

COMMUNITY ISSUES PROGRAM LIST- WARJ
Fourth Quarter 2022 (October-December)
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The following is a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by WARJ, SHAWSVILLE, VA for the period of October 1st-December 31st. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance. All times are Pacific Daylight Time.

1. Disabled Care
3. Special Needs
4. Convoy of Hope
5. Security Issues
6. Trauma

Issue	Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description of Program
Disabled Care	Closer Look	11/13/2022	7pm	17:41	<p>Disabled Vets Skydive, Drive Racecars with Ranger Road</p> <p>No arms? No legs? No problem! “Whether you’re an amputee, double amputee, triple amputee, you’re paralyzed, our skydiving, our scuba, our car races -- they are all adaptive capable.” In fact, the leaders and trainers at RR events are themselves disabled vets. “Our skydiving program manager, he’s an 82nd airborne guy, double amputee.” Participation in these events can bring a soldier camaraderie and a renewed sense of purpose towards mental health and healing. Kindra Ponzio reports. Related links: https://rangerroad.org/pages/our-programs</p>
Special Needs	Closer Look	11/13/2022	7pm	13:58	<p>Can Play: Iowa Mom Helps Kids With Special Needs Play Sports, Have Fun</p> <p>Jack suffered six strokes when he was just 8 years old, which left him with cognitive delays, partial paralysis and ‘limited ability to play.’ Can Play gives kids like Jack “a place that they can come, be themselves, learn about their bodies and what their bodies can do.” Rafael Sierra reports. Related links: https://www.klove.com/news/positive-people/iowa-mom-helps-kids-with-special-needs-play-sports-have-fun-podcast-34872?preview=true</p>

Convoy of Hope	Closer Look	11/20/2022	7pm	n/a	<p>Convoy of Hope Marks Billions In Relief (2022 Ministry Update) “Young man, what are you doing to help the poor and suffering?” Hal Donaldson was pierced to his soul by her words. “Everyone can do something.” Donaldson was interviewing Mother Theresa when she asked him the question that would inspire him to launch Convoy of Hope. He went home, bought \$600 groceries for hungry neighbors and in the years since 1994, the international ministry he founded has given away \$2-Billion relief supplies worldwide. Marya Morgan checks in with Ethan Forhetz, Convoy’s VP of Public Engagement. Related links: https://www.klove.com/News/Closer-Look/hot-topx/closer-look-convoy-of-hope-marks-billions-in-relief-2022-ministry-update-4246</p>
Safety/Security	Closer Look	11/27/2022	7pm	29:15	<p>Closer Look: Be Safer At Work Or Church, Thoughts On Security You see trouble, you hear it – now believe it. “Trust your intuition...you know when a situation is different,” says Hector Alvarez, an expert in workplace security with more than 25 years of experience in threat assessment. “One of your best bets for surviving these incidents is thinking about it before it happens.” Preparation is key says Mindi Russell, exec. dir. of the Law Enforcement Chaplaincy of Sacramento. “Instead of, ‘it will never happen here,’ have the mindset that if something happens, this is what we’ll do.” Bob Dittman reports. Related Links: https://www.klove.com/news/closer-look/health-and-safety/closer-look-be-safer-at-work-or-church-thoughts-on-security-2862</p>

Addiction	Closer Look	12/11/2022	7pm	12:55	<p>Closer Look: Gambling, Suicide Risk and Addiction Recovery</p> <p>Gambling addiction is a leading cause of suicide in the United States. The thrill of the bet buries vulnerable gamblers deep in debts matched only by their secret shame. But stats prove you can win recovery, as 2 outta 3 people who seek treatment are able to stop. Rafael Sierra talks with Derek Longmeier of Problem Gambling Network of Ohio and Keith Whyte of the National Council on Problem Gambling. Need to talk? Call the National Problem Gambling Helpline: (800) 522-4700.</p> <p>Related links: https://www.klove.com/news/closer-look/dollars-and-sense/closer-look-gambling-suicide-risk-and-addiction-recovery-3518</p>
Renovation Alliance - Roanoke, VA	Local News	11/13/2022	7:30pm	n/a	<p>Sarah Shaver chats with Ellie Rigby, Executive Director of Renovation Alliance (RA), serving Roanoke, Salem, Botetourt, Franklin, and Floyd counties in Virginia. Rigby outlines the RA history and their mission, performing home repairs for low-income homeowners, from roofs and HVAC systems to accessibility features. She says they've completed over 7,000 individual projects over the years and partner with volunteers and area contractors to create safe, healthy homes as well as build relationships and strengthen communities. Rigby also tells listeners how they helped Mrs. R reclaim her entire home after only being able to live safely in one room.</p> <p>(renovationall.org ellie@renovateall.org)</p>
Roanoke Saint Francis Service Dogs	Local News	11/20/2022	7:30pm	n/a	<p>Jack Church spoke with Cabell Youell, Executive Director for Saint Francis Service Dogs in Roanoke, Virginia. Youell talked about the role service dogs play in the life of the individual that receives a dog. The dogs which go thru intense training can have an extraordinary impact on the life of the person they serve. These dogs can do things like turn on light switches, help someone in and out of bed as well as open and closing doors. Youell said they also provide facility dogs which are different from service dogs whereas they serve things like the courts and classes where autistic children are having special classes.</p>

Virginia FREE Rehab Equipment	Local News	11/27/2022	7:30pm	n/a	Jack Church spoke with Robin Ramsey, Executive Director for Rehabilitation Equipment Endowment of Virginia, otherwise known as F.R.E.E. Ramsey talked about how the organization started over 20 years ago serving 9 individuals as how now helped over twenty thousand Virginians receive life changing rehab equipment at no charge. The program has proved to be so successful it now has expanded from where it started in Roanoke to serving the entire state with offices in multiple cities. There is no charge for the equipment provided and is available to individuals in need who might not have coverage thru their insurance programs.
Roanoke Ram House	PSA	11/6-20, 2022	15 seconds	112 spots, 8 times each day	Meeting people where they are, and helping them towards a better life...Roanoke Area Ministries House is the largest day shelter in Roanoke, open 365 days a year. They offer a safe refuge where those in need can get meals, clothes and other necessities. Find out more at RAMINC.ORG

