

# WQED/WQEJ-FM QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT

(For the period of April thru June, 2017)

## GENERAL NOTES:

WQED/WQEJ-FM broadcasts 24 hours a day. WQED/WQEJ-FM news broadcasts occur from one minute to six minutes after the top of the hour during these hours (Eastern Time):

Monday through Friday: 6am, 7am, 8am, 9am, 12pm, 4pm, 5pm, and 6pm.

Saturday: 12pm.

All newscasts include three minutes of BBC News from London, England, followed by one to two minutes of local and regional cultural related news coverage between 6am and 9am.

All items in this report have been summarized from the news and business reports read by WQED/WQEJ-FM Announcers, and WQED/WQEJ-FM music and arts programming.

## Live Remote Broadcasts from January thru March:

On Friday April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017, WQED-FM broadcast a live concert by the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra from Heinz Hall.

On Friday April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017, WQED-FM broadcast a live concert by the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra from Heinz Hall.

***Performance in Pittsburgh:*** A weekly 2-hour program featuring highlights from area concerts produced by WQED-FM, airing Friday nights from 7-9pm.

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### 1. Pittsburgh Culture & Image:

Quantum Theater presents "Collaborators" by John Hodge directed by CMU's Jed Alan Harris through the end of the month on Hamilton Avenue just behind Bakery Square. Interview; 4/4/17; 7am; 1 minute

Chatham Baroque presents "Awake Sweet Love: Song and Sonatas of Olde England" Friday April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at Westminster Presbyterian Church, Saturday April 8<sup>th</sup> at St Andrews Episcopal in Highland Park and Sunday afternoon at Chatham University. Interview; 4/5/17; 8am; 1 minute

Venezuelan superstar conductor Gustavo Dudamel will make his PSO debut this weekend. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 4/6/17; 8am; 1 minute

Pittsburgh Ballet Theater presents "Romeo and Juliet" at the Benedum Center April 21-23. WQED-FM's Jim Cunningham chatted with the PBT Orchestra's Music Director Charles Barker about the production. 4/19/17; 7am; 1 minute

Resonance Works' second annual benefit event, ELEMENTS is an exploration of the elements of earth, fire, air, and water through music, visual art, food and drink. 4/19/17; 8am; 1 minute

The Mavericks, one of the most festive rock bands on the circuit, will play a free show at Hartwood Acres in Hampton as part of the Allegheny County Concert Series. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 4/21/17; 7am; 1 minute

Bach Choir Music Director Thomas Douglas and baritone Keith Dean who sings Elijah with the choir this Saturday at 8pm and Sunday at 4pm April 22 and 23 at the St Agnes Center Carlow University talk over Mendelssohn's masterpiece oratorio. 4/21/17; 8am; 1 minute

WQED-FM's Jim Cunningham chats with the Three Rivers Community Band Festival founder Roger Schneider and East Winds Symphonic Band conductor Susan Sands about this year's Festival taking place at Upper St. Clair Theater on Saturday April 29th at 2:30pm. 4/27/17; 7am; 1 minute

Oboe and founding member of the Kamraton Ensemble Kaylyn Shearer fills us in on the Spring concert premiering music by Pittsburgh composers Mark Fromm, Jean-Patrick Besigrand, and Curtis Rumrill. 4/27/17; 8am; 1 minute

WQED-FM's Anna Singer chats with Alia Musica Artistic Director Federico Garcia-De Castro about their upcoming concert on May 5th, 7:30pm at the Heinz History Center. 4/27/17; 2pm; 1 minute

Composer Daniel Sonenberg and Stage Director Sam Helfrich talk about putting on the world premiere of "The Summer King" by Pittsburgh Opera. 4/28/17; 6am; 1 minute

The Seraphic Singers will perform a concert of music composed for women's voices at 4pm Sunday at Mt. Lebanon United Methodist Church. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 4/28/17; 8am; 1 minute

Three Rivers Young Peoples Orchestra Music Director John Wilcox and Executive Director Lindsey Nova join Lincoln Park Performing Arts High school clarinet Sydney Ellison and french horn Maya Waller from North Allegheny High School to discuss their upcoming concert with renowned local artist Baron Batch who will participate in the final concert of the season. 5/2/17; 7am; 1 minute

The “Death of a Salesman” now at the Pittsburgh Public Theater keeps the audiences’ attention, even with an overall length of nearly 3 hours. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/3/17; 7am; 1 minute

This Friday (May 12th) at 8pm and Sunday (May 14th) at 3pm, Resonance Works presents Verdi's "Falstaff" at the Charity Randall Theater in Oakland. WQED-FM's Anna Singer chats with Maria Sensi Sellner, Stephanie Havey and Joseph Gaines about the production. 5/5/17; 2pm; 1 minute

Artist Jason Gamrath has spent 2 years creating oversized sculptures of orchids, water lilies, pitcher plants and more for the new exhibit opening this weekend at Phipps Conservatory and Botanical Gardens in Oakland. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/7/17; 8am; 1 minute

The top 10 movies based on ticket sales from this past weekend. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/8/17; 6am; 1 minute

Harpist Claire Jones returns to Pittsburgh for Mother’s Day shows. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/10/17; 9am; 1 minute

Having suffered a shoulder injury, Neil Sedaka has postponed his three performances as part of the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra’s PNC Pops series this weekend. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/12/17; 6am; 1 minute

“Sive” sparkles as PICT returns to John Keane’s Irish rogues. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/15/17; 8am; 1 minute

Robert Boudreau founded the American Wind Symphony Orchestra in 1957. In this wide-ranging interview with WQED-FM's Jim Cunningham, Boudreau talks about his career in music and with the American Wind Symphony Orchestra. 5/17/17; 7am; 1 minute

May 25th through 28th, Undercroft Opera present's Puccini's "La Rondine" at the Antonian Theater on the campus of Carlow University. WQED-FM's Anna Singer chats with the stage director, Undercroft Opera's founding Director and cast members about the production. 5/25/17; 2pm; 1 minute

East Liberty Presbyterian Church, the Brass Roots, organist Dr. Edward Allan Moore and Pittsburgh Symphony trombone and arranger/conductor James Nova present "A Space Odyssey" at the church 116 S. Highland Avenue in a free concert Friday May 26 7pm. 5/25/17; 7am; 1 minute

Fifty years ago today, one of popular music’s most celebrated record albums was released in Great Britain — the Beatles’ Sergeant Pepper’s Lonely Hearts Club Band. Profile America; 6/1/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Chamber Music Pittsburgh begins the Just Summer series at the Kelly Strayhorn theater in East Liberty with Anton Miller and Rita Porfiris violin and viola duo accompanying silent films including Charlie Chaplin. 6/16/17; 7am; 1 minute

This month 51 years ago, the Beatles' song "Paperback Writer" topped the pop music charts in America. Profile America; 6/20/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Geri Allen, a world class jazz pianist who had been serving as the University of Pittsburgh's director of jazz studies, died Tuesday. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 6/28/17; 7am; 1 minute

The Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra will play 2 free concerts for its annual summer county parks concerts. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 6/29/17; 7am; 1 minute

The Johnstown Symphony Orchestra will play a concert at Point Stadium on July 4<sup>th</sup> – the performance will be followed by fireworks. JohnstownSymphony.org 6/29/17; 8am; 1 minute

This interview discussed The Edgewood Symphony Orchestra's performance this upcoming Sunday, July 2nd for Bach, Beethoven, and Brunch. Walter also spoke of the program and what will be played along with his background in music while growing up in Costa Rica. 6/29/17; 9am; 1 minute

WQED's Jim Cunningham and Pittsburgh New Music Ensemble director Kevin Noe talk in-studio about what's on tap for PNME's 42nd season. 6/30/17; 7am; 1 minute

The Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra plays at Hartwood Acres on July 2<sup>nd</sup>. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 6/30/17; 8am; 1 minute

## **2. Education:**

For the 4<sup>th</sup> time in 6 years, Washington DC has been found to be the most literate city in the country, according to a study conducted by Central Connecticut State University. Pittsburgh was 6<sup>th</sup> in the study. CBS Pittsburgh.com; 4/5/17; 7am; 1 minute

On this date one century ago, the United States declared war on Imperial Germany, thus joining the world war that began in August 1914. Profile America; 4/6/17; 6pm; 1 minute

STEM proponents acknowledge that the arts are important too. The Buffalo News; 4/13/17; 7am; 1 minute

Penguins paraded around the hallways of the National Aviary on the North Side as part of celebrating World Penguin Day. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 4/26/17; 8am; 1 minute

Today is Teacher Appreciation Day, falling on the second day of Teacher Appreciation Week. The goal of both is to honor the dedication and valuable contributions teachers make to their students' lives. Profile America; 5/2/17; 6pm; 1 minute

America's first medical college was established on this date in 1765. Students at the College of Philadelphia — now the University of Pennsylvania — were able to enroll in “anatomical lectures” and a class about “the theory and practice of physik.” Profile America; 5/3/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Dorie Taylor and Yu-Ling Cheng Behr stopped by WQED-FM to talk about Remake Learning Days. Running May 15th through 26th, Remake Learning Days is a 12-day celebration of activities and events showcasing everything that makes the Pittsburgh region a recognized national leader in innovative teaching and learning. 5/17/17; 8am; 1 minute

The first public high school in the U.S. was organized this month in 1820. The English Classical School opened in 1821 with 101 male students in Boston, which also was the seat for America's first high school of any kind, the Boston Latin Grammar School. Profile America; 5/25/17; 6pm; 1 minute

With enrollment down 40 percent this past decade, the University of Pittsburgh is weighing options for its struggling Titusville campus ranging from major program changes and eliminating residence halls to closing the campus. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 6/6/17; 8am; 1 minute

The International Cather Seminar is scheduled for June 11-17, 2017, at Pittsburgh's Duquesne University. During Cather's ten years in Pittsburgh, she worked as an editor, teacher, reviewer, and freelance writer. As importantly, she collected friends and mixed with all sorts of Pittsburghers. 6/8/17; 7am; 1 minute

Scholars of Willa Cather will gather in Pittsburgh for a symposium on the author. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 6/11/17; 9am; 1 minute

Deborah Sunya Moore, Vice President and Director of Programming at Chautauqua Institution, reveals her personal picks from the 2000 events scheduled for July and August in the 2017 season. Interview topics include: What's the latest on the acoustics in the new Amphitheater; new directions for Sunday afternoons; Chautauqua Opera and Dance; and much more. 6/16/17; 7am; 1 minute

Nationwide, there are more than 77 million students at all levels of schooling — some 41.4 million from nursery through elementary school, almost 17 million in high school, and more than 19 million in college. High school graduation rates have grown steadily through the years, so that now, around 8 out of 10 young adults have a diploma. Profile America; 6/16/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The first Chinese student to graduate from an American college was Yung Wing, a naturalized American who received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Yale University in New Haven, Connecticut, this month in 1854. Profile America; 6/19/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Mark Rylance and Friends perform at The Carnegie Library Music Hall of Homestead to acknowledge the 125th Anniversary of the 1892 Battle of Homestead, when thousands of locked-out steel workers and townspeople clashed with Pinkerton guards hired by Henry Clay Frick and Andrew Carnegie. 6/21/17; 2pm; 1 minute

### **3. Other:**

Four people, including a 4 day old child were injured in a three-vehicle crash on the Liberty Bridge that closed the span and tied up traffic for hours throughout the Downtown area. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 4/5/17; 7am; 1 minute

New York was the first state to require license plates on motor vehicles this month in 1901. Profile America; 4/5/16; 6pm; 1 minute

Tomorrow is International Be Kind to Lawyers Day. Suggestions for observing the day range from giving the jokes a rest, to phoning your attorney to express appreciation. Profile America; 4/10/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The distribution of political representation under the Constitution was authorized on this date in 1792. Profile America; 4/14/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The first baby of European parentage born on the shores of the future United States came into this then-New World in 1566. Profile America; 4/26/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The first time a paying American audience assembled to watch a motion picture was this month in 1896, at the Koster and Bial's Music Hall on West 34th Street in New York City. Profile America; 4/28/17; 6pm; 1 minute

On this date in 1884, construction began in Chicago for a radical new building design — destined to be America's first skyscraper. Profile America; 5/1/17; 6pm; 1 minute

In Spanish, today's date is Cinco de Mayo, and celebrations will be held in many cities across the U.S., as well as Mexico. These events mark the anniversary of the Battle of Puebla in 1862, when outnumbered Mexican troops defeated the invading French forces of Napoleon III. Profile America; 5/5/17; 6pm; 1 minute

To help ice her nerves, Pittsburgh Penguins super fan Michelle Miller follows the pucks while making socks. Wall Street Journal; 5/10/17; 8am; 1 minute

May this year marks the decennial anniversaries of two important aviation events. Ninety years ago, Charles Lindbergh flew his single-engine monoplane the *Spirit of St. Louis* nonstop from Long Island to Paris. For being the first aviator to cross the Atlantic solo, he became an international hero. But this month marks 80 years since the German zeppelin *Hindenburg* came to a fiery end while mooring in Lakehurst, New Jersey. Profile America; 5/10/17; 6pm; 1 minute

May is National Moving Month, beginning the busiest moving season of the year. Profile America; 5/12/17; 6pm; 1 minute

It's National Police Week, signed into law in 1962 by President John Kennedy to acknowledge the service and its associated dangers. Profile America; 5/15/17; 6pm; 1 minute

It was just 24 years ago on this date that a movie was digitized and loaded onto the internet. Profile America; 5/22/17; 6pm; 1 minute

On this date in 1844, Samuel F.B. Morse activated the first telegraph line, sending a dots-and-dashes code message from the U.S. Capitol building to a receiver in Baltimore. Profile America; 5/24/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Spam, the pork product in a can, debuted in 1937, and World War II spread its fame, such as it is, around the globe. Spam, the unsolicited email message, debuted this month in 1978, and the World Wide Web has spread its infamy everywhere. Profile America; 5/26/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The first official observance of Memorial Day was on May 30 in 1868. Ordered by Gen. John Logan, flowers were placed on the graves of both Union and Confederate soldiers at Arlington National Cemetery. Profile America; 5/29/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The Pittsburgh Pirates Education Day, along with a Pittsburgh Penguin rally at Market Square promises to produce frustrated drivers stuck in Downtown intersections and the familiar sound of horns honking. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/31/17; 8am; 1 minute

One of the worst floods in U.S. history happened on this date in 1889 at Johnstown, Pennsylvania. Profile America; 5/31/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Bellevue Borough will celebrate its 150<sup>th</sup> birthday this weekend with a block party, carnival and more. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 6/9/17; 7am; 1 minute

On this date in 1951, the U.S. Census Bureau was the first civilian institution to enter the computer age. After a dedication ceremony, the 13-ton UNIVAC I began its 12-year — or 73,000-hour — career of number crunching for the Census Bureau.

Profile America; 6/14/17; 6pm; 1 minute

In the past, hot summer days meant that some enterprising youngsters in the neighborhood would set up a lemonade stand or the family would share a pitcher of iced tea on the front porch to cool off. In recent times, we've pretty much retreated indoors to slake our thirst year-round. The drink of choice is often a soft drink, usually carbonated. Profile America; 6/30/17; 6pm; 1 minute

#### **4. Business/Industry:**

After serving as the only grocery market on Pitt's campus for the past 9 years, The Market on Forbes IGA will soon close its doors forever. The Pitt News; 4/3/17; 8am; 1 minute

On this date in 1792, President George Washington and Congress established the National Mint in the then capital city of Philadelphia. Profile America; 4/3/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Ralph Lauren plans to close its largest retail shop, a Polo store on Fifth Avenue in Manhattan, the latest sign of the pressure on brick-and-mortar stores in the US as consumers turn to online shopping. The Wall Street Journal; 4/5/17; 6am; 1 minute

The crumbling of the unpopular Volstead Act accelerated on this date in 1933 when Congress amended the act to permit beer of 3.2 percent alcohol to be brewed and sold. Profile America; 4/7/17; 6pm; 1 minute

This month in 1952, the Franklin National Bank in New York launched a credit card for use by the customers of varied merchants. Profile America; 4/10/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The American automobile industry began to take off this month in 1913 — as Henry Ford set up the first moving assembly line in Highland Park, Michigan. Profile America; 4/13/17; 6pm; 1 minute

For urban dwellers, the difficulty — or at least the expense — of doing their laundry began to ease this month in 1934. That's when the first public, self-operated laundry in the U.S. opened its doors in Fort Worth, Texas. The first name was "Washateria," eventually replaced with the now familiar "Laundromat." Profile America; 4/17/17; 6pm; 1 minute



The first all-news radio format in the U.S. debuted on this date in 1965, as WINS-AM in New York City switched from rock and roll to rip and read. Profile America; 4/19/17; 6pm; 1 minute

On this date in 1954, Bell Laboratories in New York announced the prototype manufacture of a new solar battery, or what we now call a solar cell. Profile America; 4/25/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The struggling Pittsburgh Athletic Association in Oakland fended off a sheriff's sale that had been set for Tuesday morning by paying \$55,000 toward taxes it owes for the county's 7 percent drink tax. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 4/26/17; 7am; 1 minute

On this date in 1981, the Xerox Corporation, then a major developer, introduced the mouse to the commercial computing world. Profile America; 4/27/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Henry Hillman's fortune of \$800 million to largely benefit initiatives in southwestern Pennsylvania. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/11/17; 8am; 1 minute

A Los Angeles estate once owned by the late comedian Richard Pryor has sold for \$2.5 million after more than a year on the market. The Wall Street Journal; 5/12/17; 9am; 1 minute

This weekend's Wings over Pittsburgh air show, the first in six years after budget concerns had grounded the spring event, was a welcome return for air show enthusiasts, but also heralds coming change for the 911<sup>th</sup> Airlift Wing. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/15/17; 8am; 1 minute

The first disc-type phonograph record was demonstrated publicly on this date in 1888. The invention of Emile Berliner of Washington, DC, was called a gramophone, and used a flat disc of grooves to reproduce sound, rather than the cylinders of the day. Profile America; 5/16/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The New York Stock Exchange, by signaling business prospects through share prices, has long been a bellwether of the nation's economic health. The exchange started this month in 1792, as some two dozen merchants and brokers established an organized approach to their buying and selling. Profile America; 5/18/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Gas prices are a frequent cause for consumer complaint — but at least purchases aren't restricted, as they were beginning this month in 1942. That's when 17 states began rationing gasoline to help the fight World War II. Profile America; 5/19/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The nation's first daily newspaper, the short-lived Pennsylvania Evening Post, began publication on this date in 1783, printed by Benjamin Towne in Philadelphia. Profile America; 5/30/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The iconic Pittsburgh Athletic Association in Oakland filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection Tuesday, 109 years after it was formed as a gathering spot for Pittsburgh's business and cultural elite. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/31/17; 6am; 1 minute

Businesses and restaurants are cashing in on the Penguins quest for the Stanley Cup. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/31/17; 7am; 1 minute

Exelon Corporation announced plans to close its Three Mile Island nuclear power plant 15 years before its operating license expires unless Pennsylvania enacts subsidies to keep it afloat. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/31/17; 8am; 1 minute

This date is notable in the realm of economics, for it marks three significant anniversaries in that science. Political economist Adam Smith was born on this date in 1723 in Scotland. In 1883, the prominent 20th century economist John Maynard Keynes was born in England. And on this date in 1933, the United States went off the gold standard, making the dollar a floating currency on the world market. Profile America; 6/5/17; 6pm; 1 minute

A major pop culture phenomenon, lasting several decades, began on this date in 1933. With the automobile increasingly reshaping Americans' habits, Richard Hollingshead opened the nation's first drive-in movie theater in Camden, New Jersey. Profile America; 6/6/17; 6pm; 1 minute

One of the joys of summer and sins of consumption goes back to this date in 1786 when commercially made ice cream was first advertised in New York City. Profile America; 6/8/17; 6pm; 1 minute

A home entertainment revolution began on this date in 1975 when the videocassette recorder was introduced. Profile America; 6/9/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The American dream of owning — and keeping — a home got a lifeline on this date in 1933 with passage of the Homeowners Loan Act. The act provided emergency relief in the depths of the Great Depression, helping homeowners ward off foreclosure. Profile America; 6/13/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Dealing with one of the oldest challenges to house cleaning — dust — motivated Ives McGaffey of Chicago to patent the first vacuum cleaner in the United States this week in 1869. Profile America; 6/15/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Dr. Peter Goldmark of CBS Labs was fed up with the frequent record disc flips and swaps required to play a symphony in the then-current 78-rpm format, which held only three to five minutes per side. So he developed the 33 1/3 rpm long-playing record — first shown to the public on this date in 1948, and the standard for decades to follow. Profile America; 6/21/17; 6pm; 1 minute

America's first public phone booth was installed this month in 1880 in New Haven, Connecticut, just four years after the telephone was invented. Profile America; 6/22/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Today, many Americans prefer their coffee decaffeinated. That option dates to early in the last century, thanks to Ludwig Roselius, born this month in 1874. Profile America; 6/23/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Pennsylvania Libations, officially opened Monday, describing itself as Pennsylvania's first spirit's boutique. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 6/23/17; 8am; 1 minute

Whoever bought a pack of chewing gum at the Marsh Supermarket in Troy, Ohio, on this date 43 years ago was making history. It was the first purchase of an item to be scanned into a cash register by using the Universal Product Code — much better known as the bar code. Profile America; 6/26/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Consumers' options for managing their finances were greatly broadened this week in 1934, after President Roosevelt signed the Federal Credit Union Act the day before, promoting the nationwide formation of credit unions. Profile America; 6/27/17; 6pm; 1 minute

America's first commercial oil refinery was put in operation this month in 1860. It was built in Titusville, Pennsylvania, on the banks of Oil Creek. Profile America; 6/28/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The first electric power company in America, and perhaps the world, was formed this week in 1879 in San Francisco. Profile America; 6/29/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Recipients of medical marijuana dispensary permits are named. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 6/30/17; 7am; 1 minute

## **5. Sports:**

Daily score reports on the Penguins and Pirates.

Bryan Rust helps the Penguins deliver knockout blow to advance to the 2<sup>nd</sup> round. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 4/21/17; 7am; 1 minute

Starling Marte's absence creates a big hole for the Pirates, and a solution is unclear. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 4/21/17; 6am; 1 minute

Canada's top tennis star, Eugenie Bouchard, is not happy about Maria Sharapova's return after failing a drug test. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 4/28/17; 7am; 1 minute

Kenya's Jacob Chemtal won the men's division of the Pittsburgh Marathon, while Ethiopia's Ayantu Dakebo Hallemariam won the women's division. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/8/17; 6am; 1 minute

Marc-Andre Fleury steals the show and the series versus the Washington Capitals. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/12/17; 7am; 1 minute

## **6. Health/Health Care:**

Today is Vitamin C Day, celebrated — if that's the word — every April 4 on the anniversary of the isolation of this vitamin. The breakthrough was made in 1932 by two doctors at the University of Pittsburgh. Profile America; 4/4/17; 6pm; 1 minute

One of world's foremost lifesaving medicines — insulin — became available this month in 1923 for treating diabetes. Profile America; 4/12/17; 6pm; 1 minute

This month in 1921, Iowa became the first state to enact a tax on cigarettes, rolling paper and associated paraphernalia. Profile America; 4/18/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Health insurance coverage has been a major topic of media and political interest for the past decade or so, but the concept goes back 170 years. The Massachusetts Health Insurance Company of Boston was organized on this date in 1847 to offer group policies with benefits in the form of income replacement. Profile America; 4/21/17; 6pm; 1 minute

On this date in 1795, the city of Baltimore set up a permanent, elected board of health, successor to the nation's first such appointed agency. Profile America; 4/24/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The Hello Bistro restaurant is asking its customers to “Romaine Calm” as it and other Pittsburgh food providers deal with the fallout of a national lettuce shortage. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/2/17; 7am; 1 minute

Vegan and Vegetarians don't need to be confined to their homes for dinner as plenty of vegan friendly restaurants of popped up in the city. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/3/17; 7am; 1 minute

A cello quartet of the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra played at the “Derby Garden Party” at Children's Hospital, which included games and crafts. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 5/3/17; 7am; 1 minute

As Americans live longer, the problems of financing their retirement and paying their medical bills continue to influence public policies. But the growing number of healthy seniors also means greater availability of experience. Both the problems and opportunities are in the spotlight in May — it's Older Americans Month. Profile America; 5/4/17; 6pm; 1 minute

What is perhaps the nation's foremost professional organization, the American Medical Association, was founded this month in 1847 in Philadelphia. Profile America; 5/8/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Most grocery stores now carry a wide variety of greens, where some years ago the standard all across America was simply iceberg lettuce. This variety is noted in May, as its National Salad Month. Profile America; 5/11/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The first state sponsored veterinary school in the U.S. opened on this date in 1879 at Iowa State College — now university — in Ames, Iowa. Profile America; 5/23/17; 6pm; 1 minute

This is National Dairy Month, observed since 1937 when it was called National Milk Month. Profile America; 6/7/17; 6pm; 1 minute

US Rep. Tim Murphy leads a US House discussion on opioid epidemic. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 6/28/17; 8am; 1 minute

#### **7. Minorities/Civil Rights:**

On this date 49 years ago, the Civil Rights Act of 1968 became law. Profile America; 4/11/17; 6pm; 1 minute

Cantor Moshe Taube of Squirrel Hill was part of the annual Holocaust Remembrance Day commemoration on Sunday at the Jewish Community Center in Squirrel Hill. Pittsburgh Post-Gazette; 4/24/17; 6am; 1 minute

Alfred Walker sings the role of "Josh Gibson" in Pittsburgh Opera's World Premiere production of "The Summer King." Walker talks about his role as well as the difficulty of the music in the opera. 4/28/17; 7am; 1 minute

Denyce Graves talks about her role of "Grace" in Pittsburgh Opera's production of "The Summer King." 4/28/17; 8am; 1 minute

On May 9th, 1pm at Rodef Shalom's Levy Hall the Tuesday Music Club present a 150th Birthday Tribute concert for woman composer Amy Beach. 5/2/17; 7am; 1 minute

By presidential proclamation, this month recognizes one of the nation's fastest-growing population groups — those of Asian and Pacific American heritage. Profile America; 5/9/17; 6pm; 1 minute

On this date in 1954, the U.S. Supreme Court issued one of its most historic decisions, changing the social landscape of the nation. The justices ruled unanimously in *Brown v. Board of Education* that segregation of public schools based solely on race was unconstitutional. Profile America; 5/17/17; 6pm; 1 minute

On this date 93 years ago, Congress passed — and President Coolidge signed — the Indian Citizenship Act, which stated “all noncitizen Indians born within the territorial limits of the United States be, and they are hereby declared to be, citizens of the United States: Provided that the granting of such citizenship shall not in any manner impair or otherwise affect the right of any Indian to tribal or other property.” Profile America; 6/2/17; 6pm; 1 minute

The 1960s was a time of great social change, and one of the landmark advances in freedom afforded all Americans by civil rights was made on this date 50 years ago. The U.S. Supreme Court issued a ruling in the case of *Loving versus Virginia*, which determined that a state law prohibiting interracial marriage was unconstitutional. Profile America; 6/12/17; 6pm; 1 minute

8. Other PSAs and Events Read on Air:

PNC Broadway Across America  
Carnegie Mellon University School of Music  
River City Brass  
Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra  
Point Park University  
Shadyside Academy  
Butler County Symphony Orchestra  
Chatham Baroque  
Attack Theater  
Steinway Society of Western Pennsylvania  
Chatham University  
Pittsburgh Ballet Theater  
Pittsburgh Public Theater  
The REP – Pittsburgh Playhouse  
City Theatre  
CLO Cabaret  
Prime Stage Theater  
Frick Art & Historical Center  
Pittsburgh Playwrights Theater  
Tuesday Musical Club  
Renaissance City Winds  
PICT Classic Theater  
Pittsburgh Musical Theater  
Pittsburgh Cultural Trust  
Pittsburgh Song Collaborative

Pittsburgh Opera  
Chatham University  
Duquesne University School of Music  
Undercroft Opera  
Renaissance & Baroque Society  
Pittsburgh Youth Symphony Orchestra  
Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh  
Mendelssohn Choir of Pittsburgh  
Organ Artists Series  
Pittsburgh Youth Philharmonic Orchestra  
Westminster Music & Arts Series  
Tiffany Concert Series  
Thiel College  
Resonance Works | Pittsburgh  
Pittsburgh Dance Council  
University of Pittsburgh Department of Music  
East Liberty Presbyterian Church  
Carnegie Museum of Art  
OvreArts