



ISSUES AND PROGRAMMING REPORT FOR WONC 89.1FM

FOURTH QUARTER 2023

OCTOBER 1ST – DECEMBER 31ST

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**WONC-FM89.1
Issues/Program List**

Quarter 4, 2023

Program Title Host	Day/Time (CT)	Type of Content	Content Demographic	Program Summary
Honestly Booked	Sunday/9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Literature	National	SUMMARY: Works of literature are discussed.
EcoShock	Sunday/10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Science	National	SUMMARY: Latest science, authors, issues – from climate change, oceans, forests, pollution, solar storms, the economy, and peace.
Grace United Methodist Church	Sunday/11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Religion	Local	SUMMARY: Weekly community church service

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Naperville Park District Happenings Sue Omanson	Monday/8:30 AM	Community	Local	SUMMARY: Updates of the parks, programs, and recreational activities provided by the Naperville Park District.
WDSRA Events and Updates Sherry Manschot	Thursday/9:30 AM	Community	Local	SUMMARY: Updates of the programs and recreational activities provided by Western DuPage Special Recreation Association.

Honestly Booked, Sunday 9-10am**Quarter 4, 2023**

Date	Program Summary
10/1/23	Did not air.
10/8/23	Did not air.
10/15/23	Rachel and Ariel are excited to be here chatting with you about all things books once again. From haunted books fitting for the season to chatting about life and never-ending TBR piles, you're sure to be laughing along with your hosts - and maybe you'll find your next read along the way!
10/22/23	Rachel and Ariel explore Aardvark, Book of the Month, Amazon First Reads, and various celebrity book clubs. You're bound to find something you'll like in this episode!
10/29/23	In this week's episode of Honestly Booked, Ariel and Rachel pull out the haunted book recommendations for the Halloween season! You'll find books fitting for the season ranging from romance to horror to gothic fiction.
11/5/23	Ariel and Rachel are back to discuss their progress with October's reading challenges. Spoiler alert: they failed at all their challenges. They also seem to be reading a lot of books about serial killers.
11/12/23	Lions and tigers and bears? Not for your hosts! They have NetGalleys and Kindles and enormous library stacks. The books are never-ending! And today, Ariel and Rachel come together to discuss what books are forever in their Kindle purgatories and library loans. And it's a lot... no surprise there.
11/19/23	Ariel and Rachel love their book subscriptions (especially Aardvark) and can't wait for you to hear all about them!

11/26/23	Ariel and Rachel are back with a selection of nonfiction books in honor of Nonfiction November! They discuss what types of nonfiction they enjoy and why they do or don't read a ton of nonfiction. Ariel also talks about her journey of reading Fourth Wing.
12/3/23	Spoiler alert: November proves to be another fail for reading challenges. BUT their Goodreads 2023 reading challenge seems to be going well. Challenges mentioned in this episode: The Book Girls Guide - Read Around the USA, Read Around the World, and Decades
12/10/23	This episode is a special one because... Ariel and Rachel's booksta bestie and #1 fan Travis joins them for this episode! Get to know Travis and what kinds of books he enjoys. We also discuss the following genres: historical fiction, romance, literary fiction, British crime, thriller, and fantasy. There is bound to be something for you to read in this episode!
12/17/23	It's the most wonderful time of the (month) year! Book subscription time! *happy dance* In this episode, Rachel and Ariel have riveting discussions surrounding audiobooks, libraries, and -of course- book subscriptions.
12/24/23	Did not air.
12/31/23	Did not air.

EcoShock, Sunday 10-11am

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10/1/23	Climate can flip to a new state, quickly. Is strangely rising methane a signal of a “termination event”? Dr. Euan Nisbet , Royal Holloway, University of London with worrying new science. We explore abrupt climate shifts with Prof. Niklas Boers , Technical University of Munich and PIK. He tells us about global reorganization of atmospheric circulation in the past – glimpses of our future – or now?

10/8/23	Special investigating air pollution: hidden warming, long-range damage with drought & rain – and to your health. New science with Geeta Persad on missing climate risk of aerosols. Followed by a replay of Leon Simons : termination shock of cleaning up air pollution. Is it behind this year’s record-smashing heat?
10/15/23	During global heat records, a world-scale carbon burst is still pouring out of Northern Canada’s wildfires – bigger than the emissions of most countries. Explore with Professor Justin Angle author of “This Is Wildfire: How to Protect Yourself, Your Home, and Your Community in the Age of Heat.” Then re-thinking the big picture: Adrian Parr ’s new work “Earthlings; Imaginative encounters with the Natural World.”
10/22/23	New tested science shows your body’s heat tolerance is much lower than experts assume. Dr. Daniel J. Vecellio warns of “Greatly enhanced risk to humans” as humid heat stress strikes billions of people sooner than expected. We just lived through: the big heat jump of 2023. Why? What happened? Spoiler alert: we are entering a time of multiple crises.
10/29/23	How big-name companies insuring coal could crash the economy and the planet – a new interview with Carly Fabian of Public Citizen. After Biden’s approval of massive new “natural” gas expansion, we review the risks with a replay interview – Harvard’s Dr. Scot Miller . UK photographer Robert Leslie covered lasting damage in the American South, years after Hurricane Katrina (replay).
11/5/23	Is the “Green New Deal” a solution or another problem? Rethinking our options first with Dr. Ted Trainer , founder of The Simpler Way in Australia. From Cambridge, political economist Jeremy Green finds dangerous myths in the New Deal for an overloaded system. Look out for the growth monster wearing green clothes!
11/12/23	Global warming is accelerating, at double the rate just a dozen years ago. The target of 1.5 degrees Celsius is “dead as a door-nail”. Earth will warm not 3 degrees, but 4.8 degrees C – 10 degrees F. – according to former NASA scientist James Hansen in his new paper “Global Warming in the Pipeline”. Press Conference Nov. 2 NYC. Then Dr. Kaitlin Naughten from the British Antarctic Survey, lead author of a new paper revealing Antarctic melting now cannot be stopped. All this and more according to a stunning new peer-reviewed paper led by

	famous NASA scientist James Hansen . Other top scientists disagree. Is Hansen right this time?
11/19/23	Behind all the crisis, the wealth machine pulls money up to the one percent. The worse things get, the less for everyone else. Author and activist Marjorie Kelly : “Wealth Supremacy: How the Extractive Economy and the Biased Rules of Capitalism Drive Today’s Crises.” How long can we keep burning fossil fuels before losing a livable climate? 2030? From Imperial College London, Dr. Robin Lamboll led a team study “Assessing the size and uncertainty of remaining carbon budgets”. The reality is: we are on a short carbon fuse.
11/26/23	Fossil fuel producers expand production while promising to reduce emissions. They plan to keep mining and pumping carbon past the year 2050. The “2023 Production Gap Report” shows brain-breaking disconnects in word and deed. Co-Lead Author Michael Lazarus explains. Then “Record-high CO2 emissions from boreal fires in 2021”. Wildfires of 2023 were worse. Dr. Philippe Ciais , Associate Director of a French climate lab tells us where all that burned carbon goes – heating the planet.
12/3/23	We are sinking in heavy weather. Elders are up to 75% of climate-driven fatalities in developed world disasters. Seniors expert Danielle Arigoni on her new book “Climate Resilience for an Aging Nation”. Then Lauren Stuart , Scientific Officer for the World Meteorological Organization who just reported on the crazy first half of 2023. We toss in a bit of James Hansen and news from Germany.
12/10/23	UN head António Guterres : “Record global heating should send shivers down the spines of world leaders.” Ice-world has tipped – no going back. Dr. Twila Moon from National Snow & Ice Data Center new “State of the Cryosphere 2023 Report”. The ozone hole is back! Hannah Kessenich “Potential drivers of the recent large Antarctic ozone holes” – and how it changes weather in Southern Hemisphere.
12/17/23	Experts find food riots are possible in the United Kingdom as climate change ramps up. From Cambridge Aled Jones outlines how food stress boils over. Around the world, crops may not be planted or harvested when it gets too hot to work outside. From Columbia University, Connor Dunn Diaz reports. Dr. Vanessa Andreotti on final care for an Age on life support: – “Hospicing Modernity”.

12/24/23	With research into heat and the limits of human health Dr. Ollie Jay , Director of the Heat and Health Research Incubator at the University of Sydney. Doctor and University of Sydney Professor Adrienne Gordon explains her specialty in care of mothers and the unborn during heat waves. Then film-maker Nick Breeze wraps it up with Dr. Jack O'Connor : Tipping Points and Interconnected Disaster Risks. Temperatures are soaring this summer in the southern hemisphere. South America is cooking, setting hundreds of new records. Recently in Australia, Sydney Airport set a new December heat record 43.5 degrees C – 110 Fahrenheit – hottest early summer day in 44 years and 18 degrees C. above average. Australians dread a “horror summer” of heat and fire.
12/31/23	If we clean up air pollution, the weather gets hotter and wilder. From Norway, Dr. Bjorn Samset explains the stakes. Then from Harvard, Dr. Francesca Dominici reveals shocking new science: just a short exposure to bad air kills seniors!

Public Service Announcements

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Name	Run Dates	Length
A.D.O.P.T. Pet Shelter	October 1 - December 31	:30
A.D.O.P.T. Pet Shelter #2	October 1 - December 31	:30
A.D.O.P.T. Pet Shelter #3	October 1 - December 31	:30
Alive Center Naperville	October 1 - December 31	:30

Almost Home Kids	October 1 - December 31	:30
Alzheimer's Awareness – Early Detection	October 1 - December 31	:30
Alzheimer's Awareness – New Hobbies	October 1 - December 31	:30
Alzheimer's Awareness – New Skills	October 1 - December 31	:30
Angels on Wheels – Naperville	October 1 - December 31	:30
Caregiver Assistance – Roxanna's Story	October 1 - December 31	:30
Chicago Hearing Society	October 1 - December 31	:30
Child Car Safety - Questions	October 1 - December 31	:30
Child Car Safety - Think	October 1 - December 31	:30
CISA – Securing Our World	October 1 - December 31	:30
Distracted Driving Prevention - Multitasker	October 1 - December 31	:30
Drug-Impaired Driving Prevention – Lost in the Music	October 1 - December 31	:30

DuPage Children's Museum	October 1 - December 31	:30
Emergency Preparedness – Karen	October 1 – November 29	:30
Emergency Preparedness – Steve	October 1 – November 29	:30
Emergency Preparedness – The Best Planner	October 1 - December 31	:30
Ending Hunger – The Full Effect	October 1 - December 31	:30
Feed My Starving Children	October 1 - December 31	:30
Gun Safety – Chris A	October 1 - December 31	:30
Gun Safety – Chris B	October 1 - December 31	:30
Gun Safety – Emily	October 1 - December 31	:30
Gun Safety – Reba	October 1 - December 31	:30
Gun Safety – Tom	October 1 - December 31	:30
Illinois Senior Medicare Patrol – Preventing Medicare Fraud	October 1 - December 31	:30
Loaves and Fishes – Naperville	October 1 - December 31	:30

Loaves and Fishes – Naperville #2	October 1 - December 31	:30
MADD – Not That Drunk	October 1 - December 31	:30
Naperville Area Humane Society	October 1 - December 31	:30
Naperville Crime Stoppers	October 1 - December 31	:30
Organ Transplant Support	October 1 - December 31	:30
Pass It On - Leadership	October 1 - December 31	:30
Pass It On - Soul	October 1 - December 31	:30
RAINN – Be the Someone	October 1 - December 31	:30
RAINN – Call or Click	October 1 - December 31	:30
RAINN – It’s a Crime	October 1 - December 31	:30
RAINN – It’s Never Your Fault	October 1 - December 31	:30
RAINN – Support Someone You Love	October 1 - December 31	:30
Texting and Driving Prevention – Are You a Chameleon?	October 1 - December 31	:30

Texting and Driving Prevention – Just Don't	October 1 - December 31	:30
Texting and Driving Prevention – Messages Unseen	October 1 - December 31	:30
Texting and Driving Prevention – School Drive	October 1 - December 31	:30
US Health & Human Services - Underage Drinking	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values - Achievement	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values - Character	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values - Commitment	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values - Excellence	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values - Fitness	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values - Friendship	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values – Helping Others	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values - Ingenuity	October 1 - December 31	:30

Values - Inspiration	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values – Inspiration #2	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values - Motivation	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values - Optimism	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values – Optimism #2	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values - Overcoming	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values - Persistence	October 1 - December 31	:30
Values - Vision	October 1 - December 31	:30
Veterans Crisis Prevention – The Question	October 1 - December 31	:30
Western DuPage Special Recreation Association	October 1 - December 31	:30
Wildfire Prevention – Avoiding Sparks	October 1 - December 31	:30
Wildfire Prevention – Avoiding Wildfires	October 1 - December 31	:30

Wildfire Prevention – Campfires	October 1 - December 31	:30
Wildfire Prevention – Safe Campfires	October 1 - December 31	:30