

ISSUES PROGRAMS LIST

There follows a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by Station WOHZ, WRIE, WXKC, WXTA, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period Mar 1 2020 to Mar 31 2020 . This listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

Agency/Representative	Program/Date/Time/Duration	Description of issues covered
1. Kathy Wyrosdick, Planning Director, City of Erie	North Coast Views Sunday, March 01, 2020 6:00am - 30 min	1. BLIGHT- Learned that Kathy's job is to follow through on the Erie Refocused Comprehensive Plan that was done to see what steps should be taken to move Erie forward. To address blight, they looked at the health of particular neighborhoods and then went door to door to see what challenges the community has – as well as what they would like to see changed for the better. Heard about the challenges the city faces to remove blighted properties – from searching to find out who owns the property and is responsible for it – taking eminent domain, if necessary – then having tests done to be sure there is no lead or asbestos – and having it razed. Talked about where the funding comes from to do this and what will be done with the land after the building is gone. Learned how to keep up with everything going on and what the hope is for the next couple of years. 30m
1. Retired Pennsylvania State Police Trooper Matt Harris, Founder & CEO, Character: Be About	North Coast Views Sunday, March 08, 2020 6:00am - 30 min	1. EDUCATION/CRIME Learned how this prevention program got started that that puts law enforcement officers into classrooms to teach students about key character traits, which has so many benefits – from showing students – a different side of officers - give them a better relationship with law enforcement – as well as, hopefully teaching them traits that will help them stay out of challenging situations & make better choices. They have grown and are now in 15 schools working with K-8 th grade. Heard about ways that they are growing – partnering with other groups to help with age appropriate content – adding public speaking this year – and looking at how to help and grow more. Also learned about a program for young adults they have in 6 counties – helping with some of the same traits - that helps with job readiness 29m58s.
1. Patrick Fisher, Executive Director, Erie Arts & Culture	North Coast Views Sunday, March 15, 2020 6:00am - 30 min	1. ARTS/CULTURE - Reviewed that their role is to promote, support, & develop arts & culture giving opportunities for residents & tourists throughout Erie, Crawford, Venango, Warren, Mercer, & Lawrence counties – making sure that residents from all over the world feel like the art from their heritage is being represented. Heard about how to get grants for programs/projects in our area. Learned about the local Artists in Residence program – where artists to into schools and other learning facilities and teach (for instance math or the solar system) through the arts. Talked about them being a place maker – where they will assist the City Planner – to (with the help of residents in their communities) find out what they would like to see...be it a park, beautiful planters – a statue, etc. Also heard about a new Artist in Residence program – bringing artists from other areas here to the Erie area- so they can see what we have to offer them to assist in their works of art – and also to learn about other forms of / and interpretations of art. 29m51s

Bayfront Maritime Center – Offers hands-on maritime themed educational, vocational and recreational programs for students, individuals with special needs and veterans. Lucy's 1st Step – free assistance / counseling for parents who have lost a child

NAMI – group classes and support groups to assist individuals and family members dealing with mental health challenges

Erie VA Medical Center –reminding veterans and their families about services – specific info for women – PTSD and other services

Therapy Dogs United- get your dogs involved with therapy services for children & adults– contact if your business wants a visit from a therapy dog

Safe Harbor/Safe Line- how to get help for sadness or bullying issues – for teens and adults – help info if you are feeling suicidal

Environment Erie – contact info on how to use less and help our earth

Erie County Human Relations Commission – Help for discrimination

ExpERIEence Childrens Museum – featuring hands on play while learning

SafeNet – with help for domestic violence

Parkinson Partners – Support and Information

United Way – Be A Caring Adult – simple suggestions on how to make a difference in a child/youth - United Way – Imagination Library – 2-1-1 / Community Schools

Voices for Independence – Support for those with physical challenges

Let's Move – getting our children out and moving and away from electronic devices

Cody's Wheels of Hope – contact info to get children with a life threatening illness wheeled toys

Alzheimer's Association – help available to families and care givers

Get Connected – lets you know how to volunteer locally – or post volunteer opportunities

Linked by Pink – Assistance for Breast Cancer patients and their families

American Heart & Stroke Association - Go Red for Women (risk of heart disease)

American Cancer Society – where to reach out for help

EUMA - Erie United Methodist Alliance – Helping homeless families

Crime Victim Center – Help for those affected by violent crimes

Highmark Caring Place – FREE assistance for grieving children, adolescents and their families (you do not have to have Highmark to take advantage)

Kinship Care – Support for people raising someone else’s child (grandparents, etc)

Presque Isle Partnership – Enhancing our Peninsula

Gaudenzia – Help with addiction

Early Connections – helping with education for the little ones

Erie Humane Society – help for stray & neglected animals

A.N.N.A. Shelter – info on how to adopt or help rescued animals

Autism Society – support and resources for families with those on the spectrum

American Cancer Society – variety of programs available to community

Habitat for Humanity – restore for donations or to shop

SOS 4 Kidz – to assist children with needs for school and self esteem

Emma’s Footprint – help for those who have experienced a pregnancy or infant loss

Veterans Miracle Center – help for homeless & underserved vets/military & their families