

WKPZ-CD

Quarterly Issues & Programs List

SECOND-QUARTER 2021

A quarterly list of community issues the station addressed in its programming during the preceding three months, and the programming which gave “significant treatment” to those issues.

The following issues were presented on WKPZ-CD public affairs programs.

ISSUES:

1.) Homeless Problem in Kingsport, TN

April 4, 2021, Kingsport Police Homeless Outreach Social Worker of Kingsport Homeless Ministry 24:00

Erin Gray, Homeless Outreach Worker for the Kingsport Police Department, talks about the police department’s response to the homeless in Kingsport. Kathy Izard, author of The Hundred Story Home, and Jo Morrison Vice-Chair of the Kingsport Homeless Ministry talk about how Charlotte, North Carolina has developed a housing solution for some of the cities homeless and how that idea can be utilized in Kingsport.

2.) Kingsport Mayoral Candidates Face-Off

April 18, 2021, The three candidates for mayor talk about the issues facing the City of Kingsport in 2021. Brian Woliver, Michael Lathrop, and incumbent Mayor Pat Shull were the guests.

3.) Sexual Assault Awareness Month

April 25, 2021, Frontier Health Safe House and Symphony of the Mountains 24:00 Tina Johnson, Program Director for Safe House. Safe House is a shelter for women who have suffered physical and sexual abuse. April is Sexual Assault Awareness Month. Scott Eddlemon, Executive Director of Symphony of the Mountains, talks about upcoming concerts in May and June.

4.) Juneteenth Celebration in Kingsport

May 31, 2021, Juneteenth Celebration and 100 Tri-Cities Women Who Care Big Give. 24:00 Keira Moore Majeed, Executive Director of Redemptive Life Foundation, talks about the upcoming Juneteenth Festival in Downtown Kingsport. A celebration of the end of Slavery in this country. Adrienne Osborne, the Non-Profit coordinator for 100 Tri-Cities Women Who Care, announced the recipient of the 10th big give. “Families Free” is the recipient of the 10th big give. Lisa Tipton of Families Free joins A Closer Look. We also talked with the winner of the 9th big give, Deb Richmond, Executive Director of Branch House.

5.) Keeping Young Adults and Children Safe

June 13, 2021, YW Cares Children’s Advocacy Center and Erwin Movie Night 24:00 Amanda White, BSW, C.A. and Megan Parks, BS, C.A. Amanda, and Megan talk about their summer training series concerning programs to keep young adults and children safe. Ashley Shelton, Director of Communications and Programs, for the town of Unicoi, talks about The Movies in the Park series in Unicoi, Tennessee.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

**A Closer Look airs on WKPZ-CD Sundays at 11:30 AM
Second Quarter 2021**

April 11, 2021, Kingsport Ballet and H.O.P.E. (Help Our Potential Evolve) 24:00 Bertina Dew, Executive Director of the Kingsport Ballet, talks about the upcoming performance of Coppelia on April 16-17. Also talks about fundraising during Covid. Courtney Murphy, RNC, FNP-BC the new board president of H.O.P.E. Help our Potential Evolve, and Stella Robinette, Executive Director and Founder, talk about upcoming fundraisers and programs for the youth of Kingsport.

May 2, 2021, Symphony of the Mountains and Frontier Health Safe House 24:00 Scott Eddlemon, Executive Director of Symphony of the Mountains, talks about upcoming concerts in May and June. Tina Johnson, Program Director for Safe House. Safe House is a shelter for women who have suffered physical and sexual abuse. April was Sexual Assault Awareness Month.

May 9, 2021, Mental Health Month and Strawberry Festival 24:00 May is Mental Health Month. Ginger Naseri, Senior Vice-President of Adult Services for Frontier Health. Talks about the services the agency offers and contact information. Ashley Shelton, Communications Director for the town of Unicoi talks about the 18th Annual Wayne Scott Strawberry Festival. May 15th at Unicoi Elementary School
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May 16, 2021, 100+ Tri-Cities Women Who Care 10th Big Give

24:00 Claire Marr, media coordinator for 100+ Tri-Cities Women Who Give announce the 3 finalists for the 10th Big Give. Coalition for Kids, Families Free and Wynn Wood Wildlife Rehab. We meet the three nominees for the 100+ Tri-Cities Women who Give 10th Big Give. Lisa Tipton of Families Free, Geri Wynn of Wynnwood Wildlife Rehab, and Randy Hensley with Coalition for Kids.

May 23, 2021, "Better for being with You", A Philosophy of

Care/100 Tri-Cities Women who care 10 Big Give Recipient. 24:00

Sister Bernie Kenny, RN, FNP, founder of the Health Wagon, and Tauna Gulley, Ph.D., RN, FNP-BC talk about their book "Better for being with You", A Philosophy of Care. They discuss the value of human touch and compassion. Adrienne Osborne, the Non-Profit coordinator for 100 Tri-Cities Women Who Care, announced the recipient of the 10th big give. Families Free is the recipient of the 10th big give. Lisa Tipton of Families Free joins A Closer Look. We also talked with the winner of the 9th big give, Deb Richmond, Executive Director of Branch House.

June 6, 2021, Juneteenth Celebration and 100 Tri-Cities Women

Who Care Big Give. 24:00 (Rerun) Keira Moore Majeed, Executive

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June 20, 2021, Bellafina Chocolates and 2021 Creeper Trail Ride to End Cancer 24:00 Brenda Barnicki, Founder of Bellafina Chocolate, talks about the outreaches to third world countries and the local outreaches the non-profit serves. Allison McCabe talks about the 11th annual Creeper Trail Ride to End Cancer. This year's ride is July 31st in Damascus, Va.

June 27, 2021, Unicoi Freedom Fest and YWCA Tribute for Women 24:00 Ashley Shelton, Director of Communications & Programs for the town of Unicoi, talks about the upcoming Freedom Fest 4th of July Festival. Virginia Frank, the YWCA Director, talks about the agency's 2021 Tribute for Women.