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POLITICAL

PROGRAM INFORMATION REPORT
THIRD QUARTER 2007
JULY, AUGUST, SEPTEMBER

<u>DATE/TIME</u>	<u>SHOWS</u>	<u>BRIEF DESCRIPTION</u>
7/10/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Butler County Commisioiner Greg Jolivette is reccomending that the new county radio system have four dispatch centers rather than the 9 previously planned. This would cut down on the cost of the project. Commisioners say they will not back off on their financial commitment to the project.
7/11/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Gov Strickland speaking to American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics Joint Propulsion Conference about Ohio Technology Initiative and its impact on aerospace engineers in the region. Then he will be touring University Hospital Outpatient Clinics.
7/17/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Democratic Presidential hopeful Barack Obama makes another campaign fund-raising appearance in Cincinnati. This time, media are invited to attend.
7/20/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Commissioner DeWine will hold a press conference to discuss major reforms at JFS to increase accountability and oversight. This comes on the heels of serious problems at JFS including financial irregularities, foster care and adoption failures, and the recent abuse and neglect case brought to light by Judge Melba Marsh.
7/20/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:07	Gubernatorial candidate Steve Beshear & Lieutenant Governor candiate Dan Mongiardo speak to N Ky Chamber of Commerce during a Government Forum.
7/24/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	People opposed to a plan that would locate a new Kenton Co jail in Independence rally before scheduled Fiscal Court meeting. They say Co Judge Ralph Drees is finding reasons the county cannot use other sites rather than why it can.
7/30/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	Sen George Voinovich, a member of the Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee, will host a roundtable discussion in Cincinnati with regional emergency management officials to discuss the Department of Homeland Security's interoperable communications scorecard. Voinovich is committed to helping make sure our first responders have the best resources and systems in place so that they can communicate efficiently during a disaster. A press availability with Voinovich will follow the roundtable, which will then be followed by an open tour of the Regional Operations Center.
8/2/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	Butler County Commisioners to announce who will become the new executive director of the Children's Services Board. Announcement is set for 10 am at CSB. This comes as we near the anniversary of Marcus Feisel's death. Will it be Mike Fox? If not, what's next for him.
8/8/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Charter Party to announce replacement for Vice Mayor/councilmember Jim Tarbell, who announced yesterday he is stepping down from council. Said to be former Cincinnati Mayor Roxanne Qualls.
8/9/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	BIG REPUBLICAN POLITICAL CONCERT AT KING'S ISLAND TODAY Park opens 10am, Hannity radio show begins 2pm, as do book signings by Oliver North & Newt Gingrich. Concert begins at 7pm (pulse Journal says Rudy Giuliani and Fred Thompson will be among the guests) Join Sean Hannity, 55KRC Radio and LtCol Oliver North, USMC (Ret.) at Kings Island for one of the 2007 Hannity Freedom Concerts. Headlining this year's star-studded concerts will be two of America's hottest country sensations, Montgomery Gentry and LeAnn Rimes, as well as America's country music legend, Lee Greenwood. Hannity will broadcast his radio program live.

8/9/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Rudy Giuliani will be available to the Cincinnati media Thursday in the Crosley Room at Great American Ball Park. He will be in town for a fundraiser.
8/14/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	Press conference at the flagpole at Summit View Middle School to reveal to the public through the media some recently confirmed facts and law which support opposition of the jail at the Pelly Road site. Based upon today being opening day for Kenton County Schools, the day, the location, the facts and the law to be extremely interesting and relevant.
8/15/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Supposed to vote on DeWine JFS reform proposal (according to DeWine press release), will discuss levies in excess of the ten-mil limitation for both senior services levy and mental health levy.
9/11/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	Are Americans "over" observances for the Sept 11 attacks? Some people are of a mind to continue carrying on the solemn ceremonies while others say it's time to move on. Email in the file recalls all the American flags that flew the days after Sept 11, 2001... Now how many do you see? And this from Greenhills FD to people in its community: "The last couple of years have been poorly attended by both the FD and the public, that is why I'm getting this out early this year. Please work together to get this publicized. Flyers, Waycross, etc., whatever it takes. Any help would be appreciated."
9/12/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	As part of a fact-finding tour to gather information on how the U.S. can enhance the safety of imported products, Health & Human Services Secretary Michael Leavitt and FDA Commissioner Dr. Andrew von Eschenbach will visit a Kroger supermarket in Cincinnati. On September 10, Leavitt submitted to President Bush a Strategic Framework for enhancing import safety. This visit is one of more than 20 fact-finding trips the Secretary has led over the last six weeks to gather information for the Strategic Framework. During the stop, the Secretary and Commissioner will hear about the procedures Kroger follows to ensure the safety and quality of imported food and products.
9/12/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	With General David Petraeus reporting on the high morale of U.S. troops in Iraq, the nation's largest pro-troop organization, Move America Forward (website: www.MoveAmericaForward.org) has been rallying Americans here stateside to support the troops' missions. Move America Forward's "Fight for Victory Tour" kicked off September 3rd, a national cross-country pro-troop caravan that is crossing the nation. On Wednesday the caravan will travel through Ohio, stopping for 2 pro-troop rallies along the way.
9/18/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Ohio State Representative Tom Brinkman will announce today at a 1:00 p.m. press conference with Hamilton County Commissioner Pat DeWine and Campbell County Jailer Greg Buckler that he is introducing legislation in the Ohio House to change the law and allow Ohio Counties to house inmates in neighboring states. State Representatives Bill Seitz, Jim Raussen, Michelle Schneider and Lou Blessing have agreed to co-sponsor the legislation.

MEDICAL**PUBLIC INFORMATION REPORT: HEALTH**
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DATE	SHOW/TIME	BRIEF DESCRIPTION
7/2/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	Fireworks are not only dangerous to humans. . . what about pets? We talk to the local humane society people about the dangers to dogs and cats(ie.-burns,hearing loss and problems from eating debris.)
7/3/07	11PM/:20	BIG WEEKEND BIKE RIDE FOR MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS We'll tell you how the money being raised is making a big difference for those living with this disease - and about promising new research that could someday lead to finding a cure.
7/9/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:25	Deb Dixon reports on concerns over losing sexual assault nurse examiners in Northern Kentucky because of budget cuts. These are nurses specially trained in dealing with victims of rape and sexual assault. Deb will be at Kenton County Circuit Court this morning when Judge Greg Bartlett is scheduled to sentence Charles Raines on charges involving a brutal rape or sexual assault---just the kind of case these nurses help solve.
7/11/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:25	A great story about a woman who is caring for a 50 year old woman with Down syndrome who she babysat 40 years ago. It was part of a deal she struck with the woman's mother years ago that she would care for the woman's children after she died.
7/11/07	5/6/10/11PM/:20	A WHOLE NEW MEANING TO TEA TIME Forget about golf - the latest way to fight everything from cancer to obesity may be in a cup. The hottest new teas for good health and why you might want to have a cup of a few of these each day.
7/12/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	WHAT'S GOING AROUND? It's a virus that could make the inside of your mouth blister pretty badly. We'll tell you warning signs and what you can do to avoid getting it!
7/18/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	A LOCAL FAMILY NEEDS YOUR HELP. They have a child with a disorder so rare... there may be less than 100 children with this condition in the country. Something simple you can do... can help their daughter... we'll tell you how... and why it could make a big difference in her life... and the lives of many others also.
8/21/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	As the Children's Health Insurance Program legislation works its way through Congress with bipartisan support, U.S. Sen Sherrod Brown continues his statewide campaign against the President's veto threat. In any given month, approximately 150,000 Ohio children are covered by this program. Tens of thousands more could gain access if this bill is signed into law.
8/23/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	We remain under an Excessive Heat Warning for Hamilton County through Friday. The Heat Advisory also remains in effect throughout the rest of the area. Look for heat indices between 100 and 110 degrees for the next few afternoons.
9/5/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	We'll have Sasha's piece on the drought causing an increase in the number of Horse neglect cases in Warren County. Hay is a lot more expensive and in short supply because of the dry weather.
9/12/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Debbie Culberson is in Washington DC today for the formal ceremony to demonstrate a new national database for matching unidentified remains and missing persons information. She's been pushing for this database for for several years. She went to DC last year to testify before a congressional committee on this topic.



ENVIRONMENT

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7/2/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Mayor Mallory's news conference releases information on local population. He says this is more accurate than the census numbers released last week.
7/3/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	The Emerald Ash Borer pops up in Monroe. Butler County is now part of the state quarantine.
7/10/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet's traffic and maintenance crews will be out changing signs to 70miles per hour, weather permitting, along designated interstate and parkway routes. In March, Fletcher signed Senate Bill 83 which allows for a speed limit increase on rural interstates and parkways throughout the Commonwealth. The legislation, which requires that an engineering safety study be first completed, provides the Secretary of Transportation with the authority to increase speed limits on select sections of interstates and parkways that are deemed warranted and safe. What does Erlanger think about the move, with all the wrecks and congestion on its stretch of I-71/75?
7/10/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	Green Homes - You don't think of Cincinnati as being on the cutting edge, but with one housing program it is. The city is giving huge tax abatements to people who "build green" in the city of Cincinnati. We will explain what "green" involves and show you one upscale home just built. It's an example of some of what most of us will find in new homes of the future
7/12/07	5/6/10/11PM/:15	A report on the head of over-the-rhine community council who has a building which has been ordered vacated by the city. Community council, of course, is supposed to improve the neighborhood... but this was apparently a manufacturing building being illegally used for housing. Reporter Jeff Hirsh talks to the landlord.
7/16/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	NWS representative went to Adams Co to check report of tornado. He found evidence of straight line winds. People were cleaning up at the Mineral Springs Lake campground.
7/19/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	ODOT has a News Conference scheduled for 10am in Lebanon. They're trying to get the word out about work they're doing on the Brent Spence Bridge this weekend. One lane will be shut down from 9pm Friday until early AM Monday. They apparently did this last weekend and had very serious back-ups.
7/24/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	Jeff Hirsch speaks with workers operating the city's mobile graffiti clean-up unit this morning. He's already talked with Keep Cincinnati Beautiful and has good information. Typical graffiti sprayer is a white, middle class male, teen to young adult, who comes into the city from suburbia. City recently arrested a 28yr old man from Finneytown, and a pair of 17 yr old twins from Fairfield in separate incidents. City has about 3800 graffiti removals per yr.
7/30/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:07	A Butler County food pantry has voluntarily pulled several cases of food from shelves as part of a national recall. Chilli sauce and other meat products may have been contaminated.
8/2/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Smog alert & heat alert through tomorrow throughout the Tri-state.
8/6/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	Mosquitoes that were recently trapped in the Wyoming area of Hamilton County have tested positive for West Nile virus. The mosquitoes were collected July 15. Today, Health District staff will cover a half-mile radius near where the mosquitoes were collected on West Charlotte Ave. in Wyoming. They will be looking for areas of standing water, applying larvicide, making sure swimming pools are operating properly and advising residents on precautions they can take to avoid mosquito bites.
8/6/07	5/6/10/11PM/:05	Public hearing to discuss the city's bridge conditions. Last week, this committee received the annual report on bridge conditions, which stated of the 136 bridges, 125 were rated in fair condition, 1 in serious condition and 2 in poor condition.

8/8/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Middletown is making plans to open a cool center however the M-J reports there are no others open in the county despite forecasts of 100 degree weather
8/13/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Controversy over a Brown County Race Track. People in the community have hired a lawyer in hopes of getting the car racing track shut down as a nuisance. Apparently another community in Ohio succeeded in doing this.
8/13/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	Aimed at driving down the fatality rate, reducing impaired driving, and increasing seat belt usage, the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet is coordinating an Operation Drive Smart Enforcement Blitz August 12 - 18th along the KY 9/AA Highway. The blitz will target the AA Highway through Campbell, Pendleton, Mason, Lewis, Carter and Greenup counties. Operation Drive Smart radar units are being placed along the highway in advance to heighten awareness. This was scheduled before the recent accident that killed a 14 yr old girl.
8/16/07	5/6/10/11PM/:10	Kentucky Transportation Cabinet Secretary Bill Nighbert, will join local and state leaders to celebrate the opening of the new access road at Northern Kentucky University (NKU). This new access road also includes the first roundabout for the Northern Kentucky area. The main entrance to the university will also re-open today.
8/22/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Problem with deer in Ft. Thomas. Apparently they have come up with a draft plan to cut down on a rapidly growing deer population. It includes fining residents who feed the animals, setting up feeding station to lure the deer in & have officers shoot them and bringing in bow & arrow guys.
8/28/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Two Middletown establishments---a bar and a lodge are among the first to be fined under Ohio's new smoking ban. The bar owner says he won't pay the fine.
9/5/07	10/11PM/:10	The 2007 Clean Water Partnership Summit is drawing business leaders, scientists, venture capitalists and environmentalists from 10 different nations and more than two dozen states to Cincinnati. The meeting is designed to foster research innovation, technology commercialization, and public-private partnerships in the development and preservation of clean, safe, healthy water. Focus areas are sustainability, drinking water and wastewater, homeland security, and ecosystems.

ECONOMY
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7/2/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	ARE GAS PRICES STARTING TO SLOW DOWN THE ECONOMY? Economists feel when gas is at a certain price it really is critical to the economy. Have we hit that price? You might be surprised at how differently the so called experts feel about gas prices verses what consumers and our phone polls seem to be saying. Also, what businesses are being affected already, that should concern investors.
7/3/07	5/6/10/11PM/:15	ICED COFFEE SHOWDOWN: Iced coffee is huge business this summer for Starbucks and McDonald's. We'll look at the differences in price, calories, taste. We'll also look at how you can save money by making a few simple changes in what you order, and the secret to making it at home to really save money.
7/5/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	Fausto Ferrari opened his barbershop in downtown Cincinnati 50 years ago and is still cutting hair with as much energy as he had in the beginning. Tomorrow, Fausto will take a break from being a barber to celebrate the 50th anniversary of his shop with cake and wine from 11 am - 4 pm. Friends, customers, and newcomers are all invited to stop by and say hello to one of Cincinnati's friendliest faces. Ferrari Barbers is located downtown at 5 Garfield Place.
7/9/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	CERTIFIED USED HOMES One local real estate company is trying something new in this slow housing market. The house being sold is offered with certain things already having been done, such as the inspection and an independent price appraisal. Is it working ... and what can all sellers learn from the idea behind it?
7/13/07	6/10/11PM/:20	WeDemandAVote.com delivers petitions to Hamilton Co Auditor's office and announces the final number to end this successful Grass Roots Campaign.
7/17/07	5/6/10/11PM/:10	The boom in condo development along the Riverfront. Ceremony/party this afternoon to begin demolition of the old Montgomery Inn Banquet Center building to build a new condo development called One River Plaza.
7/18/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:07	Armor Holdings has won a \$518M defense contract to provide mine-resistant ambus protected vehicles for the troops in Iraq.
7/20/07	5/6/10/11PM/:10	Anderson Township's newest trail, the long-awaited Five Mile Trail, will be officially opened. The Five Mile Trail is a 2.5 - mile link is the "spine" of the Anderson Trails bike trail network. It connects the State Road-Five Mile area with Turpin High School and links several thousand homes with five schools, the Anderson Branch Library, Mercy Hospital Anderson and the Anderson Towne Center. Unlike some of Anderson's other hike/bike trails, this trail will be "cross-country," in that it will be a 10-foot wide asphalt path, following the route of mostly wooded, unused right-of-way areas.
7/26/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	The 10,000,000 Fan at Great American Ball Park and the afternoon Reds game today. Attendance is actually ahead of

		last year because of all the things they're doing to bring people to the ball park.
7/30/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:25	State officials announce \$1.37 million investment in the University of Cincinnati by the State of Ohio to fund multiple research projects. In addition to the award announcement, University officials share its role in investment and implications for the region's economic development. Scientists will be on hand to provide detail on scope and focus of research projects.
8/2/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	A major deficit facing the Boone County School system. The superintendent talks about the district not getting some funds they were expecting from the commonwealth. He says this leaves them with a \$5 million deficit!!
8/2/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	The company buying Armor Holdings says it has no plans to move or consolidate its US facilities. West Chester officials feared the local operation may be relocated.
8/3/07	5/6/10/11PM/:20	Unprecedented construction is under way in West Chester where everywhere you look--crews are putting up new buildings. Three cranes make up the "skyline" on Union Center Blvd. as new projects go up. Among them, IKEA, a new office building, new events center, a township park and two new hospitals along I-75. The area will look much different in a year from now.
8/8/07	10/11PM/:15	Services to Hamilton County's elderly and disabled citizens will be the subject of a public hearing to be held by the Hamilton County commissioners at the Sharonville Convention Center. Commissioners want to hear comments and questions from the public about two tax levies which are being considered for the ballot this November: the Senior Services levy and the Mental Health levy.
8/8/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	Middletown school levy is defeated again--this time by 186 votes. However there are 285 provisional ballots yet to be counted. For it to pass, a majority of the ballots would have to be yes votes. Athletes are faced with prospect of paying \$900 to play a sport; the golf team has three days to come up with cash. How are money raising efforts continuing and are some kids seriously considering transferring elsewhere?
8/9/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Hamilton Co Commissioners work to hash out a workable budget.
8/22/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	State Rep Steve Driehaus is pleased to announce that the Ohio Housing Finance Agency (OHFA) Board approved a \$500,000 award from the Ohio Housing Trust Fund to assist with rehabilitation costs for the East Price Hill Rehabilitation project in the city of Cincinnati. With the funds, up to 15 homes in the Incline and Whittier Garden neighborhoods will be rehabilitated and sold to households at or below 80 percent of the area median income.
8/28/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Demolition work has begun at the former Parisian department store at Kenwood Towne Center. The work is slated to last 7 months and is not expected to inconvenience mall shoppers in any way. The space is being demolished to make way for the new Nordstrom store at Kenwood. The store will be approximately 140,000 square feet and is set to open in fall 2009.
8/31/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Mayor Mallory and Mayor Robert J. Buckman, Jr. will sign the

		formal documents to complete the sale of 130 acres of the Blue Ash Airport property. This is actually pretty significant. It's been an issue for years ... and will now mean more development in Blue Ash, changes for the airport, and additional revenue from the sale for the city.
8/31/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	West Chester residents are weighing in on a citizens-group report which focuses on whether the township should become a city. City status would allow West Chester to have a one percent income tax that would come from those working in WC. There would be other advantages but voters have rejected city status twice in the past.
9/5/07	5/6/10/11PM/:10	The Butler County Board of Commissioners will hold a ground breaking ceremony for a new radio tower. The system has the capability to support voice and future data communications for Butler County as well as all the local municipalities and agencies that will use the system as their primary method of public safety communications. The system also has the capability to expand and support public works, transportation, administration, hospitals and any other future public agency.
9/13/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Cincinnati Symphony will hold a fundraising concert for Lakota West marching band next week. They hope to help band pay for their trip to the Rose Bowl parade. They would be the first from SW Ohio to march in the parade.

EDUCATION

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<u>DATE</u>	<u>SHOWS/TIME</u>	<u>BRIEF DESCRIPTION</u>
7/2/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	The vote on the school tax levy is about a month away---how is the campaign going to win voter approval? How about pay for play plans?
7/5/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Middletown supporters have a plan to sell small plots of the football field for five dollars to raise money to pay for extracurricular activities. A grandfather who more than forty years ago helped sell plots to build a football field in Dayton, Ky is now behind the Middletown plan. In Dayton, the team won the state championship the year after their field was built.
7/11/07	6/10/11PM/:20	Mason High School will participate in a cooperative emergency crisis response drill with the City of Mason Police and Fire Departments, the American Red Cross and Bethesda North Hospital. This drill will enable district and city officials to test procedures in determining how a crisis situation might be handled should it occur at one of our schools. Over 250 Mason High School students, staff, parents, City of Mason first responders, American Red Cross, and Bethesda North Hospital personnel are participating
7/17/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	More than 80 students have been approved for open enrollment into the Madison school district. Most trying to get away from the budget cuts in Middletown.
7/31/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Hamilton school board member is proposing a dress code beginning next school year. It wouldn't be as strict as parochial schools but blue jeans would be banned.
8/7/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:07	Special election being held today for voters in Middletown to decide on passing or rejecting a levy measure that would, among other things, restore extracurricular activities to students without them paying great amounts to participate
8/8/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:25	As a result of voters rejecting the levy for Middletown Schools, Middletown students will have a shortened school day. All students will be dismissed at 1:30 PM. High school transportation has been eliminated. All extracurricular activities have been eliminated from the general fund. Students will have to pay to participate in sports and other extracurricular activities. High School GMC activities (all sports) \$900.00 per sport. High School GMC academic activities (Chess team and Academic Quiz team) \$350.00. High School Academic activities (band, drama, thespians, student govt., national honor society, etc) \$90.00 Middle School GMC activities (same as above) \$500.00. Middle School Academic activities (same as above) \$70.00.
8/14/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Ohio Dept of Education releases 2006-07 State & Local report cards. This will give report on how school districts & individual schools performed on state achievement tests.
8/21/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Butler Co. Board of Elections counts the 285 provisional ballots cast in the Middletown school levy vote. More than two thirds will have to be yes votes in order for the levy to pass.
8/21/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:07	Middletown coaches and advisers for fall activities agree to work for free-- lowering the pay for play fee by about \$600. There has also been a donation from the campaign to raise money for extra-curriculars.
8/30/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Middletown schools reopened yesterday with a shortened school day, no bus service and various staff and program cuts. What are parents saying about the shortened day?? Does this affect work schedules and child care?
9/6/07	10/11PM/:07	The groundbreaking for the new School for Creative and Performing Arts in Cincinnati in OTR. This is a very big deal, not only for the school system, but also for efforts to revitalize OTR. SCPA is a unique school, which turns out lots of musicians, actors, etc. The current building is a dump.
9/12/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Edgewood School District approves random drug testing for students involved in extracurricular activities.

9/13/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Police in Lebanon and the Lebanon City Schools will hold a mandatory meeting for all drivers of buses for the school system. This will be a safety workshop about the importance of following traffic laws (speed, assured clearance, etc). The drivers will also be met with a very strong message about what happens if the laws are not followed and/or if there are further traffic accidents involving the buses.

ISSUE: CRIME/DRUGS

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7/2/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	Jeni Lee Dinkel was supposed to be sentenced this morning, but the Judge threw out her plea agreement. He says he wasn't consulted enough and feels as though he's been treated like a cardboard cut-out and that Mrs. Dinkel showed no remorse for her actions (repeated sexual relations with a 15 year old schoolmate of her son).
7/2/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	The anniversary of the rape of a little Hamilton girl is approaching and the suspect is still on the loose. One of the lead detectives in the case is determined to track him down after they got so close.
7/3/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	Interview with Butler County detective concerning the search for the man who raped a 10 year old girl in Hamilton two years ago. The case triggered tension in Hamilton. Both the sheriff's department and Hamilton police have been beating the bushes looking for him.
7/11/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	An illegal immigrant who was deported after being convicted on sex charges has been arrested again--in Butler County. The man was convicted on a 1998 charge of gross sexual imposition. After being deported, he returned to Hamilton. We talked to sheriff and an immigration attorney we interviewed a couple of years ago who says deportation means nothing.
7/12/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Sex offender from Columbus is arrested in Monroe for failing to register. Police say Len Polansky had been living in a church in Butler County. He apparently used his brother's ID to gain admittance into a rehab program.
7/13/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	CPD Chief Streicher and D-3 Commander Capt Raabe hold a news conference to update the Western Corridor Safe City Project and to introduce two new tools that will be used to prevent and detect criminal behavior. There will be a demonstration of new remote surveillance equipment and the Segway Transport Vehicle.
7/16/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Butler County Sheriff Richard K Jones reports that Sheriff's Detectives are investigating the death of a Hamilton resident after his body was discovered twenty-five feet up a utility pole. Twenty-two year old Brandon Reed was allegedly attempting to remove copper wire from the pole when the incident occurred.
7/16/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	Hamilton County Prosecutor Joseph T. Deters is asking for the community's help to find a 15-year-old African American male wanted for aggravated murder and felonious assault. On July 11, 2007, Alfonso Price kicked and beat an 18-year-old female who was seven months pregnant. The female was transported to University Hospital where she lost the baby. The Hamilton County Coroner's Office ruled the unborn child's death a homicide as a result of a skull fracture. Price is believed to be the father of the baby. The unborn child is at the Coroner's Office and is being retained for DNA testing.
7/18/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	A Middletown police officer is slightly injured when his cruiser is hit head on by a wrong way driver. The crash happened last night on University Blvd. Police say alcohol was involved and the cruiser totalled.

7/26/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	15 year old Alfonso Price has been arrested at 2704 Queen City Avenue (at approx. 9:20am) after a tip to crimestoppers led SOFAST officers to Four Towers Apartments. Up to \$4000 will be paid out to the tipster. He was wanted by police for assaulting his pregnant girlfriend, inflicting fatal injuries on a baby she was expecting.
7/26/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Law enforcement picking up people indicted yesterday by Clermont Co grand jury. Involve major drug trafficking of several drugs, including Heroin. Jaffe says one person faces 40 felony charges.
8/3/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Police are looking for two men who attacked a woman overnight. A woman told police she was attacked on some steps at East Clifton Avenue and Vine Street in Over the Rhine around 230 this morning. She told police that two men implied they had a gun, sexually assaulted her, then stole her money. Nobody has been arrested.
8/13/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	David Biehn is guy who stabbed his wife during an argument more than 20-years ago and was put on probation by a local judge. The couple subsequently ended up in southern Kentucky (Pulaski county) and Biehn killed his wife. Biehn who's been in prison since the 1989 murder has now served his time. Because local authorities have refused to remove a probation violation order they put on Biehn--- he's been sent here. Now the same judge who put him on probation-- -will decide if he should be sent to an Ohio Prison for essentially violating his probation by killing her.
8/14/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	A kidnapping and sexual assault that occurred in Pendleton County last night. The complaint involved the victim traveling north bound on US 27 when a following vehicle flashed their lights signalling for the victim to pull over. Thinking there was a problem with her vehicle she pulled over. When she exited her vehicle, under the ruse her license plate was defective, she was forcibly grabbed and placed into the perpetrator's vehicle and driven to a remote location. She was subsequently sexually assaulted. Leads in the investigation led to the arrest of a suspect.
8/21/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	Hearing today for Cincinnati Bengal Odell Thurman on probation violation (he missed a scheduled visit to his probation officer). Thurman paid the fine from his DUI conviction on Monday, and there was an effort yesterday to get this hearing re-scheduled.
8/22/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Trial scheduled to begin for Chad Metzcar. He's the 16 yr old charged in the accident that killed two Northwest HS classmates in May -- Miranda Phelps and Lauren Dietz.
8/27/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	MAN ACCUSED OF BEING THE DRIVER OF CAR INVOLVED IN SHOOTING OF 2 West Chester Police officers pleas guilty. He addressed the court and apologized to the officers. The officers addressed the court, one of them speaking to Brochu & his family. The judge sentenced Brochu to 6 years in prison.
8/31/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	OVI checkpoint tonight in Fairfield. It's all a part of the ongoing crackdown on drunk drivers. Butler County Sheriff's Dept. is using additional grant money to put more manpower on the streets--- through the weekend of Sept. 7th. Deputies are expected to have completed 200 extra man hours with the Task Force and another 100 with the Special Traffic Enforcement Patrol.
9/6/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Death Penalty trial scheduled to begin for Darius Myrick. He is charged with aggravated murder and murder after kidnapping his young daughter from her mother's home and killing her. Police found the girl's body in Inwood Park just hours after the incident began. Judge has ruled Myrick competent to stand trial. Defense team has entered an insanity plea. This case is being heard by a three judge panel.

9/11/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:07	Miami University has issued a fifth crime alert. A male student was robbed at knifepoint while walking home Sunday on Brown Road. He suffered some cuts and bruises. The suspect held a knife to his throat.
9/12/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Sentencing hearing scheduled for Christopher Thomas -- pleaded to shooting two innocent bystanders in the Pure Gold Elks club after his girlfriend decided to break up with him. One of the women shot died, the other was seriously hurt. Thomas faces a life sentence, with the chance for parole after 18 years.
9/13/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	At approximately 1:57 A.M., unknown person(s) threw a "Molotov Cocktail" through a first floor bedroom window of a residence at 8217 York St in Sycamore Township. None of the four occupants in the home at the time were injured. The homeowner was able to extinguish the blaze, which was confined to the bedroom, causing damage a wall, a dresser and some clothing. The Sycamore township Fire Department responded to the scene, however, the fire was out when they arrived. There are no known suspects or witnesses at this time.

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DATE	TIME /SHOW	BRIEF DESCRIPTION
7/6/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:25	A program targeted at influencing inner city kids while they're young. Police Chief Tom Streicher will spend time today with youngsters who've spent this week participating in the Dan Beard Scout Council's Challenge Camp. It's a free camp for inner city "at-risk" kids ages 8-15. It gives them a chance to experience things like canoeing, hiking, archery, as well as building character and friendships. A lot of these kids don't have strong male influences in their lives. Among the volunteer mentors are firefighters, police officers, teachers, court employees.
7/11/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Sentencing and placement hearing scheduled for 12 yr old boy who pleaded to throwing a brick at Lakota school bus in early May, injuring a young girl.
7/12/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Preliminary hearing scheduled for 17 year old Chad Metzcar -- driver of the car involved in a traffic accident that killed Miranda Phelps and Lauren Dietz.
7/13/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Jordan Bessey's visitation in Amelia. Visitation for the Moeller student who died in a crash earlier this week is from 4pm - 8pm at the E-C Nurre Funeral Home on Route 125. The family is fine with us being across the street. They ask that we stay at a respectable distance and not be approaching people with a camera right outside the funeral home. They do expect parking to overflow across the street. His funeral will be held at this same location tomorrow.
7/20/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	There will be a lot of kids flocking to bookstores this evening to get their hands on the final chapter in the Harry Potter Saga. The book goes on sale at 12:01am tomorrow and a lot of stores are having parties and staying open late this evening. The Barnes & Noble on Fields Ertel might be a good live location. They expect a couple of thousand people to turn out for this event. That's how many they had for the last book. They begin handing out Line Assignments at 5 PM. Their Party starts at 9:00pm.
7/25/07	5/6/10/11PM/:25	FOR THE FIRST TIME EVER - so many kids need obesity surgery - that doctors have now launched a new trial -to keep track of the results... from long term dangers to real results that keep them alive... meet a teenager who lost a hundred pounds..and says she's proof diet's don't work ..and for some kids surgery is the only thing that's going to keep them alive.
7/26/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Pete Rose & Tom Browning are the legends at today's session of the Reds Youth Camp at Sycamore high school.
7/26/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	Group of teens taking meals to police officers and firefighters in Clermont County this afternoon. This is part of a weeklong effort by kids from the Mt. Caramel Christian Church which also includes putting together care packages for soldiers in Iraq and paying for the gas of random customers at a gas station (location TBA) this weekend.
7/31/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:07	Disposition hearing scheduled for teen who sent threatening text messages to classmates at Pleasant Run Middle School. The original charge has been amended to false alarm.
8/3/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:05	Will donate backpacks and school supplies for 600 children living in Newport and Covington. Cash to purchase supplies for the children was collected over the last six months by members and associate members of the Apartment Association.
8/8/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	15 yr old boy overcome by heat at football practice this morning at Rapid Run Middle School. He was taken to Children's Hospital. A little before noon, medics were called to the practice field at Roger Bacon HS in St Bernard for a student who was overheating.

8/14/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Butler County Children's Services has a police officer to accompany caseworkers on home visits for foster children. This among the changes being made in the first two weeks of Mike Fox's reign.
8/15/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	Plea or trial setting scheduled for Beverly Fears -- the Avondale mom accused of locking her children in a closet and a portable play pen while she went to work. Court docs say the child locked in the closet suffered such serious hand injuries his thumbs had to be amputated above the joint. Prosecutor suggested today might be a good day to attend.
8/24/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	kids/staff at St. Catherine of Siena school in Fort Thomas. They're still in session and do not have air conditioning. The classrooms on the second floor have been close to 100 degrees this week. To beat the heat, They're are using a community center to relocate some classes. They also might move kids into the church building if the need arises. All the kids have been instructed to bring extra water so they can stay hydrated. Principle Doug Lonneman also plans to surprise the kids by standing on the roof with a garden hose to give them all a shower as they leave.
8/27/07	5/6/10/11PM/:10	Funeral service for 15 year old Tony Beard held today at St. Teresa of Avila Church. Visitation 3:30 pm. Memorial Mass 4:00 pm. Reception following in undercroft.
8/28/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:20	Butler County Children's Services is going to become a 24 hour operation. The idea is to reduce the work load of case workers and allow the agency to respond to any problems even during the overnight hours.
9/7/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	Hamilton Co Coroner O'dell owens says Tony Beard's death was the result of suicide. The 15 year old boy scout had been missing for more than a week when a bicyclist found his body in Westwood, not far from Mt Airy Forest. Dr Owens adds this case is absolutely not connected with another suicide recently in Cheviot suicide (the two had been rumored to be related).
9/7/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	In light of the teenage girl suicide study--we follow up with Hamilton High School on how well their efforts have gone to stem suicides in the wake of several that occurred last school year. The school and health pro's launched a pro-active approach.

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7/5/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	435 Cincinnati Reds players at Great American Ballpark for "Buses for Baseball," a program administered by the Major League Baseball Players Trust. The program provides transportation, game tickets and personal greetings from players to underprivileged children.
7/5/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:25	Deb Dixon meets City of Cincinnati councilman Cecil Thomas, Reverend Pete Mingo and a couple of reformed "gangstas" at the Evanston Rec Center at 11am. This month, as part of the Cincinnati's version of the Boston Project, thugs all over the city are going to be brought together to talk about problems in hopes of stopping the killing. Reverend Mingo started doing this years ago, after several gang related murders in Evanston. Nowadays, a murder in Evanston is a rarity, not the norm.
8/16/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	A protest rally is scheduled to take place in front of the Butler County Area I Court to give concerned citizens the opportunity to voice and display their feelings regarding Judge Rob Lyons's decision to return China (a white German shepherd mix) to her owner.
8/21/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:10	LULAC organizes a Picket against the "Speaking to An Illegal Alien" ads heard recently on 700 WLW. Handouts will be provided but please feel free to bring signs.
8/28/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:35	I.C.E. tells us there are 300 agents there, backed up by West Chester police. They have been on the scene at Koch Foods on Port Union Rd since about 10am, serving criminal search warrants. More than 100 people have been detained as a result of the investigation that has lasted roughly two years.
8/30/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	Follow-up to immigration raid. How is work progressing at Koch after losing 180 workers in one day? A look at the fear in the Hispanic community. The 20 workers facing state charges were arraigned in West Chester Area Court today.
9/6/07	4/5/6/10/11PM/:15	More than 500 veterans are registered to attend this special event intended to help them find jobs. They'll be able to interview on the spot with National, Regional and Local employers at the RecruitMilitary Career Fair. Coverage can help raise awareness in the Cincinnati communities about helping the courageous men and women who serve our country find employment with the many veteran-friendly companies that will be on hand. Opportunities available for veterans, their spouses and other military service members.