

Pulse 101.7FM – KPUL

Quarter 2 - Issues and Programs List 2023

Interviews:

Ankeny Loves Lunches

Date/Time: 4/27/23 2:45pm Length: 1:25

Rachel Leigh talked with Lucy from Des Moines Christian Schools about an upcoming school project that she was a part of that focuses on food insecurity in the community. Lucy was teaming up with Ankeny Love Lunches, a summer program that serves students and their families every weekday in the summer. Lucky shared more about a donation drop off event at a local Hy-Vee to help those in need as well as talked about the ways they can get involved with Love Lunches.

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Date/Time: 4/28/23 9:03am Length: 1:25

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Dance-A-Cross

Date/Time: 5/5/23 9:36am Length: 4:05

RaJan with Pulse Mornings spoke with Abby from Dance-A-Cross more about the mission behind what they do as a dance studio. DAC recognizes the battle parents must face with media and music especially when it comes to children. DAC offers dance classes and workshops with clean music and modest costumes. DAC knows the importance of being a welcoming and accepting group to the community. Abby also shared with RaJan about an upcoming recital that families could attend free of charge.

National Association of Letter Carriers

Date/Time: 5/12/23 7:54am Length: 4:00

Michelle Paulsen with the National Association of Letter Carriers spoke with RaJan about an upcoming food drive they are having to support local food banks. Michelle shared more about their partnership with Des Moines Area Religious Council and how they started this effort before the pandemic stopped this way of support. Last year marked the first official year back and Michelle shared in 2019 and they collected over 66,000 pounds of food that was distributed to pantries and help those with food insecurities.

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InnverVisions Health Care

Date/Time: 5/13/23 7:03am Length: 6:13

Bryan Gonzalez of InnerVisions Health Care spoke with RaJan more about their mission and how they help women with unplanned pregnancies. InnerVisions is a Christian organization and wants to continue to offer free services to the community and help women walk through that process whether it's providing ultrasounds or providing basic needs such as food water, and shelter. Bryan also shared more about the upcoming gala to help raise funds for the non-profit organization to continue to be there for the community at no extra cost.

Single Parent Provision

Date/Time: 5/19/23 7:27am Length: 8:04

Teahl Bader of Single Parent Provision discussed with RaJan about their Home Provision Program that offers assistance to single parents that need help accomplishing projects and repairs around the home. Teahl put out the call to church groups to provide assistance with lawn care, painting, installation of fixtures and furniture, packing, moving, and more. Teahl shared with listeners as a single parent herself, it really does provide a lot of relief for parents that have recently and unexpectedly become single parents.

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Bethel University**Date/Time: 5/27/23 7:04am Length: 5:58**

John Dunn from Bethel University spoke with RaJan with Pulse Mornings about a new seminary program they are offering that focuses on becoming a doctrine of ministry. John also spoke with RaJan about ways the university has had to adapt since the pandemic including lowering credit hours in order for individuals to graduate without having to make cuts. Lastly, John spoke with RaJan about the importance of providing great opportunities for pastors so that they can invest in local situations and make the community a better place.

Swing for Freedom**Date/Time: 6/10/23 7:04am Length: 6:16****Date/Time: 6/10/23 7:30am Length: 6:46**

Brandy Young from Wings of Refuge, Ray Hansen, Jim Rubin, and Rus Schmidt of Swing For Freedom spoke with RaJan about an upcoming golf outing event that will have a silent auction, lunch, and prizes but more important it will help raise funds that will go directly to Wing of Refuge. Wings of Refuge is a Christ centered organization that provides opportunities for healing and restoration to survivors of sex trafficking and sexual exploitation through a long term, restorative safe home, meaningful work through a social enterprise, and transitional housing. Swing For Freedom also partners with the Iowa Department of Motor Vehicle Enforcement and Water Edge Community Church to make this event happen.

Blessman International**Date/Time: 6/16/23 7:25am Length: 6:56**

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Community Events:

April 14th, 2023 School Career Fair

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April 19th, 2023 Ogden Youth Group

RaJan talked with a youth group in Ogden, Iowa about how media choices can impact their own identity. RaJan also discussed how identity and faith intersect which can be consuming for a young person who believes in Christ. RaJan also shared how Pulse can share hope and fun through music and the DJ's on air.

April 25th, 2023 Pulse Education Talk

RaJan visited with over 200 high school students at Grand View Schools to talk about the importance of media choices. RaJan also discussed how character and integrity make up a big part of who they are and to be conscious of their social interactions. Students were able to engage and ask questions about RaJan's career in radio as well as being a believer and being a father of 5 kids.

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May 16th, 2023 Pulse Education Talk

RaJan visited with middle school students at Freedom For Youth, (an underprivileged program to help students) to talk about the importance of media choices. RaJan also discussed how character and integrity make up a big part of who they are and to be conscious of their social interactions. Students were able to engage and ask questions about RaJan's career in radio as well as being a believer and being a father of 5 kids.

May 19th, 2023 Momtastic Celebration

In honor of Teacher Appreciation Month and Mother's Day, Pulse hosted an event for homeschool moms and their families. Over 100 people joined us for games, inflatables, a coffee bar, and donuts. Kids also made thank you cards for teachers and giftbags were handed out to all the moms including a variety of gifts and services.

June 1st-30th 2023 Sticker Stops

Every Wednesday in June, Pulse teamed up with locally owned businesses such as Orange Leaf, Racoon Valley Partner McDonalds, the Iowa State Fair, and Chick-Fi-A to keep customers cool this summer and enjoy a sweet treat.

July 3rd, 2023

West Des Moines hosted their annual Independence Day Parade. Pulse 101.7 got to share positive music with residents and a message of hope to the community.

July 4th, 2023

Urbandale hosted their annual Independence Day Parade. Pulse 101.7 got to share positive music with residents and a message of hope to the community.

Mentions:

Monday Motivation- RaJan does a weekly motivation speech on Mondays during the 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, and 9:00 hour. They are 60-90 seconds in length and they give encouragement to listeners for the new week ahead.

Wednesday Devo – RaJan does a weekly devotion on Wednesdays during the 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, and 9:00 hour. They are about 90 seconds each and he speaks to a specific life issue with a biblical component