

## **ISSUES AND PROGRAM LISTS FOR 2nd QUARTER 2014**

**“What’s Up Utah”** a weekly half-hour program hosted by Greg Johnson and Steve Peterson, is directed toward the needs and concerns of our Utah Community. The program airs twice per week Wednesdays at 10:30pm and Fridays at 7:00pm. During the 2nd Quarter of 2014 a series of programs were presented that dealt with “family things to do this summer here in the Salt Lake Area”.

Other topics included financial wisdom in challenging economical times, tips for safety as we enter the warmer summer season. We met people associated with various public services organizations here in Salt Lake, including the Pregnancy Resource Center, and Salt Lake Valley’s Habitat for Humanity.

There were several programs where we met some of our government leaders: Utah’s Lieutenant Governor, the Clerk Auditor of Utah County, Utah’s Attorney General, and Senator Orrin Hatch, senior United States Senator for Utah.

### **Week of 4/ 7/2014**

This week on What’s Up Utah, we had a guest host, Steve Peterson. Steve interviewed Allen Hall, a community leader who deals with finances in Northern Utah. Mr. Hall gave us many ideas for financial wisdom in challenging economical times.

### **Week of 4/14/2014**

This week on What’s Up Utah, Greg interviewed Ed Blake, the Executive Director of Salt Lake Valley’s Habitat for Humanity. Mr. Blake spoke about their role in Utah, their history as an organization and the various projects they are currently working on....and how their organization serves those in need here in the Salt

Lake Area. Habitat for Humanity ReStores are nonprofit home improvement stores and donation centers that sell new and gently used furniture, home accessories, building materials, and appliances to the public at a fraction of the retail price. Habitat for Humanity ReStores are owned and operated by local Habitat for Humanity affiliates, and proceeds are used to build homes, community, and hope locally and around the world.

### **Week of 4/21/2014**

This week on What's Up Utah on the subject of "things to do", Greg interviewed Bryton Sampson, Communications Director at The Leonardo Museum in Salt Lake City. Mr. Sampson spoke about the final week of the Dead Sea Scrolls exhibit and the unique privilege of hosting this exhibit since November of 2013. He spoke on the great success as well as the unification of the religious community because of this exhibit.

### **Week of 4/28/2014**

This week on What's Up Utah, Greg interviewed Detective Cody Lougy, of the Salt Lake Police Department. On this show, Detective Lougy discussed the new Public Safety Building in downtown Salt Lake City as well as tips for safety as we enter the warmer summer season.

### **Week of 5/05/2014**

This week on What's Up Utah, continuing the theme of "What to do...." Greg interviewed Lisa Thompson, Exhibit Developer at the Natural History Museum of Utah and Matt Caputo son of the founder of Tony Caputo's Market & Deli in downtown Salt Lake City. They spoke about the history of chocolate and some of the features of The Chocolate Exhibit at the Natural History Museum of Utah, including chocolate tastings, hands on activities and mini lectures from local chocolate experts.

### **Week of 5/12/2014**

This week on What's Up Utah, Greg interviewed Lt. Governor Spencer Cox. Greg began the show by introducing the Lt. Governor to the audience and shared where he was from and about his life in Utah. They spoke about how he was appointed to his position by Governor Gary Herbert; with him being so young and from a rural community, this was an unexpected election. The Lt. Governor shared about the responsibilities of his office, and his focus in this term—encouraging young people and minorities to vote.

### **Week of 5/19/2014**

This week on What's Up Utah, Greg interviewed Jacob Atkin, clerk auditor of Utah County. Greg and Jacob discussed the importance of the election, the oversight he provides to the county budget and his concern for the lack of accountability in those finances.

### **Week of 5/26/2014**

This week on What's Up Utah, Greg interviewed Sean Reyes, Utah's Attorney General. AG Reyes spoke a little about his biography, his progression to office and his approach and vision for Utah. The Attorney General also spoke on the issues regarding Amendment 3 and the 10<sup>th</sup> Circuit Court of Appeals.

### **Week of 6/02/2014**

This week on What's Up Utah guest host, Steve Peterson. On this show, Steve interviewed Orrin Hatch, senior United States Senator for Utah. Senator Hatch discussed the top bills he helped to pass and the bills he is currently working to pass, specifically, the Religious Freedom Act. Senator Hatch also shared his willingness to run for another term in office, as well as who he would like to see run for President.

### **Week of 6/09/2014**

This week on What's Up Utah, Greg interviewed Shawn Bauer, the new Director of Pregnancy Resource Center in Salt Lake City. On this show, Shawn shared her excitement and vision for the PRC. She also spoke on the importance of the ultrasound machine they use in crisis pregnancy situations; this has been an incredible community resource as it has resulted in either the mother deciding to give her child up for adoption or raise the baby herself.

### **Week of 6/16/2014**

This week on What's Up Utah back to "What to do..." series, Greg interviewed Suzy, Director of Marketing at the new Loveland Living Planet Aquarium in Draper, Utah. They discussed the different exhibits featured at the aquarium, including the Penguins and the South American exhibit. Suzy shared how the aquarium started and spoke about the founder of the aquarium and his vision for opening this aquarium in Salt Lake City.

### **Week of 6/23/2014**

This week another "What to do..." on What's Up Utah, Greg interviewed Erica Hansen, Community Relations Coordinator of Utah's Hogle Zoo. Erica and one of the zookeepers brought a snake and spoke about the history of the zoo, the newest African Savanna exhibit they are currently promoting and about how Hogle Zoo is such a treasure for families in Utah.

KTMW began producing a new public affairs program on May 27, 2014. The 30 minute program “The Forum” airs each Tuesday at 11am and at 8pm. The program consists of a round table type of discussion among 4 different local church pastors discussing various current news events.

On the May 27th episode of The Forum, local pastors discussed how Christians should respond to the possibility of losing work due to having publicly disagreed with homosexuality. They also discussed how to respond to terrorist issues like the Boko Haram kidnapping.

On the June 3rd episode of The Forum, local pastors discussed how involved Christians should be in the public discussion about abortion, and whether or not they should get involved politically. They also discussed the recent movie Heaven is For Real.

On the June 10th episode of The Forum, local pastors discussed how Christians should respond to people who identify as transgender, including issues such as the use of gender specific restrooms and locker rooms in public schools.

On the June 17th episode of The Forum, local pastors discussed the recent Supreme Court ruling allowing sectarian prayers at government meetings. They looked at the implications of public prayers and talked about Christian’s behavior in public.

On the June 24th episode of The Forum, local pastors discussed the issue of marijuana legalization, such as has taken place in Colorado, and whether or not Christians should be supporters or partakers in this cultural shift.

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KTMW produces and airs a number of live locally produced studio productions each week. Each program has open phone line available for viewers to call-in to talk with the host and guests to ask questions or make comments. Among the programs are:

“This Week in the Word” Mondays 11am and repeated at 8pm ...which includes a discussion between various local area Church Ministers dealing subjects of interest to the Christian Community. During the program, the pastors also discuss verse by verse different bible passages and how it relates to us today. During this past quarter, they are studying life application principles from the book of John and how the teachings affect our daily lives today. They also discuss the weekly activities planned in the local area churches. During the program on April 13, 2014 The Salt Lake Area was shocked to read the news over the weekend that it was discovered that during the past 10 years a Pleasant Valley lady had given birth to 6 babies and had either strangled or suffocated them immediately after they were born.

Their bodies were found wrapped in plastic bags inside boxes in the garage of her home south of Salt Lake City this weekend.

This was a major topic this morning among the pastors on This Week in The Word. The question of why this could happen was voice by many callers to the program. One caller compared this act with the legal act of abortion. This subject brought much discussion in an attempt by the pastors on the program to bring healing to the people’s outrage and concern over this event.

Wednesdays at 8pm the hour long live studio program “Ancient Pathways”, hosted by Jason Wallace, brings in local people for discussions of different issues of concern to Utah people today. They have discussed many issues from racialism to areas dealing with Christianity and Mormonism, living in a Mormon community . This quarter, the program featured several programs on doctrinal differences between various evangelical Christian groups. Callers are encouraged to call to add to the discussion or voice opposition or ask questions.

Thursdays at 8pm Doris Hansen hosts “What Love is This” dealing with people involved in polygamy. Each week the program has people on the program who have been involved in various polygamy communities around Utah. A number of guests appear on her program including many former polygamists who openly described the physical abuse they’ve received while involved in the groups. They also described what led up their departure and escape. Phone lines are open for viewers to call in questions or comments during the program.

The station has several Utah churches airing their local Sunday Church Services. Weekly Sunday programs include: Faith Baptist Church of Layton, 60 minutes; Pastor Myke Crowder of Christian Life Center of Layton 30 minutes; Calvary Chapel of Salt Lake 60 minutes; Calvary Chapel of St. George 30 minutes; and The Adventure Church of Draper 60 minutes.

Weekday local church sponsored programs include: Gene Short of The Way Church of Provo a 30 minute weekly interview program dealing the various subject of interest to local community people; Word of the Kingdom sponsored by Miracle Rock Church of Salt Lake City a weekly topical Bible teaching; and 5 nights per week Calvary Chapel of Salt Lake hosts a 30 minute program dealing with the life of Christ.

KTMW airs daily a 60 minute network program called “Your Health” where Dr. Richard and Cindy Becker discuss important issues concerning health problem and then they open the phone lines for viewers to call-in and ask health questions.

KTMW also airs as a public service a program by Doug Kaufman “Know the Cause” where Doug and his guests discuss vital health issues.

Public Service air time has been given the following PSA announcements from the Ad Council:

1. Adoptuskids.org...30 sec spot dealing with the need to be an adoptive parent.
2. How to perform CPR.... from the American Heart Association...30 seconds
3. Smokybear.com PSA on wildfire prevention which is a major concern for the Salt Lake Valley and the state of Utah each year....15 seconds
4. Fatherhood.gov is a 30 second promo spot "It's time to be a dad!" ...30 seconds
5. Feedingamerica.org deals with hunger ...15 second PSA.
6. Letsmove.gov promoting healthy living a 15 second promo.
7. Socialsecurity.gov promotes the Social Security Administration.

These spots each aired a minimum of 2-3 times per day for the 2nd quarter 2014.

Additional public service announcements are aired on a regular basis from the Television Networks

