## Zoe Communications 4th QUARTERLY ISSUES REPORT October 1, 2023 – December 31, 2023

## 51%

DATE	TIME	SHOW #	TOPICS
10/7/2023	5:30 am	1785	On this week's 51%, we sit down with playwright Juliany Taveras for a preview of the new Children's Theatre Company production "Morris Micklewhite and the Tangerine Dress." WAMC's Samantha Simmons also speaks with Olympic runner Alexi Pappas about how she went about adapting her book, "Bravey," for a younger audience.
10/14/2023	5:30 am	1786	On this week's 51%, we sit down with "defensive living" experts Joy Farrow and Laura Frombach to discuss modern ways women are protecting themselves in the face of gender-based violence.
10/21/2023	5:30 am	1787	On this week's 51%, we speak with Dr. Elizabeth Lucal about how women can reduce their risk of cervical cancer, and why we still know so little about ovarian cancer.
10/28/2023	5:30 am	1788	On this week's 51%, we speak with artists who have found healing through creativity. Author Brittany Means comes to terms with her childhood growing up on the road in her new memoir Hell if We Don't Change Our Ways, and pianist and composer Robin Spielberg meditates on resilience for her new symphonic record, By Way of the Wind.
11/4/2023	5:30 am	1789	On this week's 51%, we speak with award-winning international reporter Amanda Sperber to learn how news outlets and foreign correspondents can better serve the communities they cover.
11/11/2023	5:30 am	1790	On this week's 51%, we speak with estate attorney Megan Harris-Pero about why having an estate plan is particularly important for womsen, and what they should keep in mind when putting a plan together.
11/18/2023	5:30 am	1791	On this week's 51%, we speak with Dr. Sophia Choukas-Bradley about the impacts of social media on teens and young adults.
11/25/2023	5:30 am	1792	On this week's 51%, we speak with psychiatrist and human rights advocate Dr. Robert Okin about the state of homelessness in the U.S., and the many obstacles faced by unhoused women and families. Dr. Okin spent two years interviewing and photographing unhoused individuals struggling with mental illness in San Francisco.
12/2/2023	5:30 am	1793	On this week's 51%, we speak with Amy Brittain of The Washington Post about the paper's recent analysis of infant mortality in home births across the U.S.
12/9/2023	5:30 am	1794	On the latest 51%, we speak with biologist and wildlife photographer Kirsten Hines about her new book Wild Florida, documenting the state's diverse population of birds, mammals, reptiles, and insects.
12/16/2023	5:30 am	1795	On this week's 51%, we hear from comedian, writer, and TV host Samantha Bee about her latest standup tour "Your Favorite Woman: The Joy of Sex Education."
12/23/2023	5:30 am	1796	On this week's 51%, we speak with Claudia Coenen, a certified grief counselor and thanatologist, about how to cope with grief during the holiday season. We also hear from the executive director of No Kid Hungry New York about the state of food insecurity in the U.S.
12/30/2023	5:30 am	1797	On this week's 51%, we continue our discussion on grief with therapist and author Gina Moffa. In her new book, Moving On Doesn't Mean Letting Go, Moffa helps readers navigate losses of all kinds.

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## The Best of Our Knowledge

DATE	TIME	SHOW #	ТОРІС
10/14/2023	5:00 am	1724	With a massive, multi-year expansion project finally completed, staff and educators at the Strong Museum of Play are eager to welcome new and returning crowds. And after two college-in-prison programs in New York hosted by private universities collapsed earlier this year, Bard College will pick up the slack.
10/21/2023	5:00 am	1725	On this episode of The Bet of Our Knowledge: College campuses are reimagining student housing.
10/28/2023	5:00 am	1726	National Geographic scientist-photographer Anand Varma captures images of beautiful secrets hiding in plain sight. We'll speak with Varma about his book "Invisible Wonders: Photographs of the Hidden World." And we'll learn about a federally funded initiative that is researching urban forests.
11/4/2023	5:00 am	1727	The home of Gilded Age writer Edith Wharton celebrates the supernatural. The largest donation ever made to one public university will support its efforts to improve literacy. And we'll learn more about the New York Air National Guard's mission to support research in Antarctica.
11/11/2023	5:00 am	1728	This week, we'll attend a demonstration of an experimental instrument – one that when installed can take up an entire concert stage. And a new music school gives more than just guitar and piano lessons.
11/18/2023	5:00 am	1729	We'll join researchers collecting ticks during the fall peak of arachnid activity. And after a smoky summer, wildfire smoke detectors have been installed across New York state.
11/25/2023	5:00 am	1730	An invasive insect, the Emerald Ash Borer poses threats to America's forests. A federally-supported study is using parasitoid wasps to control the arboreal pasts. And we'll visit an environmental science professor in the field, as students collect trail cameras as part of a national study on mammal populations.
12/2/2023	5:00 am	1731	President Biden in October issued an executive order on artificial intelligence. We'll unpack the order meant to mitigate the risks of the technology. And more!
12/9/2023	5:00 am	1732	As American students are facing more than \$1.7 trillion dollars in student loan debt, some private sector companies are now exploring their own student loan repayment programs.
12/16/2023	5:00 am	1733	The College of Saint Rose, a private liberal arts college in New York, recently announced it would close at the end of the academic year.
12/23/2023	5:00 am	1734	Many educators will say teaching can be a thankless job. A new app aims to help the entire school community share praise. We'll speak with the CEO of company HiLight.
12/30/2023	5:00 am	1735	The Vermont State Colleges system, which is transforming into the Vermont State University, has selected a new chancellor. We'll learn about an ancient Iranian tradition celebrated during the winter solstice. And the race is on to establish a national semiconductor technology center.