

WUEZ-FM Carterville, IL Issues/Programs List  
Filed 04/08/19, for the 2nd Quarter Jan-Mar 2019

Program: Week in Review

Date/Time: 1/14/19 6:24am

Length: 11 Min

Issue: The Flu

Issue: IL Dept of Public Health Director Dr. Nirav Shah

Synopsis: The importance of Flu vaccinations, as well as addressing the concerns of the "anti-vaccer" movement. Director Shaw outlined the people who are at highest risk by age and the effectiveness of this year's vaccine. We also covered the times in which you should stay home from work or school and the proper hygiene procedures for visiting the hospital. Many of our local hospitals had restrictions in place during this time.

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Date/Time 1/27/19

6:00am

Length: 20 Min

Issue: Video Gambling

Issue: ProPublica reporter Jason Grotto

Synopsis: Jason completed a report on the losses generated by video gambling in the casino business; we have one in our area, Metropolis. Lower taxation rates for the community based machines have eaten into the state revenues, while at the same time, many businesses in our area say they would not be able to stay open without the revenue video gambling generates for them.

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Date/Time: 2/17/19 6:40am

Length: 19 min

Issue: Minimum Wage Increase Effect on Small Government

Issue: Williamson County Commissioner Ron Ellis

Synopsis: Illinois Governor JB Pritzker has signed a minimum wage increase that ramps up to 15 dollars. Ellis outlined the cost increase for government workers in Williamson County, how this will effect summer jobs for young adults, and increased salary costs in almost all categories. Ellis also spoke on the proposed 10% cut across the board on all property taxes and the "devastating effect" it would have on the county's budget.

Additional interviews:

Interview Date: Friday Jan 25th, 8:40am

Interviewee: John Pfeiffer, Women's Center

Discussing: Taste of Chocolate Benefit event  
Issue: domestic violence prevention & support  
Length: 5 min

Interview Date: Thursday Jan 31st, 8:30am  
Interviewee: Roger Lipe, SIU Chaplain, FCA Chair  
Discussing: Fellowship of Christian Athletes Home Team Banquet  
Issue: public service through Christian ministry  
Length: 5 min

Interview Date: Friday Feb 8th, 8:30am  
Interviewee: Diane Hood, Boys and Girls Club of Carbondale  
Discussing: Trivia Night at the Oscars benefit  
Issue: enabling young people to graduate high school and plan for their future through the Boys and Girls Club  
Length: 5 min

Interview Date: Thursday, Feb 21st, 8:30am  
Interviewee: Kim Talley, Regional Co-director, Special Olympics Illinois, Marisa Prendergast, Special Olympics athlete, and Adan Cunico, SIU Campus Police Department  
Discussing: Polar Plunge to benefit Special Olympics Illinois  
Issue: supporting special populations  
Length: 5 min