN THE SEARCH.

LEADING UP TO BIZARRE DISCOVERY.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
MISING CHIDREN	5/11/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE WARNER ROBINS POLICE DEPARTMENT SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE SEARCH FOR 10 YEAR OLD KIT COLBURN AFTER HE WENT MISSING TUESDAY MORNING.

BUT HIS DISSAPPEARANCE SPARKED QUESTIONS FOR WHAT PARENTS SHOULD DO, TO BE PREAPRED IF THEIR CHILD GOES MISSING.

NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES REPORTS.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
GANG GRANT	5/15/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

GANGS EXIST THROUGHOUT MACON AND BIBB COUNTY, WHICH IS WHY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES ARE HOPING FREE MONEY AVAILABLE WILL HELP THEM COMBAT THE PROBLEM.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
JUSTICE FOR ASHTON 5/16/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A WOMAN IN HAWKINSVILLE IS SEEKING JUSTICE FOR HER MURDERED GRANDDAUGHTER. ASHTON BARTLETT'S ACCUSED KILLER BER-AH-GO BLACKSHEAR HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO TWENTY-FIVE YEARS IN PRISON... NOT LIFE WITHOUT PAROLE, WHICH THE PULASKI DISTRICT ATTORNEY TOLD ASHTON'S FAMILY TO EXPECT. RICK DEVENS HAS THE STORY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BIBB SCHOOLS SAFETY 5/17/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD MET THIS EVENING AT CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL. THE AUDITORIUM WAS FULL OF HONOREES YOUNG AND OLD, BUT EVEN THEY COULDN'T OVERSHADOW A PROBLEM LURKING IN OUR SCHOOLS. RICK DEVENS HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
STRATEGIC PLANNING 5/18/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BIBB SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT DOCTOR ROMAIN DALLEMAND WANTS TO PARTNER UP WITH COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS TO MAKE BIBB COUNTY BETTER FOR ITS STUDENTS. ABOUT 25 ORGANIZATIONS SHOWED UP TO THE FIRST OF TWO MEETINGS HOSTED TODAY TO SHARE IDEAS WITH DOCTOR DALLEMAND ON HOW THEY COULD WORK TOGETHER WHILE PUTTING THE MACON MIRACLE PLAN TO ACTION.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DALLEMAND MEETING 5/19/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A BIBB COUNTY SCHOOLS LEADER IS ASKING LOCAL CLERGY FOR THEIR HELP WITH HIS CONTROVERSIAL MACON MIRACLE PLAN. ROMAIN DALLEMAND MET WITH LOCAL PASTORS AT CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL TODAY TO INCORPORATE THEIR IDEAS INTO HIS CONTROVERSIAL PLAN. DALLEMAND LISTED BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATISTICS DURING A POWERPOINT PRESENTATION TO EXPLAIN WHY THE SCHOOLS NEED HELP. DALLEMAND SAYS HE HELD THE MEETING TODAY FOR THE MINISTERS BECAUSE HE KNOWS HOW IMPORTANT THEIR VOICES ARE IN THE PARISHES AND NEIGHBORHOODS THEY SERVE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
100 DEADLIEST DAYS 5/19/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SCHOOL IS COMING TO A CLOSE WHICH MEANS SUMMER IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER ... AND WITH THE WARMER MONTHS ALSO COMES THE ONE HUNDRED DEADLIEST DAYS OF DRIVING FOR TEENAGERS IN THE UNITED STATES AS DUBBED BY AUTO CLUB TRIPLE "A" AND VOLVO.

BUT JUST HOW AND WHY ARE YOUNG DRIVERS PUTTING THEMSELVES IN HARM'S WAY ON THE ROAD?

NEWSCENTRAL'S CRISTEN DRUMMOND TAKES A LOOK.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
GANG MODEL 5/21/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON CITY LEADERS ARE WORKING TO DEVELOP A WAY OF ADDRESSING THE GANG PROBLEM.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
KIT COLBURN 5/22/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

HOUSTON COUNTY STUDENTS AT RUSSELL ELEMENTARY CAN EXPECT AN APOLOGY FROM ONE OF THEIR CLASSMATES BEFORE THEY GO HOME FOR SUMMER.

KIT COLBURN, A 10-YEAR-OLD STUDENT AT RUSSELL ELEMENTARY WENT MISSING FOR OVER 50 HOURS EARLIER THIS MONTH.

KIT RAN AWAY FROM THE SCHOOL'S CAMPUS AFTER BEING SENT TO THE OFFICE MAY 9TH IN HOUSTON COUNTY.

NOW, KIT WANTS TO APOLOGIZE TO HIS CLASSMATES THROUGH A WRITTEN LETTER.

HOUSTON COUNTY SCHOOLS SAY THAT KIT'S PUNISHMENT FOR RUNNING AWAY FROM THE CAMPUS IS CONFIDENTIAL.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MENTOR'S PROJECT 5/29/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SUMMER VACATION DOESN'T MEAN STUDENTS HAVE TO STOP LEARNING.

THE BIBB COUNTY MENTORS PROJECT IS HAVING ITS SIXTH ANNUAL INTENSIVE 10-DAY SUMMER PROGRAM.

MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE LEARNING MORE ABOUT MATH... AND LANGUAGE ARTS AND PREPARING FOR UPCOMING COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMS.

TO VOLUNTEER TO HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE LIFE OF A CHILD AND BE A MENTOR... CALL THE BIBB COUNTY MENTORS PROJECT AT (478)765-8624.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:

CHACE'S PKG

5/30/2012

10:00 PM

Synopsis:

NEWSCENTRAL HAS RECEIVED REPORTS OF A 15-YEAR OLD GIRL LOCKED IN A CHICKEN COOP. NOW SHE'S IN THE STATE'S CUSTODY AFTER SOME SHOKING ALLEGATIONS AGAINST HER PARENTS....NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE EXPLAINS THE HORRIFIC SITUATION BEING INVESTIGATED.

Story:  
OBESE CHLDREN

Date Aired:  
5/31/2012

Newscast:  
10:00 PM

Synopsis:

OBESE CHILDREN ARE MORE LIKELY TO BECOME OBESE ADULTS.  
SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITIES ARE ENCOURAGE TO PROVIDE AND PROMOTE HEATHLY LIFE STYLES THAT WILL INFULENCE THE BEHAVIOR OF YOUNG CHILDREN.  
GEORGIA STATICS CONVINCED ONE CENTRAL GEORGIA ORGANIZATION TO TAKE ACTION.  
NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES HAS MORE.

Story:  
FVSU CAMP

Date Aired:  
6/1/2012

Newscast:  
10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SUMMER IS HERE AND PARENTS MAY WANT TO FIND A SAFE PLACE FOR THEIR CHILDREN TO CONTINUE LEARNING OVER THE SUMMER, AND HAVE A LITTLE FUN TOO.  
NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES, TAKES US TO A SUMMER CAMP THAT'S DOING JUST THAT.

Story:  
FISHING DERBY

Date Aired:  
6/2/2012

Newscast:  
10:00 PM

Synopsis:

KIDS IN MIDDLE GEORGIA TAKE UP THEIR FISHING RODS AS THEY HEAD TO A LOCAL LAKE TRYING TO CATCH THE BIG ONE.  
THE MACON WATER AUTHORITY HELD ITS SEVENTH ANNUAL KIDS FISHING DERBY AT JAVORS LUCAS LAKE TODAY.  
CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES WERE OUT AT SEVEN THIS MORNING CASTING THEIR LINES IN HOPES OF GETTING A BITE.  
THE EVENT IS A WAY FOR LOCAL KIDS TO GO OUT FISHING FOR FREE AS WELL AS EDUCATE THEMSELVES ABOUT WATER CONSERVATION AND POLLUTION.  
KIDS WALKED AWAY WITH PRIZES DONATED BY THE ACADEMY OF SPORTS AND OUTDOORS.  
THE LARGEST CATCH OF THE DAY WEIGHED IN AT SEVEN POUNDS TWO OUNCES.

Story:  
CELEBRITY SOIREE

Date Aired:  
6/3/2012

Newscast:  
10:00 PM

Synopsis:



Synopsis:

THE ENGLISH MAY BE KNOWN FOR THIER EXTRAVAGANT HATS, BUT SOME LADIES IN CENTRAL GEORGIA ARE GIVING THEM A RUN FOR THEIR MONEY.

A LITTLE OVER THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY PEOPLE ATTENDED THE FOURTH ANNUAL "TEA AT NOON IN JUNE" TODAY AT FORT VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY.

THE CHARITY EVENT HELPS TO RAISE SCHOLARSHIP MONEY FOR STUDENTS ENROLLING AT THE SCHOOL.

PEOPLE ATTENDING THE EVENT SNACKED ON TEA FOOD WHILE SIPPING CHILLED TEA AND LISTENING TO THE UNIVERSITY JAZZ ENSEMBLE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SUMMER CURFEWS 6/13/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A SUMMER CURFEW FOR TEENAGERS IN MACON IS NOTHING NEW, BUT THE MACON POLICE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THE CURFEW IS IN EFFECT.

AND ALSO THAT CITIZENS SHOULD EXPECT TO SEE A WHOLE NEW LEVEL OF ENFORCEMENT COURTESY OF A SUMMER-LONG DETAIL.

NEWSCENTRAL'S RICK DEVENS HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HUMAN TRAFFICKING 6/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A LOCAL ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY IS EDUCATING LAW ENFORCEMENT IN CENTRAL GEORGIA ON WHAT HE BELIEVES IS A GROWING PROBLEM IN THE AREA.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CRISTEN DRUMMOND SHOWS US WHAT PEOPLE ARE BEING TAUGHT TO FIGHT SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF CHILDREN AND TRAFFICKING IN THIS REGION.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
YOUTH CAMP 6/27/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ONE NON PROFIT YOUTH CAMP MAY NOT BE ABLE TO STAY OPEN WITHOUT YOUR HELP

THE REAL ME NON PROFIT YOUTH CAMP IS ATTEMPTING TO RAISE FUNDS. THE CAMP JUST LEARNED THAT THEY MAY BE ASKED TO CLOSED DOWN IF THEY DONT FIND A BIGGER FACILITY FOR THEIR GROWING DEMAND OF KIDS ATTENDING THEIR CAMP. THEY CURRENTLY HAVE OVER 80 KIDS AND A WAITING LIST OF EVEN MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CAR WASH 6/30/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A MACON MAN WHO SAYS HE GAVE UP HIS LIFE TO HELP THE COMMUNITY'S YOUTH IS NOW ASKING FOR THE COMMUNITY'S HELP TO KEEP HIS PROGRAM ALIVE.

MARCUS GIVENS PRESIDENT OF "THE REAL ME" NON PROFIT YOUTH CAMP SAYS HIS GROUP HAS BEEN HOSTING CAR WASHES TO RAISE MONEY NEEDED TO MOVE INTO A NEW BUILDING.

THE PROGRAM CURRENTLY OPERATES OUT OF GIVENS HOME WHICH HAS BEEN TRANSFORMED INTO A SUMMER CAMP FOR MORE THAN EIGHTY CHILDREN.

HE SAYS THE KIDS ARE GIVEN A CHALLENGING CURRICULUM OF SUBJECTS INCLUDING MATH AND ENGLISH TO KEEP THEIR MINDS ENGAGED WHILE NOT IN SCHOOL ... BUT THE CAMP IS AT MAXIMUM CAPACITY AND HE NEEDS TO FIND A BIGGER FACILITY TO KEEP IT RUNNING.

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**POLITICAL ISSUES**

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON CITY COUNCIL 4/2/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SOME MEMBERS OF MACON CITY COUNCIL WERE WAITING TO HEAR SOME IMPORTANT NUMBERS THIS AFTERNOON. BUT THE NUMBERS THEY RECEIVED DID NOT MAKE THEM HAPPY. NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY 4/3/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

TODAY BIBB COUNTY COMMISSIONERS WERE UPDATED ON THE PROGRESS OF THE SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY PLAN. THE BOARD CAME TO A UNANIMOUS DECISION NOT TO MAKE ANY CHANGES TO THE PLAN AND THE PROPERTIES MENTIONED. THE ENVIRONMENTAL VIABILITY OF ALL OF THE CITY'S RECREATIONAL PARKS, CURRENTLY OPERATED BY THE CITY OF MACON, WOULD BECOME THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE COUNTY AFTER THE STRATEGY IS IMPLEMENTED. AN EVALUATION WILL BE PERFORMED ON THOSE SITES BY A COMPANY TO BE LATER NAMED.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 4/4/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AFTER A SERIES OF NAMES AND OWNERS, THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS THE RAMADA PLAZA IN DOWNTOWN MACON MAY HAVE A CHANCE TO BREATHE IN NEW LIFE. NEWSCENTRAL'S MICHELLE QUESADA TELLS US HOW ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IS GOING TO HELP THE PROPERTY RE-OPEN FOR BUSINESS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
AUSTIN SCOTT 4/5/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

CONGRESSMAN AUSTIN SCOTT WAS AT WESLEYAN COLLEGE THIS EVENING TO PRESENT A SPECIAL AWARD. SCOTT WAS THE HOST AT THE AWARDS RECEPTION TO HONOR THE 8TH DISTRICT'S WINNERS OF THE 31ST ANNUAL "CONGRESSIONAL ART COMPETITION." THE WINNER OF THIS YEAR'S COMPETITION WAS JOSEPH LOFTION, A SOPHOMORE FROM CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DEMOCRATIC MEETING 4/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WE ARE IN THE MIDST OF CAMPAIGN SEASON AND THE BIBB COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PARTY HOLDS ITS MONTHLY MEETING ON IDEAS FOR PUSHING THEIR AGENDA.

THE TOPIC OF DISCUSSION FOCUSES ON INNOVATIVE WAYS OF GETTING MORE CITIZENS \*NOT ONLY REGISTERED TO VOTE, BUT ALSO GETTING THEM TO THE POLLS ON ELECTION DAY.

AS OF 20-10, THERE WERE MORE THAN 150-THOUSAND RESIDENTS IN MACON, BUT JUST OVER EIGHTY ONE THOUSAND REGISTERED VOTERS.

ONLY FIFTY PERCENT OF THOSE VOTERS VOTE DURING GENERAL ELECTIONS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON COUNCIL 4/10/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

HOW THE CITY SPENDS ITS MONEY WAS THE SUBJECT OF A SPECIAL WORKSESSION OF MAYOR ROBERT REICHERT AND THE MACON CITY COUNCIL THIS TUESDAY.

THE MAYOR IS SUGGESTING LEGISLATION THAT WOULD CHANGE THE WAY DEPARTMENT HEADS ARE ALLOWED TO SPEND THEIR BUDGET. CURRENTLY ANY EMPLOYEE THAT NEEDS TO MOVE MONEY FROM ONE LINE ITEM TO ANOTHER MUST REQUEST THE MOVE THROUGH THE COUNCIL PROCESS.

MANY ON COUNCIL AGREED THAT SOME OF THE LEGISLATION MAY NEED CHANGING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CHAMBLISS PROTEST 4/12/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

CENTRAL GEORGIA LETTER CARRIERS ARE ANGRY AND UPSET ABOUT WHAT THEY SAY COULD BE THE END OF THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE.

THIS EVENING, DEMONSTRATORS TOOK TO THE STREETS TO TRY AND SAVE THE U-S POSTAL SERVICE AND AMERICAN JOBS. PORTIA LAKE REPORTS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON CITY COUNCIL 4/17/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON CITY COUNCIL HELD THEIR REGULAR MEETING THIS EVENING AND ON THE AGENDA WAS ADDRESSING PENSION FUNDS OF THE CITY'S POLICE AND FIRE EMPLOYEES.

FORMER MACON-BIBB COUNTY FIRE CHIEF JIMMY HARTLEY ADDRESSED THE FULL COUNCIL ABOUT CONCERNS OVER THE FIRE AND POLICE PENSION BOARD.

THERE HAVE BEEN RUMORS THAT THE ADMINISTRATION WAS DIPPING INTO THE PENSION. AT THE LAST PENSION BOARD MEETING, MAYOR ROBERT REICHERT DENIED THOSE ALLEGATIONS.

HARTLEY ALSO SPOKE OF CONCERNS ABOUT THE POSSIBLE REPLACEMENT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE PENSION BOARD BECAUSE HE DOES NOT LIVE IN THE CITY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON COUNCIL 4/23/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON CITY COUNCIL'S APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE HELD A SPECIAL MEETING THIS AFTERNOON.

ONLY TWO ITEMS ON THE AGENDA FOR THE MEETING.. ONE WAS A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE CONCEPT OF THE CITY'S FIVE YEAR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN. THAT PLAN WOULD GO INTO PLACE ON JULY FIRST OF THIS YEAR AND RUN THROUGH JUNE 30TH OF 2017.

THE COMMITTEE ALSO HEARD RESPONSES FROM THE ADMINISTRATION TO ISSUES BROUGHT UP IN THE LAST AUDIT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
COUNCIL WORKFORCE 4/24/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON CITY COUNCIL HELD A SPECIAL MEETING THIS EVENING TO DISCUSS WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT.

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT IS DUTIED WITH FINDING JOBS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE DURING THE SUMMER AND DEVELOPING THE CITY WORKFORCE AS WELL.

ONCE A CITY DEPARTMENT, WORKFORCE IS NOW SHARED WITH THE COUNTY AND TO SOME EXTENT, ITS OWN ENTITY. IT'S AN ISSUE THAT GIVES SOME ON CITY COUNCIL PAUSE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
GOVERNOR DEAL 4/25/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

GOVERNOR NATHAN DEAL HAS TRAVELED TO SEVEN CITIES OVER THE PAST TWO DAYS FOR HIS STATEWIDE "PRO JOBS, PRO FAMILY TOUR."

DEAL SIGNED SOME BILLS INTO LAW AND TALKED ABOUT SOME OF THE HIGHLIGHTS FROM THIS LEGISLATIVE SESSION WHICH HE CALLS VERY PRODUCTIVE.

THOSE INCLUDE CRIMINAL JUSTICE REFORM AND A TAX REFORM PACKAGE.

GOVERNOR DEAL ALSO SIGNED THE BILL TO ALLOW MACON AND BIBB RESIDENTS TO VOTE ON CONSOLIDATION OF THE TWO GOVERNMENTS IN THE JULY PRIMARY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON COUNCIL 4/30/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THERE'S A SAYING THAT GOES, "THERE'LL BE NO WINE BEFORE ITS TIME." THAT TIME MAY BE DRAWING NEAR IN MACON.

THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE OF MACON CITY COUNCIL APPROVED AN ORDINANCE THAT WOULD ALLOW GROCERY STORES TO HOLD WINE TASTINGS.

THE WINE TASTING WOULD HAVE TO TAKE PLACE IN AN AREA OUTSIDE OF THE SALES FLOOR AND OF COURSE ONLY PEOPLE OF LEGAL AGE MAY PARTICIPATE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
FOREST HILL CHANGES 5/2/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE EXPANSION OF FOREST HILL ROAD WAS A TOPIC OF DISCUSSION AT TODAY'S MEETING OF MACON'S PUBLIC WORKS AND ENGINEERING COMMITTEE.

THE COMMITTEE CONSIDERED A RESOLUTION THAT WOULD NOTIFY THE GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION THAT THE CITY DOES NOT AGREE TO ACCEPT THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR FOREST HILL ROAD UPON COMPLETION OF THE IMPROVEMENTS. THE RESOLUTION ALSO REQUIRES GDOT TO RECONSIDER THE DESIGN.

THE RESOLUTION FAILED THE COMMITTEE BY A VOTE OF 3 TO 2.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
OBAMA CAMPAIGN KICKOFF 5/5/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA KICKED OFF HIS RE-ELECTION CAMPAIGN IN COLUMBUS, OHIO SATURDAY...

THE PRESIDENT SPOKE AT OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY....FOR THE FIRST OFFICIAL RALLY OF HIS RE-ELECTION CAMPAIGN.

OBAMA TALKED ABOUT THE ECONOMY, OFTEN REFERRING TO HIS OPPONENT REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE MITT ROMNEY...

HE ALSO MENTIONED AMERICA'S SUCCESS IN THE WAR AGAINST TERROR.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MAYOR'S BUDGET 5/8/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

EARLIER THIS EVENING MACON MAYOR ROBERT REICHERT PRESENTED THE PROPOSED BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013 TO THE CITY COUNCIL.

THE BUDGET CONTAINS A SMALL CUT TO PROPERTY TAXES AND A PAY INCREASE FOR SOME EMPLOYEES.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CITY COUNCIL 5/14/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE OF MACON CITY COUNCIL IS TAKING ANOTHER LOOK AT AN ORDINANCE AMENDMENT.

THE AMENDMENT WOULD CHANGE THE PENALTY FOR DEPARTMENT HEADS GOING OVER BUDGET IN A LINE ITEM FROM A 300-DOLLAR FINE TO INTERNAL DISCIPLINE.

BUT THE AMENDMENT THAT WAS HANDED TO THE COMMITTEE INCLUDED NEW LANGUAGE THAT NO ONE ON THE COMMITTEE HAD RECEIVED UNTIL THE TIME OF THE MEETING, SO THE

COMMITTEE POSTPONED ACTION. THE COMMITTEE WILL ACT ON THE AMENDMENT AT THEIR NEXT MEETING.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CITY COUNCIL 5/15/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AT YESTERDAY'S ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE MEETING OF MACON CITY COUNCIL THE MAYOR SPOKE BRIEFLY ABOUT THE POLICE AND FIRE PENSION BOARD.

BUT TONIGHT AT THE MEETING OF FULL COUNCIL, ONE PENSION BOARD MEMBER ANSWERED BACK. NEWS CENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
COUNCIL BUDGET 5/16/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AS THE BUDGET HEARINGS FOR THE CITY CONTINUE, A CONCERN IS RAISED OVER THE CITY'S HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN

NEWS CENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DEMS RESIGNATION 5/17/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BIBB COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PARTY SAYS HE'S PLANNING TO STEP DOWN AT A PRESS CONFERENCE TOMORROW MORNING.

DANNY GLOVER TOOK TO SOCIAL MEDIA TONIGHT TO LET HIS FOLLOWERS KNOW HIS INTENDED PLAN.

GLOVER BECAME CHAIRMAN OF THE PARTY IN JANUARY. IN A STATEMENT TONIGHT, HE SAID HE HAD HOPES OF REVITALIZING THE LOCAL PARTY. HE GOES ON TO SAY HE IS PROUD OF HIS ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND APPRECIATES THE SUPPORT. INTERIM CHAIRWOMAN SARAH HUNT IS EXPECTED TO TAKE OVER GLOVER'S POSITION.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
TAX LEVY 5/20/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MIDDLE GEORGIA VOTERS WILL SOON DECIDE IF A 1 - PERCENT SALES TAX INCREASE IS WORTH SEVERAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS IN BIBB, HOUSTON AND SURROUNDING COUNTIES.

ACCORDING TO OUR MEDIA PARTNERS AT THE MACON TELEGRAPH SUPPORTERS OF THE "TRANSPORTATION SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX" OR T - SPLOST ... SAY THE PROJECTS ARE ESSENTIAL TO EASE TRANSIT PROBLEMS AND LINK BUSINESSES WITH CUSTOMERS.

THE NEW TAX, WHICH WOULD GO INTO EFFECT ON JANUARY FIRST 20 - 13 WOULD RAISE THE EFFECTIVE RATE TO 8 - PERCENT.

THE MONEY, TOTALING MORE THAN 550 - MILLION DOLLARS WOULD FUND AROUND 60 INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS IN ALL 11 COUNTIES COMPRISING THE MIDDLE GEORGIA REGION.

VOTERS WILL HEAD TO THE POLLS TO MAKE A DECISION ON THE TAX INCREASE ON JULY 31ST.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
GANG MODEL 5/21/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON CITY LEADERS ARE WORKING TO DEVELOP A WAY OF ADDRESSING THE GANG PROBLEM.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
NIKKI RANDALL 5/22/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BIBB COUNTY DELEGATION CHAIR NIKKI RANDALL RELEASED A LETTER TO THE MEDIA ASKING THE BOARD TO CORRECT THEIR STATEMENTS THEY MADE ON MAY 10TH IMPLYING THAT LEGISLATORS MADE CHANGES IN THE REDISTRICTING MAPS WITHOUT TELLING THEM.

WITH THAT LETTER, RANDALL ATTACHED EMAILS BETWEEN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND LOCAL OFFICIALS INCLUDING REDISTRICTING SERVICES SPECIALIST GINA WRIGHT AND AN ATTORNEY FOR THE SCHOOL BOARD MICHAEL C. PRUETT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BIBB BOE 5/23/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

TODAY IN BIBB COUNTY 18 CANDIDATES QUALIFIED FOR POSITIONS GOING THROUGH THE NECESSARY STEPS TO COMPLETE THE PROCESS.

COMMISSIONER JOE ALLEN WAS ONE OF MANY THAT CAME TO QUALIFY THE FIRST DAY, AND FOUND HIMSELF IN THE COMPANY OF BIBB COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION MEMBER, TOM HUDSON, AND B-O-E HOPEFUL DOCTOR THELMA DILLARD.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MAYORAL VETO 5/24/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MAYOR REICHERT'S RECENT VETO OF A COUNCIL RESOLUTION CAUGHT SOME ON COUNCIL BY SURPRISE.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SHERIFF'S RACE 5/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

QUALIFYING FOR POLITICAL PARTY CANDIDATES AND NON-PARTISAN CANDIDATES KICKED OFF WEDNESDAY MORNING AND WRAPPED UP TODAY AT NOON.  
ONE RACE HAS FOUR MEN SEEKING TO LEAD THOSE WHO PROTECT AND SERVE DAILY.  
NEWSCENTRAL'S AMBER JONES SIT'S DOWN WITH SHERIFF HOPEFUL.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SCHOOL DISTRICT 3 5/29/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A CANDIDATE FOR THE BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD DROPS OUT OF THE RACE LESS THAN A WEEK AFTER QUALIFYING.  
ERICA EATON HAS DROPPED OUT OF THE RACE... CITING A POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST.  
THE TWENTY FIVE YEAR OLD HAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE DISTRICT 3 SCHOOL BOARD SEAT BUT PLANS TO STAY COMMITTED TO PUBLIC EDUCATION.  
REPUBLICAN ANGELA FREEMAN WILL NOW FACE INCUMBENT SUE SIPE IN THE NOVEMBER ELECTION.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON CITY COUNCIL 5/30/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON CITY COUNCIL MAKES A DECISION TONIGHT THAT HAS A LOT OF RETIREES BREATHING A SIGH OF RELIEF.  
A FEW YEARS AGO THE CITY OF MACON TOOK A LOAN FROM THE FIRE AND POLICE PENSION FUND... TONIGHT COUNCIL DECIDED TO TAKE OVER 2 POINT 5 MILLION DOLLARS FROM THE GENERAL FUND AND PAY OFF THAT LOAN.  
COUNCIL HAS BEEN MAKING MONTHLY PAYMENTS ON A PROMISSORY NOTE BUT THE FIRE AND POLICE PENSION BOARD HAS NEVER BEEN HAPPY WITH THAT SOLUTION.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CONSOLIDATION RALLY 6/1/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SUPPORTERS OF CONSOLIDATION GATHERED ON POPLAR STREET THIS EVENING TO ROCK OUT.  
THE RALLY PRESENTED BY THE GROUP MACON/BIBB WINS AGAIN FEATURED MUSIC BY THE GRAPE VINE, WORD OF MOUTH, AND BIG MIKE AND THE BOOTY PAPA'S AND FREE FOOD FROM NUWAY WEINERS.  
THE EVENT ALSO FEATURED AN INFORMATION BOOTH MANNED BY BUSINESS AND COMMUNITY LEADERS TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ABOUT THE CONSOLIDATION REFERENDUM.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DESIGN MACON 6/5/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WITH THE ELECTION PRIMARY RAPIDLY APPROACHING, ONE GROUP WANTS TO MAKE SURE THE CANDIDATE'S SIGNS AS WELL AS OTHER ADVERTISEMENTS ARE NOT ILLEGALLY PLACED.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE ON "DE-SIGNING MACON."

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BOWDEN GOLF FUNDING 6/6/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MACON'S APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE TAKING A LOOK AT THE BUDGET OF BOWDEN GOLF COURSE TODAY.

LAST SATURDAY THE COURSE OPENED ITS NEW DISC GOLF COURSE.

THE NEW COURSE IS ONE OF THE TOP 8 COURSES IN THE STATE IN SIZE AND DIFFICULTY AND WILL BE HOLDING THE DISC GOLF STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

THE CITY STANDS TO GAIN SOME REVENUE FROM THE COURSE THAT IS NOT CURRENTLY INCLUDED IN THE BOWDEN BUDGET BECAUSE THERE IS NO ATTENDENCE ESTIMATE TO BASE THE FIGURE ON.

ADMISSION TO THE COURSE IS THREE DOLLARS PER PLAYER.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON COUNCIL 6/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE NEARLY 70 MILLION DOLLARS THE CITY OF MACON NEEDS TO OPERATE IS IN THE FINALIZATION PROCESS.

THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE HAS BEEN GOING THROUGH THE BUDGET.... LINE BY LINE AND MAKING A FEW CHANGES. COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN TOM ELLINGTON SAYS THEY'RE NOT HUGE CHANGES, BUT A LARGE PORTION OF THE BUDGET IS ABOUT THE EMPLOYEE PAY SCALE. EVER SINCE THE MAYOR BROUGHT THE BUDGET TO THE COMMITTEE BACK IN EARLY MAY, HEARINGS HAVE BEEN HELD DISCUSSING LINE ITEMS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BUDGET HEARING 6/11/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

TODAY THE CITY OF MACON HELD ITS PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED BUDGET.

ONLY ONE CITIZEN ATTENDED THE REQUIRED PUBLIC HEARING AND NO ONE CAME TO SPEAK ON THE PROPOSED BUDGET WHICH CONTAINS A PROPERTY TAX DECREASE OF ONE TENTH OF A MIL.

APPROPRIATIONS CHAIRMAN TOM ELLINGTON SAYS THE LACK OF TURNOUT FOR THE MEETING DID'NT COME AS A SHOCK.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SHERIFF SIGN REACTION 6/12/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

LAST NIGHT AT A NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH MEETING, THE VOLUNTEER GROUP "DE-SIGNING MACON" MADE SOME HARSH COMMENTS ABOUT THE BIBB COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

THE GROUP SAYS THE DEPARTMENT DOESN'T KNOW THE LAWS FOR RIGHT-OF-WAY SIGNS. TODAY THE SHERIFF MADE HIS RESPONSE. NEWS CENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
COUNCIL 6/13/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ON JULY FIRST, THE CITY OF MACON WILL TRANSFER FOUR AND HALF DEPARTMENTS OVER TO BIBB COUNTY'S CONTROL.

AND TODAY, THE EMPLOYEE DEVELOPMENT AND COMPENSATION COMMITTEE MADE THE ROAD A LITTLE EASIER. THE COMMITTEE, ABSENT TWO MEMBERS, UNANIMOUSLY PASSED A RESOLUTION THAT GUARANTEES CITY EMPLOYEES TRANSFERRING TO THE COUNTY WILL NOT LOSE THEIR PENSION PLAN.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
T-SPLOST FORUM 6/14/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

CENTRAL GEORGIANS INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT THE TRANSPORTATION SPLOST HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO ASK QUESTIONS TONIGHT AT AN OPEN FORUM HOSTED BY REEVES CONSTRUCTION.

REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE GEORGIA TRANSPORT ALLIANCE WERE IN ATTENDANCE TO TELL PEOPLE OF THE BENEFITS OF VOTING YES TO T-SPLOST.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DAVID COOKE 6/15/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

CAMPAIGN SEASON IS HEATING UP AND TODAY IN MACON DAVID COOKE... WHO IS RUNNING FOR MACON CIRCUIT DISTRICT ATTORNEY... HELD A CAMPAIGN KICK-OFF EVENT.

COOKE HELD THE OFFICIAL FRIENDS AND FAMILY CAMPAIGN KICK-OFF IN HIS HOME.

COOKE IS A HUSBAND AND FATHER... HE WANTS HIS CAMPAIGN TO REFLECT HIS COMMITMENT TO CENTRAL GEORGIA FAMILIES.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MACON POLITICAL FORUM 6/21/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS HELD A POLITICAL DEBATE TONIGHT.

WITH THE PRIMARY ELECTIONS JUST WEEKS AWAY THIS DEBATE WAS ORGANIZED. ALL CANDIDATES IN THE CHALLENGED RACES WERE INVITED TO ATTEND, GIVE A TWO MINUTE OPENING STATEMENT AND ANSWER QUESTIONS FROM THE PANEL.

ORGANIZERS SAY ITS ALL ABOUT KEEPING THE VOTING PUBLIC INFORMED ABOUT THE PEOPLE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
VOTING LAWSUIT 6/25/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE UPCOMING ELECTION FOR SEVERAL SEATS ON THE BIBB COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION COULD BE HALTED DUE TO A LAWSUIT.

THE SUIT WAS FILED IN FEDERAL COURT BY LOCAL ATTORNEY LESTER MILLER WHO IS RUNNING FOR THE BOARD'S DISTRICT FOUR SEAT, BRENDA SUTTON WHO IS RUNNING FOR THE DISTRICT ONE SEAT AND BOARD MEMBER GARY BECHTEL.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CONSOLIDATION FORUM 6/26/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A SPECIAL FORUM WAS HELD TONIGHT TO GET YOUNG PEOPLE EXCITED TO VOTE FOR CONSOLIDATION.

THE EDUCATIONAL FORUM WAS PRESENTED WITH THE TARGET AUDIENCE OF CITIZENS UNDER 40 YEARS OLD TO HELP GET THEM INVOLVED IN THE VOTING PROCESS AND TO DISCUSS ITEMS WITHIN THE CONSOLIDATION BILL.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
OBAMA HEALTHCARE 6/27/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WITH A FIVE TO FOUR VOTE THE U - S SUPREME COURT DECIDED TO UPHOLD THAT HEALTHCARE OVERHAUL SIGNED INTO LAW MORE THAN TWO YEAR'S AGO. WE TOOK A DEEPER LOOK INTO HOW THE RULING AFFECTS US HERE IN CENTRAL GEORGIA. PORTIA...

THANKS MARIO...NOT ONLY DID WE SPEAK WITH PEOPLE IN MIDDLE GEORGIA ABOUT THEIR REACTIONS TO THE RULING...BUT WE SPOKE WITH ONE OF OUR AREA'S LARGEST EMPLOYERS... PLUS WE HAVE REACTION FROM LOCAL LAWMAKERS.

NEWSCENTRAL'S SHONTI TAGER BRINGS US THE FIRST REPORT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
VOTING LAWSUIT 6/29/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE LAWSUIT FILED TO HALT THE UPCOMING ELECTION FOR SEVERAL SEATS ON THE BIBB COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION IS CANCELLED after AN AGREEMENT was reached.

THE FEDERAL HEARING WAS SCHEDULED FOR 9-30 TODAY, 3 PLANTIFFS FILED THE SUIT AGAINST THE SCHOOL DISTRICT- THE BIBB BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND ELAINE CARR WHO SERVES AS THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

THE LAWSUIT CLAIMS THAT OLD MAPS, BASED OFF THE 2000 CENSUS VIOLATES THE 14TH AMENDMENT AND THAT THE MOST RECENT CENSUS NUMBERS SHOULD BE USED TO DETERMINE DISTRICTS.

THE HEARING WAS CANCELLED DUE TO a DOCUMENT AGREEMENT THAT WAS MET LATE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.



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Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
AARP 4/5/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

GEORGIA IS NAMED ONE OF THE SEVEN STATES FOR A NEW NETWORK FOR AGE-FRIENDLY COMMUNITIES.

MACON AND BIBB COUNTY WILL BE THE FIRST CITY AND COUNTY CHOSEN BY A-A-R-P TO EDUCATE, ENCOURAGE, PROMOTE AND MAKE IMPROVEMENTS THAT ARE MORE USER FRIENDLY FOR ALL PEOPLE AND FOCUS ON THE ELDERLY.

THE A-A-R-P NETWORK OF AGE FRIENDLY COMMUNITIES WILL HELP LOCAL COMMUNITIES CREATE NEIGHBORHOODS FOR THE NEW AGING GENERATION.

MACON-BIBB COUNTY WILL ALSO GAIN GLOBAL RESOURCES ON AGE FRIENDLY BEST PRACTICES THROUGH THE PARTNERSHIP WITH A-A-R-P.

BOTH MAYOR ROBERT REICHERT AND BIBB COUNTY COMMISSION CHAIRMAN SAM HART ATTENDED THE PROGRAMS NATIONAL LAUNCH OF THE PROGRAM REPRESENTING MACON AND BIBB COUNTY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CLAXTON ROAD RACE 4/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FIVE POINT 4 MILLION AMERICANS ARE NOW LIVING WITH ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE... THOUSANDS OF THEM ARE RIGHT HERE IN CENTRAL GEORGIA. AND FOR THE SECOND YEAR, THE CLAXTON ROAD RACE WAS RAN THIS MORNING. HUNDREDS OF RUNNERS TOOK TO THE STREETS IN BONAIRE, PARTICIPATING IN A 5-K RUN AND 10 AND A HALF K RUN. FOR THOSE IN ATTEDANCE, EACH HAS THEIR OWN STORY TO TELL.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HAPPY BIRTHDAY HART 100 4/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BIBB COUNTY COMMISSION CHAIRMAN SAM HART'S MOTHER TURNS 100! FAMILY AND FRIENDS GATHERED TO CELEBRATE THE LIFE, LEGACY, AND LOVE OF ELIZABETH HART. MRS. HART WILL OFFICIALLY TURN 100 WEDNESDAY APRIL ELEVENTH. SHE HAS LIVED IN THIS COMMUNITY AND RAISE HER FAMILY IN CENTRAL GEORGIA FOR HER ENTIRE LIFE. SAM HART SAID HIS MOM PLAYED A MAJOR INFLUENCE IN HIS LIFE HE ALSO SAYS, NOT TO LET HER AGE FOOL YOU.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:

CLAXTON RACE

4/16/2012

10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BILLED AS A RACE TO END ALZHEIMER'S, THE CLAXTON ROAD RACE HAS BROKEN IT'S INNAUGUAL FUNDRAISING AMOUNT!

THE ROAD RACE, WHICH TOOK PLACE ON APRIL 7TH, HAD 439 RUNNERS COMPETE IN A 5-K AND 10 AND A HALF K. SOME BRAVE SOULS EVEN RAN BOTH!

THE END RESULT...ORGANIZERS PRESENTED A CHECK FOR 27-THOUSAND DOLLARS TO THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION.

CURRENTLY, OVER 21-THOUSAND CENTRAL GEORGIANS SUFFER FROM THE DISEASE.

Story:

MEALS ON WHEELS

Date Aired:

4/18/2012

Newscast:

10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MEALS ON WHEELS FEEDS THE ELDERLY ALL YEAR LONG, BUT THEY CAN'T DO THAT WITHOUT VOLUNTEERS.

THE ORGANIZATION'S ADMINISTRATION HONORED THEIR VOLUNTEERS WITH AN ANNUAL LUNCHEON.

VOLUNTEERS GATHERED AND REFLECTED ON THEIR ACCOMPLISHMENTS FROM 2011.

TINA DOMINEY SAYS IT'S ONE OF THE BEST ORGANIZATIONS TO VOLUNTEER FOR.

Story:

103 BIRTHDAY

Date Aired:

4/19/2012

Newscast:

10:00 PM

Synopsis:

TODAY NEWSCENTRAL CELEBRATED A VERY SPECIAL DAY WITH VIRIGINIA HALLETT OF GREEN MEADOWS IN CARY, GEORGIA.

SHE CELEBRATED HER 103RD BIRTHDAY.

VIRGINIA HAS LIVED IN CARY HER WHOLE LIFE AND SAYS THAT SHE DOESN'T FEEL OLD AT ALL...

A PORTRAIT HANGING AT THE NURSING HOME SHOWS VIRGINIA WHEN SHE WAS HALF HER AGE, AND STAFF AND FRIENDS SAY SHE IS STILL VERY ALERT AND SHARP.

VIRGINIA SAYS SHE IS EXCITED TO CELEBRATE HER 103RD BIRTHDAY WITH SUCH A WONDERFUL GROUP OF FRIENDS....

Story:

DANCING STARS

Date Aired:

4/20/2012

Newscast:

10:00 PM

Synopsis:

NEWSCENTRAL IS PROUD TO SPONSOR THE DANCING STARS OF CENTRAL GEORGIA, A BENEFIT TO RAISE FUNDS AND AWARENESS FOR THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCITATION.

NEWSCENTRAL'S JEFF COX TAKES IT FROM HERE.

THANKS AARON...ALZHEIMER'S IS NOW THE SIXTH LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH IN THE UNITED STATES.

ON MAY 12TH, STARS FROM CENTRAL GEORGIA WILL DANCE FOR A CURE.

TONIGHT, WE PROFILE OUR NEXT TWO DANCERS...STEVE WELSH AND ASHLEY COPELAN.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ALZHEIMER'S SWEEPS 4/26/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IF YOU ARE ONE OF THE LUCKY FEW PEOPLE WHO DON'T HAVE A LOVED ONE SUFFERING FROM ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE THE FACT REMAINS THAT IT WILL AFFECT US ALL EVENTUALLY. IN THIS FIRST OF A FOUR-PART SERIES, WGXA'S PORTIA LAKE SHOWS YOU WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT THE DISEASE AND WHY YOU SHOULD CARE ABOUT FINDING A CURE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ALZHEIMER'S DANCE 4/27/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

WGXA IS PROUD TO SPONSOR THE DANCING STARS OF CENTRAL GEORGIA, A BENEFIT TO RAISE FUNDS AND AWARENESS FOR THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION.

WGXA'S JEFF COX TAKES IT FROM HERE. JEFF?

THANKS AARON...ALZHEIMER'S IS NOW A DISEASE THAT SOMEONE IS DIAGNOSED WITH EVERY 69 SECONDS.

ON MAY 12TH, STARS FROM CENTRAL GEORGIA WILL DANCE FOR A CURE.

THIS AFTERNOON, WE PROFILE OUR NEXT TWO DANCERS...ELBERT MCQUEEN AND MARY PERDUE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ALZHEIMER'S SWEEPS 2 5/3/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

ALZHEIMER'S IS A DISEASE THAT DOESN'T JUST AFFECT THE PATIENT BUT AFFECTS THE FAMILY AS WELL.

TONIGHT, NEWSCENTRAL'S PORTIA LAKE INTRODUCES YOU TO ONE ALZHEIMER'S CAREGIVER HIT NINE TIMES BY THE DISEASE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DANCING STARS 5/4/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

NEWS CENTRAL IS PROUD TO SPONSOR THE DANCING STARS OF CENTRAL GEORGIA...A BENEFIT TO RAISE FUNDS AND AWARENESS FOR THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION.

ALZHEIMER'S IS NOW A DISEASE THAT SOMEONE IS DIAGNOSED WITH EVERY 69 SECONDS.

ONE WEEK FROM TOMORROW...MAY 12TH, STARS FROM CENTRAL GEORGIA WILL DANCE FOR A CURE.

TONIGHT WE PROFILE OUR NEXT TWO DANCERS...JIM ELLIOTT AND COURTNEY SWIFT.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BOOK DONATION 5/7/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

SENIOR FOSTER GRANDPARENTS ARE GIVING THE GIFT OF READING TO DAY CARE STUDENTS.

THE BOOK GIVEAWAY TO STUDENTS AT JOSHUA HOUSE DAY CARE IS PART OF SENIOR CORP WEEK.

THE FOSTER GRANPARENTS DO A DIFFERENT PROJECT EVERY YEAR AND THIS YEAR, VOLUNTEERS DONATED TWO BOOKS TO THE PROJECT.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
DANCING STARS	5/11/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

NEWSCENTRAL IS PROUD TO SPONSOR THE FIRST ANNUAL DANCING STARS OF CENTRAL GEORGIA EVENT WHERE ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION.

THE EVENT TAKES PLACE TOMORROW NIGHT IN FRONT OF A SOLD OUT CROWD. CHIEF METEOROLOGIST JEFF COX HAS BEEN PROFILING DANCERS LEADING UP TO THE EVENT AND JOINS US NOW WITH TONIGHT'S DANCING DUO. JEFF?

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
DANCING STARS	5/12/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

TONIGHT, TEN LOCAL CELEBRITIES TOOK TO THE MACON CITY AUDITORIUM'S STAGE TO SHOWCASE SOME SERIOUS MOVES AND RAISE SOME SERIOUS MONEY FOR THE ALZHEIMERS ASSOCIATION.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CRISTEN DRUMMOND REPORTS FROM THE MUCH ANTICIPATED "DANCING STARS OF CENTRAL GEORGIA".

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
OLDEST MERCER GRAD	5/12/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IT WAS A BIG DAY FOR STUDENTS GRADUATING FROM MERCER UNIVERSITY BUT FOR ONE STUDENT IN PARTICULAR HE'S BEEN WAITING SIXTY YEARS TO SAY HE GRADUATED.

DR. ROY VANDIVER FINALLY WALKED DOWN THE COMMENCEMENT AISLE TODAY TO RECEIVE HIS DIPLOMA.

HE IS THE OLDEST STUDENT TO RECEIVE A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MEDICINE FROM THE SCHOOL AND THE THIRD OLDEST TO EVER GRADUATE. IT TOOK AWHILE, BUT HE FINALLY MADE IT AND IS GLAD THE DAY IS FINALLY HERE.

Story:	Date Aired:	Newscast:
DANCING STARS RECAP	5/13/2012	10:00 PM

Synopsis:

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Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
DANCING STARS RECAP 5/14/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FINALLY TONIGHT, THE INAUGURAL "DANCING STARS OF CENTRAL GEORGIA", CO-SPONSORED BY NEWS CENTRAL, TOOK PLACE SATURDAY WITH ALL PROCEEDS BENEFITING THE ALZHEIMERS ASSOCIATION.

THE EVENT, HOSTED BY OUR OWN JEFF COX, FEATURED TEN CELEBRITY DANCERS, INCLUDING PORTIA LAKE!

THE END RESULT...SOME SERIOUS MONEY FOR THE ALZHEIMERS ASSOCIATION.  
THE EVENT RAISED OVER 200-THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ALZHEIMER'S SWEEPS 5/17/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FINALLY TONIGHT, ONE IN EIGHT OLDER AMERICANS HAS ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE.

IN A SPECIAL REPORT, NEWSCENTRAL'S PORTIA LAKE SHOWS US THE CHALLENGES ALZHEIMER'S CAREGIVERS FACE AND THE RESOURCES AVAILABLE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MISSING MAN 5/22/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

THE SEARCH IS NOW OVER FOR AN OLDER MAN SUFFERING FROM MEMORY LOSS WHO WAS REPORTED MISSING LAST NIGHT.

POLICE FOUND A DISORIENTED THOMAS PRESCOTT JR. THIS AFTERNOON IN SHLY COUNTY. AN OFFICER WAS CALLED TO A CONSTRUCTION SITE ON HIGHWAY THREE AFTER WORKERS STOPPED PRESCOTT WHILE HE WAS DRIVING NORTH IN THE SOUTH BOUND LANE.

ACCORDING TO THE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, AN OFFICER IMMEDIATELY RESPONDED AND RAN PRESCOTT'S VEHICLE TAGS TO IDENTIFY HIM.

PRESCOTT IS UNHARMED AND NOW WAITING FOR FAMILY MEMBERS TO PICK HIM UP.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ALZHEIMER'S 5/24/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AS THE NATION'S POPULATION GROWS AND AGES, UP TO SIXTEEN MILLION AMERICANS MAY SOON FACE THE REALITY OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE.

THE FIRST NATIONAL ALZHEIMER'S PLAN HOPES TO SLOW THAT THREAT - AND TO HELP THOSE FAMILIES ALREADY AFFECTED.

IN THIS SPECIAL REPORT... I WILL SHOW YOU WHAT THE FUTURE HOLDS FOR THOSE LIVING WITH ALZHEIMER'S.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MEMORIAL 5/27/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MANY PEOPLE KICKED OFF THEIR MEMORIAL DAY CELEBRATION THIS WEEKEND WITH BARBEQUE'S TO MARK THE UNOFFICIAL START OF SUMMER ... BUT FOR SOME, MEMORIAL DAY IS ABOUT MUCH MORE ... HONORING THE FALLEN SOLDIERS WHO HAVE SERVED THIS COUNTRY.

AS NEWSCENTRALS CRISTEN DRUMMOND SHOWS US LEADERS OF A LOCAL NATIONAL CEMETERY ARE PAYING TRIBUTE TO THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO GAVE IT ALL FOR THEIR COUNTRY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
LINWOOD CEMETERY 5/28/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A LOCAL CEMETERY REMEMBERS THOSE WHO HAVE SERVED AMERICA AND LOST THEIR LIVES PROTECTING AMERICA'S FREEDOMS.

LINWOOD CEMETERY HONORS THE MEMBERS OF THE MILITARY TODAY BY HOSTING A SERVICE AT THE PRIVATE AFRICAN AMERICAN CEMETERY IN THE PLEASANT HILL DISTRICT.

MANY FROM THE COMMUNITY CAME OUT TO HEAR RETIRED MAJOR KEVIN GUNERMAN SPEAK AND PRESENT A WREATH.

MAJOR GUNERMAN RELAYED THE HISTORY OF THE HOLIDAY AS WELL AS REMINDED PEOPLE OF A FEW VETERANS BURIED IN THE CEMETERY WHO LOST THEIR LIVES IN THE LINE OF DUTY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
D DAY ANNIVERSARY 6/6/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

IT'S THE ANNIVERSARY OF ONE OF AMERICA'S GREATEST DAYS OF SACRIFICE.

68 YEARS AGO TODAY, ALLIED FORCES LAUNCHED AN ATTACK BY AIR AND BY SEA, STORMING THE BEACHES OF NORMANDY IN GERMAN-OCCUPIED FRANCE.

160-THOUSAND ALLIED TROOPS LANDED ON THE HEAVILY-FORTIFIED COASTLINE-- WITH THE SUPPORT OF 13-THOUSAND AIRCRAFT AND 5-THOUSAND SHIPS.

NINE-THOUSAND ALLIED SOLDIERS WERE KILLED OR WOUNDED BY THE END OF THE DAY.

THE INVASION GAVE ALLIED TROOPS A FOOTHOLD IN FRANCE AND EVENTUALLY TURNED THE TIDE OF WORLD WAR TWO.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MEALS ON WHEELS 6/12/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

WARNER ROBINS MEALS ON WHEELS PROGRAM NEEDS YOUR HELP FILLING A VITAL ROLE IN THE COMMUNITY

WARNER ROBINS MEALS ON WHEELS PROGRAM IS KNOWN FOR PREPARING AND DELIVERING MEALS TO PEOPLE AROUND THE COMMUNITY WHO ARE NOT ABLE TO PURCHASE OR PREPARE THEIR OWN MEALS.

THE PROGRAM'S DIRECTOR SAYS THEY ARE IN NEED OF ABOUT FIVE VOLUNTEERS IN WARNER ROBINS AND FOUR IN PERRY TO PREPARE AND DELIVER MEALS.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
JUDGE TAYLOR PHILLIPS 6/15/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

BIBB COUNTY PROBATE COURT JUDGE TAYLOR PHILLIPS DIES FRIDAY MORNING AT THE MEDICAL CENTER OF CENTRAL GEORGIA. JUDGE PHILLIPS WAS 90.

ACCORDING TO CORONER LEON JONES, PHILLIPS DIED AROUND 2:30 A.M. FROM NATURAL CAUSES.

BIBB COUNTY COMMISSIONERS RECENTLY RENAMED THE COURTHOUSE AFTER PHILLIPS. COMMISSIONER JOE ALLEN WAS THE ONE WHO SUGGESTED NAMING THE COURTHOUSE AFTER THE LONG-TIME PUBLIC FIGURE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CONGRESSIONAL HONOR 6/17/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

FORMER MARINE CORPORAL THOMAS MOSLEY OF MACON RECEIVED A STANDING OVATION FROM THE NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH TODAY.

MOSLEY WILL BE TRAVELING TO THE NATION'S CAPITOL IN TWO WEEKS TO RECEIVE THE CONGRESSIONAL GOLD MEDAL FROM PRESIDENT OBAMA.

MOSLEY SERVED AT THE SEGREGATED MONTFORD POINT CAMP IN NORTH CAROLINA DURING WORLD WAR TWO ... HE AND THE OTHER MARINES THAT SERVED THERE BETWEEN 19 - 42 AND 19 - 49 WILL ALL RECEIVE THE GOLD MEDAL.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MAYOR OLMSTEAD DIES 6/26/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MIDDLE GEORGIA IS MOURNING THE LOSS OF A MAN WHO LED THE AREA FOR NEARLY 35 YEARS. NEWSCENTRAL'S CHACE AMBROSE HAS MORE ON FORMER MACON MAYOR TOMMY OLMSTEAD.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
OLMSTEAD FUNERAL PLANS 6/27/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A FUNERAL HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED FOR A FORMER MACON MAYOR AND BIBB COUNTY COMMISSION CHAIRMAN.

TOMMY OLMSTEAD PASSED AWAY WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

SERVICES WILL BE HELD AT 11 A.M. SATURDAY AT VINEVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH IN MACON.

THE FAMILY WILL RECEIVE FRIENDS FROM 6-8 P.M. FRIDAY AT HART'S MORTUARY AT THE CUPOLA AT 6324 PEAKE ROAD.

HE WAS 83.

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Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
PEACE DAY CEREMONY 4/12/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

IT SEEMS LIKE EVERYDAY YOU HEAR OF WAR AND CONFLICT IN THE NEWS BUT ALTHOUGH THESE NEGATIVES DOMINATE A LARGE CHUNK OF THE AIRWAVES, PEACEFUL ACTIONS ARE OCCURING.

TODAY MILLEDGEVILLE PAUSED TO RECOGNIZE GOOD WORKS HAPPENING AROUND THE WORLD. NEWS CENTRALS TYLER SOUTHARD HAS THE STORY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE 4/18/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

AT SUNDOWN TONIGHT PEOPLE AROUND THE WORLD TOOK PART IN HOLOCAUST REMEMBERANCE DAY.

HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE DAY IS OBSERVED TO COMMEMORATE ALL THE PEOPLE MURDERED DURING THE HOLOCAUST. SIX MILLION JEWS WERE KILLED BY THE NAZI'S.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SOLDIER RETURNS 4/21/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

THE GEORGIA NATIONAL GUARD ANNOUNCES THAT ONE OF OUR OWN IS BACK ON U-S SOIL FROM AFGHANISTAN...

U-S ARMY MAJOR GEORGE MCCOMMON, A VETERINARIAN FROM FORT VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY ARRIVED AT FORT GORDON SATURDAY MORNING AFTER ONE YEAR OF DEPLOYMENT.

NEWSCENTRAL SPOKE WITH MAJOR MCCOMMON BACK IN AUGUST OF 2011 VIA THE INTERNET WHILE HE WAS STATIONED OVERSEAS PROVIDING CARE FOR ARMY DONKEYS.

MAJOR MCCOMMON IS PART OF THE GEORGIA AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT VETERINARY TEAM THAT HELPED AFGHAN OFFICIALS IMPROVE ANIMAL CARE IN THE COUNTRY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BASE DELAYS 4/24/2012 10:00 PM

#### Synopsis:

MACON CITY COUNCIL HELD A SPECIAL MEETING THIS EVENING TO DISCUSS WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT.

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT IS DUTIED WITH FINDING JOBS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE DURING THE SUMMER AND DEVELOPING THE CITY WORKFORCE AS WELL.

ONCE A CITY DEPARTMENT, WORKFORCE IS NOW SHARED WITH THE COUNTY AND TO SOME EXTENT, ITS OWN ENTITY. IT'S AN ISSUE THAT GIVES SOME ON CITY COUNCIL PAUSE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
CLINTON WAR DAYS 5/6/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

IT WAS THE FIRST BATTLE OF GENERAL WILLIAM SHERMAN'S MARCH TO THE SEA DURING THE CIVIL WAR.

TODAY IN CLINTON, SPECTATORS GOT A FIRST HAND LOOK ON HOW THE BATTLE UNFOLDED.

NEWSCENTRAL'S CLINTON BOURGEOIS HAS MORE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
C 130 AIRCRAFT 5/8/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

A PLANE KNOWN AS A PLACE OF REFUGE 1964 IS NOW OPEN FOR THE PUBLIC TO VIEW AT THE MUSEUM OF AVIATION IN WARNER ROBINS.

VISITORS TAKE A LOOK AT THE 48-YEAR-OLD C-130-E FOR THE FIRST TIME IT'S BEEN ON DISPLAY SINCE LAST SEPTEMBER.

THEY ALSO MET WITH A FORMER PILOT OF THE PLANE.  
HE TAKES A LOOK BACK AT HIS EXPERIENCE.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
SARDIS CHURCH BUST 5/17/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

THE BIBB COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT IS STILL INVESTIGATING A HOME AFTER SEIZING A LARGE AMOUNT OF GUNS AND DRUGS LAST NIGHT.

INVESTIGATORS CONFISCATED 56 MARIJUANA PLANTS, OVER 30 HAND GUNS AND NINE DIFFERENT EXPLOSIVE DEVICES FROM A HOME IN THE 45-HUNDRED BLOCK OF SARDIS CHURCH ROAD. 48-YEAR-OLD PETER VINCENT POOLE WAS ARRESTED AND CHARGED ON MULTIPLE COUNTS, SOME OF THOSE FELONIES. MACON POLICE DEPARTMENT'S BOMB UNIT WAS ALSO CALLED IN LAST NIGHT DURING THE RAID.

THE GEORGIA BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION ALSO ASSISTED IN THE RAID. POOLE IS CURRENTLY BEING HELD IN THE BIBB COUNTY L-E-C WITHOUT BOND. THE INCIDENT REMAINS UNDER INVESTIGATION.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
ROBINS GENERAL 5/22/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AFTER 34 YEARS IN THE US MILITARY, MAJOR GENERAL ROBERT H. MCMAHON IS LEAVING THE AIR LOGISTICS CENTER AT ROBINS AIR FORCE BASE AND RETIRING.

HE SHARED WITH NEWSCENTRAL SOME OF HIS BIGGEST CHALLENGES AND GREATEST ACCOMPLISHMENTS DURING HIS 20 MONTHS AT THE BASE INCLUDING CLEANING UP SOME ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES THAT MAY HAVE AFFECTED WORKER'S HEALTH.

HE DID ADDRESS FINANCIAL CHALLENGES FOR THE LEADERSHIP AHEAD LIKE THE 487-MILLION DOLLARS THAT WILL BE COME OUT OF THE DEFENSE BUDGET.

WHILE HIS POSITION MAY BE STRESSFUL, MCMAHON SAYS HE NEVER ONCE HAD A BAD DAY ON THE JOB.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
MEMORIAL 5/27/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MANY PEOPLE KICKED OFF THEIR MEMORIAL DAY CELEBRATION THIS WEEKEND WITH BARBEQUE'S TO MARK THE UNOFFICIAL START OF SUMMER ... BUT FOR SOME, MEMORIAL DAY IS ABOUT MUCH MORE ... HONORING THE FALLEN SOLDIERS WHO HAVE SERVED THIS COUNTRY.

AS NEWSCENTRALS CRISTEN DRUMMOND SHOWS US LEADERS OF A LOCAL NATIONAL CEMETERY ARE PAYING TRIBUTE TO THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO GAVE IT ALL FOR THEIR COUNTRY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
LINWOOD CEMETERY 5/28/2012 10:00 PM

Synopsis:

A LOCAL CEMETERY REMEMBERS THOSE WHO HAVE SERVED AMERICA AND LOST THEIR LIVES PROTECTING AMERICA'S FREEDOMS.

LINWOOD CEMETERY HONORS THE MEMBERS OF THE MILITARY TODAY BY HOSTING A SERVICE AT THE PRIVATE AFRICAN AMERICAN CEMETERY IN THE PLEASANT HILL DISTRICT.

MANY FROM THE COMMUNITY CAME OUT TO HEAR RETIRED MAJOR KEVIN GUNERMAN SPEAK AND PRESENT A WREATH.

MAJOR GUNERMAN RELAYED THE HISTORY OF THE HOLIDAY AS WELL AS REMINDED PEOPLE OF A FEW VETERANS BURIED IN THE CEMETERY WHO LOST THEIR LIVES IN THE LINE OF DUTY.

Story: Date Aired: Newscast:  
BRAVES SOLDIER 5/30/2012 5:30 PM

Synopsis:

MASTER SERGEANT DAVID SIMS ISN'T THE FIRST AIRMAN FROM ROBINS AIR FORCE BASE TO PULL OFF A SURPRISE HOMECOMING, BUT HE PROBABLY HAD ONE OF THE ALL-TIME GREATS MONDAY.

DURING MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONIES AT THE ATLANTA BRAVES GAME ON MONDAY, HIS FAMILY WAS HONORED ON THE FIELD AS HOMETOWN HEROES.

THEY WATCHED A VIDEO ON THE BIG SCREEN OF SIMS SPEAKING FROM AFGHANISTAN... WHAT THEY DIDN'T KNOW WAS HE HAD RETURNED EARLY.

AT THE END OF THE VIDEO, HE SAID "WAIT A MINUTE," THEN HE WALKED OUT ONTO THE FIELD.

HIS WIFE AND FOUR CHILDREN RUSHED TOWARD HIM FOR AN EMOTIONAL EMBRACE, AS 40,000 PEOPLE CHEERED.

Story:  
ENCROACHMENT

Date Aired:  
6/3/2012

Newscast:  
10:00 PM

Synopsis:

MORE PEOPLE ARE MOVING OUT OF THEIR HOMES NEAR ROBINS AIR FORCE BASE DUE TO THE NOISE OF AIRCRAFT AND SAFETY CONCERNS OF LIVING IN A CRASH ZONE.

BUT AS NEWSCENTRAL'S CRISTEN DRUMMOND SHOWS US THERE ARE STILL SOME WHO ARE RELUCTANT TO LEAVE.

Story:  
D DAY ANNIVERSARY

Date Aired:  
6/6/2012

Newscast:  
5:30 PM

Synopsis:

IT'S THE ANNIVERSARY OF ONE OF AMERICA'S GREATEST DAYS OF SACRIFICE.

68 YEARS AGO TODAY, ALLIED FORCES LAUNCHED AN ATTACK BY AIR AND BY SEA, STORMING THE BEACHES OF NORMANDY IN GERMAN-OCCUPIED FRANCE.

160-THOUSAND ALLIED TROOPS LANDED ON THE HEAVILY-FORTIFIED COASTLINE-- WITH THE SUPPORT OF 13-THOUSAND AIRCRAFT AND 5-THOUSAND SHIPS.

NINE-THOUSAND ALLIED SOLDIERS WERE KILLED OR WOUNDED BY THE END OF THE DAY.

THE INVASION GAVE ALLIED TROOPS A FOOTHOLD IN FRANCE AND EVENTUALLY TURNED THE TIDE OF WORLD WAR TWO.

Story:  
IRON DAGGER

Date Aired:  
6/13/2012

Newscast:  
10:00 PM

Synopsis:

AIRMEN AND AIRCRAFT FROM AROUND THE REGION ARE INFILTRATING ROBINS AIR FORCE BASE FOR ONE OF THE BIGGEST TRAINING EXERCISES IN YEARS.

EXERCISE PROJECT OFFICER MAJOR JEFFREY DIGSBY SAYS MORE THAN 400 PERSONNEL FROM AT LEAST THREE BASES AND 4 DIFFERENT AGENCIES ARE WORKING TOGETHER TO EXECUTE THE TRAINING EXERCISE "IRON DAGGER."

DIGSBY SAYS THE TRAINING EXERCISE WILL HELP MEMBERS OF THE AIR FORCE, NAVY, AND HOMELAND SECURITY PRACTICE TACTICS, TECHNIQUES, AND PROCEDURES WITH NEW ANTI - SUBMARINE RECON AIRCRAFT.