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Each quarter, **WCFB** places in its Online Public Inspection File, a list of what it considers programming addressing some of the significant issues for the station's community. The following is a list of issue-responsive programming aired on the station between October 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023. While this list contains a brief description of some of **WCFB's** most significant programs, it doesn't include all programs and program segments broadcast by the station during the fourth quarter. Please contact the station for more information about the station's issue-responsive programming.

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Dated: **January 10, 2024**

# **WCFB**

# **Quarterly Report**

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October ● November ● December 2023

*Monica May's Point of View* is a public service program that airs on WCFB Sunday mornings from 6:00am – 8:00 a.m. On this program, members of the Central Florida community discuss issues of concern to the region's citizenship. For the fourth quarter of 2023, the following issues were addressed:

### **Crime**

**Public Safety- Community and Law Enforcement Engagement October 8th**

**N.O.B.L.E. is the National Organization of Black Law Enforcement December 3<sup>rd</sup>**

### **Culture**

**Pathlight Home, Kwanzaa December 25th,**

### **Economy**

**International Fashion Week October 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**Inflation Reduction Act December 17th**

### **Education**

**Mentoring Awareness October 22nd**

**Mental Maturity in our Youth and their Contributions in Society November 5th**

**POV Classic Edition FAMU \_ BCU Enrollment & Admissions November 19th**

**UCF College of Medicine December 10<sup>th</sup>**

### **Political**

**Conversations with: Congresswoman Demings and NACAC Educational Fair  
October 15th**

**Municipal Elections 2023, October 30th**

**Voting/Holiday Grief November 26th**

**Is Ocoee Election History Being Repeated? December 3rd**

**Sudden Retirement December 25th**

**Health**

**Blind Equality Month October 1st**

**Domestic Awareness Month October 1st**

**How Does Unresolved Childhood Trauma Impact a Man's Quality of Life?**

**November 5th**

**Former CBS Weatherman December 10th**

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## *Crime*

**Time WCFB:** 6:00am  
**Date:** October 8, 2023  
**Duration:** 2 hours

**Segment Topic:** Discussing Current Crime in our Community  
**Organization:** Orlando Law Enforcement  
**Guest (s)** Orlando Police and Orange County Sheriffs Office  
**Contact:** <https://rodlove.org>

Rod Love and Attorney Greg Jackson filled in for Monica May and discussed Public Safety - Community & Law Enforcement Engagement.

**Time WCFB:** 6:00am  
**Date:** December 3, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 hour

**Segment Topic:** Re-Launch of the National Organization of Black Law Enforcement  
**Organization:** Executive Committee of the Interfaith of Central Florida  
**Guest (s)** Cornita Riley  
**Contact:** [www.NobleCFL.org](http://www.NobleCFL.org)

N.O.B.L.E. is the National Organization of Black Law Enforcement and has been at the forefront of providing solutions to black law enforcement issues since 1976. In the first hour we spoke with 4 respected members of Orange County Law Enforcement: Retired Captain Mike Doby, Deputy Chief Lovetta Quinn Henry, Captain Don Woods, and Former Chief of Corrections Cornita Riley. N.O.B.L.E is committed to addressing pressing issues and allowing a national voice and agenda for our community.

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## *Culture*

**Time WCFB:** 6:00am  
**Date:** December 25, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 hour

**Segment Topic:** Homeless Services  
**Organization:** Pathlight Home  
**Guest (s):** Babette Allen  
**Contact:** <https://pathlighthouse.org>

Pathlight Home sheds light on Pathlight HOME, Central Florida's first and largest provider of the housing first model. Each year, the organization houses more than 600 men and women, while also connecting its clients to career training opportunities, a food pantry and various community resources.

**Time WCFB:** 7:00am  
**Date:** December 25, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 hour

**Segment Topic:** Teaching the meaning of Kwanzaa  
**Organization:** Dr. Nina White Inc.  
**Guest (s):** Same  
**Contact:**

Kwanzaa - Created in 1966 by Maulana Ron Karenga, it is an African American and Pan-African holiday that celebrates history, values, family, community and culture. Dr. Nina White will teach us the ins and outs of celebrating Kwanzaa

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## *Culture cont.*

**Time WCFB:** 7:00am  
**Date:** October 22, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 hour

**Segment Topic:** International Fashion Week  
**Organization:** Orlando International Fashion Week  
**Guest (s):** Rob Henlon  
**Contact:** <https://orlandofashionweek.org>

Rob and Nayrouz, CEO's of Orlando International Fashion Week. It focuses on enhancing the Orlando experience and promoting diversity and inclusivity across a week of fashion shows November 1st to November 5th. OIFW is providing a platform for local and national designers to showcase their works. Their goal is to encourage community involvement and build a curriculum that teaches and builds modeling foundations. <https://orlandofashionweek.org/> Code: MONICA for 15% off ticket price. The show brings fashion icons from around Central Florida giving our local economy a boost.

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## *Economy*

**Time WCFB:** 6am  
**Date:** December 17, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 hour

**Segment Topic:** Making Brighter Money Moves in the New Year  
**Organization:** Various Financial Experts  
**Guest (s):** Lesley Batson, Kimberly Stewart, LaShea Reaves  
**Contact:** [rebelrockwealth.com](http://rebelrockwealth.com); [8centsinajar.org](http://8centsinajar.org); [ameripriseadvisors.com](http://ameripriseadvisors.com)

Making “Brighter” Money Moves in the New Year/ Information on the Inflation Reduction Act It’s common knowledge that many of us overspend during the holiday and some may even spend February bill money to make sure presents are under the Christmas Tree. What if we planned? What if we taught our kids better money skills? What if we learned how to create generational wealth. Our 3 money mavens dropped some great holiday spending nuggets!

**Time WCFB:** 7am  
**Date:** December 17, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 hour

**Segment Topic:** Inflation Reduction Act  
**Organization:** The Windsor Group  
**Guest (s):** Myles Caggins  
**Contact:** [www.22007apply.gov](http://www.22007apply.gov)

The Discrimination Financial Assistance Program initiative was created by President Biden and VP Harris for farmers, ranchers and forest landowners who experienced discrimination by the USDA in its farm loan programs. There is 2.2 billion dollars funded by the Inflation Reduction Act. Applicants can receive up to \$550,000 in payments. It is not a loan, a grant or settlement – there are no strings attached. Myles Caggins from the Windsor Group is one of the official vendors, who provided information on the application process. The deadline to file is January 13, 2024. It is a 40-page application requiring documentation. For assistance with the process call 1-800-721-0970 [www.22007apply.gov](http://www.22007apply.gov)



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## *Education*

**Time WCFB:** 6am  
**Date:** October 22, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 hour

**Segment Topic:** National Mentoring Day  
**Organization:** Man Up Mentoring, iHope Mentoring, King Solomon, iamRoyalty  
**Guest (s):** Samantha Wallace, Marcus Brown, Nicolas Solomon, Tracy Clark  
**Contact:** [manupmentoring.com](http://manupmentoring.com)/[ihopementoring.com](http://ihopementoring.com)/[iam-royalty.org](http://iam-royalty.org)

National mentor day is October 27th. In Orlando, we'll celebrate Thursday Oct. 26, 5-7pm at Ivey Lane Park Recreation Center 291 Silverton Road. Meet 5 key community stakeholders; Man Up Mentoring, founded by Samantha Wallace, strives to strengthen the lives of at-risk youth through mentoring and social services. <http://www.manupmentoring.com/> [manupmentoringincorlando@gmail.com](mailto:manupmentoringincorlando@gmail.com) iHope Mentoring, founded by Marcus Brown, is a male youth mentoring program serving youth as they matriculate into young men <https://www.ihopementoring.com/> [ihopementoring@gmail.com](mailto:ihopementoring@gmail.com) The King Solomon Foundation, founded by Nicholas Solomon, provides programs that focus on life skills training, health awareness, & academic support to serve youth who are in need up to age 26. <https://www.iam-royalty.org/> Instagram: @ksfdn. Renetta Clark and Tracy Clark (co-director) founded 360 dream centers, a program creating safe spaces for underserved youth <https://www.idream360.org/>

**Time WCFB:** 6am - 8am  
**Date:** November 19, 2023  
**Duration:** 2 hours

**Segment Topic:** HBCU Enrollment/Change is Coming to Carver M.S.  
**Organization:** BCU, FAMU and Carver M.S.  
**Guest (s):** Billy Dajuste, LaShawnda Swanigan, Sam Danner & Mina Ford  
**Contact:** [www.cookman.edu/admissionsaid](http://www.cookman.edu/admissionsaid); [ugrdadmissions@famu.edu](mailto:ugrdadmissions@famu.edu)

Ministry was the one word, interweaved throughout the morning – Our topic was education. We spoke with 2 leading Florida HBCU'S about their acceptance and admissions processes. Billy Dajuste, Director of Recruitment representing Bethune Cookman University (BCU) and LaShawnda Swanigan, Associate Director of Undergraduate Admissions from Florida A&M University (FAMU) told us their schools look at education, "holistically, i.e. they are looking beyond test scores to the whole student!" With the goal of developing Black excellence, the conversation focused on bridging the Gap of Opportunity for black students through enrollment and throughout the course of their degrees. In the second hour, 'The Change Maker' Mr. Sam Danner Principal of Carver Middle School and Mina Ford the Director of Dream Catcher, talked about what they're doing to elevate the quality of education received by students attending CMS. They're using community resources, teaching about safety, and partnerships to lead students to success. Their efforts show that breathing life into their scholars helps to blur the lines of racial disparities and their collaborative works provide transformative opportunities for students, their family's and the community at large.

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### *Education cont.*

**Time WCFB:** 6am  
**Date:** December 10, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 Hour

**Segment Topic:** UCF College of Medicine Continues Stride to Diversify  
**Organization:** University of Central Florida  
**Guest (s):** Dr. Tracy McIntosh  
**Contact:** [www.ucf.edu](http://www.ucf.edu)

Dr. Tracy MacIntosh is an Associate Professor as well as the Associate Dean of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion at the UCF College of Medicine. As an Emergency Medical Doctor, she started the residency program @ UCF COM to address the shortage of physicians in Central Florida. The goal is to give every doctor graduating, the foundation for the social & structural factors and barriers to care that exist. UCF COM offers the PATHWAY program for students – it is a one-week FREE clinical skills and health leadership academy. They also offer webinars for other college students interested in applying to medical school. For more information <https://med.ucf.edu/diversity-and-inclusion/> or Tracy.MacIntosh@ucf.edu

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## *Health*

**Time WCFB:** 6am  
**Date:** October 1, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 hour

**Segment Topic:** Blind Equality Month  
**Organization:** White Cane Awareness  
**Guest (s):** Goddess Thrailkill  
**Contact:** <https://goddess80@gmail.com>

October is Blind Equality Month, we spoke with Goddess Thrailkill, the “poster child” for sightless bravery. Goddess lost her eyesight in a car accident at a young age and was required to acclimatize to a new way of living. She claims her legally blindness has become her superpower, as it is “not an inability, but a capability”. Observed October 15, White Cane Safety Day emphasizes the critical role white canes play within the lives of those experiencing visual impairment. Based on her learning and experience, Goddess’s goal is to have a center for at-risk girls. To contact: goddess80@gmail.com

**Time WCFB:** 7am  
**Date:** October 1, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 hour

**Segment Topic:** Domestic Violence Awareness Month  
**Organization:** Harbor House  
**Guest (s):** Michelle Sperzel  
**Contact:** [www.harborhousefl.com](http://www.harborhousefl.com)

Harbor House, a resource offering services for domestic abuse victims. Harbor House continues to expand their emergency services; their increase in prevention numbers shows how support makes a difference. In the second half hour, we spoke about domestic abuse within teenage relationships and the importance of enforcing boundaries with our interns. From October 1st to October 31st, there will be a Harbor House 100 mile challenge to fundraise and raise awareness about intimate partner violence, the number 100 representing the average number of survivors they have living in their emergency shelter daily. To contact their 24-7 confidential crisis hotline: 4078862856. On October 5th, Harbor House is hosting a Purple Door Award Luncheon to honor advocates within the community, including our lovely miss Monica May. <https://www.harborhousefl.com/>

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## *Health cont.*

**Time WCFB:** 6am – 8am  
**Date:** November 5, 2023  
**Duration:** 2 Hours

**Segment Topic:** Mental Health Awareness  
**Organization:** No Limit Counseling & UCF Students  
**Guest (s):** Jonathan Gustave, Kassinda Mowatt & Fatima Murad  
**Contact:** see in description

We begin the month of November acknowledging mental maturity and trauma within our communities. Jonathan Gustave of No Limit Counseling emphasized understanding trauma and initiating conversations of openness and healing within men. Beliefs and attitudes within the home are passed down from one generation to another, so it is important to be mindful of what standards and rules are enforced within the home <https://www.nolimitempowerment.org/> 407/906-0139 In the second hour, associates Fatima and Kassinda discussed the importance of youth checkpoints that embody and build mental maturity. Points discussed: Values instilled within children in their homes create the proper foundations that determine the priorities as they grow older. The importance of understanding priorities from a young age, Various parenting and encouragement can affect this understanding in different children, and helping develop the mental maturity and preparing your child to face the world were other points.

**Time WCFB:** 7am  
**Date:** December 10, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 hour

**Segment Topic:** Stroke Awareness  
**Organization:** Mark McEwen  
**Guest (s):** Mark McEwen  
**Contact:**

Mark McEwen is a journalist, television anchor, author, and stand-up comedian. Best known as the CBS weatherman from N.Y. who also worked as anchor. McEwen has interviewed 5 sitting Presidents, worked every red carpet, and several Olympics before moving to Orlando in 2004 to work at WKMG. The very next year while on a flight, he had a stroke. Left on the curb by a skycap at the airport, he thanks another employee for calling an ambulance and his wife. After being in a coma for days, intensive care and then rehabilitation for a year, Mark has learned to walk and talk again. He's a nationally acclaimed speaker with one book, "Change in the Weather" and another on the way. McEwen teaches now and still looks forward to every single day with a smile and gratitude. Catch him at Bonkers January 19th as host of a comedy night.

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## *Political*

**Time WCFB:** 7am – 8am  
**Date:** October 19, 2023  
**Duration:** 2 hours  
**Segment Topic:** What's Next for Congresswoman Demings/Hamas War  
**Organization:** Congresswoman Demings/Rabbi David Kay  
**Guest (s):** same  
**Contact:** <https://interfaithfl.org/>

In the first hour, we spoke with Congresswoman Val Demings, who served as the U.S. representative from Florida's 10th congressional district from 2017 to 2023. She is passionate about people having access to a voice, that is backed by action, within the government. While it seems that the Florida governor is changing the culture of this state by removing known freedoms, Demings' agenda is to protect and serve the community, focusing on what the nation was founded upon. For contact: <https://valbutlerdemings.com>. We also spoke with Rabbi David Kay about the inhumane war between Israel and Hamas, as well as a word from Florida State Representative Anna Eskamani. Rabbi Kay serves on the Executive Committee of the Interfaith Council of Central Florida, which is responsible for a significant effort to bring communities together. He emphasizes the importance of education and perspective-taking, as the current unjustified conflict between Hamas and Israel is a result of present time actions and history. Offering our support and educating ourselves are recommended at such a time. <https://interfaithfl.org/>  
<https://www.orlandosentinel.com/2023/10/13/faith-leaders-we-stand-together-and-love-our-neighbors-in-face-of-middle-east-conflict-commentary/>

**Time WCFB:** 6am  
**Date:** October 30, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 Hour  
**Segment Topic:** 3 Candidates Running for Orlando Mayor  
**Organization:** Various  
**Guest (s):** Buddy Dyer, Sam Ings, Tony Vargas  
**Contact:** [buddyfororlando.com](http://buddyfororlando.com); [ingsfororlandomayor.com](http://ingsfororlandomayor.com), [vargasfororlando.com](http://vargasfororlando.com).

2023 is an “off-year” for politics in Florida but there is a Municipal Election November 7th. In Orlando, two City Council seats as well as the Mayor are open and that is the case for several other counties. Early voting began Saturday, October 28th – for info voters can check [ocflelections.com](http://ocflelections.com); [voteosceola.gov](http://voteosceola.gov); or [voteseminole.gov](http://voteseminole.gov). We heard from 3 of the 4 candidates for Orlando Mayor – to contact them; [INGSFORORLANDOMAYOR.COM](http://INGSFORORLANDOMAYOR.COM); [VARGASFORORLANDO.COM](http://VARGASFORORLANDO.COM); [BUDDYFORORLANDO.COM](http://BUDDYFORORLANDO.COM). One topic that all three candidates spoke of as part of their platform was homelessness

**Time WCFB:** 6am  
**Date:** November 26, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 Hour  
**Segment Topic:** The Other Black Voter  
**Organization:**  
**Guest (s):** Dr. Amanda Wilkerson  
**Contact:** [amanda.wilkerson@ucf.edu](mailto:amanda.wilkerson@ucf.edu)

Dr. Amanda Wilkerson, a UCF Professor shared "The Other Black Voter." The 19-page document outlines how HBCU students from 4 Florida colleges view the political landscape. It also shares how to talk with them about voting

**Time WCFB:** 7am  
**Date:** December 3, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 Hour  
**Segment Topic:** Is Ocoee Election History Being Repeated  
**Organization:**  
**Guest (s):** George Oliver  
**Contact:** [goliver2020@gmail.com](mailto:goliver2020@gmail.com)

Is Ocoee Election history being repeated? November 2, 1920, is considered America's deadliest election day, it was the largest election-related massacre, the Ocoee Massacre. We spoke with the first black elected commissioner of Ocoee, George Oliver. As a city commissioner, he faced tension while working for his community on behalf of the citizens of District 4, experiencing many of his ideas being shot down. He resigned his seat and decided to run for mayor to represent those who want change. He was not elected and was later not allowed to campaign for his former seat. "Cherry-Oliver is suing the City of Ocoee, the Orange County Supervisor of Elections Office. To learn more about Oliver's situation and to see how to get involved, visit Ocoee's City Hall on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month where you can put a word in and get involved. [goliver2020@gmail.com](mailto:goliver2020@gmail.com) <https://vote4georgeoliver.com/about-george/> join Commissioner Oliver Tuesday December 5th at the Orange County City Hall 1:30pm – 10th floor for a legal hearing on this matter.

**Time WCFB:** 7am  
**Date:** December 25, 2023  
**Duration:** 1 Hour  
**Segment Topic:** Orange County Election will be affected by sudden retirement of Supv  
**Organization:**  
**Guest (s):** Dr. Lavon Bracy  
**Contact:**

Community Advocate discussed how the "sudden" retirement of Orange County Supervisor of Elections Bill Cowles will affect the 2024 General Election

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE FULL AUDIO AND DESCRIPTION OF EACH SHOW CAN BE FOUND ONLINE @ [www.star945.com](http://www.star945.com).