



WFWI Issues and Programs List
1st Quarter, 2023

January 1, 2023 – March 31, 2023

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Regularly Scheduled
News and Public Affairs Programming
Broadcast by WFWI

Program Name	Schedule and Description
Local Newscasts	One minute news segments that originate from WOWO-AM news room are broadcast each hour from 6a-10a (M-F). These covers news stories affecting the local cities, counties, and states.
Weather Forecasts	
Public Affairs Show "This Week in America"	28 minute program broadcast every Sunday at 6:00 AM; Interviews with guests that have expertise and real-world experience regarding current issues.

Issues of Concern to the Communities Served by WFWI

Subject	Description
Weekly topics include; Economy, Transportation, Environment, Education, Health and Public Safety	A 28 minute program is broadcasted each Sunday at 6 am; Interviews with guests that have expertise and real-world experience regarding current issues.



QUARTERLY REPORT
JANUARY-MARCH 2023

Program # 2023-1

Airdate: ___1-1-23_____ Time of Broadcast ___6 AM_____

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

<u>Time</u>	<u>Segment</u>	<u>Segment Length</u>
:00	Intro	:60
1:00	SPOT BREAK #1	2:00
3:00	Segment #1- Success/Motivation	16:00

Summary: Our guest discusses his book of profiles of 32 people from around the world who share how they overcame insurmountable obstacles to achieve success.

Guest: Peter Jennings is a best selling author, singer, public speaker and master storyteller. His latest book is "Pushing Boundaries: How To Get More Out of Life".

Issues Covered: passion, purpose, life choices, goals

19:00	SPOT BREAK #2	3:00
22:00	Segment #2- Same as Segment #1	

Summary: Same as Segment #1

Guest: Same as Segment #1

Issues Covered: determination, courage, risk taking

29:00	Conclusion of Program	:30
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Program # 2023-2

Airdate: ___1-8-23_____ Time of Broadcast ___6 AM_____

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

Time	Segment	Segment Length
:00	Intro	:60
1:00	SPOT BREAK #1	2:00
3:00	Segment #1- Leadership-Business	16:00
	Summary: Our guest discusses his book on what war can teach us about business and leadership.	
	Guest: Christopher Kolenda is a graduate of West Point, former West Point instructor and retired Army officer. He's the author of "Leadership: The Warrior's Art."	
	Issues Covered: discipline, trust, common good, clarity	
19:00	SPOT BREAK #2	3:00
22:00	Segment #2- Same as Segment #1	
	Summary: Same as Segment #1	
	Guest: Same as Segment #1	
	Issues Covered: accountability, history, buy-in	
29:00	Conclusion of Program	:30

Program # 2023-3

Airdate: ___ 1-15-23 _____ Time of Broadcast ___ 6 AM _____

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

Time	Segment	Segment Length
:00	Intro	:60
1:00	SPOT BREAK #1	2:00
3:00	Segment #1- Personal Growth/Wellness	16:00
	Summary: Our guest discusses her book which is designed to help readers identify areas of their lives that need changing and how thinking patterns can lead to a more fulfilling life.	
	Guest: J.M. Jones is an award-winning educator and best-selling author. Her latest book is "Embracing The Law Of Attraction: Out Of The Box Into The Light".	
	Issues Covered: nature, life changes, thoughts, happiness	
19:00	SPOT BREAK #2	3:00

22:00 Segment #2- Same as Segment #1

Summary: Same as Segment #1

Guest: Same as Segment #1

Issues Covered: identity, affirmations, self-actualization

29:00 Conclusion of Program :30

Program # 2023-4

Airdate: ___1-22-23_____ Time of Broadcast ___6 AM_____

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

Time	Segment	Segment Length
:00	Intro	:60
1:00	SPOT BREAK #1	2:00
3:00	Segment #1- Science/Self Help	16:00

Summary: Our guest discusses his new book "The Rickety Rocket", an inventive tale of three children who learn to be resourceful, make their own fun and learn from mistakes.

Guest: James Titmas is an engineering consultant who has authored many patents. He's also an award-winning author. His latest book is the highly praised children's book "The Rickety Rocket".

Issues Covered: creativity, goals, budgets, failure

19:00 SPOT BREAK #2 3:00

22:00 Segment #2- Same as Segment #1

Summary: Same as Segment #1

Guest: Same as Segment #1

Issues Covered: humility, discipline, forgiveness, teamwork

29:00 Conclusion of Program :30

Program # 2023-5

Airdate: ___1-29-23_____ Time of Broadcast ___6 AM_____

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

Time	Segment	Segment Length
:00	Intro	:60
1:00	SPOT BREAK #1	2:00
3:00	Segment #1- Addiction/ Self-Help	16:00
	Summary: Our guest discusses her story of rebuilding a life destroyed by drugs and alcohol.	
	Guest: Leilani Faber is a recovering addict who has been serving those with mental health issues including substance abuse disorders since 2011. A licensed professional counselor, speaker, recovery coach and trainer. Author of "Vision of Hope: Rebuilding a Life Destroyed by Drugs and Alcohol".	
	Issues Covered: warning signs, positivity, struggles, goals	
19:00	SPOT BREAK #2	3:00
22:00	Segment #2- Same as Segment #1	
	Summary: Same as Segment #1	
	Guest: Same as Segment #1	
	Issues Covered: pandemic, recovery, challenges, redemption	
29:00	Conclusion of Program	:30

Program # 2023-6

Airdate: 2-5-23 Time of Broadcast 6 AM

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

Time	Segment	Segment Length
:00	Intro	:60
1:00	SPOT BREAK #1	2:00
3:00	Segment #1- Emotional Support/Reading	16:00
	Summary: Our guest discusses her new book a cheerful and educational story about her therapy dog who holds a very important purpose especially in the lives of children.	
	Guest: Alison Keenan is a registered nurse and author of "Piper Finds Her Special". The true story of teaming with her therapy dog to help children with reading and emotional challenges.	
	Issues Covered: anxiety disorders, reading skills, fears	

19:00 SPOT BREAK #2 3:00

22:00 Segment #2- Same as Segment #1

Summary: Same as Segment #1

Guest: Same as Segment #1

Issues Covered: therapy animals, companionship, adversities

29:00 Conclusion of Program :30

Program # 2023-7

Airdate: ____2-12-23____ Time of Broadcast ____6 AM____

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

<u>Time</u>	<u>Segment</u>	<u>Segment Length</u>
:00	Intro	:60

1:00 SPOT BREAK #1 2:00

3:00 Segment #1- Caregivers/Hospice 16:00

Summary: Our guest discusses his new book about his 30 year career caring for the dying and supporting the people around them.

Guest: Peter Rolita has worked in healthcare for over 30 years. His book "I'm Here For The Bath" looks into the support of hospice patients and their families from the perspective of a hospice aide.

Issues Covered: hospice, support, coping, needs

19:00 SPOT BREAK #2 3:00

22:00 Segment #2- Same as Segment #1

Summary: Same as Segment #1

Guest: Same as Segment #1

Issues Covered: end of life issues, compassion, options

29:00 Conclusion of Program :30

Program # 2023-8

Airdate: 2-19-23 Time of Broadcast 6 AM

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

<u>Time</u>	<u>Segment</u>	<u>Segment Length</u>
:00	Intro	:60
1:00	SPOT BREAK #1	2:00
3:00	Segment #1 – Wellness/Self-Help	16:00
	Summary: Our guest discusses the healing power of gratitude.	
	Guest: Dr Susan Smith Jones is a leader in the fields of holistic health, anti-aging, optimum nutrition and balanced living. She's the author of 30 wellness related books. www.SusanSmithJones.com	
	Issues Covered: positive emotion, mood, appreciation	
19:00	SPOT BREAK #2	3:00
22:00	Segment #2- Same as Segment #1	7:00
	Summary: Same as Segment #1	
	Guest: Same as Segment #1	
	Issues Covered: health benefits, journal, pay forward	
29:00	Conclusion of Program	:30

Program # 2023-9

Airdate: 2-26-23 Time of Broadcast 6 AM

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

<u>Time</u>	<u>Segment</u>	<u>Segment Length</u>
:00	Intro	:60
1:00	SPOT BREAK #1	2:00
3:00	Segment #1 – Human Trafficking	16:00
	Summary: Our guest discusses her book which offers a behind-the-scenes account of the lives of trafficked girls.	
	Guest: Pamela Rigdon is a writer who focuses on women's	

issues and human trafficking. She worked in Romania with a humanitarian organization serving abandoned children. She's the author of "I Kidnap Girls: Stealing From Traffickers, Restoring Their Victims".

Issues Covered: at risk, coercion, recruiters, types

19:00 SPOT BREAK #2 - 3:00
 22:00 Segment #2- Same as Segment #1 7:00

Summary: Same as Segment #1

Guest: Same as Segment #1

Issues Covered: restoration, transporting, report, vulnerability

29:00 Conclusion of Program :30

Program # 2023-10

Airdate: ___3-5-23___ Time of Broadcast ___6 AM___

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

Time	Segment	Segment Length
:00	Intro	:60
1:00	SPOT BREAK #1	2:00
3:00	Segment #1 – Addiction	16:00

Summary: Our guest discusses the true story of his dependency on Oxycontin and his determination to free himself from it.

Guest: Adam Martinez is owner of A & E Printing and author of "Through The Rainy Season: Out of the Floods of Addiction", the true story of his obstacles to rid himself of addiction.

Issues Covered: dependency, withdrawal, detox/cleanse

19:00 SPOT BREAK #2 - 3:00
 22:00 Segment #2- Same as Segment #1 7:00

Summary: Same as Segment #1

Guest: Same as Segment #1

Issues Covered: obstacles, treatment, relapse, friendship

29:00 Conclusion of Program :30

Program # 2023-11

Airdate: ____3-12-23____ Time of Broadcast ____6 AM____

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

<u>Time</u>	<u>Segment</u>	<u>Segment Length</u>
:00	Intro	:60
1:00	SPOT BREAK #1	2:00
3:00	Segment #1 – Grief	16:00

Summary: Our guest discusses her book written to help people suffering from all manner of loss and sorrow and their path to healing.

Guest: After attaining a Master's of Divinity degree, Linda George served in civilian and military chaplaincy positions for over 30 years reaching the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in the U.S. Army. She's the author of "Healing: A Memoir".

Issues Covered: healing, suffering, types of loss

19:00	SPOT BREAK #2	3:00
22:00	Segment #2- Same as Segment #1	7:00

Summary: Same as Segment #1

Guest: Same as Segment #1

Issues Covered: grieving, support, prayer, coping

29:00	Conclusion of Program	:30
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Program # 2023-12

Airdate: ____3-19-23____ Time of Broadcast ____6 AM____

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

<u>Time</u>	<u>Segment</u>	<u>Segment Length</u>
:00	Intro	:60
1:00	SPOT BREAK #1	2:00
3:00	Segment #1 – Healthcare/Racism	16:00

Summary: Our guest discusses his experiences with racism within the healthcare industry and how it motivated him to keep a promise to his mother to become a doctor.

Guest: Jasper Fullard Jr, MD was able to obtain a bachelor of science, master of science, two years on a PhD program, before completing his medical degree. He is co-founder of the Black Healthcare Coalition and author of "The Impossible Dream".

Issues Covered: poverty, racial disparities, education

19:00 SPOT BREAK #2 - 3:00

22:00 Segment #2- Same as Segment #1 7:00

Summary: Same as Segment #1

Guest: Same as Segment #1

Issues Covered: role models, self-esteem, screening,

29:00 Conclusion of Program :30

Program # 2023-13

Airdate: ___3-26-23___ Time of Broadcast ___6 AM___

Producer: Sean Bratton Host: Ric Bratton (www.thisweekinamerica.us)

<u>Time</u>	<u>Segment</u>	<u>Segment Length</u>
:00	Intro	:60
1:00	SPOT BREAK #1	2:00
3:00	Segment #1 – Science/Careers	16:00

Summary: Our guest discusses his memoir of a young mans dream of space flight and what happens when you allow special people into your life who help you follow your dreams.

Guest: Glenn Butler has over 50 years of experience in military, scientific, commercial diving and hyper-hypobaric engineering, research and clinical operations. He's the author of "Bending Atmospheres: A Journey from Inner to Outer Space."

Issues Covered: mentorship, explorations, technologies

19:00 SPOT BREAK #2 - 3:00

22:00 Segment #2- Same as Segment #1 7:00

Summary: Same as Segment #1

Guest: Same as Segment #1

Issues Covered: hyperbaric therapies, research, patents

29:00

Conclusion of Program

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