

QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAM LISTS

There follows a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by Station WOOF FM, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period April 1, 2023 to June 30, 2023. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

Description of Issue	Program/Segment	Date	Time	Duration	Narration of Type and Description of Program/Segment
Physical or Sexual abuse in children	News Program	04/03/23	7:31p	3:00 mins	<p>April 3, 2023 SANE Program at Child Advocacy Center</p> <p>The Child Advocacy Center is looking to hire what's called a SANE Nurse who conducts forensic examinations of patients and gathers evidence of physical or sexual abuse that maybe used in court proceedings. Madison Hobbs is a Children's Advocate at the CAC and has additional information.</p> <p>Hobbs SFX: we are looking for a nurse to get trained in St. P which is pediatrics because that is the age group that we serve that child advocacy center. So anytime the children that we may see or even in the surrounding counties that we serve who need a st exam, most of them are going to be children. In the pediatric age, at least for now.</p> <p>Deborah SFX: So what are the qualifications for a SANE nurse what you're looking for.</p> <p>Hobbs SFX: So for us, they would need to be an RN with two years of experience, and then they just need to be willing to go through the training that is required to be certified, so same pediatrics certified and that is basically a 43 hour online self paced course and then they will be required to go to a two day skills lab in mobile and then observe x amount of exams before they actually start conducting the exams. They must be willing to be on an on call rotational basis with us and depending on how many nurses we have depends on how what that looks like and then just to sign a one year contract with our center.</p>

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Domestic Violence Awareness.	News Program	04/10/23	7:31p	3:00 mins	<p>Walk A Mile In Her Shoes House of Ruth April 10, 2023</p> <p>Deborah SFX: The House of Ruth is gearing up for the eighth annual Walk a Mile in Her Shoes. Angela Underwood, Executive Director of the House of Ruth</p> <p>Saturday, April 22, downtown Dothan under the clock tower registration will start at 8:30am and the walk starts at nine. And we should just give kudos to the gentleman who started this back in 2001 by the name of Frank Baird. He started the International Men's Walk from California basically to bring awareness to victims of rape, sexual assault, gender violence, and we just adopted that same model eight years ago.</p> <p>Deborah SFX: You have a great group of men who are dedicated each year to come out and participate. What do you say about the men who come out and do this?</p> <p>Angela Underwood SFX: We appreciate them because for men to strap on a pair of red stilettos and walk a mile down the street that's saying a lot. And there's an old saying, until you walk in someone's shoes, you don't know what they've experienced, and for them just to have a few minutes to experience that we don't know what it's like to walk in the shoes of a victim of sexual assault or domestic violence. So we applaud those men</p>

					<p>and all those individuals who come out and support this event.</p> <p>You know, although it's comical, it's comical for cause and it made a cause this awareness. The House of Ruth was this a nonprofit organization and we provide a safe shelter or a six surrounding counties for sexual assault victims and nine for domestic violence. We also have out of shelter services and we're most grateful this past year we were awarded a grant for a full time sexual assault advocates and it's Leslie Bratton she's on call 24 hours she receives calls from emergency rooms, hospitals, law enforcement DHR or wherever there's a need in those six counties.</p> <p>She's available to go out and advocate for those victims are in the need of shelter. She will transport to shelter we also have out of shelter services. We assist those who may have some form pain come in conjunction with the DHR we have a crisis specialist. We have a prevention educator, we have a court advocate. We have two advocates that assist him through the court process</p> <p>Deborah SFX: tell us som statistics what people may not even be aware of when it comes to domestic violence.</p> <p>Angela Underwood SFX:What numbers we have received just with having our sexual assault advocate on board from May of last year when she came on board until today. We helped serve 35 rape victims through our six surrounding counties. But the numbers were just as it was one in six women who have been affected by sexual assault contact or rate and then there's one in 126 men who've been affected by sexual assault or rape. There's a big number when it comes to overall how many have been affected by this horrendous crime. So this walk brings awareness to victims. We need them to know that they have a safe shelter that's available for them. We have a 24 hour crisis line and they can dial 334-793-2233.</p>
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Law Enforcement Training.	News Program	05/01/23	7:31p	3:00 mins	<p>Wiregrass Law Enforcement Academy May 1, 2023</p> <p>Deborah SFX The Wiregrass Law Enforcement Academy will start with its Inaugural class later this month at the Dothan Houston County Safety Center. Captain Rachel David says a post which stands for Alabama Police Officer Standards and Training is already accepting applications for the May 22 Start date.</p> <p>Capt David SFX This is big news for law enforcement in the Wiregrass area. Currently, we send students anywhere from Montgomery to northeast Alabama to Selma, Alabama for the 14 week certification class and the ability to be able to train here in the Wiregrass area is going to be helpful not only for the department so that we have our training in house and then can extend that to other agencies but also for the student.</p> <p>The ability to be at home at night versus being away for 14 weeks certainly is a benefit. We understand a lot of our new officers have new families starting new careers and that is very difficult to be gone. So it's going to help not only our department but area departments and the cadet themselves.</p> <p>The academy training will take place at the Wiregrass Public Safety Center on 100 Public</p>

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Nurses Appreciation	News Program	05/08/23	7:31p	3:00 mins	<p>National Nurses Week May 8, 2023</p> <p>Deborah SFX: Every year made six through 12. Nurses are recognized for their service and dedication to caring for others and improving the health of patients nationwide through National Nurses Week. This year. WOOF NEWS will feature Harley McDaniel who's been on the nursing staff for about a year in the emergency room at SE Health.</p> <p>Harley McDaniel SFX: I graduated from Chipola college I went through school right through COVID Straight through so I got to start before COVID even began definitely ongoing now. So I was able to kind of see firsthand how the pandemic had affected the nurses that had never seen anything like it</p>

				<p>before. So I was able to learn from the nurses just the same as they were they were learning everyday as well. And it was terrifying and it's exciting, and we're still learning every day and that's just something that I loved about the field.</p> <p>Deborah SFX So what did you love most about being a nurse?</p> <p>Harley McDaniel SFX: My favorite thing about being a nurse has got the the range of emotions associated with every health care visit no disease, illness, accidents, they do not pick and choose who they get through effect. So all kinds of people, every walk of life, come through our doors in the emergency department, and you get to see the good with that and obviously, you know, you see some, you know, very, very heart wrenching things as well. But whenever we do have those moments where a patient you know, shows that appreciation through all of that, even while they're being poked and prodded and they're uncomfortable and they're in pain, it reminds you kind of why you chose this job.</p> <p>Every single day is different. You can walk in with a completely full lobby that no beds on beds, fall in the emergency department and you just have to do your best to help everyone as fast as you can and as efficiently as you can. And it no day is the same. It's hard. It definitely is. You see some very terrible things. It's also very rewarding to be able to help people and just help him feel better.</p>
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Racial Equality	News Program	05/29/23	7:31p	3:00 mins	<p>Juneteenth Kick off Celebrations in Dothan May 29, 2023</p> <p>Deborah SFX:The Tri-State Expo Juneteenth Affairs is kicking off Juneteenth festivities this weekend in Downtown Dothan... Evangeline Reynolds Gunn is President of the organization and has details about upcoming events.</p> <p>Reynolds Gunn SFX: This year we will have the Friday concert at the Dothan Operat House</p>

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Children's Education	News Program	06/19/23	7:31p	3:00 mins	<p>Wright Star Foundation June 19, 2023</p> <p>Deborah SFX: A summer reading program is looking for volunteers to help local students get aligned with the Alabama Literacy Act. The Wright Star Foundation has initiated what's called the Summer Reading Bridge program to help students in grades kindergarten through sixth to help improve reading soft skills, life skills and conflict resolution. Marcus Wright and his wife Sidra started the program</p> <p>Marcus Wright SFX to inspire kids to do better be better. My wife is actually a counselor and several of my friends are in education. And so we talk about the problem kids not been able to read not being able to test well. So this is basically to help</p>

					<p>them get to that next level.</p> <p>Deborah SFX: Wright says volunteers are needed now through July 20.</p> <p>Marcus Wright SFX The volunteer hours this summer are from eight to 12 Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Last year, we had the debutante girls come. I think this year we have Northside Christian some of the football players come in a couple of the organizations.</p> <p>Deborah SFX: The program is limited to 25 students and seeks to bridge the gap from a loss of at least two years of education due to COVID promote respect and boundaries and adult and child relationships teach appropriate behaviors for all settings provide mentors. A variety of parenting classes are also available to volunteer you can call 334-718-2204.</p> <p>Deborah SFX: I'm Deborah Pearson reporting for WOOF News</p>
Providing 4th of July fun for families in our communities.	News Program	06/26/23	7:31p	3:00 mins	<p>Independence Day Celebration 06/26/23</p> <p>The largest Independence Day Celebrations will be held in Dothan on July 1st at the National Peanut Festival Fairgrounds. The National Peanut Festival Association has announced the continuation of the National</p>

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