

WUTK 2024 1st Quarterly Issues and Programs Report

ISSUE	TITLE/ RESPONSIVE PROGRAMMING	GUEST	DATE/TIME/DURATION
<u>DIVERSITY & INCLUSION</u>	<p>eTown:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Adeem discussed their decision to be a non-binary artist in a genre that has not been as supportive of issues like theirs as others have, as well as being a non-binary country music artist in the south. <p>On Air Interview:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Dionne discussed the importance of the College of Communication and Information's Intercultural Week 2024, as well as its mission, and events Music Dept. interview with LGBTQA+ artist: Amethyst Kiah regarding her performances at Big Ears Festival in Knoxville; & how that ties into her support for LGBTQA+ issues <p>Out Loud Knox:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Discussed the guest's experience of pursuing his career in media as a gay male from the Midwest, his career experience of leading and developing television shows as MTV's former president of entertainment, his process of developing queer representation across national television, and more. <p>Rock Solid Sports</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Discussed the creation of the first womens professional hockey league <p>Rocky Top Round Up:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Discussed inclusion of women in STEM fields at universities 	<p>Guest: Adeem / Host: Nick Forster (eTown)</p> <p>Guest: Dionne George Interim-Director of Access & Engagement College of Commun</p> <p>Guest: Brian Graden</p> <p>Guest: Dylan Becker (WUTK alumni)</p> <p>Guest: Ansley Grayson</p>	<p>02.21.2024 9:00 AM 1 hr.</p> <p>3.15.2024 11:30 AM 30 min</p> <p>1.18.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p> <p>1.01.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p> <p>03.26.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p>
<u>HISTORY & EDUCATION</u>	<p>Rocky Top Round-Up:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Talked with UT Debate Team for Diversity and Inclusion Week: On how businessess capitalize on diversity & inclusion. (i.e. black history month or pride month) Discussed the purpose of the War of Roses and how the proceeds aid the Ability Experience here in Knox 	<p>Guest: Debate team freshman: Maggie ???</p> <p>Guest: Jack Dyess</p>	<p>3.19.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p> <p>3.26.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p>
<u>HEALTH & SAFETY</u>	<p>Rock Solid Sports:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Briefly discussed Mark Andrews' injury and impact on the Ravens . The crew discussed Tennessee basketball player Zakai Zeigler and his return to full health on the court after an injury last season. Discussed bowl game opt outs and player safety in the bowl game Discussed extreme weather conditions in this weekend's NFL game 	<p>Guest: Dylan Becker (WUTK alumni)</p> <p>Guest: N/A Host: Chloe</p> <p>Guest: N/A Host: Chloe</p>	<p>01.01.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p> <p>01.03.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p> <p>01.03.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p>
<u>COMMUNITY ACTIVISM</u>	<p>Out Loud Knox:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Discussed the tangible impacts of community farming and community-building amongst amongst volunteers to promote safety and sense of belonging in queer spaces. Promoted the local Snow Day event. Discussed how the UTK Gaymerz organization uplift the queer community on campus with video games & a safe space. Discussed the importance of body positivity, accessible fashion to the queer community, the upcoming reopening of the Knox Thriftique, and fostering a community within the Knoxville community <p>Knox On Tap:</p>	<p>Guests: Lia Bevins</p> <p>Guests: Aidan & Olivia (UTK Gaymerz)</p> <p>Guests: James & Matt (Knox Pride)</p>	<p>1.25.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p> <p>2.22.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p> <p>3.21.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Discussed a direct promotion of the organization & Fundraising 2 Discussed fundraiser for family of fallen Blount County Sheriff Deputy Greg McCowan <p>Rock Solid Sports:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Discussed Derrick Henry's speech thanking Titans/ Nashville community for their support 	<p>Guest: Ashley Fontenot of New Hope Knoxville 1.30.2024 6:00 PM 1 hr</p> <p>Guest: Shaun Withers of Swārā Brewing 3.5.2024 6:00 PM 1 hr</p> <p>Guest: N/A Host: Tucker 01.08.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p>
COMMUNITY ACTIVISM/ HISTORY & EDUCATION	<p>Knox On Tap:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Discussed a fundraiser for a scholarship fund for Brewing & Distilling Ctr. (BDC) Funding a student's tuition for BDC School. 	<p>Guest: Zach Beck (TN Valley Homebrewers) 1.9.2024 6:00 PM 1 hr</p>
<u>HISTORY & EDUCATION</u>	<p>Rocky Top Round- Up:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Discussed historical fiction book with author and its roots in Western American history and Native American Culture <p>Rock Solid Sports:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Discussed Nick Saban's retirement and legacy 2 Discussed historic changes in this period of college football 3 Discussed Detroit Lions history 	<p>Guest: Steven ????</p> <p>03.05.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p> <p>Guest: N/A Host: Alli/Chloe 01.10.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p> <p>Guest: N/A Host: Jace 01.24.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p> <p>Guest: N/A Host: Chloe 01.26.2024 7:00 PM 1 hr.</p>