

## PROGRAMS & ISSUES QUARTERLY REPORT –4TH QUARTER 2023

DATE	SEGMENT	Guest(s)	TIME(S)	LENGTH	SUMMARY
10/02/23	Community Ties	Womens Warriors Ministry	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Two representatives from their suicide support group were live in studio. They talked about their first meeting that evening, and shared information about their brief history of the ministry and who they hope to help with the suicide support group and ministry overall.
10/03/23	Community Ties	Everheart Hospice	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	A representative from their hospice department reminded our listeners about the services they offer hospice patients in Western Ohio. She also addressed some myths about Hospice care, and how it has changed over the years.
10/04/23	Community Ties	NO SHOW	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Jared Coppess from Darke Soil and Water Conservation District was scheduled to be our guest. However, he had to cancel at the last minute due to a family emergency.
10/5/23	Community Ties	Darke County Agricultural Society Board of Directors	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Fair Board Member Craig Bowman was live in studio. He recapped the board meeting the evening before and shared some details about what is happening right now at the Darke County Fairgrounds and talked about the newest Fair Board members who will be seated at the next regular meeting in early November.

10/06/23	Community Ties	Darke County Board of Elections		20 Min	Deputy Director Julie Kennett was live in studio. She reminded listeners about the upcoming voter registration deadline, when early voting starts, and the options that registered voters have ahead of the November General Election. She expects turnout to be strong both for early voting and on Election Day itself, because of the many issues on the ballot, including one about abortion in Ohio and another one about marijuana legalization.
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10/9/23	Community Ties	Darke County Chamber of Commerce		20 Min	President Rachel Neal was live in studio. She recapped summer events and fundraisers such as their annual golf outing. She also previewed events coming up and mentioned the name of some new members.
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10/10/23	Community Ties	Darke County Parks		20 Min	Director Roger Van Frank was live in studio. He shared thoughts about the recent statue dedication for Jim Buchy. He also previewed upcoming events in October and November with Darke County Parks, and shared some thoughts about his tenure as Director, as he prepares to retire at the end of 2023.
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10/11/23	Community Ties	Wayne HealthCare		20 Min	Terri Flood was live in studio. She talked about Breast Cancer awareness month and how Wayne Health Care offers mammograms and other screenings to help keep area residents healthy. She also reminded listeners that they have ways to help people pay for screenings and treatments, if needed.
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10/12/23	Community Ties	Franklin Monroe Schools	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Superintendent Jeremy Piquot was live in studio to bring listeners up to date on the first quarter of the school year as well as a preview of the rest of the semester.
10/13/23	Community Ties	Darke County Republican Party	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Darke County GOP Chair Katie DeLand shared details about their annual Hog Roast at the Darke County Fairgrounds this Sunday. Guests for the event will include: Governor Mike De Wine, Senate Candidate J.D. Vance, Ohio Supreme Court Judges and other state executive office holders
10/16/23	Community Ties	Tri County Board of Recovery and Mental Health Services	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Brad Reed Shared an Update on Mental Health Month and reminded listeners of the many services they offer.
10/17/23	Community Ties	Arcanum Butler Local Schools	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Supt John Stephens was live in studio. He shared student and athletic accomplishments by students and other highlights of the school year so far. He also talked about what's coming up in the school district in the next 2-3 months
10/18/23	Community Ties	Ansonia Schools	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Supt PJ Burgett was live in studio. He had several students to recognize for outstanding achievements in academics and athletics so far this school year. He feels the school year is off to a great start overall and is excited about their football team making a state championship run this fall, and other events coming up in the school district the rest of this fall and winter.

10/19/23	Community Ties	Darke County Commissioners	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	All three Commissioners were live in studio to share an update on agenda items they have been considering over the past month and a preview of items they will be dealing with in the final quarter of this year.
10/20/23	Community Ties	Mississinawa Valley Schools	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Supt Jeff Winchester was live in studio. He also recognized a handful of students for doing outstanding things in athletics along with academics. He continues to be excited about the rest of the school year and the future of his school district.
10/23/23	Community Ties	Versailles Schools	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	New Supt David Harmon was live in studio with Scott Ward filling in for regular host Joel Brantingham. Supt Harmon shared several updates with our listeners about what's been going on and what is coming in Versailles Exempted Schools. He feels like he is settling in more to this new position.
10/24/23	Community Ties	Darke County Commissioners	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Chairman Matt Aultman was joined by a couple representatives from Palmer Energy in Toledo to explain to our listeners what the issue deals with on the ballot this November - as far as electric aggregation is concerned. They explained how listeners can reduce their electric bill by taking advantage of this opportunity - if the issue is approved on the November ballot.

10/25/23	Community Ties	Tri Village Local Schools	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Supt Josh Sagester was live in studio. He talked about what students in his district have been involved with, including FFA, sports, and other extra curricular activities, and academics. He reminded our listeners about their upcoming Veterans Breakfast and Program, along with a Dinner Theater event in their renovated auditorium.
10/26/23	Community Ties	Darke County Board of Developmental Disabilities	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Sue Huston and a couple special guests were live in studio. They talked about the importance of October being recognized as National Disability Employment Month and how Darke DD encourages local businesses to consider hiring people with disabilities ..
10/27/23	Community Ties	Main Street Greenville	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Executive Director April Brubaker was live in studio along with Greg Billing - Executive Director of the Darke County Visitors Bureau. Both recapped events in October, including Beggars Night, that was very successful Thursday evening. Both also previewed some big events ahead in the next couple months - including the Hometown Holiday Horse Parade in mid November as well as the new Santa House coming to Downtown Greenville after Thanksgiving. They are also looking for more volunteers and sponsors for events in November and December.

10/30/23	Community Ties	Greenville Art Guild	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Roseanne Scammahorn was our guest. We aired a previously recorded interview with her. She updated our listeners on classes coming up in the month of November - including "Cooking with Cast Iron" coming up the second week of Nov.
10/31/23	Community Ties	Greenville City Schools	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Superintendent Doug Fries was live in studio. He shared an update on the school year so far and a preview of the rest of the fall semester.
11/01/23	Community Ties	Union City Community Center	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Director Teresa Hampshire appeared via pre recording from the UC Community Center. She reminded listeners about when the registration process starts for this year's Christmas Baskets, and who is eligible to receive them. She also talked about other assistance the center gives to residents both in Union City Indiana and Ohio, as well as who is allowed to shop there, and details about upcoming fundraising opportunities.
11/02/23	Community Ties	The Promoter	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Jason Blackburn was live in studio. He reminded listeners about the Fall Into Christmas Food Truck Rally Event featuring local merchants, food trucks, live music and entertainment for the entire family - coming up this Saturday and the Great Darke County Fairgrounds in Greenville

11/03/23	Community Ties	Citizens for Darke County Parks	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	President John Burkett was among the representatives for the organization in our studio to share with our listeners the purpose of the organization and why they are encouraging Darke County voters to check Yes for the issue that will continue a levy from 20 years ago that will continue funding Darke County Parks - without a tax increase.
11/06/23	Community Ties	Darke County General Health District	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Spokesperson Abby Griesdorn and Registered Environmental Health Specialist Zachary Parry were live in studio. Zachary talked about what he and the Darke County Health Department do to help make sure that residential septic systems run properly and help county residents with issues. Abby reminded our listeners about when they can stop by the Darke County General Health District for flu shots, and other immunizations.
11/07/23	Community Ties	Everheart Hospice	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Business Development Specialist Erica Wood was live in studio. She talked about upcoming events in November and December with Everheart Hospice and reminded our listeners about the services they offer year round.

11/08/23	Community Ties	Wayne HealthCare	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Diabetic Coordinator Karen Droesch talked about some upcoming classes and events in November, connected with National Diabetes Awareness Month, including a cooking demonstration and taste testing. She also talked about certain screenings and services that are available.
11/09/23	Community Ties	Solvita Blood Center	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Representatives from Solvita - formerly the Community Blood Center - Mark and Donna were live in studio. They shared updates on the current blood supply down at the Dayton Blood Center and the blood drive calendar for the next month - both for Western Ohio and Eastern Indiana.
11/10/23	Community Ties	Ohio Department of Natural Wildlife	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	State Wildlife Office with Darke County - Jeff Wenning - was live in studio to talk about hunting season, remind everybody about why deer are especially active this time of year, as well as details about upcoming events with ODNR.
11/13/23	Community Ties	Miami Valley Chapter American Red Cross	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Executive Director Lynne Gump was interviewed live on the phone. She shared some important information and reminders about being safe around the holidays. She also reminded our listeners about how they can volunteer and donate - so the Red Cross can help people in need locally and across the country.



11/14/23	Community Ties	Darke County Engineer	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Long time Darke County Engineer Jim Surber was live in studio. He recapped road and bridge projects from 2023. and previewed some major paving and other road as well as bridge projects drivers and residents will need to know about in 2024.
11/15/23	Community Ties	City of Union City	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Mayor Chad Spence appeared on the program via recorded interview at Harter Park in Union City. He talked about preparations going on at the park ahead of the Community Christmas celebration this Friday evening in Union City. He also had reminders about the Community Thanksgiving Dinner coming up the Tuesday before Thanksgiving, on November 21. Mayor Spence invites everybody to drive through Harter Park to see the lights and displays beginning the evening of Nov. 24 through New Year's Eve.
11/16/23	Community Ties	Darke County Commissioners	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Chairman Matt Aultman and Commissioner Marshall Combs were both in studio. They summarized the past month as far as the agenda items they've had to consider, are concerned, and previewed what is coming up for them to consider, including the 2024 budget for Darke County. They also reminded listeners that they would like to hear input from members of the public, whether they stop by the office during normal hours, or by giving them a call.

11/17/23	Community Ties	Darke County/OSU Extension Educators	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Caleb Buschur and Mercedes Mc Farland were both in studio to bring listeners up to day on events coming up, how the harvest season is going for farmers, and shared reminders about how kids can sign up and get involved with 4H in 2024.
11/20/23	Community Ties	Darke County Chamber of Commerce	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	President and CEO Rachel Neal was live in studio. She recapped the last couple months with the Chamber as well as sharing details about Business After Hours, Safety Council, and other events coming up with the Darke County Chamber. Since Christmas is a little over a month away, she reminded our listeners about gift certificates available from a long list of area businesses that people can give friends and family to spend and keep dollars local. She also talked about a Chamber lunch event coming up in December.
11/21/23	Community Ties	Village of Covington	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Village Administrator Kyle Hinkelman recapped the year for Covington live in studio as well as sharing a preview of their annual Hometown Christmas event this Friday, which includes food trucks and a parade.
11/22/23	Community Ties	Tri County Board of Recovery and Mental Health Services	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Brad Reed Shared an Update on Mental Health Month and reminded listeners of the many services they offer.
11/23/23	Community Ties	NO PROGRAM	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	No Community Ties - Thanksgiving
11/23/23	Community Ties	No Show	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Thanksgiving Holiday

11/27/23	Community Ties	Main Street Greenville	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Executive Director April Brubaker was live in studio. She recapped the Hometown Holiday Horse Parade and other events in November. She also previewed the December First Friday events and other Christmas shopping related events coming up in the next month.
11/28/23	Community Ties	Ansonia Christmas Parade	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Members of the Committee were live in studio to share details about this year's event, including how to enter the parade, and a schedule of events coming up on Saturday.
11/29/23	Community Ties	Mitten Tree/Fish	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Kristy Cuttarelli and guest we live in studio. She reminded listeners about how to donate food and how to contact FISH if your family is in need of food this December. She also said there is an urgent need to drivers to deliver meals to shut ins. The Fish Food Choice Pantry has received generous donations again this year during their food drive that started during Illumination. The Mitten Tree is back this year, in cooperation with Darke County Head Start.
11/30/23	Community Ties	Light Foundation	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Brandon and Brandi were live in studio to talk about the upcoming Winter Wonderland this weekend at Chenoweth Trails. They are still looking for sponsors and volunteers for this and other upcoming events with the Light Foundation.
12/01/23	Community Ties	NO PROGRAM	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Community Ties was cancelled due to the broadcast of the Versailles Tigers Football Team in the OHSAA Football State Championships

12/04/23	Community Ties	Womens Warriors Ministry	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Shannon Denniston - Founder and CEO - along with Business Manager Jamie LeVeck were in studio to talk about the ministry, which started earlier this fall, as well as when and where their Suicide Support Group meets in Greenville.
12/05/23	Community Ties	Everheart Hospice	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	HR Coordinator Amy Le Van was in studio and shared with our listeners volunteer and career opportunities they currently have available, as well as reminders about the hospice services offered by Everheart Hospice in western Ohio.
12/06/23	Community Ties	Darke County Center for the Arts	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	New Employee Jennifer Overholser was in studio. She shared details about some upcoming events with DCCA in Greenville and talked about her new position and responsibilities with the Darke County Center for the Arts.
12/07/23	Community Ties	Darke County Fair Board	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Board Member Craig Bowman and Fair Manager Laura Ahrens were in studio to talk about the 2024 Great Darke County Fair preparations, including harness racing dates that were approved by the Fair Board Wednesday night. They also reminded listeners that BTO tickets are still on sale and that there are a few VIP tickets left. They also highlighted other events coming in the weeks and months ahead to the Darke County Fairgrounds.

12/08/23	Community Ties	Solvita Blood Center	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Mark and Donna were live in studio to talk about the urgent need for blood donors, especially certain blood types, around the holiday season. They highlighted upcoming blood drives in western Ohio and eastern Indiana the rest of December and previewed some events in January. They encourage our listeners to use the website to make an appointment and get more information, as well as the app.
12/11/23	Community Ties	NO PROGRAM	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	The scheduled guests from BBBS were sick and could not appear on Community Ties. They will be rescheduled for January
12/12/23	Community Ties	City of Greenville	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Safety/Service Director Ryan Delk and Mayor Steve Willman were live in the studio. Mayor Willman talked about his upcoming retirement and how grateful he is for his time on the council and in the Mayor's Office. Ryan shared an update on the sidewalk and SR 502 project in Greenville, and previewed some projects the city is preparing for in the next five years...
12/13/23	Community Ties	Wayne HealthCare	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Terri Flood and Jeff Subler representing the administration of Wayne Health Care were live in studio. Both shared highlights of 2023 as the organization started its second century in Greenville and Darke County - as well as looking ahead to more free classes and events in 2024. They also reminded our listeners about the services WHC offers.

12/14/23	Community Ties	Darke Soil and Water Conservation District	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	District Administrator Jared Coppess was in studio. He reminded our listeners about their board elections - including who is eligible to vote, and the deadline to cast a ballot. He also talked about the annual scholarship they will award again this spring, the Tree Seedling Sale coming up, as well and had a preview of other events in 2024.
12/15/23	Community Ties	Darke County Solid Waste District	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	District Director Krist Fourman was live on the phone. She shared recaps of all the successful recycling events they hosted and participated in during 2023. She also previewed recycling events for 2024 and reminded listeners where and how they can recycle Christmas trees, batteries, and other things from the holiday season.
12/18/23	Community Ties	Darke County Chamber of Commerce	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Executive Director and CEO Rachel Neal was live on the phone. She brought our listeners up to date on events the chamber has been involved with the past couple months and what is ahead in 2024, especially in January and February. She also shared reminders about the Chamber Gift Certificates they offer and how business can get involved in the chamber.

12/19/23	Community Ties	Tri County Board of Recovery and Mental Health Services	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Associate Director and Chief of Community Engagement Brad Reed was live in studio. He shared with our listeners some ways to be a responsible host during the Christmas and New Year's Holiday. He also reminded everybody to not put pressure on themselves with New Year's Resolutions but make realistic goals for the new year. He also talked about dealing with lack of daylight, as we have the least amount of sunlight this time of year.
12/20/23	Community Ties	OHSAA	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	OHSAA Media Relations Director Tim Stried was live on the phone and shared a recap of the fall sports season, including thoughts on changes in how fans can purchase tickets, as well as how/why there is instant replay during the football state championship games, with there are not reviews at any other point during the regular and post season. He also talked about the rule changes in basketball, and how fans are reacting so far.
12/21/23	Community Ties	Darke County Board of Commissioners	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	All three Commissioners were live in studio to recap county business and agenda items during the past month and in 2023 overall. They also talked about the budget process going on and what is ahead for Darke County as 2024 gets underway.

12/22/23/	Community Ties	Darke County Special Olympics	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Cindy Rose was live in studio. She recapped events and fundraisers her organization held in 2023 and previewed their basketball season and other events coming up. She also shared with our listeners her need to have more adult volunteers to keep the organization moving forward, including somebody who she hopes can take over for her someday.
12/25/23	Community Ties	NO PROGRAM	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	NO PROGRAM - CHRISTMAS DAY
12/26/23	Community Ties	NO PROGRAM	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY FOR STATION - NO PROGRAM
12/27/23	Community Ties	PROGRAM CANCELLED	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Guest Elise Hays - Community Coordinator for the Greenville Healthy Kids Running Series - ;along with her head volunteer were dealing with illness and could not appear on the program. They will be rescheduled in January of 2024
12/28/23	Community Ties	Darke County Ge	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	Public Information Officer Abby Griesdorn and Darke County Health Commissioner Jordan Francis were live in studio. Abby talked about "Cribs for Kids" the health department offers as well as reminders about flu shot, COVID vaccines, and when they're available. Jordan shared a recap of his first year as Darke County Health Commissioner and reminded our listeners about hand washing, along with other ways to stay health during the holiday season.



					<p>Manager Scott Naas appeared by way of a recorded phone interview. He shared with our listeners details about the terminal project that recently finished. He says an Open House is planned for the public to see that building and other improvements to the airport, but reminded our listeners they are welcome to come out to the airport anytime it's open to get a tour and answers to their questions.</p>
12/29/23	Community Ties	Darke County Air	11:10:00 AM	20 Min	