

Catamount Radio Issues List

Catamount Radio (WDVT, WJEN, WJJR, WSYB, WZRT) serves our city of license (Rutland/Killington) and beyond to the surrounding areas by gearing our programming to meet the areas of concern to our community members through our issues list.

Our radio stations' staff meets regularly to discuss these issues of importance and based upon recommendations from community leaders, and news topics, both local and regional. We arrive at our issues list and focus our ***public service and public affairs*** in that direction.

We integrate guests (usually local experts) into our regular programming. Our issues, although addressed in pre-recorded PSA's, are also presented in a more informal fashion with "live" in-studio interviews with representatives from the police department, schools, hospitals and various community leaders.

The stations also broadcast numerous free announcements from non-profit community organizations who request such time to promote their causes.

We also execute a number of "on-location" broadcasts if the event warrants such activity. Catamount Radio believes that ***public service is more than lip service***. We know we can encourage more people by example, rather than just more talk.

HEALTHCARE AND INSURANCE

EMPLOYMENT

ECONOMIC CLIMATE

RECREATION

2020 4th Quarter October 1st – Dec 31st WSYB

HEALTHCARE AND INSURANCE

Program: Rutland Profile

11/1/20 @ 8:05 am Duration: 28 minutes

Claudio Fort, President and CEO of Rutland Regional Medical Center was the guest to talk about the Covid 19 crisis. We discussed the hospitals new restrictions, how they are handling patients and how things stand if we get another surge in cases.

Program: Rutland Profile

11/8/20 @ 8:05 am Duration: 28 minutes

Claudio Fort, President and CEO of Rutland Regional Medical Center was the guest to talk about the Covid 19 crisis. We discussed the hospitals new restrictions, how they are handling patients and how things stand if we get another surge in cases.

Program: Rutland Profile

11/15/20 @ 8:05 am Duration: 28 minutes

Tia Poalino from the Rutland Free Clinic talked about the services that they provide. She discussed the upcoming flu season and flu clinics that are available. She also discussed health care and the lack thereof. She explained how people that have health insurance can still use their facility.

Program: Rutland Profile

11/22/20 @ 8:05 am Duration: 28 minutes

Claudio Fort, President and CEO of Rutland Regional Medical Center was the guest to talk about the Covid 19 crisis. We discussed the hospitals new restrictions, how they are handling patients and how things stand if we get another surge in cases. He also talked about the upcoming Thanksgiving holiday and the risks of having groups together to celebrate.

EMPLOYMENT

Program: Rutland Profile

10/18/20 @ 8:05 am Duration: 28 minutes

Ross Almo, Director ARC, was the guest. ARC is the Rutland Area – Advocacy, Resources, Community. Ross talked about ARC's mission to advocate for the right of individuals with developmental disabilities and their families to be regarded as valued citizens with the same entitlements as non-disabled individuals, including the right to lifelong opportunities for personal growth and full participation in the community.

ECONOMIC CLIMATE

Program: Rutland Profile

10/25/20 @ 8:05 am Duration: 28 minutes

Reed L Wilcox, Edward Jones financial advisor, discussed investing in the Covid 19 Era. Should you buy or sell, what can we expect in the future.

RECREATION

Program: Rutland Profile

12/13/20 @ 8:05 am Duration: 28 minutes

Sheri Berkheimer-Rooker was our guest to talk about a new program being promoted by Cares Act Money to promote the Arts. She talked about how the group got together and applied for the funds. She talked about the art ramble itself, how to get more information and some of the other activities that are happening outdoors now.

Program: Rutland Profile**12/27/20 @ 8:05 am Duration: 28 minutes**

Kim Peters from the Rutland Recreation Department joined us for a conversation to talk about the new Rec Center that was approved by city voters. How it will be used, the new programs being offered, and the restrictions that the covid 19 pandemic has caused. Kim also talked about advances in the future and the use of the center by groups of adults that need a social distanced place to meet.