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9 Commerce Court Rome, Georgia 30161// 706-235-8211

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415 East third Street Rome, Georgia 30161//706-295-6325

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Dr Reeves came to urge listeners to be careful when out in the sun. He insisted we use a sunscreen even in the shade. He explained the different rays of the sun which are ultra violet, which are UV ,UVC and UVBs. Each of these rays has a different reaction toward the skin. The UVC tends to seek out the eperdermus and the melenan cells that then will morf into renegade cells that later can turn to cancer. We often hear about basil cell carcinoma or the bad one malignant melanoma. He relates that applying sunscreen numerous times a day if you are going to be out for an extended period of time will give you the protection you need for outdoor activities. He then talked about healthy living and the opening statement was Don't Smoke! Eat a good healthy diet of veggies and lean meats with no more than one drink for women and 2 for men of alcoholic beverages. Keep a normal weight, and make exercise a habit.

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University Of Georgia Cooperative Extention Service , 12 East 4th Ave. Suite 107 Rome, GA. 30161// 706-295-6210

Narrative describing the program

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Date: 7/27/13, 7/28/13

Issues Programs

WRGA-AM 1470

Narrative describing the issue and source

Hospice care has a stigma about it that some people can't get over. It is such a wonderful service to the living and the dying.

Name of individual and position

Alan Fuller is Chaplain, and Marsha Atkins is Bereavement Coordinator of the Heyman Hospice Care at Floyd Medical Center.

Address and Phone Number

P.O. Box 163, Rome, Georgia 30162// 706-509-3200

Narrative describing the Program

The Heyman Hospice program is 23 years old and has helped hundreds of patients and their caregivers. The stigma of attending to a dying person is a reality and needs to be de-mythed. Families are in a state of mourning, knowing their loved one is dying. The Heyman Hospice helps in every way for people to plan and to relate their feelings to the patient. Dying is as common as living; and the fear of dying is not just for the person who is terminally ill but for that family member that is the caregiver. Hospice helps to relieve the fears and calms the situation so that family can love and enjoy their time left on this earth. Hospice is available 24/7 and has a large employee number so that at any time of the day or night, hospice can be there with you at your time of need.

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Narrative describing the issue and source

Parkinson's disease is more prevalent than most people think. There are over 13,000 people in our North west Georgia area diagnosed with this incurable disease.

Name of individual and position , address and phone number

James Trussell, Parkinson's patient and first organizer of the support group from 10 years ago. Trussell Insurance Milner Blvd Rome, GA 30161//706-346-5678

Louise Pletcher, whose husband is also a parkinsons Patient and a member of the support group.678-246-1915

Narrative describing the Program

Parkinson's is called a movement disorder because it's classic symptoms are related to motor movement. It is a chronic progressive disorder in which dopamine is the chemical messenger in your brain partly responsible for controlling movement and coordination . It get worse in progression and will alter the movements of the Parkinson's patient. Approximately one million people in the united states have the disease. The local walk will be in October in Cedartown Georgia. The support groups are intensifying their efforts in recruiting teams to collect money and walk.

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Date 08/10/13

Issues Programs

WRGA AM 1470

Narrative describing the issue and source

Forrest Fires have become one of the country's most dreaded occurrences. The Georgia Forestry Commission covers all areas of information and access to outdoor burn bans in different counties.

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Tracy Mobley and Nathan Oakes Officers in the forestry commission's arsenal of fire prevention.

Georgia Forestry Commission 770-749-2251

Narrative describing the Program

The program being used by the commission is the Firewise Tool. It is a national program that helps communities take action to reduce their risk before a fire starts. Keep your guard up because despite recent rainfall, there are still risks even though EPD's fire ban is still in effect. Careless debris burning is the #1 cause of wildfires in Georgia. Nathan and Tracy are diligent in their work because of the horrible results of timber destroying fires .Historically Polk and Haralson counties have has unusually high incendiary / arson related fires. The general public is urged to report any suspect activity they might encounter. And call the fire alert number to report suspicious activity.

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Date 08/11/13

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08/11/13	6:00AM	23:50	Around and About

Date 08/17/13

Issues Programs

WRGA AM 1470

Narrative describing the issue and source

Georgia Department of Natural resources, mission and uses.

Name of individual and position , address and phone number

Ben Cunningham, park ranger law enforcement//1-800-366-2661

Narrative describing the Program

The Dept is responsible for conservation and preservation of parks and historic site along with wet lands and waterways. The dept is responsible for the issuing of hunting and fishing lisence They police the forests and hunting areas against hunting out of season and poachers. The rangers are on the lookout for law breakers just like our state patrol and local law enforcement keep our roads and streets safe.

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08/18/13	6:00am	23:50	Around and About

Date 08/24/13

Issues Programs

WRGA AM 1470

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Dr Paul Harton Harbin clinic ophthalmologist, Awarded Best Papers of Session during the annual meeting of the American Society of Refractive Surgeons in San Francisco.

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Date 08/25/13

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Harbin Clinic physicians compete in 205 mile race and finish first overall and set a course record.

Name of individual and position, address and phone number

- Jay Stevenson, President of GoGoRunning, 717 E 2nd Ave, Rome, GA 30161, phone 706-291-0752
- Dr. Charlie Baggett, Cardiologist at Harbin Clinic, 1825 Martha Berry Blvd. Rome, GA, phone 706-295-5331

Narrative describing the Program

Charlie Baggett MD, Jonathan Pewitt MD, and Andy Stevens MD, along with local runners set a course record in the Epic Cache Teton Relay from Smithville UT to Jackson Hole WY. The race ran through four national forests. This proved to the community that our local cardiologists practice what they preach. The race ran along the historic Oregon Trail, the shoreline of Blackfoot Reservoir, through Star Valley and beside Snake River. Truly, this was an historic time for Harbin Clinic and the community of Rome, GA.

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Date 09/07/13

Issues Programs

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Name of individual and position

Cherisse Durham Customer service Representative for home Instead

Address and Phone Number

701 Broad Street STE 305// 706-290-1367

Narrative describing the Program

Cherisse Durham came to ask those that usually get a team started, to do so now and get started on their fundraising. She also reminded everyone that has a loved one with alzheimers to attend the Caregivers lunch and learn on Sept 26 2013. It will be a time to socialize with other caregivers and learn things that will help them to deal with this disease that is taking their loved one. The topics will be "The Basics", Memory loss, dementia and Alzheimers Disease.

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Bonnie Moore Advocate for NAMI and an active teacher and speaker for the organization.
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Paul Diprima a long time member of Trout unlimited
706-766-5083
Trinity Real Estate, Rome, Ga. 30161

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