

WJON-AM
Quarterly List of Responsive Issues
and Programming
2nd Quarter 2013

Issues and Programs (WJON)

April 3

Laurie Johnson – Paramount Theatre – Talks about their schedule of events which includes shows and programs offered. 8:40-8:50am (10 minutes)

April 8

Janelle Kendall – Stearns County Attorney – Talks about domestic violence and unsolved crimes in Stearns County. 8:15-8:25 (10 minutes)

April 10

Dr. Earl Potter – St. Cloud State President – Talk about graduation and success of international students at St. Cloud State, 8:10-8:30 (20 minutes)

April 11

Alyssa Ebel – Explore Minnesota – She talks about the Fishing opener in Minnesota and other activities in the state. 8:10-8:20 (10 minutes)

April 15

Orn Bodvarsson – SCSU Economist – He talks about the national, state and local economy. 8:15-8:25 (10 minutes)

April 22

Lisa Braun – RSVP Volunteer Coordinator – She talks about it being National Volunteer recognition week. 8:15-8:25 (10 minutes)

April 25

Alyssa Ebel – Explore Minnesota – She discusses the hot spot for travel in the State of Minnesota that weekend. 8:10-8:20 (10 minutes)

May 1

Joe Perske – Sartell Mayor – Gives an update on activities and events in the city of Sartell. 8:40-8:50 (10 minutes)

May 6

Orn Bodvarsson – SCSU Economist – Gives an update on the national, state and local economy. 8:15-8:25 (10 minutes)

May 15

Voices For Veterans Segment – Barry Venable talks about the latest benefits available to veterans at the St. Cloud V.A. 8:15-8:30 (15 minutes)

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Denny Smith – St. Cloud PFLAG rep – talks about the marriage equality bill passing. 8:40-8:50 (10 minutes)

May 22

Jane Oxtan – Paramount Theatre – She talk about art opportunities at the Paramount theatre. 8:40-8:50 (10 minutes)

May 29

Dee Rengel – Rengel Printing – She talks about the American Cancer Society’s cancer survivor event. 8:40-8:50 (10 minutes)

June 5

Joe Perske - Sartell Mayor – Gives an update on construction projects and the latest activity in the city of Sartell. 8:40-8:50 (10 minutes)

June 6

Alyssa Ebel – Explore Minnesota – Talks about the latest activities in the state of Minnesota. 8:10-8:20 (10 minutes)

June 13

Kay Wolsborn – St. Ben’s Political Science Professor – Kay talks about the people running and those are aren’t running for the District 6 spot. 8:10-8:20 (10 minutes)

June 19

Voices For Veterans – Barry Venable – He talks about how veterans cope with post-traumatic stress syndrome. 8:10-8:30 (20 minutes)

June 24

Sarah Warmka – Stearns History Museum – She talks about the Historic Pub Crawl in St. Cloud. This is part of Granite City Days. 8:15-8:25 (10 minutes)

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Steve Krueger – St. Cloud Rec – He talks about the Fishing Derby as part of Granite City Days. 8:40-8:50 (10 minutes)

June 26

Tom Richardson – St. Cloud Fireworks – He talks about this year’s 4th of July Fireworks show. 8:40-8:50 (10 minutes)

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Joe Perske – Sartell Mayor – Gives an update on the activities in Sartell. 8:40-8:50 (10 minutes)

April – 3 – Jacquie Hartman from the Country Manor Campus Sartell, was on the WJON Volunteer Spotlight. She gave an overview of Country Manor and listed current volunteer opportunities. 5:45-5:49, 4 minutes.

April 9 – “Joseph and the Technicolor Dreamcoat” returns to Chanhassen Dinner Theatre. April 5th through September 28, 2013. Janet Hayes Trow, who played Mrs. Potiphar in “Joseph” was on WJON discussing the play. 5:45-5:31, 6 minutes.

April 10 – Shari Whalin, Development Director for Big Brothers/Big Sisters and Roger Schleper, who is on the planning committee for the “Magic Moments Ball” were on WJON to discuss this major fundraiser for BBBS on April 19, 2013 at the St. Cloud River’s Edge Convention Center. 5:45-5:52, 7 minutes.

April 11 – Jody Martinson, Music Director and Conductor of the Minnesota Center Chorale, was on WJON to discuss the 40th Anniversary Gala Concert “Mozart Requiem.” The concert was held Saturday April 13, 2013 at the Paramount Theatre St. Cloud, MN. 5:45-5:52, 7 minutes.

April 12 – Joyce Wittenhagen was on WJON discussing an intergenerational Garden Project, being held at the Stearns History Museum and Research Center. The program to run May 16 through August 22, 2013. Every Thursday from 9-noon. 5:46-5:52, 6 minutes.

April 15 – Whitney Nina from the St. Cloud Chamber of Commerce along with Bob Strack, from Strack Construction were on the WJON Chamber Report. Bob was selected 2013 Entrepreneurial Success Award recipient. Bob, talked about his background and how business has changed through the years. 5:45-5:50, 5 minutes.

April 16 – Whitney Bina from the St. Cloud Chamber of Commerce was in studio for a makeup chamber report. She brought along Scott Warzecha, from Netgain he was selected 2013 St. Cloud area Small Business Owner of the Year. Scott talked about how he got started in business. He will be honored at the Business Awards luncheon, Thursday May 2, 2013 at the St. Cloud Holiday Inn. 5:45-5:52, 7 minutes.

April 17 – Aimee Minnerath from the Boys and Girls Club St. Cloud, was on the Volunteer Spotlight on WJON. Aimee discussed the Roosevelt Capital Campaign Expansion. Summer kids stop registration, youth of the year compition and volunteer needs. 5:46-5:52, 6 minutes.

April 19 – Amanda Toppe gave an overview of the Young Student Parent Support Center at SCSU. Toppe also showcased several end of spring semester social events. 5:45-5:51, 6 minutes.

April 22 – Whitney Bina from the St. Cloud Chamber of Commerce was on WJON Radio’s Chamber Report. Kirsten Steigel was selected the Sauk Rapids Citizen of the year. Kirsten spoke about her many organizations that she volunteers for. She also talked about what she liked most about volunteering. Kirsten was honored Thursday April 25th at the Sauk Rapids Citizen of the Year Luncheon. 5:45-5:53, 8 minutes.

April 24 – Jacquie Hartman from the Country Manor Campus in Sartell, spoke about national volunteer week. She gave an overview of Country Manor Campus and thanked the many Volunteers. 5:45-5:49, 4 minutes.

April 25 – Makayla Wijeratne, from Childcare Choices was on the WJON Family Spotlight. Makayla runs the “Relatives as Parents” coordinator program at Child Care Choices. She presented an overview of the

program. She also spoke about why so many relatives are raising children now. She talked about the challenges the caregivers face while raising these children. 5:45-5:53, 8 minutes.

April 26 – In conjunction with National Volunteer Week, Jennifer Wucherer, with R.S.V.P. was on WJON. She gave an overview of the retired senior volunteer program, thanked the many volunteers and listed a few current volunteer needs. 5:44-5:49, 5 minutes.

April 29 – Whitney Bina from the St. Cloud Area Chamber of Commerce was on WJON's Chamber Report. Nancy Myers Training Manager at G.N.P Company. She talked about Lunchtime Learning on May 1, 2013. Nancy spoke about her topic, she will present "Creating a Leadership Philosophy for Your Workplace." 5:19-5:25, 6 minutes.

April 30 – Lisa Braun from R.S.V.P was on WJON's Volunteer Spotlight. Lisa gave an overview of RSVP. She talked about the "Cert" program, Stearns and Benton Counties Community Emergency Response Team, having training for the month of May and talked about a new program called "Trips, Slips and Broken Hips." She listed volunteer opportunities. 5:20-5:25, 5 minutes.

May 1 – WJON Chamber Report features Gail Ivers, V.P. of the St. Cloud Area Chamber of Commerce and Lee Anson from Gray Plant Mooty. Lee was selected 2013 Business Central Mark of Excellence Small Business Advocate. He will be honored at the Business awards luncheon, Thursday May 2nd at the Holiday Inn St. Cloud. Lee discussed how he ended up in St. Cloud and his biggest challenges in business and the rewards of being a business attorney. 5:20-5:25, 5 minutes.

May 3 – Alexis Lutgen, from United Way success by 6, was on the Family Spotlight discussing the Llama Llama Read-a-Rama program. This is a rescheduled program for May 7, 2013 at the St. Cloud Public Library from 5:30-7:30 pm. It's a free event for families with young children. 5:20-5:25, 5 minutes.

May 7 – Rebecca Krowski, who is on the Board of "Forum of Executive Women," which meets at the Le St. Germain Hotel and Suites in downtown St. Cloud. Rebecca gave an overview of the group and talked about their next meeting May 8th. She spoke about the guest speaker, Tammy Campion, city of St. Cloud Community Development Director, her topic of discussion is the Mississippi River. 5:20-5:25, 5 minutes.

May 8 – Rita Koll, from Anna Marie's Alliance woman's advocate supervisor was on the WJON Volunteer Spotlight. She listed volunteer needs for Anna Marie's and gave an overview of Anna Marie's. 5:20-5:25, 5 minutes.

May 9 – Angie Klinefelter, with Early Childhood Family Education was on WJON Family Spotlight. She spoke about the spring fling for Tuesday May 14, 2013, Scholastic pre-school book fair May 13th-May 17th, Celebration of Fatherhood Saturday June 15th and Early Childhood Family Education and their catalog coming out the end of July 2013. 5:24-5:29, 5 minutes.

May 10 – Ann Doycher Domres, was on WJON speaking about the Sartell Senior Connection's Lemonade and Laughter event. The event was May 14th and featured author VJ Smith. The event was held at St. Francis Xavier Church gathering Place in Sartell at 2:00 pm. – 5:45-5:53, 8 minutes.

May 13 – Bonnie Rodness ,from the Holiday Inn and Suites St. Cloud, was on the WJON Chamber Report. The Holiday Inn is hosting the St. Cloud Chambers Business After Hours May 14 from 4:30-6:30 pm. Business After Hours is a networking event sponsored by the Chamber. 5:46-5:48, 3 minutes.

May 14 – Terri Engels, a master gardener was in studio on WJON showcasing the Great Garden Get together plant sale plus, May 18th from 8:30-11:00 am Riverside Park, St. Cloud. 5:45-5:52, 7 minutes.

May 15 – Maija Schmelzer, a recruiter at Big Brothers/Big Sisters of St. Cloud, she gave an overview of BBBS. She spoke about the “Big for a Day” event and talked about the need for mentors. 5:45-5:49, 4 minutes.

May 16 – Diann Reger, from Life Transitions Services, a program of Caritas Family Services St. Cloud, MN, she showcased some of their programming kids support separation/divorce support group for parents and children ages 5 to 14 years old. And hope support for kids ages 6 to 16, Periodic short term (6 weeks) support group for children/teens who have experienced the death of a loved one. 5:45-5:50, 5 minutes.

May 17 – Kristin Gjerset ,of Sauk Rapids, MN, a nurse at the St. Cloud Hospital, she donated a kidney to her husband who is doing fine. She discussed the importance if organ donations and how you can take steps to donate life and sight. All you have to do is check the box on your driver’s license and share your wishes with loved ones. 5:45-5:52, 7 minutes.

May 20 – Whitney Bina, from the St. Cloud Chamber of Commerce and Jason Miller, the chair person for “Next St. Cloud” was on the Chamber report. Miller talked about Next St. Cloud, the presentation on May 14, 2013 is called “Nutrition on the Go.” Tim Schmidt Rejuv Medical will be the presenter, Noon till 1 pm at the Chamber office downtown St. Cloud. 5:20-5:25, 5 minutes.

May 22 – Shannen Tietz ,from Tri-Cap was on the Volunteer Spotlight, she gave an overview of Tri-Cap. She talked about their transportation Program and Need for volunteer drivers. 5:46-5:52, 6 minutes.

May 28 – James Grabinski and Michael Smith, from “Travel Talkin” have traveled to over 100 countries on 7 continents. They were on WJON with Dick Nelson talking about their latest trip to Antarctica. They are at Whitney Center, the last Friday of the month from 10:00 am to 11:00 am doing a presentation on their travels. 5:45-5:54, 9 minutes.

May 29 – On the WJON Volunteer Spotlight Jackie Hartman, from the Country Manor Campus Sartell was in studio. She gave an overview of the Country Manor Campus, she also showcased several volunteer needs. 5:46-5:51, 5 minutes.

May 30 – Maija Schmelzer from Big Brothers/Big Sisters and Luke Rearden Community based Big Brothers, he explained being a community based Big Brother and how he got involved in the program. 5:46-5:50, 4 minutes.

June 3 – Whitney Bina from the St. Cloud Chamber of Commerce was in studio to discuss Lunchtime Learning along with Luke Riordan from Dayta Marketing. Riordan gave WJON listeners a preview of his

presentation during Lunchtime Learning Wednesday June 5th from noon till 1 p.m. at the St. Cloud Chamber office. His topic was Social Media as a marketing tool in today's business world. 5:45-5:49, 4 minutes.

June 5 – Jennifer Wucherer from the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) was on WJON. Jennifer gave an overview of RSVP and listed current volunteer needs. 5:46-5:52, 6 minutes.

June 6 – Shari Wahlin Development Director of Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Central MN along with Holly Lee from Coborns Social Media and AD Development were on WJON. Shari gave an overview of BBBS and Holly Spoke about Kemps Dairy Days 8 hour sale Thursday June 20, 2013 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Coborn's Cooper Ave Store, a fundraiser for BBBS. 5:46-5:50, 4 minutes.

June 10 – Ginny Kroll from the St. Cloud Chamber of Commerce and Steve Domine, Senior Vice President at Stearns Bank were on WJON Discussing the Networking event, "Business After Hours" that Stearns Bank is hosting on Thursday June 13, 2013. 5:45-5:49:30, 4 ½ Minutes.

June 11 – Ken Schmidt ,President of the Waite Park Family Fun Fest, he talked about Waite Park's 49th Annual City Festival June 9th through the 15th, 2013. 5:20-5:25, 5 minutes.

June 11 – Rebecca Krousky from "The Forum of Executive Woman" was on WJON to discuss their June presentation featuring Dave Faust. Faust will speak at the forum June 12th at the Le St-Germain Hotel and Suites downtown St. Cloud from 11:30-1 p.m. His topic titled "All Stressed Up With No Place to Go." Faust will discuss understanding what stress is, causes and potential health effects. Learn how to de-stress with effective in the moment techniques. 5:45-5:52, 7 minutes.

June 12 – Alison Dahlin form the St. Cloud Hospital Volunteer office was on the volunteer spotlight on WJON. Alison discussed a Brat Sale at Coborn's Cooper Store, a Jr volunteer fundraiser. She also spoke about a gift gallery sale June 20th and June 21st. She also listed volunteer needs. 5:45-5:50, 5 minutes.

June 13 – Tom Schnabel, District 742 Early Childhood Family Education, Celebration of Fatherhood. Tom was on WJON he talked about the 19th annual community celebration of fatherhood. Its activities for Dads and kids up to age 8 years of age. The event is all free, Saturday ,June 15th from 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. at Lake George, St. Cloud. 5:45-5:51, 6 minutes.

June 17 – Whitney Bina from the St. Cloud Chamber Office along with Byron Bjorklund, from Short Stop custom catering. Bjorkland discussed summer catering options on the WJON Chamber Spotlight. 5:45-5:50, 5 minutes.

June 18 – Bretta Edwards from the University program board at St. Cloud State University was on WJON with Dick Nelson and discussed the 40th annual lemonade concert and art fair Thursday June 27th start of Granite City Days for the city of St. Cloud. 5:46-5:52, 6 minutes.

June 19 – Jenny Zimmer from the Good Shepherd community was on the WJON Volunteer Spotlight. She listed current volunteer needs. Jenny talked about the construction going on at the Good Shepherd in Sauk Rapids and upcoming Block Party September 15, 2013. 5:46-5:52, 6 minutes.

June 20 – Marla Elness and Kathy Sauer from Rapid River Days were on WJON discussing Rapid River Days in Sauk Rapids, they talked about Sauk Rapids ambassador organization, Rapid River Days Parade, Rapid River Days food fest and the Rapid River Ducky Race. 5:45-5:48, 7 minutes.

June 24 – Whitney Bina, St. Cloud Chamber of Commerce and Mark Bragelman, from Liberty Savings Bank were on WJON's Chamber Spotlight. Bragelman showcased the events at the Liberty Block Park at Whitney Park St. Cloud June 28th from 5-9 p.m. This event is part of Granite City Days. 5:45-5:52, 7 minutes.

June 26 – Jim Mullenbach, Community Development director St. Cloud Salvation Army was on the WJON Volunteer Spotlight. Mullenbach talked about the food shelf, lunch program and listed several volunteer needs. 5:46-5:52, 6 minutes.

June 27 – Peg Imholte Resource Training and Solutions was on WJON's Family Spotlight. She discussed two special presentations, the first "What Media Can Do to Kids" on September 30, 2013 and "When Violence Becomes Entertainment" for January 28, 2014. 5:45-5:53, 8 minutes.