

WDFB 1170 AM
Programs/Issues Report
3rd Quarter – 2023 (July – August - September)
October 10, 2023

***Bluegrass Community Action – Bluegrass Transit:** In July, Mildred interviewed Lacey Johnson with BGCAP. They have brought to Danville a new service called Bluegrass Ride. They offer free rides throughout Danville to help people with transportation and gas expenses. Three routes with three new buses to cover the Danville area. The moto is “Helping People, Changing Lives.” During the interview they told how they needed drivers to work with the new routes along with other routes with Bluegrass Transit. The new route in Danville started August 7th. (Interview July 1, 2023)

***Commodity Distribution:** Commodity Distribution is such a need in our community. They are given out the first Thursday of each month and WDFB was able to give announcements for those that qualify for this program each month. We have also been able to encourage our listeners to be a volunteer in this program. So thankful they have been able to receive extra help from different agencies, but continue to need more help each month so people in need can received the food.

***Ovarian Cancer Awareness:** September is Ovarian Cancer Awareness month, so we invited Wendy Monsanto to educate our listeners about her journey with Ovarian Cancer and how she is choosing to celebrate September. Ovarian Cancer is called “the cancer that whispers” because there are very few warning signs, when it is found, normally it is too late. There is not a reliable test that detects Ovarian cancer. 1 in 78 women will be diagnosed with this type of cancer. Wendy says if you have any of the symptoms to please push for more test from the Drs. Wendy is involved with “Teel the Town” in Somerset. This is a time when they hang teal bows downtown in support of Ovarian Awareness Month. (Interview August 26, 2023)

***Parksville Water District:** This quartet has really been a busy one for Parksville Water District. They have upgraded several lines and made switches to the new lines. When this takes place they have to then have a boil water advisory until the water comes back clear. As with many upgrades, some lines have blown so they there have been other boil water advisories. We are happy to be here keep our listeners informed of the changes, boil water advisories and then when they have been lifted.

***Down Gilead Lane:** Down Gilead Lane is 28 minutes in length and is distributed by Keys for Kids ministry. It is a radio family drama which makes it wonderful for the entire family, no matter the age. The lessons taught are timely for the family. Down Gilead Lane airs each Saturday at 11:30 AM.

***The Checklist:** The checklist airs several times daily to keep our listeners informed of community activities such as festivals, meetings, voting registrations and then local Church announcements such as VBS, revivals, crusades, singings, and other special services. This feature varies in length due to number of announcements.

***Special Interview:** Interview with Jerry & Wendy McKee – Listeners from Alabama. They let our listeners know how they deal with blindness. They both are blind and involved in their community, teach blind children how to use braille and with coping skills. They have lived the life they want to live. Wendy is currently doing distance teaching. They travel and shared what services they use and also about cooking and how blind people cope with day to day needs. Rehabilitation program for adult blind people. They play Bible Trivia each Sunday. Jerry and Wendy have not allowed their disability to hold them back – they have ceased the day! (Interview August 12, 2023)

***PSA Coverage:**

Think – Car Seat Safety
MSF Putting Patients First
Poison Wherever
Distracted Driving – Multitasker
Hunger – Melissa
Hunger – Full Effect
Bone Health