

ISSUES AND PROGRAMS LIST
2nd QUARTER 2015

Station WBLI 106.1 FM determined that the following were of significant concern to the Long Island, New York community during the second quarter of 2015.

1. Health
2. Public Safety
3. Education
4. Economy/Economic Development
5. Environment
6. Community/Charity Events/Organizations

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Cox Radio Long Island Program Descriptions

Plugged In To Long Island - Plugged In To Long Island is a one-half hour, station produced interview program focusing on Long Island area issues. It is heard Sunday mornings at 6:00AM and 6:30AM. Plugged In To Long Island is produced by WBAB/WBLI community affairs staff. **East End Report** is a monthly half-hour segment of Plugged In To Long Island dedicated to our East End listeners. It includes updates on ascertained issues such as the environment and land preservation of the East End. The show can be heard as part of Plugged In To Long Island.

Radio Health Journal - Radio Health Journal is a one-half hour radio magazine produced by Media Tracks Communications that keeps tabs on the latest in the world of medicine- breakthroughs, what medical advances to look for, and eye opening news. The show airs on Sunday morning at 5AM.

The Best Of Our Knowledge/Legislative Gazette –The Best Of Our Knowledge/Legislative Gazette is a one-half hour New York State (WAMC) produced discussion program focusing on education and New York State political issues. It is heard Sunday mornings between 6:00am and 6:30am, inside Sunday morning public affairs programming.

BLI In The Morning - BLI In The Morning with Dana & Jeffrey airs weekdays from 5:30AM-9AM. During morning drive, News Director Ted Lindner gives an hourly news and traffic update.

Cox Radio 2nd Quarter 2015 Issues & Programs

Issue- Health

Radio Health Journal 4/5/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- Scientists are learning that some people can be physically addicted to certain kinds of foods, especially highly-processed foods, and suffer withdrawal when they can't have them. Experts explain the brain chemistry of food addiction, how it is virtually identical to the chemistry of drug addiction and alcoholism, and what it means for the nation's fight against obesity.

Radio Health Journal 4/5/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- Studies are showing that people who train hard and long at running have death rates similar to couch potatoes, while those who exercise moderately or even lightly are likely to live much longer. Experts discuss how much exercise is enough and how to make the most of light exercise.

Radio Health Journal 4/12/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- Color blindness (or color vision deficiency) affects up to eight percent of men. Until recently, doctors could do nothing to treat it. Now high-tech glasses can make colors come alive for many people with the most common form of color blindness. Experts explain color blindness and the glasses that can treat it.

Radio Health Journal 4/12/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- Most people would like to eat healthy foods. But other factors such as cost and ease of preparation are much more important in our food choices. A longtime food market researcher discusses why we choose the foods we eat.

Radio Health Journal 4/19/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- Vitamins are essential to our health, and most of those we need we can get through our diets. Many foods are fortified today. Standards for dietary minimums help prevent deficiency diseases, but little is known about whether it's possible to consume too many vitamins. Experts discuss.

Radio Health Journal 4/26/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- Most people have little idea what goes on in the digestive system. A science writer explains everything she found during an exhaustive investigation.

Radio Health Journal 4/26/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- Since the dawn of medicine, doctors have believed that, once injured, the brain could not heal. Now they've learned that the brain can heal, and are beginning to tap ways to make it heal better and faster. Experts explain.

Radio Health Journal 5/10/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- Lung cancer is the world's #1 cancer killer, but its association with smoking has created a stigma that often stuns patients who never smoked and results in much less research money for lung cancer than for other less lethal diseases. Still, new treatments provide hope. Experts discuss these issues.

Radio Health Journal 5/17/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- The cultural bias against obesity is often justified on health grounds. But recent studies show that people classified in the "overweight" BMI category actually have less mortality than normal weight people. Experts discuss how culture drives our obsession with weight and what science really has to say about it.

Radio Health Journal 5/17/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- Many diseases have a genetic trigger, but a noted researcher concludes that alteration of the diet can override that programming. He discusses how disease doesn't have to be preordained.

Plugged Into Long Island 5/24/15 at 6-6:30AM (29 minutes)

- Summary: Ted Lindner and Staci Leavitt, Nutrition and Eating Disorder Clinician and owner of Mind and Body, Inc, talk about ways to eat healthier (especially during the summer months) and how to promote healthy eating with your family, as well as and dealing with eating disorders.

Radio Health Journal 5/31/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- Testing for breast cancer genes BRCA-1 and 2 has been inaccessible to many women due to extremely high cost. Now a new \$249 breast cancer gene test is available. Experts discuss whether this changes who should be tested and the ramifications of widespread testing.

Radio Health Journal 5/31/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- The sense of smell evokes powerful memories and makes food taste good, but it also has important functions in interpersonal relations and personal safety. Experts discuss the science behind it.

Radio Health Journal 6/7/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- When AIDS first became widespread in the 1980's, it was a death sentence. A doctor who has spent her entire career on the front lines of HIV recounts the gloom and desperation of the early days and the transition of HIV into a treatable chronic disease.

Plugged Into Long Island 6/14/15 at 6-6:30AM (26 minutes)

- Summary: Al Levine speaks with Dr. Kapoor about prostate cancer awareness. Prostate cancer is one of the most common types of cancer in men. Prostate cancer usually grows slowly and initially remains confined to the prostate gland, where it may not cause serious harm. Prostate cancer that is detected early, when it's still confined to the prostate gland, has a better chance of successful treatment.

Radio Health Journal 6/14/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- Digital technology has revolutionized many industries, but medicine has lagged behind. One of the nation's most influential doctors discusses why the shift hasn't occurred yet, what the consequences are, and what it will take to bring health care technology to its full potential.

Radio Health Journal 6/21/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- More than five million children have been born as a result of in-vitro fertilization, but many are born as twins, triplets and even quadruplets. Experts discuss the challenges that result in multiple births and new technology that promises to reduce the number of multiples in IVF.

Radio Health Journal 6/28/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- Bell's palsy is a frightening malfunction in the nerve controlling half of the face that occurs for unknown reasons. Sufferers often think they're having a stroke. While Bell's palsy often resolves on its own, it can leave permanent effects. Experts and two people who've had the disorder discuss.

Radio Health Journal 6/28/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- Many doctors believe emotion is detrimental to medical practice, and many patients think doctors are cold and emotionless. But one influential physician explains why emotion is important to doctors.

Issue – Public Safety

Plugged Into Long Island 4/12/15 at 6-6:30AM (27 minutes)

- Summary: Fingers meets with Don Gomo from the Empire State Motorcycle Safety Education Program. The goal of ESMSEP is to go out and provide free informational education to drivers and motorcyclists about the risks associated with motorcycling and how we can take steps to minimize them through increased awareness and learning.

WBAB's Rock'N'Roll Morning Show With Roger & JP, 4/15/15 5a, 7a, 8a (1 minute each hour)

- Yesterday afternoon a man was burned inside his rental car after police say he apparently tried to kill the bedbugs that were living inside of the car with alcohol, and then lit a cigarette. The vehicle then caught fire outside an Eastport supermarket. Scott Kemery, was taken to Stony Brook University Hospital with first- and second-degree burns. Police said the fire does not appear to be criminal in nature at this point, but the investigation is continuing. Other cars in the lot were also damaged in the fire.
- Today is the two year anniversary of the Boston Marathon Bombings in which 3 people died in the bombings themselves and an officer died in a shootout with the suspects days later. Tamerlan Tsarnaev was killed in a shootout with police and his younger brother Dhozkar was convicted on all 30 counts he faced -- including using weapons of mass destruction, bombing a place of public use, and could face the death penalty.
- A man was arraigned in Hempstead yesterday after a gold and diamond engagement ring was stolen from a home in Wantagh. Enrique Alfaro, has been charged with grand larceny after Police, said he had been working at a Wantagh residence for Complete Basement Systems when he took a gold and diamond engagement ring worth about \$8,000. It was on a table in the home. Police found the ring at an Islip pawn shop.

Radio Health Journal 4/19/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- Many people have misconceptions about what addiction is and is not. A noted British journalist explains how these myths fuel the war on drugs, and alternatives that might really curb addiction and drug trafficking.

WBAB's Rock'N'Roll Morning Show With Roger & JP, 5/1/15 5a, 7a, 8a (1 minute each hour)

- Police say a man fatally shot his wife and himself at their home in Mastic Beach, while four of their children were at school. The two were found dead after the children had arrived home from school to find themselves locked out. The victims were identified as 29-year-old Wayne Street and 28-year-old Jenni Lee Street. Police say two other children, both under the age of two, as well as the family dogs were inside the home at the time of the shootings but were not hurt.
- Baltimore police said yesterday their investigation into the events leading to the death of Gray, the black man whose death in police custody sparked protests, rioting and looting, have been turned over to state officials and a Baltimore TV station reports that the medical examiner found Freddie Gray died as a result of slamming his head against the inside of a police van, breaking his neck. A lot of protestors aren't buying the story and more arrests were made in several cities last night.

Radio Health Journal 5/3/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- Teenage drivers are the most dangerous on the road. Graduated driver's license programs have improved their record, but a new study finds teen drivers are often distracted before crashes. Brain biology plays a role. Experts discuss distracted driving and ways to get teens to pay attention on the road.

The Best of Our Knowledge 5/3/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- One in three American young people will be arrested before the age of 23, and many will spend time in institutions that used to be called "reform schools" or "rehabilitation camps"...but can really only be described as prisons.

Today on the Best Of Our Knowledge, we'll talk to the author of an extensive study of the juvenile justice system and learn just what is happening to children behind bars.

We'll also spend an academic minute playing with puppies...trust me, it'll make you feel better.

Radio Health Journal 5/10/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- Many people will have to deal with a natural disaster at some point in their lives. Two civil defense experts discuss how to be ready before it comes.

Plugged Into Long Island 5/24/15 at 6:30-7AM (28 minutes)

Ted Lindner discusses bullying with Dr. Aaron Krasner, from Silver Hill Hospital in Connecticut. Statics show bullying is becoming a huge problem and we need to educate the public on the issues surrounding it.

Radio Health Journal 5/24/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- Loneliness affects far more than our mental health. Studies are now showing that loneliness and social isolation also have profound effects on our physical health, and increase the risk of death substantially. Experts discuss.

Radio Health Journal 5/24/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- Seven hundred children under age 15 drown in the US each year, most within sight of a parent or other adult. Experts discuss one major reason: drowning doesn't look like most people picture it, and so are unaware the child is in trouble.

WBAB's Rock'N'Roll Morning Show With Roger & JP, 5/29/15 5a, 7a, 8a (1 minute each hour)

- The FAA says pilots of four planes reported that a green laser "illuminated" their aircraft while they were about 8,000 feet over Long Island, last night between 9:30 and 10 p.m. The laser was apparently aimed from somewhere in Bethpage State Park. The planes had just taken off from JFK. There were no injuries reported. The FAA notified the New York State Park Police who searched the park but didn't find anyone. The investigation continues.
- Police have arrested a man who they said took pictures of a minor in a restaurant bathroom back on May 17. Officials say the suspect leaned over a bathroom stall and took the photos with a cell phone of an 8-year-old boy at Hibachi Grill in North Babylon. Police say they got more than a dozen phone calls after releasing the surveillance video of the suspect, identified as 28-year-old Luis Flores, Jr. Flores is charged with second-degree unlawful surveillance. Anyone with additional information or questions about the case is asked to call 1-800-220-TIPS.

Radio Health Journal 6/7/15 at 5:00AM (13 minutes)

- Psychological or physical abuse by siblings is much more common than most people realize. It can leave severe psychological scars. However, parents often downplay it, calling it "normal sibling rivalry." Experts discuss the extent of the problem, warning signs of abuse, and how parents can act without involving family services officials and endangering the family.

Radio Health Journal 6/21/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- Social anxiety disorder is more than just shyness. It can be crippling and keep people completely inside the house. An expert whose daughter was afflicted discusses social anxiety warning signs in children and how the disorder can be treated.

WBAB's Rock'N'Roll Morning Show With Roger & JP, 6/29/15 5a, 7a, 8a (1 minute each hour)

- A 67-year-old woman was found stabbed to death in New Hyde Park on Tuesday night and police are trying to determine the circumstances around the stabbing. The body of Sandra Bloom was discovered by her husband on the kitchen floor of their home just before 6:30 p.m. Police said the victim's 44-year-old son, was found unconscious in the home possibly the victim of a drug overdose. The investigation continues.
- Just one week after a gunman killed nine people during Bible study at Charleston's Emanuel African Methodist Episcopal Church, worshippers gathered once more in the same room where the bullets flew. Almost 100 people turned out for the first Wednesday night Bible study at the church since the tragic events of last week. Dylan Roof has been arrested and charged in connection with the shooting.

- Suffolk Police say a bicyclist was killed in Brentwood yesterday morning when he rode in front of a sport utility vehicle, heading south on Washington Ave. He was struck by a Ford Escape heading east on the LIE south service road around a quarter to 8. The service road was closed for several hours as police investigated.

Issue- Education

The Best of Our Knowledge 4/5/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- Usually when we talk about class on this program, it's one of those things they have in school. Today, not so much.

During election season we hear the term middle class thrown around like crazy by all sorts of politicians who have no idea what the term means. Most other time, class is just not something we talk about in the US. But ignoring the issue doesn't change the issue...class matters. Today on the Best Of Our Knowledge, we'll talk to the author of a new book about class in the US...and a new study which focused on the class divisions in the activist community.

The Best of Our Knowledge 4/12/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- If there's any occupation that needs continuously updated education it's medicine. With constant updates and advances, physicians need smart, innovative ways to keep pace. Today on the Best Of Our Knowledge, a look at new technology and adaptive learning for physicians with Dr. Ulrik Christensen, the Chairman of the Board of Area 9 Learning. He is also a member of the executive management team of McGraw-Hill Education team striving to reimagine education through adaptive and personalized learning.

WBAB's Rock'N'Roll Morning Show With Roger & JP, 4/15/15 5a, 7a, 8a (1 minute each hour)

- Thousands of Long Island elementary and middle school students refused to take the state's English Language Arts exam Tuesday, the first of three days the test is being given in public schools throughout NY State. About 16,000 students in grades 3 through 8, in 21 school districts in Nassau and Suffolk counties, opted out of the test, according to Newsday. The movement, largely organized on social media, has been fueled by strong criticism of the exams, are based on national Common Core academic standards.

The Best of Our Knowledge 4/19/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- It always strikes me as a little odd when someone talks about either believing or not believing in evolution. While I understand the theological arguments, and trust me...we're not getting into one today...the current scientific evidence shows evolution to be a fact, not a belief system.

But still, about half the population of the US says they don't believe that...and a recent article in Orion Magazine points to school systems as being the number one culprit.

The Best of Our Knowledge 4/26/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- Everybody loves a good story. So, today on the Best Of Our Knowledge, we thought we'd change things up a bit and bring you a few stories from around the country...and overseas to see how educators are helping their students and communities.

Radio Health Journal 5/3/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- Doctors too often use language that's indecipherable to normal people. Efforts are underway at medical schools to teach doctors to speak in plain language. An expert at one such school and a participant in these classes discuss.

The Best of Our Knowledge 5/10/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- I love road trips! Last month I hit the road and ended up in Silicon Valley at the Association of Health Care Journalists annual conference where I had the chance to speak with educators and authors about the latest in medical education.

The Best of Our Knowledge 5/17/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- Most educators agree that teaching ethics is an important part of a medical education. What they don't agree on is when to start. Today on the Best Of Our Knowledge, we'll talk about teaching ethics to medical students.

We'll also hear from a college student about her education in the arts...and the effects starting early in life had on her progress.

Then a conversation about summer vacation...and keeping all that good education from the school year safe between your student's ears.

The Best of Our Knowledge 5/31/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- There are interesting stories about Common Core and standardized testing all over the country, but if you want real entertainment, you have to look closely at Florida. Today on the Best Of Our Knowledge, we'll hear how developing education standards and valid evaluations has been a comedy of errors in the Sunshine State.

We'll also see how another southern state, North Carolina, is trying to find ways to pay its best teachers. And we'll spend an academic minute matching the personalities of students and teachers for better early education.

Radio Health Journal 6/14/15 at 5:13AM (8 minutes)

- Some people who remember things extremely well may claim they have a "photographic memory," but some experts say such a thing doesn't really exist. Experts discuss how memory works.

The Best of Our Knowledge 6/7/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- Anyone paying attention to the news of the day can see there are calls to limit the right of free speech in the US for various reason ranging from national security to racial unrest. You might think these calls are unprecedented. You'd be wrong. In the very early days of our republic, back in 1798, there were calls to make criticizing the government a crime.

Today on the Best Of Our Knowledge, we're going to return to history class and discuss those early calls for restricting free speech in the US.

The Best of Our Knowledge 6/14/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- We all have a picture in our head about what the perfect learning environment looks and sounds like. Secluded, comfortable, quiet.

Yeah, that's pretty much all wrong. Today on the Best Of Our Knowledge, we'll talk to the author of the book How We Learn...and learn how most of us get it all wrong.

We'll also head to LA and hear how the schools are helping low income students get three solids a day.

The Best of Our Knowledge 6/21/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- A history class at the University of Michigan recently had the chance to study two unique aspects of American life just before and after the end of the 19th century: African American life in the Albany area after the end of slavery...and the photograph. Today on the Best Of Our Knowledge, we'll talk to Dr. Martha Jones, the history professor whose class studied the photo albums of Arabella Chapman...and preserved them on line for all to see.

The Best of Our Knowledge 6/28/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- Recently there has been increased talk about the importance of teaching citizenship in schools.

We've had a conversation or two about it right here. But can citizenship education survive in an atmosphere of standardized testing and common core homogenization? Today on the Best Of Our Knowledge, we'll talk to a professor of democracy and education about teaching students to be good citizens in a democratic society.

We'll also spend an academic minute celebrating the birthday of one of the building blocks of democratic society.

Issue- Economy/Economic Development

Plugged Into Long Island 4/19/15 at 6-6:30AM (27 minutes)

- Summary: Al Levine speaks with Lori Vavrinec, from Fidelis Care. Fidelis Care is a non-profit health insurance organization with more than 1.2 million members. They offer coverage in all 62 counties of New York State, and about half are in the five boroughs and Long Island. Fidelis believes that everyone has the right to quality, affordable health insurance coverage, and their goal is to provide health insurance to anyone who needs it.

WBAB's Rock'N'Roll Morning Show With Roger & JP, 5/1/15 5a, 7a, 8a (1 minute each hour)

- There could be a drop in your electric bill in May as PSEG Long Island cuts the power supply charge 22 percent -- the fifth straight month of reduction. PSEG says the reduction was a "direct result" of the company's "ability to procure gas at prices that were lower than projected," The power supply charge makes up about half of customer bills. The other half, called the delivery charge, has been frozen for the past three years.

Plugged Into Long Island 5/17/15 at 6:30-7AM (28 minutes)

- Summary: Sandy Brewster talks to Terri Alessi-Miceli from the Hauppauge Industrial Association. For more than 30 years, HIA-LI has been the recognized voice for Long Island businesses and a powerful force for regional economic development. HIA-LI provides a forum for business leaders to network, problem solve, collaborate and connect on critical issues facing their businesses.

Issue- Environment

Plugged Into Long Island 4/5/15 at 6-6:30AM (26 minutes)

- Summary: Donna Donna talks with Richard Brundige and Laurie Farber about Starflowers Experiences, a local not-for-profit educational organization that offers programs and experiences to help people understand, appreciate, and live more in harmony with the earth's life systems. They discuss their new location, as well as some of the programs they run, such as Accredited Earthkeepers and Rangers of the Earth.

Plugged Into Long Island 4/26/15 at 6-6:30AM (28 minutes)

- Summary: Ted Lindner and Rich Schaffer, Babylon Town Supervisor, discuss the upcoming celebration of Earth Day on Saturday, May 2nd. At the event, the Department of Environmental Control will showcase its environmental programs. There will be giveaways, clean energy displays, recycling information, prescription drug drop off, environmental information regarding the Town's storm water management programs, and more.

The Best of Our Knowledge 5/24/15 at 5:30-6am (25 minutes)

- Let's start off with an important definition. A phage is a virus that preys on and feeds off bacteria. They are found, among other places, in the soil.

Plugged Into Long Island 6/7/15 at 6-6:30AM (27 minutes)

- Summary: Ted Lindner meets with Adrienne Esposito, Executive Director of the Citizens Campaign for the Environment. They discuss the Long Island Clean Water Partnership, which is a group of leading conservation organizations who are bringing together scientists, planners, advocates, public officials, and concerned community members, to address the issues related to declining water quality on Long Island.

Issue - Community/Charity Events/Organizations

Plugged Into Long Island 4/5/15 at 6:30-7AM (28 minutes)

- Summary: Sandy Brewster speaks with representatives of C.O.P.S. (Concerns of Police Survivors), which provides resources to assist in the rebuilding of the lives of surviving families and affected co-workers of law enforcement officers who have died in the line of duty. They also provide training to law enforcement agencies on survivor victimization issues and educate the public of the need to support the law enforcement profession and its survivors.

Plugged Into Long Island 4/12/15 at 6:30-7AM (27 minutes)

- Summary: Sandy Brewster and guests from the Long Island Center for Recovery talk about their Drug Abuse Inpatient Rehabilitation facility in Hampton Bays. The facility specializes in substance abuse services and provides residential short-term treatment options for those who enroll.

Plugged Into Long Island 4/19/15 at 6:30-7AM (28 minutes)

- Summary: Joe Rock meets with Ken Guistino to discuss the Montauk Music Festival, May 14th – 17th. The festival includes 100 bands to play 35 venues and is entirely free. It includes bands from all across the nation, many of them performing their original music.

Plugged Into Long Island 4/26/15 at 6:30-7AM (26 minutes)

- Summary: Puffy talks with Ron Darling about his upcoming golf outing, hosted by the Ron Darling Foundation, taking place at the Seawane Club in Hewlett Harbor, on May 18th. The Ron Darling Foundation is dedicated to making a difference for those with diabetes and all proceeds from the event support this cause.

Plugged Into Long Island 5/3/15 at 6-6:30AM (25 minutes)

- Summary: Sandy Brewster speaks with Les Scheinfeld and Diane Burke from Habitat for Humanity. Habitat for Humanity of Suffolk builds affordable houses for families who fit within their income guidelines. Each homeowner agrees to contribute 300 hours of building time on his or her own home and other Habitat homes, to complete educational classes, and to perform community service as the down-payment on their new home.

Plugged Into Long Island 5/3/15 at 6:30-7AM (27 minutes)

- Summary: Rocky meets with JC Putnum and Chris Dennis, from the Lupus Alliance of Long Island/Queens. The Lupus Alliance aims to improve the lives of those living with lupus through awareness, education, support services and supporting research to find the cause and cure.

Plugged Into Long Island 5/10/15 6-6:30AM (29 minutes)

- Summary: Ted Lindener talks with guests from the Special Olympics about their upcoming Law Enforcement Torch Run Event on May 21st. The mission of the event is to increase awareness and raise funds for the Special Olympics movement. Each year the initiative grows bigger and bigger. It now takes place in 46 countries and includes over 97,000 volunteers.

Plugged Into Long Island 5/10/15 at 6:30-7AM (26 minutes)

- Summary: Rocky and guests discuss the Hance Family Foundation, which was founded to honor the memories of Emma, Alyson, and Katie Hance, who died in a car accident on July 26, 2009, at ages 8,7 and 5. The funds raised for this Foundation are used to support their innovative self-esteem educational program for girls, Beautiful Me...The EAK Project, as well as local education and charitable giving programs for children.

Plugged Into Long Island 5/17/15 at 6-6:30AM (28 minutes)

- Summary: Al Levine meets with Heidi Roussis and Michelle Laser, from Sid Jacobson JCC. They discuss SJJCC's upcoming 9th Annual 5K & Fun Run. The 5K helps support the Nancy Marx Strength Cancer Wellness Program, which provides exercise and supportive counseling geared to the specific needs of cancer survivors.

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Plugged Into Long Island 5/31/15 at 6:30-7AM (27 minutes)

- Summary: Dominique talks with Terri Rizzi and Joanne Anderson from Last Hope Animal Rescue. Last Hope is a not-for-profit, tax-exempt organization that is dedicated to the rescue and rehabilitation of death-due pound, stray and abandoned animals. Through its many programs, Last Hope is attempting to reduce the tremendous cat and dog overpopulation problem on Long Island, encourage responsible and economical pet ownership, and transform the public image of the typical pound animal.

Plugged Into Long Island 6/7/15 at 6:30-7AM (26 minutes)

- Summary: Ted Lindner talks with Colin Salmaggi about the upcoming Reckless with Red Skydive for Veterans Health. The event gets patriotic citizens to jump out of perfectly good airplanes to raise money for Long Island Veteran health programs. It's taking place on June 13th at Skydive Long Island in Calverton.

Plugged Into Long Island 6/14/15 at 6:30-7AM (26 minutes)

- Summary: Al Levine and Dr. Andrew Jacono, Senior Advisor and Volunteer Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeon, discuss Face to Face. Face to Face is a National Domestic Violence Project committed to making a difference in the lives of the victims and their families by providing pro bono consultations and surgery to domestic violence survivors who have suffered injuries to the face, head and neck.

Plugged Into Long Island 6/21/15 at 6-6:30AM (26 minutes)

- Summary: Sandy Brewster meets with Pam Schwartz, Brian Perino and Marie Cimadia to discuss JDRF. JDRF is the leading global organization funding type 1 diabetes research. JDRF's goal is the progressively remove the impact of T1D from people's lives until they achieve a world without T1D. They collaborate with a wide spectrum of partners and are the only organization with the scientific resources, policy influence, and working plan to better treat, prevent, and eventually cure T1D.

Plugged Into Long Island 6/21/15 at 6:30-7AM (27 minutes)

- Summary: Ted Lindner speaks with Stephen Laton and Roy Gross from the Suffolk County SPCA. They remind Long Island that June begins the 2015 hurricane season and discuss hurricane preparedness for your pets. The Suffolk County SPCA provides pet-friendly shelters during disasters for unfortunate residents who have to evacuate their homes and leave all of their possessions behind.

Plugged Into Long Island 6/28/15 at 6-6:30AM (27 minutes)

- Summary: Sandy Brewster and guest, Mike D'Angelo, discuss Pit Bulls & Jams, an organization dedicated to raising money for non-profit bully rescues. Their mission is to end stereotypes of Pit bulls and pit bull type dogs one music note at a time, through the support of musicians/artists, local businesses, and communities.

Plugged Into Long Island 6/28/15 at 6:30-7AM (28 minutes)

- Summary: Ted Lindner meets with representatives from Comfort Zone Camp to discuss their upcoming Paint Nite Fundraiser. Comfort Zone Camp is a nonprofit bereavement camp that transforms the lives of children who have experienced the death of a parent, sibling or primary caregiver. The event is taking place at Michael's Porthole on July 12th.



WBLI COMMUNITY CALENDAR

The WBLI Community Calendar is a listing of Public Service Announcements and community events throughout Long Island. The WBLI Community Calendar runs once per daypart daily, (seven times a day), seven days a week. Events are also listed on www.wbli.com. The following are the public service announcements which ran during the 2nd quarter of 2015.

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Start: 4/1

End: 4/9

HERE'S YOUR BLI COMMUNITY CALENDAR...

JOIN WBAB FOR COMMUNITY KIDNEY DAY AT FRESENIUS MEDICAL CARE CORAM ON APRIL 9TH FROM 4-7PM, AT 1500 MIDDLE COUNTY ROAD IN CENTEREACH. COME DOWN TO MEET FRESENIUS MEDICAL CARE'S LOCAL TEAM OF EXPERT MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS, LEARN TIPS AND TRICKS TO MAKE RECIPES TASTY AND HEALTHIER, UNDERSTAND DIALYSIS OPTIONS, AND TAKE ADVANTAGE OF FREE KIDNEY HEALTH RISK SCREENINGS.

Be prepared to save a life. Here's how: if you or someone you care for is fifty years or older, you can stop a killer: colon cancer. The American Cancer Society expects nearly fifty thousand deaths from colon cancer this year. By being screened, precancerous polyps can be removed and early detection and treatment of colon cancer could be most effective. March is colon cancer awareness month. March into wellness: get screened! Go to ccalliance.org for info or reach out to a provider like Gastroenterology Associates and the Long Island Center for Digestive Health at yourGIdocs.com. Catch the killer now.

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Saturday, May 9th join WBAB and the Lupus Alliance of Long Island for their 2nd Annual 5K Run For Lupus from 8:30am to 11am. 3.1 miles, USATF sanctioned, professionally timed by Just Finish, Inc. with the RFID Race Timing Systems. Starts and Finishes at Central Islip High School. Pre-Race packet pick-up is available if registered before May 6th. T-Shirts guaranteed to the first 500 runners! Early bird registration going on now, \$20 per person if registered before April 20th. For more information call 516-783-3370.

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“Home Is Where The Heart Is” Designer Showhouse is on now through May 31st. The Showhouse is located at 393 Oyster Bay Road in Mill Neck. Proceeds will benefit the American Heart Association, the nation’s oldest and largest voluntary health organization dedicated to fighting heart disease and stroke. Admission to the Showhouse is \$35. For Showhouse ticket information, call 516-723-9370.

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End: 5/29

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The John Theissen Children's Foundation 14th Annual Casino Royale takes place June 4th at Woodbury Country Club. Open Bar, Gala Buffet, Music and Great Auction and Raffle Prizes! Try your luck at Dice, Roulette, Blackjack and more! \$65 per person, \$75 at door, \$120 per couple, \$150 at door. Ticket purchase includes \$100 worth of chips. All proceeds benefit the John Theissen Children's Foundation Back to School Program. Please R.S.V.P. by May 29th. For more information call 516-679-5098 or visit [jtcf dot org](http://jtcf.org).

May 30th marks the 15th Annual Judi Shesh Memorial Foundation 5K Walk/Run held at the Great South Bay YMCA in Bayshore! For fifteen years, in honor of this beautiful woman who lost her courageous battle to breast cancer in 2001, this organization has held the annual Judi Shesh Memorial 5K Walk/Run to raise money for Breast Cancer Research and assist Breast Cancer Charities across all of Long Island. Because 10 million women around the world could die from breast cancer in the next 25 years, we continue to fight every minute of every day to save every life.

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End: 6/20

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Become a Suffolk County Auxiliary Police Officer. This volunteer program is available to residents of Suffolk County at least 21 years of age. The Auxiliary Police provide support to the Suffolk County Police Department serving as the "eyes and ears" of the department while patrolling. Candidates must dedicate 10 hours of service each month. 120 hours of training will be provided free of charge. Applications are available by visiting: Suffolk.auxiliary.police.dot.com or call 631-852-6355.

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The Riverhead Foundation for Marine Research and Preservation cordially invites you to their 15th Annual Oceans of Hope Wild, Wild, West Dinner Gala. Friday, June 19th from 7pm to midnight at The Long Island Aquarium and Exhibition Center in Riverhead. Tickets begin at \$200. Enjoy dinner, five hour open bar and entertainment. Cocktail hour will be held along the river with an open bar going all night. Plus come dressed in your favorite Western attire! Purchase tickets online at [riverhead dash foundation dot my big commerce dot com slash tickets](http://riverheaddashfoundation.com/mybigcommerce.com/tickets).

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So many pets, so much love to share at Little Shelter's 18th Annual Pet-A-Palooza. Celebrating 88 years of saving dogs and cats! August 15th and 16th from 9am-6pm, 33 Warner Road in Huntington. Fun for the whole family! Hundreds of adoptable animals, huge Chinese auction, blessing of the animals service, kids games, barbeque, live entertainment, canine search and rescue demonstrations, doggie swimsuit contest and so much more! For more information visit [www dot little shelter dot com](http://www.little-shelter.com).

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Do you know a grieving child? Whether it was the families of 911, Fallen Firefighters or other loss, these children have a place to turn...Comfort Zone Camp. Comfort Zone Camp is a nonprofit bereavement camp that transforms the lives of children who have experienced the death of a parent, sibling, or guardian. Please support Comfort Zone Camp at a Paint Nite Fundraiser on Long Island to help grieving children, Sunday night, July 12th from 7 – 9 at Michael's Porthole in Oceanside.

Go to ComfortZoneCamp.org/PaintNite, that's N-I-T-E!

Saturday, July 25th from 11am to 4pm join VFW Post 4927 for their 3rd Annual Kick Stands Up Motorcycle Poker Run and Car Show for Homeless Veterans. 31 Horseblock Road in Centereach. Enjoy live music, food and drinks, raffle prizes and more! Pre-Registered motorcycles and cars \$20, all passengers \$10. To register visit [www dot org slash kick stands up](http://www.mhaw.org/kickstands-up).

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Cox Radio's WBLI 2nd Quarter 2015 Community Affairs Promotions

During the second quarter of 2015, WBLI took part in many local charities fundraising events.

April:

- Bidawee Pet Adoption Event – Donaldsons Subaru, Sayville
- 10th Annual Robbie's Run to Benefit the Robbie Levine Foundation, Norman J Levy Lakeside Elementary, Merrick
- 9th Annual Jigsaw Run/Walk for Autism – East Islip Marina, East Islip
- American Heart Association Jump Rope-a-Thon - Oregon Middle School, Medford

May:

- Walk to Cure Arthritis – Belmont Lake State Park, West Babylon
- Cystic Fibrosis Great Strides Walk – Holtsville Zoo, Holtsville

June:

- Sid Jacobson JCC Stronger Than Cancer 5K – Forest Drive, Glen Cove
- Cystic Fibrosis Great Strides Walk – NYIT, Old Westbury
- Long Island Blood Services Blood Drive - Town of Babylon Hall, Lindenhurst
- Long Island Blood Services Blood Drive – Syosset Hospital, Syosset
- Long Island Blood Services Blood Drive – The Paramount, Huntington