

**PROGRAMS ADDRESSING
SIGNIFICANT ISSUES IN THE
COMMUNITY**

**WVMA-CD
Winchendon, MA**

January, February, March, 2015

ISSUES IN THE COMMUNITY:

1. ENVIRONMENT/ECONOMY/JOB/ TOURISM
2. GOVERNMENT
3. SCHOOLS/EDUCATION
4. MEDICAL/HEALTH/DRINKING/DRUGS
5. SAFETY/CRIME/TERRORISM
6. COMMUNITY/SOCIAL

Issue:

MEDICAL/HEALTH/DRINKING/DRUGS

Program:

Heart of Health

Length: 30 minutes

Each Sunday throughout the Quarter at 8 am and at 8:30 am

Our television program ***The Heart of Health Live!*** aired every Sunday at 8 and 8:30 am EST and provides viewers with an opportunity to call in and get free medical advice from our guests who practice medicine every day.

ISSUES ADDRESSED:

ENVIRONMENT/ECONOMY/JOBS/ TOURISM
GOVERNMENT
SCHOOLS/EDUCATION
SAFETY/CRIME/TERRORISM
COMMUNITY/SOCIAL

Program:

Capital Connections

Sunday 7:00am

Local

60 Minutes

Political happenings key to District I of New Hampshire, such as commuter rail transport.

Capital Connections profiles local issues in Politics, the Community and the Economy. Guests include candidates for office, college professors, authors, state officials, educators and many others. The discussions center around local and state issues that are topical and timely. The show is a fresh view of what affects our economy and local community.

Capital Connections guest Joe Kenney

04/01/15

Capital Connections

Sunday 7:00am

State rep Virginia Irwin speaks on bills she is supporting this legislative season in Concord.

Capital Connections guest Virginia Irwin.

04/07/15

Capital Connections

Sunday 7:00am

Capital Connections guest Pat Whitney of Turning Points Network, board of directors

Turning Points Network hosts an annual fundraising walk to raise awareness of domestic violence issues. The annual walk raises money in support of a shelter for victims of domestic violence. Also, money for programs to help victims regain independence.

04/15/15

Capital Connections

Sunday 7:00am

Capital Connections guest Kerry Rochford Hague, community educator for Turning Points Network

As community educator for Turning Points Network, Kerry works to educate youngsters in middle school, high school teenagers and adults on what makes domestic violence a societal problem.

04/23/15

Capital Connections

Sunday 7:00am

Capital Connections guest John Wilson, candidate for selectboard in New London, N.H.

Candidate John Wilson tells why he is the best person to be New London's next selectman.

05/05/15

Capital Connections

Sunday 7:00am

Springfield, Vermont, is a town in need of an image boost because it has a lot to offer. Carol Lighthall, as executive director, works with the business and non-profit community to get out the good word on all things Springfield.

Capital Connections guest Carol Lighthall, executive director of Springfield on the Move

05/11/15

Capital Connections

Sunday 7:00am

Capital Connections host John O'Connor talks about an academic trip to Africa.

Students from New England College in Henniker, N.H. went to Kenya to study business and economics.

05/20/15

Capital Connections

Sunday 7:00am

Capital Connections guest Michael Charest of Claremont Citizens

Claremont is a city with much to offer and not enough money to accomplish its goals. But it's getting there, in part due to a volunteer grassroots group.

06/01/15

Capital Connections

Sunday 7:00am

Capital Connections guest Alex

Ray, owner and founder of the
Common Man restaurant

Alex Ray is a business entrepreneur whose
expertise has spurred economic growth in
central New Hampshire, including
Claremont.

06/08/15

Capital Connections

Sunday 7:00am

Colonel Granger played a lead role in ending
the U.S. military involvement in Vietnam.

Capital Connections guest U.S.
Army Col. (ret.) Clint Granger.

06/15/15

Capital Connections

Sunday 7:00am

The fiscally conservative Kurk explains how
the budget will meet the needs of New
Hampshire citizens.

Capital Connections guest N.H.
state Rep. Neal Kurk, chairman of
the House Finance Committee.

06/30/15

Capitol Connections profiles local issues in Politics, the Community and the Economy. Guests include candidates for office, college professors, authors, state officials, educators and many others. The discussions center around local and state issues that are topical and timely. The show is a fresh view of what affects our economy and local community.

ISSUES:

ENVIRONMENT/ECONOMY/JOBS/ TOURISM

SCHOOLS/EDUCATION

MEDICAL/HEALTH/DRINKING/DRUGS

Program: *Eco Company*

Aired each Sunday during the Quarter at 10 am. Each program is ½ hour

Our signal covers some of the most environmentally conscious areas in the nation, particularly parts of New Hampshire and Vermont.

What does it mean to "go green" as a teen? More and more young people want to know the answer to that question. Now there's Eco Company, a national TV show on a quest to find answers. Eco Company is hosted by a dynamic group of teens who combine their natural curiosity with their enthusiasm to preserve the planet they will inherit.

Every week Eco Company explores all aspects of being green and understanding how we impact our world. From reporting on the latest technologies in energy, recycling, conservation and organics to sharing the stories of young people making a positive impact on the environment. In addition every week Eco Company provides a practical tip that teens and people of all ages can use in their daily lives. Eco Company is designed to be an interactive program from finding out what's on the mind of all teens by talking to them wherever we find them to providing a forum on this website for teens to share their own videos about going green.

These episodes aired this quarter:

Episode 109: The Plastic Problem

Eco Company goes to the beach! Because beaches and lakes are popular recreation areas, they often become a wasteland of plastic and garbage that people leave behind. But we found a girl scout troop that has adopted a Northern California beach and is determined to keep it free of trash and waste. Jessica catches up with them on a beach clean-up day. Some of what they find is very surprising.

Episode 110: The Great Outdoors

Eco Company goes hiking to enjoy fresh air and the great outdoors. Hiking gives you a great appreciation for the hills, trees, plants, streams, lakes and wildlife. And speaking of plants, we visit the Joint Bio Energy Institute...a place where high tech scientists are working to change the future of fuel. They're working to unlock nature's secrets to create plant based biofuels to replace fossil fuels. Jordan gets a lesson in photo synthesis and sugar polymers as she learns more about the process.

Episode 111: Green, Green, Green

Eco Company visits a school that is doing everything to be sustainable. From their greenhouse and organic garden, to their energy monitoring systems and the new LEED Gold awarded science building with a living roof, this school is getting it right.

Episode 112: Surfing Green!

SURF'S UP on Eco Company!! Surfing is very popular along the West Coast. But have you ever thought about the materials used in making surfboards? Jessica finds one guy who not only gave it some thought, he's making surfboards with non-toxic and sustainable materials. She catches up with him in his shop...and on the waves!

Episode 113: Two Green Schools

Eco Company visits two amazing schools that are doing it right when it comes to helping the planet. First up is Sacred Heart Preparatory in Menlo Park, CA. Not only do they have a large organic garden, but they boast a brand new, LEED Platinum-rated science and multi-use building and state-of-the-art resource monitoring. Here you will find sustainability both inside and out the classroom.

Episode 201 - Butterflies... to NASA's JPL

Eco Company is covering a lot of ground...from the Breaking Ground Conference in San Francisco, to Students for Solar Schools in Thousand Oaks, to an insect museum at the University of California Davis, to NASA's Jet Propulsion Laboratory in Pasadena. First Brendan and Jordan find out what's going on at the Breaking Ground Conference and discover teens planting 10,000 seedlings a year, using creativity to create art from trash and sprucing up their neighborhoods...literally!

Episode 202 - Team Marine

Today were talking teens! Teens doing great things to support the sustainability of the planet. First up Adam goes to Santa Monica. Santa Monica High School is just a few blocks from world famous Santa Monica Beach, a great reason for the students here to take a special interest in keeping it clean and free of trash. The school's multi-awarding Team Marine does that...and a lot more! Yes, they clean the beach, but they also regularly test water quality, lobby against single use plastic bags...and recently built a solar boat! Adam catches up with them on the beach to see what they're up to.

Episode 203 - 5 Ocean Gyres

Eco Company travels to Southern California to visit the Algalita Marine Research Foundation. Algalita has been conducting research about plastic in the Earth's oceans for 15 years. Sailing on the foundation's 50 foot catamaran, the Algalita, researchers have traveled around the globe to trawl for plastic in the 5 major gyres where plastic debris gathers. Adam visits the lab to see all of the plastic "confetti" which is meticulously catalogued and analyzed. What he learns will startle even those who are acutely aware of the oceans' growing issues with plastic waste.

Episode 204 - Teens on a Mission

In this episode we find amazing teens doing great things for the planet. But first Brendan visits a Lawrence Berkley National Laboratory where they are researching the efficiency of cooking stoves...those using wood and coal utilized by over 3 billion people world-wide to prepare 3 meals a day. It will give you a great appreciation of why this is so important.

Episode 205 - Weird Science

There's a heavy dose of science in the first half of this episode, and some weird science at that! There's some very interesting research is taking place at the Department of Energy's Joint Genome Institute. We're talking DNA from thousands of years ago extracted from permafrost!! In the first story, Brendan pays them a visit to get the scoop on the latest studies with implications on climate change, and there he discovers two teens in lab coats helping out!

Episode 206 - All About Our Oceans

From returning sea lions to a marine sanctuary to the man who organized the first Earth Day and the event that inspire it, to teen guides at the Monterey Bay Aquarium, and a man making eco-friendly surfboards, this episode is all about our oceans and beaches. First up Jordan leaves land behind as she climbs on board the Kitty Kat, a boat on a mission to the Farallon Islands and the Farallones National Marine Sanctuary off the coast of California. The trip has the special purpose of returning seven sea lions to the ocean in a protected place where they will find a lot of friends.

Episode 207 - Amazing Teens

Teens all over the world are doing amazing things to help the planet. This episode profiles six of them making their mark around the world. We start in South India. There two Pleasanton, California, teens have started a program to replace harmful tobacco farming with cultivation of the sustainable Jatropha plant to help the poverty stricken area and reduce deforestation at the same time. The Jatropha plant fruit produces oil that can be used to make biofuel.

Episode 208 - Sand Crabs & the Food Chain

We all love to enjoy a sunny day at the beach. But we're probably unaware of the critters that live and thrive beneath the sand, critters that are an important part of the food chain and the balance of nature. Well, Eco Company's Brendan found some teens who are looking for sand crabs and documenting the ebb and flow of its population. It's a real story of budding scientists.

Issue:

SCHOOLS/EDUCATION

COMMUNITY/SOCIAL

Program:

Game of the Week.

WVMA aired the game of the week featuring local schools and highlighting the achievements of their athletes. The games were shot on location and post production occurred in our main studio, for broadcast on Wednesdays at 7:30p.

Air Time: 7:30 PM

Broadcast WVMA-TV47 * Winchendon, MA

Wednesday Night; 7:30pm, Thursday; 6:30am, Sunday; 10:00am; RT 2 Hours

GAME OF THE WEEK,

“Best RIVAL & TOURNAMENT Saves from 2012-2014”

High School Sports

Premier Classification Season Sport Schools File

4/1 RIVAL 2015 Boy's Hockey Woodstock @ Lebanon 1522

4/8 RIVAL 2012 Girl's Soccer Hanover @ Hartford 1240

4/15 RIVAL 2013 Boy's Lacrosse Kearsarge @ Lebanon 1221

4/22 CHAMP 2012 Football BFA @ Hartford 1247

4/29 RIVAL 2012 Football Hanover @ Lebanon 1243

5/6 RIVAL 2012-13 Boy's Basketball Stevens @ Newport 1302

5/13 RIVAL 2012-13 Girl's Hockey Lebanon @ Hanover 1306

5/20 CHAMP 2012-13 Girl's Basketball Portsmouth @ Lebanon 1311

5/27 CHAMP 2012/13 Girl's Hockey Oyster River @ Hanover 1312

6/3 ¼ Final 2013 Football Newport @ Stevens 1346

6/17 Rival 2013 G Basketball Kearsarge @ Newport 1350

6/24 Rival 2014 B Basketball Hanover @ Lebanon 1401