

This report covers WDXQ-AM, Cochran, Georgia issues/programs for the quarter, beginning January, 1, 2021, for Shanks Broadcasting.


This quarter's report includes issues of interest to the local community. We use a variety of avenues to determine the issues. That includes, but are not limited to:

Newspapers

Press releases

E-mails from listeners

Contact with local community, religious and government leaders.



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Bill Boys, Operations Manager, Shanks Broadcasting

Date 4/10/21

## 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2021 "Georgia Focus" Public Affairs Issues/Clearance

Station: WDXQ-AM Market: MACON

### **The Music of The Statler Brothers – Don Reid**

*The Music of The Statler Brothers* is an in-depth look at the musical career of The Statler Brothers' forty-year reign as country music's premier group. Lead singer, Don Reid, writes about each song ever recorded by the Grammy Award-winning foursome and gives backstage insight to the writings and the selections of each composition. Available January 2-3.

This show aired on (Day) SUN from: (Start Time) 8A to: (End Time): 826A

**GA Focus Extra:** Dr. Joshua Murphy from Children's Healthcare of Atlanta discusses Spinal Tethering for patients with scoliosis.

### **Georgia Partnership for Excellence in Education**

The Top Ten Issues to Watch is an annual publication of the Georgia Partnership for Excellence in Education. The list of issues for 2021 has been released and Dr. Dana Rickman and Dr. Robert Gaines from the Partnership discuss the issues. Available January 9-10.

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### **Division of Family and Children Services**

Tom Rawlings, Director of the Georgia Division of Family and Children Services, discusses adoption and proposed changes being put before the 2021 Legislative session. Available January 16-17.

**GA Focus Extra:** Erin Egobrecht from Children's Healthcare of Atlanta discusses their program Robotic Exoskeleton to help kids in physical therapy.

### **Paradise Gardens**

Reverend Howard Finster, a self proclaimed "Man of Visions", was one of America's most widely known and prolific self-taught artists. Today, his home and outdoor art exhibit known as Paradise Gardens, in Summerville, has been preserved and is open to visitors. The Paradise Garden Foundation works to preserve, maintain and showcase Paradise Garden and Tina Cox, Executive Director and Howard Pousner, board member, discuss the garden. Available January 23-24.

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tation: WDXG-RM Market: MACON

**2021 Places in Peril**

The Georgia Trust for Historic Preservation works for the preservation and revitalization of Georgia's historic resources and advocates for their appreciation, protection and use. Each year they release a list called Places in Peril of 10 historic locations in Georgia that are in need of revitalization. Mark McDonald, President and CEO of the GA Trust for Historic Preservation, discusses the 2021 list and T Gamble, Chairman of the Terrell County Commissioners talks about the efforts to renovate the county's courthouse which is on the 2021 list. Available January 30-31.

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**GA Focus Extra:** Scott Higley from GA DOT talks about their new education initiative for the state's middle schools.

**Georgia DOT**

Scott Higley from the Georgia Department of Transportation discusses important safety programs such as their safe driving push to decrease roadway crashes resulting in fatalities and Keep it Clean GA, a state wide campaign focused on preventing and eliminating litter on the state's roadways. Available February 6-7.

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**Dr. Joey Faucette**

Dr. Joey Faucette is Author of two #1 Best-Sellers, Work Positive in a Negative World and Faith Positive in a Negative World and well as many other books. He has appeared on hundreds of radio and TV shows across North America and has written over 1,000 articles for publications and websites all of that with the goal of helping people Work and Live Positive in this negative world. Available February 13-14.

This show aired on (Day) SUN from: (Start Time) 8A to: (End Time): 826A

**GA Focus Extra:** The legal pitfalls of Valentines gifts.

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**111 Place in Atlanta You Must Not Miss**

*111 Places in Atlanta That You Must Not Miss* is the ultimate insider's guide to Atlanta. The book by Travis Swann Taylor features interesting and unusual places not found in traditional travel guides. The book is part of the international 111 Places/111 Shops series with over 250 titles and 1.5 million copies in print worldwide. Available February 20-21.

This show aired on (Day) SUN from: (Start Time) 8A to: (End Time): 826A

**GA Focus Extra:** The work of Turning Point Breast Cancer Rehabilitation Center in Sandy Springs, GA..

**Enduring Hearts**

February is American Heart Month. Enduring Hearts is the only nonprofit solely dedicated to research that helps kids with heart transplants live longer, healthier lives by funding research that increases the longevity of pediatric heart transplants, improves the quality of life for children living with a new heart and eliminates pediatric heart diseases that may lead to a transplant. Carolyn Salvador, Executive Director, discusses their work. Available February 27-28.

This show aired on (Day) SUN from: (Start Time) 8A to: (End Time): 826A

**GA Focus Extra:** Dr. Dionne Mahaffey discusses Culture Greetings.

**Atlanta Motor Speedway**

Due to covid last year's FOLDS OF HONOR QUIKTRIP 500 race at Atlanta Motor Speedway had to be postponed with limited fans. This year the race is back on schedule and will be held Sunday, March 21 and General Manager at Atlanta Motor Speedway, Brandon Hutchison, discusses that and the work of Speedway Children's Charities. Available March 6-7.

**GA Focus Extra:** The Hammond House Museum in Atlanta.

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**Alzheimer's Association**

150,000 Georgians age 65 and older are living with Alzheimer's. That figure is expected to reach 190,000 by 2025 according to the Alzheimer's Association's *2021 Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures* report which provides an in-depth look at the latest national statistics on Alzheimer's prevalence, incidence, mortality, costs of care and impact on caregivers. Linda Davidson, Executive Director of the Georgia Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association, discusses these findings. Available March 13-14.

**GA Focus Extra:** Doug Hollandsworth with Georgia Golf Trail talks about the Georgia State Parks Golf Courses statewide tournament.

This show aired on (Day) SUN from: (Start Time) 8A to: (End Time): 826A

**The Georgia Ag Experience**

The Georgia Ag Experience is a Mobile Classroom Powered by the Georgia Foundation for Agriculture is a unique STEM-based educational program that invites students across Georgia to explore the vast opportunities in agriculture in a 36-foot trailer turned classroom that goes on the road to elementary schools and community organizations throughout the state. Lily Baucom, Executive Director of the Georgia Foundation for Agriculture, gives a tour of the classroom. Available March 13-14.

This show aired on (Day) SUN from: (Start Time) 8A to: (End Time): 826A

**GA Focus Extra:** Mike Shrub from Sterling Seacrest talks about cyber-security pitfalls of working from home.

**Mary's Meal**

Jerry Smith and Dennis Dorman, have biked thousands of miles together all over the world. For over a decade their travels have been to help charities fight hunger. In April they will begin a cycling trip up the Atlantic coast to raise funds for Mary's Meals, an organization that provides one hot meal a day to almost 2 million children worldwide. Available March 27-28.

This show aired on (Day) SUN from: (Start Time) 8A to: (End Time): 828A

**GA Focus Extra:** Georgia's State Librarian Julie Walker, discusses national Library Week.

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DURATION 60 SECONDS

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Aired 01/01/21 to 05/22/21

On Aug. 31, 2020, the U.S. Secretary of Agriculture, Sonny Perdue, announced the extension of several waivers that allows the Houston County School Nutrition Program to provide free meals for all children through the end of the 2020-2021 school year. The school district is offering free meals for all children ages 18 and under. Any child, whether enrolled in the district, homeschooled, or too young to be enrolled in school, is able to receive meals at no charge.

Free breakfasts and lunches will be provided for all students who attend school on campus, as well as all other children who live in the community. Parents/guardians may pick up meals at any of the district's middle schools or high schools on Wednesdays between 9:00 and 10:00 a.m.\*

For safety and convenience, parents may pick up meals for the entire week using the bus or car rider lane. No reservations are required. The 13 meal sites are: Bonaire Middle, Feagin Mill Middle, Houston County High, Huntington Middle, Mossy Creek Middle, Northside High, Northside Middle, Perry High, Perry Middle, Thomson Middle, Veterans High, Warner Robins High and Warner Robins Middle.

"It was an exciting week when Secretary Perdue announced last week that the USDA will offer free meals for all children through December 31st," said Meredith Potter, Director of School Nutrition. "It's our mission to feed children, and this ensures that all children will have access to nutritious food. We look forward to serving any child at one of our 13 pickup sites on Wednesdays between 9:00 and 10:00 a.m."

Superintendent of Schools Dr. Mark Scott said, "This USDA initiative supports a stronger, healthier learning environment and is a significant opportunity for families in our community. Our School Nutrition staff love ensuring that children have healthy food and we are very happy to participate and offer free meals to children."

During the weekly meal distribution, each child will receive 10 meals - five breakfasts and five lunches. Breakfast may consist of granola bars, yogurts, or breakfast pastries. Lunch may include items such as individual pizzas, deli sandwiches, chicken nuggets, or hamburgers. Each meal pack will contain several fruit and vegetable options, as well as juice and milk.

For the most up-to-date information about school nutrition, parents are encouraged to visit the School Nutrition webpage, <https://www.hcbe.net/schoolnutrition>, and social media platforms. For more information about school meals, parents may contact the School Nutrition Area Manager, April Bohannon, at [April.Bohannon@hcbe.net](mailto:April.Bohannon@hcbe.net).

\*The pickup time of 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. is a change in the time. Previously it was 10:00 to 11:00 a.m.

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Aired 02/01/21 to 02/28/21

Mrs. Crystal Tucker of Northside Elementary School is the 2020-2021 Houston County Teacher of the Year.

Mrs. Tucker teaches fourth grade math and science at Northside. She earned both a bachelor's degree and master's degree in education from Mercer University. A product of the district, she graduated from Perry High in 2005. Her background includes service in the U.S. Army and insurance field. She is married to her high school sweetheart, Chris Tucker, and they have two children. Her hobbies include playing the drums and fishing.

## 2020-2021 Top Four Finalists

Houston County High ~ Ms. Shayna Brown

Northside Middle ~ Ms. Christina Sanders

Quail Run Elementary ~ Ms. Ashley Gordon

Shirley Hills Elementary ~ Ms. Britney Fulghum



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AIRED 02/15/21 to 04/15/21

Bob Cutrell Memorial Golf Tournament

**Date:** April 16, 2021

**Time:** 11:30 AM - 6:00 PM EDT

with Rebuilding Together Warner Robins. Each golfer receives: Chickfila pre packaged lunch box Golf Package (gimme string, mulligans, red bombers) Free Range until 1:00 p.m. Tournament Round Great Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place teams Hole and Venue sponsorships available

International City Golf Club 72 Play Golf Drive Warner Robins

Lunch 11:30 1:00 Shotgun Start

Register by April 8th by contacting Rebuilding Together warner robins at 478-922-0228

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AIRED 02/01/21 TO 3/20/21

AIR **March 20 @ 7:30 pm - 10:00 pm**

|Recurring Event (See all)

Join us in Center Park for a family friendly movie night with free popcorn. You will want to bring blankets or bag chairs along with all your friends and family for this fun night. The movie will start when the sun goes down and Movies will be announced on our Facebook in the weeks leading up to Popcorn in the Park.

SATURDAY MARCH 20TH

730PM TO 10PM

CENTER PARK AT CENTERVILLE

103 EAST CHURCH STREET, CENTERVILLE

FOR MORE INFO CALL 478-953-4734

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Aired 02/15/21 to 04/15/21

COME TO THE MUSEUM OF AVIATION FOR SPACE WEEK, APRIL 24TH TO MAY FIRST.  
10AM UNTIL 2PM

SPACE WEEK IS A WEEK LONG CELEBRATION OF ALL THINGS SPACE. INCLUDING SATURDAY STEM LABS, LIVE VIRTUAL ASTRONOMY PRESENTATIONS, VIRTUAL PERSENTATIONS AND WORKSHOPS FOR TEACHERS, AND EDUCATORS, SOCIAL MEDIA TRIVIA AND MORE. GO TO MUSEUM OF [AVIATION.ORG](https://www.museumofaviation.org) FOR REGISTER AND TO FIND OUT MORE