

Quarterly Issues Program List

WIFT/WKFT

First Quarter 2022 (January, February, March)

The following is a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by WIFT/WKFT-FM, Dubois/Strattanville, PA along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period of Jan 1 thru March 31, 2022. The listing is by no means all inclusive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

Issue	Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description of Program
Public Health Covid	Local News	01/13/22	6,7,8 am	:30	As Omicron cases continue to surge across the country, and in central Pennsylvania, Penn Highlands Healthcare held a press conference yesterday to provide an update on the hospital's COVID-19 response. Across Penn Highlands seven hospitals, there were 92 COVID positive in-patients Wednesday. Those numbers are on par with peak hospitalization rates of December of 2020. Nationally, more than 20% of COVID cases are currently among children and Penn Highlands is seeing similar numbers. Officials say Penn Highlands has enough vaccines ready for everyone in the community and is urging all residents to get fully vaccinated and boosted. The effects of the Omicron variant have not been felt as heavily among vaccinated people who test positive.

Public Service Food Pantry	Bigfoot Big Events	01/20/22	9:30 am	3:00	Interview Pastor John Miller regarding the DuBois Area Food Pantry.
Public Information Public Safty	Local News	01/14/22	6,7,8 am	:30	The Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency and the state police remind residents to upgrade their cell phones from 3G to 4 or 5G as soon as possible. Some organizations that serve the homeless or victims of domestic violence sometimes provide clients with older phones without a service plan, for making emergency calls. Those groups should apply for support through the FCC's Lifeline Program. The FCC says AT&T will end its 3G network by next month and Verizon by Dec. 31. For details about your device or plan, PEMA says to contact your carrier.
Public Service Charity	Bigfoot Big Events	2/2/22	9:30 AM	3:00	Interview Susan Babik from the American Cancer Society regarding ther daffodil campaign.
Public Information	Local News	02/04/22	6,7,8 am	:30	A new scam targeting Medicare recipients in Clearfield County. The Clearfield County Area Agency on Aging announced that medicare consumers are receiving a phone call checking to see if they received their new vinyl Medicare card. When you say "no" you're asked to read the info off your old card to verify. This is a scam. Medicare is not issuing new cards at this time.
Community theater	Bigfoots Big Events	02/10/22	9:30 am	3:00	Interview Joe Sensor from the Reitz Theater regarding up coming show.

Fundraiser	Bigfoots Big Events	02/17/22	9:30 am	3:00	Interview Jeff Pisarchik regarding the Syksville Hometown Hero Banners application.
Emergency winter weather info	local news	02/24/22	6,7,8 am	:30	With winter weather and icy conditions expected across most of the state this evening, PennDOT has announced its plans to implement vehicle restrictions on several Pennsylvania roadways starting today at 5 pm. PennDOT will communicate restrictions via variable message boards, their website, and app. Tier 1 restrictions begin tonight for the entire length of I-80 starting at 7 pm. Under these restrictions Tractors <i>without</i> trailers, vehicles towing trailers, buses, and motorhomes are not permitted on these roads. PennDOT advises motorists to avoid unnecessary travel in affected areas during the storm
Public Information	Bigfoot Big Events	03/08/22	9:30 AM	3:00	Interview Leighanne Hutton from the Children's Aid Society re: overview of non-profit group's family relationship classes.

Public Informatin Public Health Covid	Local News	03/08/22	6am 7am 8am	:30	Looking to get more FREE covid tests from the government? Now you can. The website to order another batch of free at-home COVID-19 test kits from the federal government is now live. Back in January, the government allowed every residence to request one order of four tests. Now, each residential address is entitled to an additional four tests. To request a second batch of tests, go to COVIDtests.org and click "Order Free At-Home Tests." The kits will be shipped out by the USPS starting this week. If you didn't request the first shipment, you can now place two separate orders totaling eight COVID tests.
Public Service	Bigfoot Big Events	03/11/22	9:30 am	3:00	Interview Tim Nebgen from Penn Dot re: Donut Drive Drowsy Campaign.
Public Information	Bigfoot Big Events	03/18/22	9:30 am	3:00	Interview Summer Anderson, Purrfect Paws Cat Rescue re: adoption event

Public Education	Local News	3/17/22	6-7-8 AM	:30	Gov. Tom Wolf announced new funding for St. Marys's Area School District to launch a student-run program and boost awareness of available opportunities in the manufacturing industry. The money is made available through Pennsylvania's Manufacturing P-A Training-to-Career Program. The School District was awarded \$200,000 dollars and is targeted to begin during the next school year. This pilot program will give qualifying students the opportunity to participate in a manufacturing enterprise that will make actual parts, deliver services and be a part of the supply chain for local manufacturers.
Public Service	Bigfoot Big Events	3/23/22	9:30 am	3:00	Interview Dolly McCluskey, Dubois Free Medical Clinic re: Prom Dress Collection Campaign

2022-Q4 (Jan-March) Viewpoints Radio

All programs air at 6:00 AM on the dates indicated.



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- Addiction
- Aging
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- Innovation
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- Literature
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- Mass Incarceration
- Media
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- Mental Health
- Mobility
- Money Management
- Music
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- Parenting
- Personal Finance
- Personal Growth & Development
- Personal Interest
- Policy
- Politics
- Pop Culture
- Poverty
- Psychiatry
- Psychology
- Public Health
- Recidivism
- Retirement
- Science
- Self-Identity
- Sleep
- Social Equity
- Space Exploration
- Sports & Sports Histor
- Substance Abuse
- Supply Chain
- Sustainability
- Technology
- Transportation
- TV
- Urban Design & Development
- Waste Management
- Wildlife

Program 22-01**Air Week:** 1/2/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: FINDING EMPLOYMENT AFTER INCARCERATION****Time:** 1:48**Duration:** 11:11**Synopsis:** In the U.S., there are roughly 19 million people with felony convictions. For this population, finding stable work can be a tumultuous and draining process. Without a job, it can be all too easy to slide back into a past life and end up behind bars once again.**Host:** Gary Price**Guests:** Beth Schwartzapfel, staff writer, The Marshall Project; Jeffrey Korzenik, economic researcher, author, *Untapped Talent: How Second Chance Hiring Works for Your Business and the Community*.**Issues Covered:** Human Resources, Mass Incarceration, Business, Criminal Justice, Inequality, Recidivism, Education, Poverty, Employment Issues**Links for more info:**

Putting Humanity into HR Compliance: Try Second-Chance Employment

US Department of Education Announces It Will Expand the Second Chance Pell Experiment for the 2022-2023 Award Year
[GettingTalentBackToWork.org](https://www.gettingtalentbacktowork.org)

Second Chance Employment — Dave's Killer Bread

DKBF

Untapped Talent: How Second Chance Hiring Works for Your Business and the Community

SEGMENT 2: A SEASON OF SADNESS**Time:** 15:01**Duration:** 7:21**Synopsis:** Researchers estimate that around 10 million Americans suffer from seasonal affective disorder each year. We speak with psychologist Dr. Carrie Ditzel about the prevalence of SAD and how people can combat these feelings and find additional support.**Host:** Marty Peterson**Guests:** Dr. Carrie Ditzel, psychologist, Baker Street Behavioral Health.**Issues Covered:** Fitness, Sleep, Psychiatry, Psychology, Mental Health, Health**Links for more info:**

NIMH » Seasonal Affective Disorder

Baker Street Behavioral Health | About

Find a Therapist, Psychologist, Counselor - Psychology Today

SAMHSA Behavioral Health Treatment Services Locator

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

CULTURE CRASH: SPIDER-MAN'S BACK ONCE AGAIN**Time:** 23:22**Duration:** 3:04**Synopsis:** The new film release, "Spider-Man: No Way Home" is a massive blockbuster hit. We discuss what makes these crossover movies such a success and what's coming up next in the Marvel universe.**Host:** Evan Rook**Issues Covered:** Film

Program 22-02**Air Week:** 1/9/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri, Polly Hansen & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: OUR RESILIENT FOOD SYSTEM & SUPPLY CHAIN****Time:** 1:47**Duration:** 9:09

Synopsis: 20 million people work within the food production industry in the U.S. The pandemic has altered this sector and resulted in many pressures placed on this population. This week – we highlight the people behind these various roles and the changing landscape of this 24/7 food supply chain.

Host: Gary Price

Guests: Dr. Robyn Metcalfe, lecturer, College of Natural Sciences at the University of Texas at Austin and author, *Humans in Our Food*.

Issues Covered: Agriculture, Career, Food Shortages, Supply Chain, Food Production, Personal Finance

Links for more info:

Metcalfe, Robyn - Human Ecology - CNS Directory

Humans In Our Food by Robyn Metcalfe

Food prices are reportedly expected to rise again in January

Food Supply Chain | USDA

The Great Shortage: Restaurants Struggle to Find Materials, Food, and, Most of All, Labor - Eater

SEGMENT 2: STARRY NIGHT: THE EFFECTS OF LIGHT POLLUTION**Time:** 12:55**Duration:** 9:10

Synopsis: More than 80% of the world's population lives under light-polluted skies. Light pollution can impact sleep, health, and the environment. It also means the beautiful stars in our skies are clouded by the bright beams of lights all around us. We discuss the issue of light pollution and how stargazers can bring about change in their local communities.

Host: Marty Peterson

Guests: Paul Bogard, author, *To Know a Starry Night*; Bettymaya Foote, director, engagement, International Dark Sky Association.

Issues Covered: Light Pollution, Environment, Astronomy, Education, Culture, History

Links for more info:

International Dark-Sky Association

Light pollution map

Flipping the switch on light pollution – POLITICO

To Know A Starry Night — Paul Bogard

CULTURE CRASH: "SPIDER-MAN" NOSTALGIA**Time:** 23:05**Duration:** 3:23

Synopsis: We rewind back to 2002 to the very first "Spider-Man" movie starring a young Tobey Maguire and Kirsten Dunst. The iconic film started it all and led to decades of spin-offs.

Host: Evan Rook

Issues Covered: Film, Culture

Program 22-03**Air Week:** 1/16/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri, Polly Hansen & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: GET YOUR \$\$\$ IN ORDER****Time:** 1:47**Duration:** 10:35

Synopsis: If an unexpected \$400 charge came up, it's estimated that 40% of Americans would struggle to pay this amount, according to data published in 2019 by the Federal Reserve. Life happens. Circumstances change. And that's why it is so important to be financially secure with savings, an emergency fund, investments and more. We speak with financial expert, Emily Guy Birken this week about how to start budgeting and saving.

Host: Gary Price**Guests:** Emily Guy Birken, financial expert, author of *Stacked: Your Super Serious Guide to Money Management*.**Issues Covered:** Money Management, Economics, Personal Finance, Labor, Financial Technology**Links for more info:**

Emily Guy Birken (@EmilyGuyBirken) / Twitter

emilyguybirken.com

Qube Money

Your Guide to How to Budget Money - NerdWallet

SEGMENT 2: AN ILLUSTRATOR'S ART**Time:** 14:24**Duration:** 7:40

Synopsis: We speak with Tim O'Brien who has illustrated numerous magazine covers throughout the years. O'Brien discusses his career, the history of illustration and how the art form is used to convey a specific, singular moment or feeling that other mediums may not be able to capture.

Host: Marty Peterson**Guests:** Tim O'Brien, illustrator.**Issues Covered:** Culture, Media, Career, Illustration, Arts, History, Comedy, Politics, Government**Links for more info:**

Catalog of Portraits and Illustrations by Tim O'Brien for various magazines and publications

"The Story Behind TIME's Trump Chaos Cover" - TIME Magazine

@obrienillustration on Instagram

CULTURE CRASH: CATCHING UP ON RECENT RELEASES**Time:** 23:04**Duration:** 3:23

Synopsis: We binge and review some of the new movies we've missed in recent months, including a critique of "The Novice" and "Mass".

Host: Evan Rook**Issues Covered:** Culture, Film

Program 22-04**Air Week:** 1/23/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: ADVANCEMENTS IN ANTI-AGING****Time:** 1:48**Duration:** 10:24

Synopsis: By 2030, 74 million Baby Boomers in the U.S. will be 65 or older. As people age, this means bigger burdens on the healthcare system, senior housing and care. But, what if one day, we could slow down this process of biological aging? Two researchers from Northwestern University join us this week to share some of the latest innovations in the anti-aging field.

Host: Gary Price

Guests: Dr. Douglas Vaughan, chair, Department of Medicine, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine, inaugural director, Potocsnak Longevity Institute, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine; Dr. Frank Palella, associate director, Potocsnak Longevity Institute, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine, director, HIV & Aging Center, Potocsnak Longevity Institute.

Issues Covered: Technology, Health, Retirement, Aging, Medicine, Disease, Science**Links for more info:**

Potocsnak Longevity Institute: Feinberg School of Medicine

Douglas E Vaughan : Faculty Profile

Frank J Palella : Faculty Profile

Resources Near You | HHS.gov

Why these Amish live longer and healthier: an internal 'fountain of youth' - Northwestern Now

Metformin: A Potential Candidate for Targeting Aging Mechanisms

SEGMENT 2: A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON COOKING AT HOME**Time:** 14:14**Duration:** 8:24

Synopsis: Ever find yourself staring at a recipe and feeling completely lost or overwhelmed? Us too. Cooking doesn't have to be this big production, but can instead be a time to unwind, experiment and not always aim for perfection. Cookbook author Leanne Brown joins us this week to unpack how to become a calmer cook this year by planning ahead and setting new expectations.

Host: Marty Peterson

Guests: Leanne Brown, expert, food studies, cookbook author, *Good Enough: Embracing the Joys of Imperfection and Practicing Self-Care in the Kitchen*.

Issues Covered: Mental Health, Health, Organization, Cooking, Diet, Literature**Links for more info:**

Good Enough: A Cookbook: Embracing the Joys of Imperfection and Practicing Self-Care in the Kitchen

Budget Bytes

Good and Cheap (PDF)

CULTURE CRASH: BINGING THE ROM-COM SERIES "LOVE LIFE"**Time:** 23:38**Duration:** 2:48

Synopsis: The series, "Love Life" is a whimsical ride through the ups and downs of modern dating, relationships and finding love. Seasons 1 and 2 are now out on HBO Max.

Host: Evan Rook**Issues Covered:** Culture, TV

Program 22-05**Air Week:** 1/30/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri, Polly Hansen & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: LIVING LIFE IN A 24/7 SOCIETY****Time:** 1:48**Duration:** 9:08

Synopsis: We play many roles in life: coworker, manager, partner, parent, caregiver. The list is seemingly endless. It can be all too easy to get wrapped in these many roles and forget altogether about spending time on yourself as an individual. We speak with acclaimed writer and author, Eve Rodsky about the mental toll of our daily lives and how to get back to finding a balance.

Host: Gary Price**Guests:** Eve Rodsky, writer, author of *Find Your Unicorn Space: Reclaim Your Creative Life in a Too Busy World*.**Issues Covered:** Mental Health, Self-Identity, Literature, Psychology, Parenting, Education**Links for more info:**

Eve Rodsky (@eve_rodsky) / Twitter

Amazon.com: Find Your Unicorn Space: Reclaim Your Creative Life in a Too-Busy World: 9780593328019: Rodsky, Eve: Books
Work and Well-being 2021 Survey report**SEGMENT 2: A COMPREHENSIVE GUIDE TO FANDOM****Time:** 12:58**Duration:** 9:27

Synopsis: What was your favorite comic book series, video game or card game growing up? Depending on your age, it could have been Magic: The Gathering, Batman or Minecraft. In fact, you still could be a fan of these no matter what your age is. This week – we discuss the vast world of fandom and just what it means to be a part of this community.

Host: Marty Peterson**Guests:** Amy Ratcliffe, managing editor, Nerdist, author of *A Kid's Guide to Fandom: Exploring Fan-Fic, Cosplay, Gaming, Podcasting and More in the Geek World!*; Liana, high school senior, Chicago.**Issues Covered:** Community, Parenting, Personal Interest, Technology, Hobby, Arts, Entertainment, Comics**Links for more info:**

Amy Ratcliffe (@amy_geek) / Twitter

A Kid's Guide to Fandom: Exploring Fan-Fic, Cosplay, Gaming, Podcasting, and More in the Geek World!
Fandom**CULTURE CRASH: THE DEBUT OF "SHIVA BABY"****Time:** 23:25**Duration:** 3:05

Synopsis: New writer & director Emma Seligman is generating a lot of buzz across Hollywood. This week, we discuss her debut film, "Shiva Baby" that's now streaming on HBO Max.

Host: Evan Rook**Issues Covered:** Culture, TV

Program 22-06**Air Week:** 2/6/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: SPIN, SWEAT, REPEAT: THE EVER-EVOLVING FITNESS INDUSTRY****Time:** 1:47**Duration:** 9:39

Synopsis: It feels like the fitness market has more options than ever before. Between the rise of at-home fitness, traditional gyms and focused classes, consumers can pick and choose to workout whichever way they like. This week – we speak with two fitness experts about evolving trends in exercise and what’s next.

Host: Gary Price

Guests: Dr. David J. Miller, faculty member, School of Business, George Mason University; Dr. Glenn Gaesser, professor, exercise physiology, School of Health Solutions, Arizona State University.

Issues Covered: Business, Technology, Health, Fitness, Industry, Exercise, Community

Links for more info:

At-Home Fitness Poised to Grow Despite Peloton Slide, Analysts Say - Article published in Business Insider

Sweating Together Hardcover – May 24, 2022 | Amazon.com Books

Miller, David J. - GMU School of Business

Glenn Gaesser - ASU College of Health Solutions

SEGMENT 2: THE HISTORY OF TIMEKEEPING**Time:** 13:28**Duration:** 9:59

Synopsis: From sundials to mechanical clocks to atomic clocks, humans – throughout the centuries – have kept track of time using many different methods. Physics and astronomy professor Chad Orzel joins us this week to highlight just how much we rely on accurate clocks and how timekeeping technology has evolved across human history.

Host: Marty Peterson

Guests: Chad Orzel, associate professor, physics and astronomy, Union College, author of *A Brief History of Timekeeping: The Science of Marking Time, From Stonehenge to Atomic Clocks*.

Issues Covered: Archaeology, Innovation, Culture, History, Ancient Civilization, Invention

Links for more info:

A Brief History of Timekeeping - BenBella Books

No. 120: Su-Sung's Clock

Chad Orzel (@orzalc) / Twitter

Chad Orzel | Physics and Astronomy | Union College

CULTURE CRASH: A NEW TAKE ON A POPULAR SERIES**Time:** 24:27**Duration:** 1:59

Synopsis: The hit sitcom, “How I Met Your Mother” ran for nine seasons between 2005 and 2014. Now, producers are creating a new take on the original show with the launch of the series, “How I Met Your Father”. We discuss if the new release is worth the hype.

Host: Evan Rook

Issues Covered: Culture, TV

Program 22-07**Air Week:** 2/13/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: THE JOURNEY OF ADDICTION****Time:** 1:47**Duration:** 9:36

Synopsis: Substance abuse, or addiction, is a national crisis that's only continuing to worsen as new drugs enter the market and treatment has been disrupted due to the pandemic. Recovering addict Dr. Carl Erik Fisher joins us to share his own story with addiction and what can be done to improve treatment.

Host: Gary Price**Guests:** Dr. Carl Erik Fisher, psychiatrist, assistant professor, Columbia University, author, *The Urge: Our History of Addiction*.**Issues Covered:** Addiction, History, Mental Health, Substance Abuse, Medicine, Healthcare**Links for more info:**

The Urge: Our History of Addiction Hardcover – January 25, 2022

Carl Erik Fisher, MD (@DrCarlErik) / Twitter

Carl E. Fisher, MD | Columbia University Department of Psychiatry

FindTreatment.gov

SAMHSA's National Helpline

SEGMENT 2: THE MANY MODES OF TRANSPORTATION**Time:** 13:25**Duration:** 9:59

Synopsis: Dr. Susan Shaheen, a professor of civil and environmental engineering at the University of California-Berkeley, joins us this week to highlight the country's current infrastructure and what more needs to be done to promote greater citizen mobility with bikes, scooters and other non-motor modes of transportation.

Host: Marty Peterson**Guests:** Dr. Susan Shaheen, professor, civil and environmental engineering at the University of California-Berkeley and co-director of Transportation Sustainability Research Center at the University of California-Berkeley.**Issues Covered:** Infrastructure, Urban Design, Aging, Sustainability, Mobility, Environment, Transportation**Links for more info:**

Susan Shaheen | Civil and Environmental Engineering

The Best Cities for Cyclists - The New York Times

Susan Shaheen (@SusanShaheen1) / Twitter

CULTURE CRASH: A FRESH TAKE ON "NIGHTMARE ALLEY"**Time:** 23:55**Duration:** 2:31

Synopsis: We discuss the new film, "Nightmare Alley" which is a remake of the 1947 film of the same title. It's filled with a star-studded cast and does not disappoint. Hear why this movie makes our 'Best of 2021 Films' list.

Host: Evan Rook**Issues Covered:** Culture, Film

Program 22-08**Air Week:** 2/20/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: FOSTERING CURIOSITY AND A GREATER PASSION FOR LEARNING EARLY ON****Time:** 1:47**Duration:** 9:23

Synopsis: To fully understand many topics, experiences and encounters help to fully engrain what's being taught. We speak with an education expert and clinical psychologist this week about how to bring more curiosity, creativity and critical thinking to learning.

Host: Gary Price

Guests: Dr. Joe Galasso, clinical psychologist, Baker Street Behavioral Health; Julie Bogart, home educator, mother, author, *Raising Critical Thinkers: A Parent's Guide to Growing Wise Kids in the Digital Age*.

Issues Covered: Parenting, Communication, Education, Technology, Child Development, Mental Health, Psychology

Links for more info:

Julie Bogart | Author (@juliebravewriter) • Instagram photos and videos

Julie Bogart (@BraveWriter) / Twitter

Raising Critical Thinkers

Baker Street Behavioral Health | About

SEGMENT 2: THE INTERESTING LEGACIES OF PAST U.S. PRESIDENTS**Time:** 13:12**Duration:** 10:17

Synopsis: Ahead of Presidents Day on Monday, February 21, we highlight some of our past presidents and their accomplishments and failures. Ronald Gruner joins us this week to answer these questions and more.

Host: Marty Peterson

Guests: Ronald Gruner, author, *We the Presidents: How American Presidents Shaped the Last Century*.

Issues Covered: American History, Literature, Politics, Government, Leadership, Culture, Domestic Policy

Links for more info:

We The Presidents

Amazon.com: We the Presidents: How American Presidents Shaped the Last Century

Presidents' Day 2022 - History, Date & Holiday

CULTURE CRASH: THIS YEAR'S BEST PICTURE NOMINEES**Time:** 24:29**Duration:** 1:57

Synopsis: From Belfast to King Richard, we break down this year's highly anticipated list of Academy Award 'Best Picture' nominees. The Oscars will be held on March 27, 2022.

Host: Evan Rook

Issues Covered: Culture, Film

Program 22-09**Air Week:** 2/27/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: THE COACHES THAT CHANGED THE GAME****Time:** 1:47**Duration:** 10:15

Synopsis: Bowman was Phelps' longtime swimming coach who mentored Phelps since he was 11 years old. He was there every step of the way in Phelps' athletic career, crafting him into the Olympic swimming superstar he is today. It makes you wonder – where would many of the top athletes be today without the coaches who guided, motivated and supported them?

Host: Gary Price**Guests:** Justin Spizman, sportswriter, author of *Coach: The Greatest Teachers in Sports and Their Lessons for Us All*.**Issues Covered:** Leadership, Sports, Culture, Career, Global Affairs, Sports History**Links for more info:**

Coach by Justin Spizman | Abbeville Press

4 Quotes From Olympic Coaches That Can Make You a Better Leader | Inc.com

Vince Lombardi

SEGMENT 2: THE LARGER APPEAL OF "HARRY POTTER"**Time:** 14:04**Duration:** 9:22

Synopsis: The Harry Potter series is one of the most beloved stories of all time, unlocking a world of wizarding magic, adventure and intrigue to millions of young readers. We discuss how its unconventional storyline and character development can shift thinking and teach real life lessons to young and old readers alike.

Host: Marty Peterson**Guests:** Amy Hogan, media manager, MuggleNet.com; Mimi Gladstein, English & Literature professor at University of Texas at El Paso, and author of the essay, *Feminism and Equal Opportunity: Hermione and the Women of Hogwarts*.**Issues Covered:** Pop Culture, Literature, Child Development, Education, Feminism**Links for more info:**

MuggleNet

1 Wizarding World Resource Since 1999 (@MuggleNet) / Twitter

Mimi Gladstein - UTEP Faculty Profile

How Harry Potter changed the world - Vox

What we can learn from Hermione Granger, the smartest witch of her age

CULTURE CRASH: NOSTALGIA OF MUSIC IN SUPER BOWL HALFTIME SHOW**Time:** 24:26**Duration:** 2:00

Synopsis: This year's Super Bowl halftime show featuring Eminem, Dr. Dre, Snoop Dogg and Mary J. Blige was an instant hit. It was a blast to the past and reinvigorated that the nostalgic music of our younger years will always hold a special place in our hearts.

Host: Evan Rook**Issues Covered:** Culture, Music, Sports

Program 22-10**Air Week:** 3/6/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: URBAN WILDLIFE: AN INFLUX OF NEW NEIGHBORS****Time:** 1:47**Duration:** 10:49

Synopsis: Countless different species of wildlife were driven out of cities centuries ago, but in recent decades have begun returning in greater numbers and adapting to the human-centric infrastructure. Two wildlife experts join us this week to highlight how we can both coexist in these settings.

Host: Gary Price

Guests: Dr. Peter Alagona, associate professor, environmental studies, University of California – Santa Barbara, author of *The Accidental Ecosystem: People and Wildlife in American Cities*; Dr. Stanley Gehrt, professor, wildlife ecology, The Ohio State University.

Issues Covered: Environment, Urban Development, Wildlife, Ecology, American History**Links for more info:**

The Accidental Ecosystem by Peter S. Alagona - Hardcover - University of California Press

DNA Shows At Least Three Large Black Bears Are Breaking Into Tahoe Homes, Not Just 'Hank the Tank' | Smart News | Smithsonian Magazine

Peter Alagona | Environmental Studies Program

Stanley D. Gehrt | SENR

Urban Coyote Research Project

SEGMENT 2: THE PANG OF REGRET**Time:** 14:36**Duration:** 8:41

Synopsis: Regret is an all-too-common feeling that's simply part of life, but it's what we learn from our mistakes that matters. Writer Daniel Pink joins us this week to break down the intricacies of this emotion and share how people can avoid self-pity and constructively move forward.

Host: Marty Peterson

Guests: Daniel Pink, writer, author, *The Power of Regret: How Looking Backward Moves Us Forward*.

Issues Covered: Career, Mental Health, Emotional Wellness, Personal Growth and Development, Psychology, Communication**Links for more info:**

Regret | Psychology Today

The Power of Regret: How Looking Backward Moves Us Forward: Pink, Daniel H.: 9780735210653: Amazon.com: Books

Daniel Pink: Great Leaders Share Their Failures With Their Teams

CULTURE CRASH: NEVER GETTING TIRED OF THE FILM, "THE PRESTIGE"**Time:** 24:17**Duration:** 2:09

Synopsis: The Prestige was released in 2006 and features some of Hollywood's biggest names, including Christian Bale, Hugh Jackman and Michael Caine. We discuss why it's a remarkable movie that never gets old watch after watch.

Host: Evan Rook**Issues Covered:** Culture, Film

Program 22-11**Air Week:** 3/13/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: A MORE SUPPORTIVE MENTAL HEALTH SYSTEM****Time:** 1:47**Duration:** 9:43

Synopsis: The isolation of the pandemic has taken a big toll on young people as rates of depression, anxiety and other mental disorders have sharply risen in children and adolescents. What are the key areas that need to be fixed? Why is mental health just as important as physical health? We answer these questions and more this week on Viewpoints.

Host: Gary Price

Guests: Dr. Thomas Insel, psychiatrist, neuroscientist, former head, National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH), author of *Healing: Our Path From Mental Illness to Mental Health*; Dr. Vaile Wright, psychologist, senior director, Health Care Innovation, American Psychological Association.

Issues Covered: Psychology, Innovation, Health Policy, Technology, Public Health, Mental Health, Insurance, Policy, Science

Links for more info:

Learn more about mental health | NAMI: National Alliance on Mental Illness

SAMHSA's National Helpline

BetterHelp

What American Mental Health Care Is Missing - The Atlantic

Healing: Our Path from Mental Illness to Mental Health Hardcover

SEGMENT 2: THE ECONOMIC SQUEEZE OF INFLATION**Time:** 13:22**Duration:** 9:56

Synopsis: 'Between January 2021 and January 2022, prices across the board went up by 7.5%. What's next? Economics professor Dr. Christian Vom Lehn joins us to break down what's fueling these continued price hikes and how the invasion of Ukraine by Russia may make certain goods and services pricier.

Host: Marty Peterson

Guests: Dr. Christian Vom Lehn, assistant professor, economics, Brigham Young University; Carrie Leonard, suburban Chicago resident.

Issues Covered: Inflation, Economics, Consumerism, Personal Finance, Labor, Manufacturing

Links for more info:

Christian vom Lehn

Consumer prices up 7.5 percent over year ended January 2022

Federal Reserve Chair Pledges to Bring Inflation Under Control - The New York Times

CULTURE CRASH: GETTING BACK TO THE 90S**Time:** 24:18**Duration:** 2:10

Synopsis: We travel back in time to the 1990's as author Chuck Klosterman joins Culture Crash to highlight the iconic culture, media and politics of this infamous decade.

Host: Evan Rook

Issues Covered: Culture, History

Program 22-12**Air Week:** 3/20/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: THE EXPANDING LANDFILL IN SPACE****Time:** 1:47**Duration:** 8:43**Synopsis:** From weather forecasting to cellular coverage to global imaging, we heavily rely on space satellites in our day to day lives. We discuss the serious issue of human-created space debris and what's being done to curb this problem before it reaches catastrophic levels.**Host:** Gary Price**Guests:** Dr. Jonathon McDowell, astronomer, astrophysicist, Center for Astrophysics at Harvard and the Smithsonian; Dr. Moriba Jah, associate professor, aerospace engineering, engineering mechanics, University of Texas – Austin, co-founder, chief scientist, Privateer Space.**Compliance issues:** Environment, Waste Management, Space Exploration, Science, Technology**Links for more info:**

Center for Astrophysics (Harvard & Smithsonian) - Jonathan McDowell

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SEGMENT 2: PAVING A NEW FUTURE FOR CLASSICAL MUSIC**Time:** 12:33**Duration:** 10:57**Synopsis:** Less than 2% of all classical musicians are African American. Two classical music experts join us this week to help us understand the barriers for entry into classical music and how those in the field are helping younger populations gain exposure and greater access to the genre.**Host:** Marty Peterson**Guests:** Brendan Slocumb, professional violinist, music educator, author of *The Violin Conspiracy*; Afa S. Dworkin, president, artistic director, Sphinx.**Issues Covered:** Education, Career, Arts, Diversity, Music, Social Equity, Nonprofit, Literature**Links for more info:**

Sphinx Organization

About Me — Brendan Slocumb

Classical Music Had A Race Problem 20 Years Ago. It Still Does | Cognoscenti

CULTURE CRASH: THE DARKER "BATMAN"**Time:** 24:30**Duration:** 1:57**Synopsis:** "The Batman" starring Robert Pattinson has dominated box office charts the last couple of weeks. We discuss if the new take on the classic franchise is worth the hype.**Host:** Evan Rook**Issues Covered:** Culture, Film

Program 22-13**Air Week:** 3/27/22**Writers/Producers:** Amirah Zaveri, Polly Hansen & Evan Rook**Production Manager:** Jason Dickey**SEGMENT 1: CARING FOR AN AGING POPULATION****Time:** 1:47**Duration:** 9:33

Synopsis: More than 54 million Americans ages 65 or older are living in the U.S. today. This accounts for almost 17 percent of the total population. This number is only set to rise over the next two decades as millions more baby boomers transition into this next phase of life. As this population further ages, many will require care. So often we talk about the healthcare system and the patients themselves, but what about the caregivers who provide these services? In many cases, this role falls on family members' shoulders, and for this group, it can be all too easy to quickly lose sight of personal health, wellness and relationships. We discuss the ups and downs of caregiving in a world that can feel isolating and hard to navigate.

Host: Gary Price**Guests:** Dr. Santo D. Marabella, author, *Lessons of Caring: Inspiration and Support for Caregivers*; Erik Stoll, co-director, *America* (film).**Compliance issues:** Senior Care, Aging, Healthcare, Relationships, Health**Links for more info:**

Family Caregiver Alliance

América – Documentary Film

AARP Resources for Caregivers and their Families

Caregiver Support | USAGov

SEGMENT 2: WHEN THE GUILTY ARE MARKED AS INNOCENT**Time:** 13:22**Duration:** 9:58

Synopsis: Why do we believe one person but believe another is lying? This week, author Sarah Weinman joins us as we discuss the story of one American man in the 1950's who was able to dupe millions and get released from prison.

Host: Marty Peterson**Guests:** Sarah Weinman, writer, author, *Scoundrel: How a Convicted Murderer Persuaded the Women Who Loved Him, the Conservative Establishment, and the Courts to Set Him Free*.**Issues Covered:** Crime, History, Criminal Justice, Law, Psychology, Media**Links for more info:**

Edgar Smith, Killer Who Duped William F. Buckley, Dies at 83 - The New York Times

Scoundrel – HarperCollins

Crime - The New York Times

CULTURE CRASH: "HEAT WAVES": A SONG THAT SEEMS TO NEVER GO OUT OF STYLE**Time:** 24:20**Duration:** 2:07

Synopsis: The song, "Heat Waves" by the British indie pop rock band, Glass Animals continues to be a hit track almost two years after its release. We discuss its continued popularity and what else is worth a listen from Glass Animals.

Host: Evan Rook**Issues Covered:** Culture, Music