

New Jersey Public Broadcasting Authority
Significant Issues and Programs Broadcast From
April 1, 2010 through June 30, 2010

Introduction:

The New Jersey Public Broadcasting Authority produces and broadcasts the following programming, which specifically address topics of interest and concern to the citizens of the state.

Another View: A 30-minute monthly public affairs program focusing on New Jersey's African-American communities. Airsthe third Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m.; rebroadcast the third Friday at 11:30 p.m..

Caucus: New Jersey with Steve Adubato: A 30-minute program featuring the analysis of the major issues facing New Jersey. Airst weekly on Sundays at 8:30 a.m.; rebroadcast Mondays at 11:30 p.m.

Classroom Close-up, NJ: A 30-minute program featuring New Jersey's public school success stories. Airst weekly on Mondays at 6:30p.m.; rebroadcast Saturdays at 9:00 a.m.

Due Process: A 30-minute program addressing contemporary legal issues and featuring various legal professionals and experts. Airst weekly on Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; rebroadcast Sundays at 6:30 p.m. and the following Tuesday at 11:30 p.m.

Images/Imagenes: A 30-minute program focusing on cultural events and public affairs in the Hispanic community. Airst weekly on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m.; rebroadcast Sundays at 8:00 a.m.

NJN News: A 30-minute news program focusing on the issues and events relevant to New Jersey's citizens. Airst weeknights at 6:00 p.m., 7:30 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. and rebroadcast Tuesdays through Fridays at 6:30 a.m.; Saturdays at 6 a.m.

On the Record: A 30-minute programs featuring one-on-one interviews with NJ newsmakers and lawmakers. Airst weekly on Sundays at 9:00 a.m.; rebroadcast Sundays at 11:00 a.m. and Mondays at 6:30 a.m.

Reporters Roundtable with Michael Aron: A 30-minute program featuring reporters discussing New Jersey's political scene. Airst weekly on Fridays at 6:30 p.m.; rebroadcast Sundays at 10:00 a.m.

State of the Arts: A 30 minute program on location with creative personalities in New Jersey. Airst Fridays at 8:30 p.m.; rebroadcast Wednesdays at 11:30 p.m.

Issue: Education

Weekdays from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., NJN Public Television provides a complete daytime educational program schedule for pre-school through college levels. These are listed in the program guide and include: *Sesame Street, Reading Rainbow.*

At 5AM, Monday through Thursdays, NJN airs **GED and ESL classes**. At 5 AM on Fridays, NJN airs *Crossroads Café*, instruction in English as a second language. At 5:30 AM weekdays, we air *A Place of Our Own*, providing parents and caregivers solid educational information on how young children learn.

Also, NJN's new *Digital Classroom* offers a video-on-demand service for students, teachers and adult learners.

NJN also airs *Classroom Close-up New Jersey*, a weekly series co-produced by the New Jersey Education Association and NJN Public Television. The series highlights innovative teaching methods in classrooms across NJ.

Issue: Government

Weekly updates of the political climate in New Jersey are featured on *On the Record* and *Reporter's Roundtable*. (see above)

In May, NJN aired *Christie: On the Line*, a one-hour, interactive program during which the Governor responded to phone calls, e-mails and questions about a range of issues concerning the residents of New Jersey.

In June NJN aired the *2010 Congressional Primaries*, providing live returns from the key congressional primary races.

Issue: Community Relations and Public Affairs

In April, NJN aired a special live call-in program, *Census 2010: Another View Live*. This program addressed some of the reasons why the African-American and Latino populations have been undercounted in the past while exploring what's at stake for this year's 2010 Census and why everyone deserves to be counted.

In May NJN aired *The New Affluence Money Help is on the Way*, a show that redefines what it means to be financially comfortable - and examines what is required to overcome inevitable future challenges, whether they arise personally or as a result of another economic tsunami.

In June, NJN aired *Secrets of Enlightenment with Deepak Chopra* in which Chopra leads his audience on a path towards self-awareness and spiritual growth by exploring the depths of consciousness.

Issue: Nature and the Environment

In the April episode of *The Endless Feast*, local farmers and food artisans, food lovers and star chefs are brought together to explore the connection between the land and the food on our tables.

In May NJN aired *Arabian Horse: The Ancient Breed* which uses stunning footage of Arabians and historical narrative to help trace the roots of the breed from its origins on the deserts of Africa to its importation to the United States in the 20th century.

In June, NJN aired *Living with Chernobyl: The Future of Nuclear Power* exploring one of the few large-scale carbon-free energy sources and our emotional response to nuclear power.

Issue: Arts and Culture

In April, NJN aired *Imagine This*, an unforgettable new musical that follows a group of actors in the Warsaw Ghetto as they stage a play to inspire hope within their community.

In May, NJN aired *Fillmore: The Last Days* exploring this integral part of the West Coast music scene of the '60s and, now, an essential element of the mythology of rock 'n' roll.

In June, NJN aired *Paul McCartney: Good Evening New York City*, which captures the famed rocker during his historic three-night christening of New York's Citi Field in July 2009.