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**MEMO**

To: Public File

From: Tom Boyd  
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cc: Paul Rennie

**Re: 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2018 Issues/Programs Report**

Attached you will find a list of community issues addressed on WGN-TV via News Programming and Specials, Community Calendars and Public Service Announcements for the 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2018.

## ISSUES REPORT WGN-TV 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2018

### THE FOLLOWING IS A REPRESENTATIVE LIST OF ISSUES AND SOME TYPICAL AND ILLUSTRATIVE NEWS PROGRAMS & STORIES DESIGNED TO FOCUS ON THEM.

#### ARTS & CULTURE

1/1 11:17a Top Ten Movies of 2017 reporter package  
Entertainment reporter Dean Richards takes a look at last year's biggest box office hits.

1/1 9:40p California Legal Pot reporter package TRT 2:10  
One of the new laws taking effect in California today - recreational marijuana is now legal in the state. But - it will still take time before stores can open. Several cities are still working through the regulation and licensing processes. One city that was on top of the game - is Santa Ana, where several businesses opened today. Reporter Kareen Wynter has more.

#### People to People

1/6 6:54a  
Topic: Kenny Lattimore  
Award winning singer Kenny Lattimore shares music from his new album.

1/8 11:15a Golden Globes reporter in studio TRT 2:10  
It was a very different awards show night...one where gender equality and sexual assault was as "front and center" as the night's big winners. Dean Richards has more.

1/13 5:23p Boat Show in Town reporter package TRT 2:55  
With freezing weather 'outside', some people are escaping 'indoors' to the annual 'boat and r-v' show. WGN's Amy Rutledge takes us shopping for a 'warmer weather' vehicle.

1/18 6:23a Marcus Training reporter in studio TRT 2:30  
Marcus is joining us with what's trending. Yesterday we told you that Nintendo was planning to announce some kind of new product for the switch. Here it is. Marcus?

#### People to People

1/20 6:30a TRT 6:08  
Topic: Project Onward  
Project Onward is a program that supports and gives a creative space to artists with special needs.

#### People to People

1/20 6:38a TRT 7:28  
Topic: Sighted Eyes, Feeling Heart  
Tracee Heather Strain, Director of "Sighted Eyes, Feeling Heart" a documentary on the life and work of Lorraine Hansberry.

1/24 11:55a Elton John Press Conference reporter package TRT 2:00  
Dean Richards is back... With some breaking entertainment buzz...including a big announcement by Elton John.

#### Adelante

1/27 6:47a TRT 6:01  
Host: Lourdes Duarte  
Topic: It's been around for well over 70 years. How the Chicago youth symphony orchestra is working to expand its reach in underserved communities.

**People to People**

2/3 6:40a

TRT 5:55

Topic: Kings of the Policy

Writer and Director of "The Kings of The Policy," a Broadway in Bronzeville production about the "numbers" game ... long before the lottery.

**People to People**

2/17 6:30a

TRT 16:15

Topic: Black Panther

Dean Richards talks to writer, director Ryan Coogler and actors Chadwick Boseman, Michael B. Jordan, Lupita Nyong'o and Danai Gurira.

2/26 11:47a Oscar Party Planning

guest interview in studio TRT 4:55

It's not too late to plan an Award Winning Oscar Party this weekend! In today's Midday Fix, creative ideas on how to pair up food... with some of the nominated movies. Carol Mackey is here to show us.

**People to People**

3/3 6:40a

TRT 8:01

Topic: Gospel Fest

Ivy Hall from the City's office of special events and a local choir director share Gospel Music Fest history and a preview of what's coming up this year... along with some conversation about the city's commitment to fun, safe, free summer entertainment

**People to People**

3/3 6:52a

TRT 2:52

Topic: The Kinsmen

Live music performance from gospel group "The Kinsmen"

**Adelante**

3/10 6:41a

TRT 6:30

Host: Lourdes Duarte

Topic: The lyric opera sends us one of their best, a Latina major soprano who grew up right here in Chicago. How she's leaving her mark all across the country with her one of a kind voice and how she is giving back to the community.

3/12 10:15p Hancock Time Capsule

reporter on set with package TRT 4:00

50 years ago, Chicago was put on the map for a few reasons. One of them was the infamous Democratic Convention. The other, an architectural accomplishment making the second city the envy around the world. The, then John Hancock building, was completed. 50 years later, a time capsule planted at the structure in 1968 is opened only for WGN TV. WGN's Julie Unruh was there for the first look at what was inside.

3/16 11:47a Cake Decorating

studio guest interview TRT 6:30

Tips on how to decorate a cake for a memorable celebration. Heidi Hedeker is Associate Professor and Pastry Instructor at Kendall College... and cake competition organizer at the 2018 Chicago Flower AND Garden Show.

3/23 11:23a Lolla Lineup Announced

reporter package TRT 1:25

Yesterday, 4-day passes for lollapalooza 2018 went on sale. Today, single day passes went on sale...and the lineup for this year's grant park music festival was just announced.

**Adelante**

3/24 6:48a

TRT 7:12

Host: Lourdes Duarte

Topic: Latinos have been making contributions to Chicago's suburbs for decades. But how much do we know about that? Naper Settlement works to explore that rich history. It's an outdoor history museum that's hoping to lay out how Latinos have shaped suburban Chicago

3/25 9:17P Facebook Scandal reporter package TRT 1:45  
News of a massive data harvesting operation has sparked privacy concerns on Facebook. A firm with ties to president trump's 2016 campaign is accused of using data collected on Facebook to influence the presidential election. Now Facebook is apologizing, taking out full page ads to address the situation. David Daniel reports.

3/27 4:08p Apple Product Launch reporter live with package TRT 2:30  
Apple bringing its latest highly anticipated event right here to Chicago. The company made its latest product launch announcement at lane tech high school. WGN's Sean Lewis is live at the Apple store on Michigan Avenue, where there are more events planned tonight.

**People to People**

3/31 6:40a TRT 3:35  
Topic: Acrimony  
Dean Richards talks to movie mogul Tyler Perry about his new film, "Acrimony"

**People to People**

3/31 6:52a TRT 3:01  
Topic: K Ollie  
Star student rapper "K Ollie" performs his song, "I study."

**BUSINESS & FINANCE**

1/1 11:42a Your Money Matters studio guest interview TRT 5:15  
We talk to an expert about the job outlook for 2018.

**People to People**

1/6 6:40a  
Topic: SBAC  
Dwayne Hirsch from SBAC (Small Business Advocacy Council) shares advice for getting an idea from the sketchpad to success.

**People to People**

2/3 6:30a TRT 4:56  
Topic: Legacy Awards  
Black Business Spotlight on the Legacy Awards. Founder Keanna Barber shares details on the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual ceremony that highlights excellence in all areas of business.

**People to People**

2/3 6:42a TRT 6:15  
Topic: Sib's Breakfast Club  
Black Business Spotlight on a regular networking event that intentionally puts business owners in the room with others who are able to create opportunities for themselves and the community. Sib's Breakfast Club founder Sybil Holloway and honorees artist and gallery owner Bryant Lamont and Yasmine Curtis, owner of Two Fish

**People to People**

2/10 6:50a TRT 4:05  
Topic: Wrapperoo  
Black Business Spotlight on Wrapperoo, a Chicago woman's hair styling invention

**People to People**

2/24 6:50a TRT 5:15  
Topic: Black History Flashcards  
Black Business Spotlight on Urban Intellectuals, a Chicago based company selling Black History Flashcards

2/26 11:15a O'Hare Expansion Plans reporter live with package TRT 2:05  
O'Hare Airport may be a much different looking facility in the coming years. Negotiations are under way for an eight and a half billion dollar airport expansion. Judy Wang is live at O'Hare with the story.

### **People to People**

3/17 6:50a TRT 6:35

Topic: Chuck Olu-Alabi

Black Business Spotlight on photographer Chuck Olu- Alabi, he shares tips on how to take a great picture on your own

3/22 11:44a Self-Made Millionaires studio guest interview TRT 4:45

It's what a lot of us want to know... and now, we're getting answers from the book "Secrets Self-Made Millionaires Teach Their Kids". The author joins us now... Steve Siebold.

3/26 9:16p Facebook Lawsuit reporter live with package TRT 2:30

There's also a new Facebook investigation involving over three dozen states - including Illinois. As WGN Mike Lowe reports, today, the Illinois Attorney General and the Cook County State Attorney announced they are taking steps to protect people here at home.

### **People to People**

3/31 6:45a TRT 8:09

Topic: Truth Italian Restaurant

Black Business Spotlight on Truth Italian Restaurant, a second career business on the city's south side

## **CRIME & SAFETY**

1/1 11:05a Chicago 2018 Crime Stats reporter package TRT 2:00

Gun violence is down in the City of Chicago but Police Superintendent Eddie Johnson says there's still work to be done. Kelly Davis is at Police Headquarters with a look at the numbers.

1/3 4:07p Brighton Park Attempted Sex Assault reporter live with interviews TRT 2:30

A woman was stabbed during an attempted sexual assault on the southwest side. WGN's Dana Rebik is live in Brighton Park with the latest on the woman and the search for the person who attacked her.

1/5 5:02p Seniors Crime Alert reporter live with package TRT 2:05

Now to our other top story, a warning for senior citizens on Chicago's South Side. A group of thieves is targeting the elderly, trying to get into their homes by pretending to offer 'home repairs'.

1/13 5:00pm Greyhound Bus Drama reporter live with package TRT 2:25

A terrifying night for passengers on-board a greyhound bus, traveling from Milwaukee to Chicago. A passenger suddenly threatened to kill everyone on board. WGN's Dana Rebik is live from Racine, Wisconsin where police have just given an update on that suspect.

1/15 9:03p West Chicago Home Invasion reporter package TRT 2:10

New details tonight about a terrifying home invasion in West Chicago. A man broke into a house and roughed up an older woman who lives there. WGN's Dana Rebik is live at the DuPage County Sheriff's office in Wheaton with the latest.

1/23 9:03p Kentucky School Shooting reporter in studio with package TRT 2:10

2 students shot dead, 17 injured, when a 15-year-old boy opens fire inside his Kentucky high school. It happened this morning. That student is being held as other students, the ones who witnessed this, tell their stories. One saying of the gunman, 'he was determined. He knew what he was doing.'

1/23 9:12p Jones Sentencing reporter package TRT 2:05  
More than 30 years after a Glen Ellyn teen was raped and murdered, her family finally sees the killer sentenced. Today a judge ordered Kristy Wesselman's killer to serve 80 years in prison. WGN's Marcella Raymond was in the courtroom, as the teen's mother spoke about her daughter, and the life that was cut short.

1/26 10:00p COPA Police Video reporter package TRT 1:50  
We're continuing to follow breaking news tonight: bodycam video just released shows a fatal shooting involving a Chicago police officer. WGN's Dana Rebik joins us now - with more on that video and the investigation.

1/27 5:30p Humboldt Park Anti-Violence Rally reporter live with package TRT 2:15  
Residents in Humboldt Park, taking a stand against violence in their community. At the top of this newscast we told you about a deadly shooting there overnight. But it's just the latest in a series of crimes there. WGN's Gaynor Hall joins us live with more on how the community is reacting.

2/18 6:10p Ben Brown Bribing reporter on set with package TRT 2:05  
WGN Investigates tonight: federal prosecutors outline stunning new allegations claiming bribery, favoritism and exotic trips in the office of Cook County clerk Dorothy Brown. The FBI has been looking into how Brown operates her office for "years." WGN investigates Ben Bradley has some new information about what they've uncovered.

2/26 11:03a Police Involved Shooting reporter live with package TRT 2:10  
New information this afternoon about the shooting of a man by a police officer in the back of the yard's neighborhood. Today the man's family offered details that conflict with the police account of what happened. WGN's Courtney Gousman has the story.

3/12 6:11p Bauer Suspect in Court reporter live in newsroom with package TRT 2:40  
The man charged with killing Chicago police commander, Paul Bauer enters a not guilty plea in court. And there was quite the show of force by police in that courtroom today. WGN's Tonya Francisco is here with the story.

3/13 11:30a CPD Oversight Accountability reporter live package TRT 145  
A grassroots organization is releasing their recommendations today for better police accountability in Chicago. The group is made up of people from all over the city... Including some personally touched by violence and police misconduct. WGN's Kelly Davis is live at City Hall with that story.

3/14 10p Northwestern SWAT Incident reporter live with package TRT 2:20  
Evanston police say today's report of a gunman at northwestern university was a hoax. The prank call drew swat teams in force and now that caller is the target of an investigation. WGN's Tom Negovan is live in Evanston with the latest.

3/16 11:30a Pedestrian Bridge Collapse reporter package TRT 2:00  
Six people are known dead after a newly installed pedestrian bridge collapsed on a busy Miami street. Natasha Chen reports on safety concerns about the project at Florida international university.

### **Adelante**

3/24 6:39a TRT 7:22

Host: Lourdes Duarte

Topic: Taxpayer beware, the IRS knows this is prime time for scammers trying to take advantage of you during tax season. You need to guard yourself against things like ploys to steal your personal information. A warning from the city on how to avoid getting scammed.

3/28 10:16p Aurora Internet Sales reporter on set with package TRT 2:45  
If you're buying and selling goods online or through social media, when it comes time to cut the deal, you want to make sure you're smart about when and where you do it. Too many times, law enforcement only

learns about the internet deal that went bad... After it's too late. But now some police departments are trying something new to head off a crime before it happens. WGN's Julie Unruh has the story.

3/31 5:08p Target Pervert Alert reporter live with package TRT 2:00  
Chicago police searching for a man they say barged into a women's restroom, exposing himself to a child. The incident happened at the south loop target store. WGN's Mike Lowe is live at the store, with the latest.

## **ECONOMY**

3/2 5:12p Tariff Impact reporter live with package TRT 2:45  
The Trump administration is planning to impose harsh penalties on foreign steel and aluminum - in a move designed to bolster the American steel industry. There are many critics of the plan who say it will ultimately cost American consumers and start trade wars. But on Chicago's South Side and in Northwest Indiana, where steel remains a big part of the economy, people are cheering. WGN's Mike Lowe is live at Atlas Steel on Chicago's South Side with more.

3/5 4:32p Trump Tariffs reporter package TRT 2:45  
President trump is still pushing his plan to issue steel and aluminum tariffs although political and financial experts from both parties say it could spark a trade war. The European Union has already threatened to retaliate. WGN's Lourdes Duarte reports.

## **EDUCATION & CAREER SERVICES**

1/10 11:34a Englewood School Meet reporter package TRT 2:15  
Tempers erupt at a Chicago public schools meeting. Parents became angry over a proposal to shut-down several schools in Englewood. WGN's Kelly Davis has more on the contentious hearing.

1/11 9:25p School Marijuana Lawsuit reporter package TRT 2:00  
A suburban family filed a lawsuit against their daughter's school district...to let her take medical marijuana at school. The 5th grader uses it to manage epilepsy she developed after undergoing chemotherapy to treat leukemia. An emergency hearing in federal court tomorrow could determine her future. WGN's Marcella Raymond reports.

### **Adelante**

1/27 6:31a TRT 6:17  
Host: Lourdes Duarte  
Topic: it's the largest Latino conference for students in the country. This year takes on special significance at thousands of students wait for a final decision on DACA. The United States Hispanic Leadership Institute puts on a remarkable conference that has had speakers like President Barack Obama and Bill Clinton.

### **Adelante**

1/27 6:39a TRT 4:00  
Host: Lourdes Duarte  
Topic: St. Augustine College keeps on growing. For years it has provided opportunities in the Latino community. Now they are introducing some new courses to offer more opportunities

1/30 10:52p Teacher of the Month reporter package TRT 3:00  
This month's honoree teaches the art of barbering at Simeon Career Academy on the city's South Side. Haircuts are her specialty -- but her priority is her students' welfare. The combination of the two has earned her a huge fan base.

**People to People**

2/10 6:45a

TRT 5:18

Topic: Actors Workshop

Actor Harold Dennis talks about the film business and roles for black actors... and shares advice from his performance workshop that applies to any career where you have to be "center stage."

**People to People**

2/17 6:40a

TRT 4:17

Topic: Manufacturing Renaissance

An organizer and graduate from Manufacturing Renaissance, a career and job readiness program for students interested in manufacturing

**People to People**

2/24 6:30a

TRT 5:57

Topic: Blondean Davis

Matteson School District Superintendent Dr. Blondean Davis talks about her award winning STEM program and school safety

**People to People**

2/24 6:37a

TRT 5:05

Topic: ComEd

Melissa Washington from ComEd shares details on the utility giant's outreach program supporting students of color who are pursuing careers in science and engineering.

2/28 6:07p CPS School Closures Vote reporter live with package TRT 2:10

Chicago public schools is pushing forward on a controversial plan to phase out several South Side high schools. WGN's Meghan Dwyer is live with more on today's vote.

2/28 6:05p Parkland Schools Back to School reporter with package TRT 1:45

Students at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School went back to school today -- with the memory of the 17 who were killed two weeks ago fresh in their minds. Meanwhile, businesses and lawmakers across the country are debating what -- if anything -- to do in response. Kristen Holmes has the very latest.

**Adelante**

3/10 6:41a

TRT 6:07

Host: Lourdes Duarte

Topic: Training young men about gender inequities. We learn about a program at little village high school that's getting a lot of attention for what it's been able to do.

3/13 9:05p School Walkout Preps reporter live in newsroom with package TRT 2:10

On the one month anniversary of the Florida school shooting, students here and across the country plan a walkout to demand tighter gun control laws. But, the Chicago Republican party has threatened to take action against Chicago public schools if they allow elementary students to take part. WGN's Sean Lewis is live in the newsroom with more.

3/14 4:04p Local Walkouts reporter package TRT 2:00

On the north side, students flooded out of lane tech this morning, adding their voices to the protest. Marcella Raymond joins us with their stories.

3/14 5:06p Crystal Lake Gun Range Teacher Training reporter live with package TRT 2:00

A suburban gun range is offering free training to teachers. Illinois law currently prohibits guns in schools, but range owners say it hasn't stopped educators from signing up. WGN's Patrick Elwood is live in Crystal Lake with the story.



3/21 9:02p Aurora Teacher reporter package TRT 2:10  
Disturbing allegations tonight against a suburban kindergarten teacher. He's accused of sexual assault and abuse. The victims are two children. WGN's Gaynor Hall is live in aurora with the latest on the investigation.

3/22 9:40p Golden Apple Award reporter live TRT 3:00  
Every year teachers across the Chicago area get special recognition... In the form of a golden apple award... It honors excellence in teaching. This year, a record-setting number of local teachers were nominated... More than 650! And 10 have been chosen for the prestigious award. Lauren is there for WGN.

3/23 9:24p Loyola Fans reporter package TRT 2:15  
The Loyola Ramblers are one win away from the 'Final Four' - it's a season many fans could only dream about. But they've certainly been praying for it. WGN's Mike Lowe has a look at the role of faith in this incredible NCAA tournament run.

3/25 9:04p Loyola Returns Home reporter package TRT 1:30  
Now to the Loyola Ramblers and their journey to the final four. The team returned to Rogers Park today following two huge wins. Hundreds turned out to cheer them on in an afternoon rally. Final four fever has gripped the Loyola campus. WGN's Mike Lowe has more on the excitement.

3/26 9:46p Teacher of the Month reporter package TRT 4:25  
Our teacher of the month steps out of the traditional classroom - connecting her students with job opportunities across the city. She's determined to get them work-force ready. WGN's Muriel Clair takes a closer look at the impact this month's honoree is having on the young adults in her program.

3/27 4:04p Loyola Fans Ready reporter live with package TRT 2:40  
Rambler fans are certainly ready for Saturday's game. WGN's Patrick Elwood is live at Loyola University with more on the Final Four frenzy.

3/27 9:13p Bullying Lawsuit reporter live in newsroom with package TRT 2:40  
A major verdict in a school bullying case, as a shocking video is released. A jury hits a central Illinois school district with a quarter-million dollar judgment in a civil rights lawsuit. WGN's Tom Negovan in the newsroom with details. And reaction from the victim's family.

## **ETHNIC MINORITY & WOMEN**

### **People to People**

1/6 6:30a

Topic: Stories of the Year

Mary Datcher, from the Chicago Defender talks about the paper's biggest headlines of 2017 and what new stories she's already watching.

1/11 9:14p DACA Debate reporter package TRT 4:50  
That's Congressman Luis Gutierrez tonight, reacting to published comments from President Trump that set off a wave of controversy. The Washington Post published a remark that offended immigrants, just as congress is trying to work out a new immigration deal. WGN's Ben Bradley has more.

1/12 5:28p Haitian React to Trump reporter in newsroom with package TRT 2:30  
The fallout continues over President Trump's controversial remarks deriding certain nations with vulgar language. Today prominent civil rights leaders in Chicago called on Congress to censure the president - and for Trump himself to apologize. WGN'S Mike Lowe joins us in the newsroom with more.

**Adelante**

1/13 6:31a TRT 5:12  
Host: Lourdes Duarte  
Topic: The future is up in the air for thousands of people from El Salvador living here in the US. This week...President Trump canceled a program that gave many of them temporary status to live and work here. Chicago's Salvadoran community is now looking for a way around this.

**Adelante**

1/13 6:38a TRT 6:54  
Host: Lourdes Duarte  
Topic: Is Congress any closer to coming up with a plan for the thousands of undocumented students who call the U-S home? Our political analyst Paul Lisnek will get us up to speed on what's next.

**Adelante**

1/13 6:52a TRT 5:12  
Host: Lourdes Duarte  
Topic: A new documentary on immigrant prisons is hoping to raise awareness about the life of detainees. The Executive Director of Brave New Films was in town in the last few months to talk about the documentary and the role that Chicago plays in telling the story of these detention centers.

1/14 5:32p MLK St. Sabina Talk reporter on set with package TRT 2:00  
Tomorrow the nation will pause to celebrate the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Junior. It's the national holiday marking Dr. King's birthday. But the ceremonies actually started early, today in Chicago.

1/15 11:48a Chicago Sinfonietta MLK Concert studio guest interview TRT 4:25  
Today the nation honors Martin Luther King Junior. Tonight... the celebration continues with the Chicago Sinfonietta's 30th anniversary M-L-K Tribute concert. In today's Midday Fix... we're joined by one of the featured vocalists... Tony-nominated De`Adre Aziza.

1/28 5:40p Women Shoemaker reporter package TRT 3:25  
The fine art of shoemaking seems like something from the past. But right here in Chicago, a female shoemaker is fighting to revive the long forgotten trade. WGN's Erin Ivory takes us inside her shop.

1/29 9:15p Man Detained by ICE Speaks Out reporter package TRT 2:25  
A man who was falsely accused of being a gang member, then detained for ten months and threatened with deportation is talking about his ordeal. WGN's Mike Lowe has his story.

1/30 11:29a Innocence Project reporter live package with interviews TRT 2:05  
After spending nearly 30 years in prison. Two more alleged victims of Chicago police torture have just won their freedom. WGN's Julian Crews is live at the Cook County Criminal Courts building with details.

1/30 5:29p Jackie Wilson reporter in studio with package TRT 2:15  
A man who has spent decades behind bars for killing a Chicago police officer is trying to get a new trial. He says he was a victim of disgraced former CPD commander Jon Burge. WGN's Marcella Raymond is at 26th and California with the latest.

**People to People**

2/10 6:38a TRT 8:05  
Topic: White Awake  
Pastor Daniel Hill, author of "White Awake" ... a book that takes a look at the state of America's race relations from the point of view of a white pastor who says white Americans should play a more active role in seeking diversity and understanding.

2/28 6:37p Teen Asylum Seeker reporter live with package TRT 2:10  
A developing story we're following right now -- an immigration judge says a teen from Honduras can stay here in the U.S. Her legal fight has lasted years. WGN's Tonya Francisco is live with these latest details.

2/28 9:46p Black Women and Infertility reporter package TRT 5:50  
In tonight's cover story... Black women and infertility. It's not talked about much because many buy into the common misconception that black women don't struggle with infertility. But research shows, black women actually have a tougher time conceiving than white women. And as Tonya Francisco reports, they often suffer in silence which makes the situation even worse.

3/12 6:00P Austin Deadly Explosions reporter in newsroom with package TRT 2:40  
Developing tonight out of Texas. Another package bombing this afternoon in the city of Austin. That makes three in the past ten days, two of them fatal. All of them apparently linked, according to police. WGN's Tom Negovan is live in our newsroom with some new details tonight.

3/13 9:21p Legrier Latest reporter live with package TRT 2:50  
New details tonight in the deadly 20-15 police shooting of Quintonio Legrier and his neighbor Bettie Jones. Did a paramedic change his testimony in the case? It's a key question because it goes to the heart of the threat against the police officer who opened fire. WGN's Patrick Elwood is live with the story.

3/14 4:47p Mom Marathon for MS Research reporter on set with package TRT 4:00  
Every week 200 more people are diagnosed with multiple sclerosis in the US WGN's Erin Ivory is here tonight with the story of one woman's personal mission to change that.

### **Adelante**

3/24 6:31a TRT 5:37  
Host: Lourdes Duarte  
Topic: The showdown continues and it's still limbo for hundreds of thousands of undocumented students who have been waiting for an answer on DACA. The 3/5th deadline has come and gone. So where do we stand today?

3/24 7:44a Cabrini Green studio guest interview TRT 4:30  
They were built in the 1940's. At one point, the Cabrini-Green public housing projects on the Near North Side had over three thousand units and twenty thousand residents. But for a number of reasons... Cabrini-Green was an urban disaster, becoming one of the country's most notorious housing projects. By 1995 the Chicago Housing Authority started tearing them down. In a new book called "High-Risers: Cabrini-Green and the fate of American Public Housing" Ben Austen writes about life within Cabrini-Green. He joins us this morning.

3/27 4:35p Census and Citizenship reporter on set with package TRT 2:05  
The commerce department plans to add a new question about citizenship to the 2020 census. Attorneys general from New York and California along with civil rights groups are filing suits to oppose the move. They say the question will scare away people who fear immigration enforcement.

3/27 10:01p Guevara Ricardo Ramirez Exoneration reporter live with package TRT 2:10  
Tonight, the family of Ricardo Rodriguez is anxious and hopeful. He's been cleared of a murder conviction after 22 years in prison, yet his future remains uncertain. Rodriguez says he was framed by a Chicago detective, whose cases have been unraveling. WGN's Sean Lewis is in the newsroom with our top story.

3/28 9:06p Breaking Barriers reporter package TRT 6:45  
Loyola's miraculous march to the final four is shedding new light on the last Loyola team to win it all. The 1963 team is significant to both sports and society, as the first to break racial barriers in college basketball. WGN's Mike Lowe sat down with members of the 1963 team for tonight's cover story.

3/28 9:45p Remembering MLK reporter on set with package TRT 9:40  
Next month marks 50 years since the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. He was shot on the balcony of the Lorraine Motel in Memphis. It was a moment that changed the course of history. And some would argue since his death the state of race in America remains bleak. Chicago's very own Reverend Jesse Jackson was standing next to Dr. King the night he was killed. In a WGN exclusive, Matherre traveled to Memphis and spoke with the reverend at the very spot where King took his last breath.

3/30 4:02p Sister Jean reporter live with package TRT 2:35  
Our top story at four: just about 24 hours from tip off in San Antonio. As Loyola rambles on to the final four, sister Jean wheels into the national spotlight. Scoring with her wit and wisdom in front of a packed news conference this morning. WGN's Patrick Elwood is live there with perspective from the team's chaplain.

3/30 11:53p Shelley Reese reporter package TRT 3:20  
She's helped hundreds of orphaned children in Ghana. With her endless passion and enthusiasm, Shelley Reese, is proof that one person can make a difference in the lives of others. She is one of Chicago's very own. WGN's Micah Materre has more.

### **People to People**

3/31 6:30a TRT 9:20  
Topic: Jesse Jackson at Lorraine  
Jesse Jackson returns to the balcony of the Lorraine Motel, as WGN remembers MLK on the 50<sup>th</sup> commemoration of his murder

### **FAMILY**

1/4 11:18a AARP Social Scams studio guest interview TRT 4:38  
How you can help your elderly relatives avoid being scammed through social media.

1/24 11:23a Family Help Prevent Ice/Snow Injuries studio guest interview TRT 4:15  
A shovel full of ice and snow can be heavy... and dangerous if you handle it the wrong way. In today's Focus on Family, we're talking about how to avoid injury during the winter when we're dealing with ice, sleet or snow. Dr. Lynn Capodagli is a chiropractor at The Joint Chiropractic of Chicago.

2/27 11:24a Getting Kids to Want to Talk to Parents studio guest interview TRT 3:15  
There's a new book out called "how to raise a secure child, parenting with empathy". It's written by Dr. Erin Leonard... a child and adolescent psychotherapist. In today's "Focus on Family"... Dr. Leonard is here with advice on how to be a parent your child wants to talk to.

3/6 11:14a Family Learns Lesson from Fire reporter package TRT 3:20  
About five years ago... WGN featured the story of a man whose business helps others get a fresh start. But recently, Corey Heidkamp and his family went through a major hardship. Marcus Leshock shares his story... And Heidkamp's warning to others.

3/16 11:36a Taking a Phone Breather reporter package TRT 2:30  
Teens and adults love their smartphones... But a new app is helping ease our anxiety about putting them down for a bit. Rich Demuro tells us about it.

### **GOVERNMENT & VETERANS AFFAIRS**

1/1 9:45a Trump Iran reporter package TRT 1:55  
Four days of political demonstrations in Iran have left at least 12 people dead. Flying in the face of Iranian officials calling for calm, president trump tweeted, quote, "Iran is failing at every level" and it is "time for change".

1/2 11:24a Trump Returns to 2018 Agenda reporter with package TRT 2:45  
President Trump believes sanctions and other steps against North Korea are beginning to have an impact. He's also accusing the Justice Department of being part of the "Deep State." CNN's Joe Johns has more on the international and domestic challenges ahead for the president.

1/5 11:32a Quincy Veterans Home Legionnaires reporter package TRT 2:25  
Governor Rauner is spending a second day at a veterans home, where several residents died of Legionnaires' disease. WGN political reporter Tahman Bradley is in Quincy, with more on the governor's agenda.

1/12 9:11p Trump Comments React reporter package TRT 2:30  
President trump has privately defended his highly controversial remarks against Haitians and African countries. The associated press reports a person who spoke to the president, said Mr. Trump was only expressing what many Americans think, but won't say about immigrants from economically depressed countries. WGN's Tahman Bradley has reaction from local officials to the president's remarks.

1/15 11:04a Durbin Today reporter package TRT 2:05  
Senator Durbin spoke at a national day of service event in Chicago today... And WGN's Marcella Raymond joins us live with his reaction to the controversy.

1/22 11:30a Paul Lisnek on Government Shutdown studio guest TRT 4:30  
Here now to help us breakdown what's still ahead with the coming government shutdown is WGN Political analyst Paul Lisnek.

1/22 11:42a Preckwinkle on Marijuana reporter live with package TRT 2:05  
Some state lawmakers want to legalize recreational marijuana in Illinois. Cook County Board President Toni Preckwinkle is testifying at a public hearing being held today in Chicago. WGN's Erik Runge s live downtown with that story.

1/22 4:02p Government Shutdown reporter live with package TRT 2:15  
US senators have struck a deal to end the three- day government shutdown. Senate Democrats agreed to stopgap funding 'til February 8th, in exchange for a promise to address the plight of people who were brought into this country illegally as children. WGN's Sean Lewis is here with details.

1/23 9:00p Governor Forum reporter live with interviews TRT 2:00  
We begin with Decision 2018. Six on stage as Democrats running for governor square off in their first televised forum. WGN's Sean Lewis is live downtown with details.

1/29 11:13p Trump Preparing for State of the Union reporter package TRT 2:35  
President Trump is preparing his first State of the Union address for tomorrow night. Aides say the tone will be more optimistic than usual. But reports the president tried to fire Robert Mueller are threatening to overshadow the positives he wants to emphasize. Kaitlan Collins reports.

1/30 11:18a House Committee Votes to Release GOP Memo reporter package TRT 3:10  
House Speaker Paul Ryan is defending Republicans on the House intelligence committee, who voted to release a classified memo on the Russia investigation. CNN's Abby Phillip has more on the vote.

1/30 10:03p State of the Union/Paul Lisnek on set reporter package/guest interview TRT 7:45  
The president's first State of the Union speech comes with partisanship at all-time high. The government just days from shutting down again and all of this playing out while a special council continues to investigate Russia's involvement in the 2016 election. Erik Runge reports.

2/1 11:02a GOP Classified Memo Concerns reporter package TRT 2:05  
A controversial republican intelligence memo could be released as early as today. The head of the FBI told the White House he has "grave concerns" about the memo's accuracy. WGN's Randi Bellisomo is here with more.

2/28 6:15p World War II Vet reporter live with package TRT 6:15  
The stories of U.S. veterans who made it through D-Day...are slipping away. According to the Veterans Affairs Department, nearly 400 WWII soldiers are dying each day. WGN's Erin Ivory has the story of one local veteran who waited nearly seventy years to tell his story.

2/28 9:16p 6<sup>th</sup> District Profile reporter package TRT 4:00  
It's a crowded primary for the sixth congressional district in the northwest suburbs. They're all confident they can beat incumbent Republican Peter Roskam. WGN's political reporter Tahman Bradley spent time with all of them.

3/12 6:33p Gun Dealer's Licensing reporter package TRT 2:10  
A bipartisan bill passed in the state legislature last month, but Governor Rauner still hasn't signed the bill licensing gun dealers. WGN's Dana Rebik reports, some of Chicago's top leaders are urging the governor to act.

3/13 9:07p Dem Governor Profiles reporter package TRT 6:55  
Decision 2018. The Illinois primary is just one week away now. Tonight, an in-depth look at the crowded field of democrats in the race for governor. WGN political reporter Tahman Profiles that contest.

3/21 11:05a 6<sup>th</sup> Congressional District Results reporter live with interviews TRT 1:45  
In the sixth congressional district... We finally have a winner in the democratic race. Downers Grove businessman Sean Casten has been declared the winner... With 30-percent of the vote. WGN's Julian crews has more from Downers Grove... Where Casten is speaking to the media today.

3/22 11:03a McCarthy for Mayor reporter package TRT 2:30  
Former Chicago Police Superintendent Garry McCarthy is challenging the man who fired him. McCarthy plans to run against Mayor Rahm Emanuel next year. WGN's Nancy Loo reports.

3/23 11:05a 6<sup>th</sup> District Congressional Dems Race reporter live with package TRT 1:45  
In the Sixth congressional district... We finally have a winner in the democratic race. Downers Grove businessman Sean Casten has been declared the winner... With 30-percent of the vote. WGN's Julian Crews has more from Downers Grove... Where Casten is speaking to the media today.

3/28 4:15p New VA Secretary reporter package TRT 2:05  
President Trump says he's replacing the head of Veterans Affairs - because he wants vets to have the ability to "run to a private doctor." the new choice - Dr. Ronny Jackson - hasn't stated his position on privatizing the department. But lawmakers and veterans groups are already questioning his qualifications.

## HEALTH & WELLNESS

1/11 9:45p Medwatch Allergy App reporter package TRT 2:30  
On the Medical Watch ... Imagine every decision you make could have life or death consequences? That's what it's like for many people with food allergies. The potential for danger is everywhere. Inspired by her own daughter -- a local mom created a tool to ease the burden.

1/14 5:02p Measles at O'Hare reporter live with package TRT 2:00  
Now to a developing story from O'Hare airport. The Illinois Department of Public Health, has now confirmed that a passenger with measles, arrived at the airport, last Wednesday. That's raising serious concerns because of how 'contagious' measles is. WGN's Meghan Dwyer is live at O'Hare with more details.

1/22 11:47a Beach Muscle Workout studio guest interview TRT 4:15  
It may still be winter... but it's the only time you can get your body ready for a new swimsuit by the summer. In today's Midday Fix, we're getting tips from Joey Thurman... Co-host of the Facebook Watch Series "Home SWEAT Home".

1/23 11:03a Flu Outbreak Closes School reporter live with package TRT 2:45  
The flu outbreak is shutting down a suburban school -- for a week. WGN's Courtney Gousman is in Aurora with that story.

1/27 5:14p Flu Season Still Bad reporter package TRT 1:30  
The 'flu' epidemic continues here in Illinois and across the country. As the death toll rises, there is news this flu season isn't ending any time soon. Reporter Kim Hutcherson has the latest.

1/31 10:01p Bed Bugs School reporter package TRT 2:40  
A Chicago charter school is promising to clean up their building, after bed bugs are found in the cafeteria. But one mother is speaking out tonight, claiming she was misled by the school for weeks. WGN's Marcella Raymond is here with her story.

2/28 6:29p Kidney Exchange reporter live with package TRT 2:20  
Some emotional moments today, as six patients who received life-saving kidney transplants met their anonymous donors for the very first time. WGN's Gaynor Hall was there. She joins us live from Northwestern Memorial Hospital.

2/28 9:46p Black Women and Infertility reporter package TRT 5:50  
In tonight's cover story... Black women and infertility. It's not talked about much because many buy into the common misconception that black women don't struggle with infertility. But research shows, black women actually have a tougher time conceiving than white women. And as Tonya Francisco reports, they often suffer in silence which makes the situation even worse.

3/13 9:48p World's Smallest Valve Transplant reporter in studio with package TRT 3:20  
On today's medical watch... It's a game of millimeters. Working inside an infant's tiny heart is complex. Now, access to a newly FDA-approved device is changing the outcome for some of the tiniest patients with abnormal heart valves. WGN's Lourdes Duarte has more.

3/27 4:26p Medical Watch reporter on set TRT 1:40  
On today's medical watch: scientists have developed a new weapon in the battle against superbugs. They're calling it a game-changer. Here's medical reporter, Dina Bair.

## **NATURE & ENVIRONMENT**

1/1 4:20p Dangerous Cold reporter package TRT 1:42  
It may be dangerously cold, but it's not enough to keep Chicagoans inside all day. WGN's Sean Lewis takes a look at how people are coping with the cold.

1/4 11:32a Northeast Winter Bomb reporter package TRT 2:30  
They call it a Winterbomb and thanks to that 'bomb cyclone', more than a foot of snow is expected in Boston. That's where reporter Yon Pomrenze is with the latest.

1/12 12:15p Mudslide Evacuation Slides reporter package TRT 1:55  
The search for victims of deadly mudslides in Montecito, California, is in its fourth day, with authorities doubtful any more survivors will be found. 17 are confirmed dead. As John Lorinc reports, that number is expected to rise.

1/16 11:11a Cleaning Up in California reporter package TRT 1:30  
Slowly but surely, Montecito California is cleaning up from devastating mudslides. Tracy Lehr reports that a highway shut down by the mudslides is getting closer to reopening.

3/3 9:15p Deadly Storm out East reporter package TRT 1:45  
A powerful storm tore across the east coast bringing heavy snow, rain and high winds. At least eight people were killed. CNN's Kim Hutcherson has the latest.

3/13 11:37a Winter Weather Slams Northeast reporter package TRT 2:00  
We're just one week away from the first day of spring and the northeast just can't catch a break. Another nor'easter is hitting the region today... Bringing more snow... Flooding... And howling winds. Omar Jimenez is in Boston with more.

## RELIGION

2/19 5:45p Hijab Billboard Campaign reporter in studio with package TRT 1:55  
A billboard campaign in the suburbs aims to educate rather than advertise. And it's trying to start a conversation to clear up some confusion about the Muslim religion. WGN's Marcella Raymond has more.

### People to People

3/17 6:30a TRT 5:39  
Topic: Yep Nation

Yep Nation, an organization run by a community group known as "Concerned Christian Men" that offers academic and faith support as well mentoring to Chicago area young men.

3/19 4:03p St. John Cantius Pastor Removal reporter live with package TRT 2:15  
A longtime priest has been removed from Saint John Cantius church amid allegations of improper conduct. WGN's Tonya Francisco is live outside the church in Goose Island with the details of the allegations against Reverend "C" Frank Phillips.

3/30 11:47p Good Friday reporter package TRT 2:10  
Hundreds of kids marked Good Friday with a march through the streets of Brighton Park, calling for an end to the city's gun violence. WGN's Meghan Dwyer reports from Holy Name Cathedral where Cardinal Blase Cupich lead tonight's service.

## YOUTH & SENIORS

1/10 11:48a Chicago Children's Theatre MLK Day Reporter package TRT 4:50  
The kids are out of school on Monday for Martin Luther King Junior day. If you're looking for something to do... we have details on the birthday party The Chicago Children's Theatre is throwing in honor of the civil rights leader. Michael Tyler will be there... with his signature Bundt, birthday cake... and his new book... called "The Skin You Live In".

1/25 11:23a Kids Adventure Book Chicago studio guest interview TRT 4:15  
A new book breaks down all of the things families can do in the Chicago area to beat boredom and cabin fever. It's called... The ultimate kids' adventure guide to Chicago. In today's Chicago scene... We're talking to the author Sarah Parisi.

1/28 5:25p AON Step Up For Kids reporter package TRT 1:45  
When most of us visit a Chicago sky-scraper, we take the elevator. But today some local kids, were climbing the stairs at the 'AON' Building. As WGN's Sean Lewis shows us, it was all for a great cause.

1/31 11:24a Marley Dias studio guest interview TRT 4:15  
She's only 13-years old... and already has a book under her belt. It's called "Marley dye-us Gets It Done and So Can You!" But, Marley's journey to get to this point began years ago... when she realized she wanted to help share a new perspective to the world of literature. She joins us now.

2/9 9:53p Equine Dreams Horse Therapy reporter package TRT 3:10  
For kids with disabilities, researchers say horses can provide an incredible healing connection. WGN's Erin ivory visited 'equine dreams' in Newark, Illinois, to find out about the good work they're doing.



3/3 9:37p Prom Dresses reporter package TRT 2:00  
 Finding the perfect prom dress can be a source of stress, but a local shop has been coming to shoppers' rescue for decades. As WGN's Andrea Darlas reports, finding the right dress can make a girl feel like a million bucks, and meeting the designer makes it even more memorable.

3/13 11:42a Seniors Scuba Diving reporter package TRT 3:40  
 A retirement community in Schaumburg is pushing their seniors to rethink what's possible. Erin Ivory explains.

3/13 9:46p Chicago's Very Own Urban League Opera reporter package TRT 3:05  
 A collaboration between two organizations has resulted in a unique idea. An opera based on the personal lives of Chicago high school students. It's the first of its kind in the Chicago area and that is why empower youth is one of Chicago's very own.

3/16 11:16a Kids Take Classes to Learn to Shoot Guns anchor reads with interviews TRT 1:40  
 Some parents in Texas think a good way to protect their children from guns is to make sure they know how to handle one safely. A gun range in a suburb of Houston is offering a "pistol camp." It teaches kids ages 11 to 14 to load and shoot guns.

3/22 11:16a True Colors reporter package TRT 3:00  
 Performing on stage has been a life changing experience for a group of young adults with developmental challenges. Erin ivory spent time with the 'true colors' show choir.

3/23 11:20a Teens and Juuling studio guest interview TRT 5:15  
 Today marks the 23rd anniversary of Kick Butts Day, a nationwide day of action where youth are rallying together to call on elected officials to take action to create the first tobacco-free generation. Here to tell us more is Dr. Tim Sanborn A cardiologist with North Shore University Health System and Victoria Layman, a junior at west aurora High school. She has also worked with the campaign for tobacco free kids.

3/23 9:02p Washington March for Our Lives reporter live with package TRT 3:15  
 Several events happening in Washington DC tonight, ahead of the "March for Our Lives." The National Cathedral held a special prayer service. Also in Washington, a benefit concert for students called, "Stay Amped." This weekend's march is expected to draw tens of thousands of people to the nation's capital - and thousands more to cities around the world. We have team coverage of all the preparations tonight. We begin with Tom Negovan who's live in Washington DC tonight.

3/24 9:05p March for Our Lives reporter live with package TRT 3:05  
 The march for our lives. Organizers estimate about 800- thousand people filled the National Mall in Washington DC, for the event protesting gun violence. WGN's Tom Negovan is live from Washington tonight with the latest.

3/24 9:09p Chicago March for Our Lives reporter live with package TRT 2:40  
 As you saw, many Chicagoans traveled to Washington for today's march. But many also stayed here and attended a march at Union Park. WGN's Mike Lowe is covering that part of the story.

3/25 9:04p Loyola Returns Home reporter package TRT 1:30  
 Now to the Loyola Ramblers and their journey to the final four. The team returned to Rogers Park today following two huge wins. Hundreds turned out to cheer them on in an afternoon rally. Final four fever has gripped the Loyola campus. WGN's Mike Lowe has more on the excitement.

3/28 4:46p Kid Get Dream Bedroom Makeover reporter on set with package TRT 3:55  
 For a kid that has spent most of his young life in hospitals, there is nothing like finally coming home. Which is why a group called 'special spaces' made sure that the room he returned to, would be unforgettable. WGN's Erin Ivory has the story.

## ISSUES REPORT WGN-TV 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2018

### THE FOLLOWING IS A REPRESENTATIVE LIST OF ISSUES AND COMMUNITY CALENDARS THAT PROVIDED AWARENESS TO WGN-TV VIEWERS OF UPCOMING EVENTS.

#### ARTS & CULTURE

1/23: 11:51a, 12:43a :15

1/26: 12:40p, 2:29a

Enjoy an evening at the symphony. February second, Roosevelt University's Symphony Orchestra will perform a free concert. For more information on how you can attend, visit WGN's community events page.

1/30: 5:58a, 3:18a :15

2/3: 3:46p

Be there when the newly formed Evanston Chamber Opera presents its world premiere event, "those in peril," February ninth. For more information, visit WGN's community events page.

2/13: 8:59a, 3:39a :15

2/17: 1:32a

The Lemont Artist Guild is celebrating their twenty-fifth anniversary with an art exhibit! February twenty-third, paintings, photography, fiber and jewelry will all be on display. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

2/20: 11:06a, 12:03a :15

2/23: 12:18p

Everything old is new again at the Chicago Vintage Clothing and Jewelry Show March second and third. Fifty vendors will be on hand showcasing handbags, accessories and more! For details, visit WGN's community events page.

#### BUSINESS & FINANCE

2/19: 11:55a, 12:46p :15

2/23: 11:06a

Learn about the college application process, loans versus grants and even how to negotiate the cost of tuition at a free "Lunch and Learn Workshop" March first. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

#### EDUCATION & CAREER SERVICES

1/1: 5:37a, 11:32p :15

1/4: 9:08a, 3:58a

Sign up today to learn trendy cake decorating techniques at a Riverside Public Library cake decorating class January eighth. This beginner's class is for those age sixteen and over. Registration is required, visit WGN's community events page.

1/1: 8:08a, 3:29a :15

1/5: 5:27a, 11:48a

Is a new career in store for you in twenty-eighteen? National Career Fairs is hosting a live hiring event January tenth. The fair is free and is for all level job seekers. To register, visit WGN's community events page.

1/17: 9:28a, 3:31a :15

1/21: 11:28p

New to photography? Learn how to make the most of you s-l-r camera at a Prairie View Community Center class January twenty-seventh. To register, visit WGN's community events page.

1/29: 4:18a, 11:23a :15

2/1: 8:37a, 3:54a

Join the Illinois Institute of Technology February second, for "one solution" a celebration of Doctor Martin Luther King Junior. Snacks, refreshments and free books will be available to all attendees. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

3/7: 11:12a, 3:20a :15

3/10: 9:55a

Create a pair of comfy pajama pants from start to finish when you learn to sew at a Nichols Library "Sewing for Beginners" class. The four week workshop begins March thirteenth and is free to all participants. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

### **ETHNIC MINORITY & WOMEN**

1/16: 7:27a, 8:47p :15

1/19: 9:09a, 11:58p

E-s-l learners of all levels are invited to practice their English in a relaxed environment and under the guidance of a trained literacy DuPage tutor. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

1/17: 5:28a, 11:53a :15

1/20: 1:58a

The Aquinas Literacy Center is seeking English as a second language tutors. The next volunteer training session takes place January twenty-sixth and twenty-seventh. To register, visit WGN's community events page.

1/31: 8:59a, 3:34a :15

2/4: 5:29a

One Billion Rising is a global effort to end violence against women and girls. Show your support for their efforts, attend an urban art retreat group art exhibit February tenth. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

2/14: 6:07a, 3:24a :15

2/17: 3:59a

The National Black Nurses Day Committee is recognizing outstanding African American nurses at celebration February twenty-third. To learn how you can be a part of the celebration, visit WGN's community events page.

2/26: 4:29a, 3:23p :15

3/1: 8:27a, 3:30a

Women in the Media is the focus of this years "Step-Up Women's History Month Panel." The panel will highlight the importance of diversity and the role media plays in furthering women's issues. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

2/27: 8:37a :15

3/3: 9:28a, 2:29a

Kick off your Saint Patrick's Day celebrations reveling in laughs at the "All Irish Comedy Tour" March tenth. For ticket information, visit WGN's community events page.

2/28: 7:56a, 3:59a :15  
3/3: 12:59p  
In honor of International Women's Day, the Woman Made Gallery hosts "In Pursuit Of Liberty" an afternoon of film, performance and discussion by and about women. Takes place March eleventh, for details, visit WGN's community events page.

3/6: 11:28a, 1:52p :15  
3/9: 12:19p, 12:57a  
March eighteenth, the Irish Heritage Singers presents, "Letters from Ireland" a suite of Celtic melodies based on actual letters written by the first generations of Irish immigrants to America. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

## **FAMILY**

1/24: 12:12p, 3:59a :15  
1/28: 3:33p  
Parent Community Network is hosting its twenty-first annual "Parent University," an educational forum for parents and educators of children from toddler age through you adulthood. To attend, visit WGN's community events page.

## **HEALTH & WELLNESS**

1/2: 4:08a, 12:42a :15  
1/5: 6:36a, 12:15p  
1/8: 11:52a, 2:41p  
1/9: 12:20p, 2:29a  
Learn how laughter and meditation can help you let go of worry and replenish your positive energy. Attend an Itasca Community Library workshop January tenth. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

1/2: 8:48a, 11:28a :15  
1/6: 10:56a  
1/8: 11:14a, 11:21a  
1/9: 11:13a, 11:50p  
Get your new year off to a healthy start! Learn about appropriate serving sizes, good versus bad fats, and how to get off the dieting yo-yo at a Pay-Lows Heights Public Library workshop January eleventh. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

1/3: 4:37a, 12:56p :15  
1/6: 4:25p  
1/10: 12:32p, 1:28a  
1/12: 11:40a, 11:58a  
1/13: 5:59a  
1/23: 12:53p, 3:43a  
1/27: 10:58a  
You don't have to fight living with chronic pain alone. The Chicago Chronic Pain Support Group meets twice a month and provides validation and education on basic pain management. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

1/15: 7:08a, 1:53p :15  
1/18: 9:59a, 3:59a  
To be a good caregiver, you must take good care of yourself. Learn how at a free y-w-c-a workshop January twenty-third. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

1/29: 6:48a, 3:44a :15

2/2: 7:58a, 8:27p

Escape to Treasure Island with Marklund! Attend their twenty-eighteen "Top Hat Ball" February third. Your attendance supports the care of children and adults with developmental disabilities. For tickets, visit WGN's community events page.

1/30: 5:08a, 1:29a :15

2/2: 9:18a, 12:27a

Learn how meditation can dramatically enhance your health, happiness, youthfulness, and success, at a free North Suburban Y-M-C-A workshop February sixth. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

2/12: 7:58a :15

2/16: 5:08a

Wheaton Public Library wants you to learn the secrets to permanent weight loss. Attend a February twentieth workshop for details, visit WGN's community events page.

2/14: 9:28a :15

2/18: 9:29a

2/21: 12:40p, 2:29a

2/25: 4:28a

2/28: 9:39a, 1:11p

3/4: 1:20a, 11:55p

3/7: 12:05p

3/11: 9:29a

Step up to the challenge! Register today for the American Lung Association's Fight for Air Climb at the Presidential Towers March eleventh. For registration information, visit WGN's community events page.

2/20: 12:11p, 3:22a :15

2/24: 4:58a

Thousands of cold weather champions brave the icy waters of Lake Michigan all in support of the Special Olympics. The annual Polar Plunge takes place March fourth. To learn how you can participate, visit WGN's community events page.

2/21: 11:43a :15

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2/27: 4:37a, 12:57a

3/2: 9:28a, 2:29a

3/5: 11:21a, 1:28a

Dance the night away all for a good cause! The Doctor Bombay Band headlines the Lymphoma Research Foundation's fundraising event March ninth. To attend, visit WGN's community events page.

3/5: 12:19p, 3:40a :15

3/9: 11:36a, 12:23a

Trying to drop a few pounds? Get expert opinion on popular diets and fads at a Rush Oak Park Hospital seminar March thirteenth. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

## HOMELESS & HOUSING

1/22: 12:26p, 3:22a :15

1/26: 11:43a, 12:03a

Help keep your neighbors warm this winter. Participate in a "Care For Real" coat drive. Lightly used coats will be collected throughout the month of January. For drop-off locations, visit WGN's community events page.

2/15: 5:28a :15

2/18: 7:28p

Help work toward a world where everyone has a place to live. Participate in Habitat for Humanity's annual walk-a-thon February twenty-fourth. To register, visit WGN's community events page.

## **NATURE & ENVIRONMENT**

2/19: 10:20a, 11:58a :15

2/22: 12:05p, 3:58a

The Naperville Garden Club's next meeting takes place February twenty-eighth. Join them and learn great tips on how to keep your garden beautiful this season. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

3/6: 12:45p, 3:19a :15

3/10: 5:29a

Paws Chicago's, "Animal Magnetism" is a pet-friendly celebration for paws Chicago supporters and their furry friends. March sixteenth, join other pet lovers for a night fun and fundraising. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

## **RELIGION**

2/12: 5:48a :15

2/15: 8:38a

Fountain of Life Church believes laughter is good for the soul! Attend their monthly free comedy show and take a moment to laugh at all of life's craziness. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

2/13: 4:29a, 2:59a :15

2/16: 6:48a

Gardening season will be here before you know it! Learn stretches and exercises you can do to help avoid back and joint gardening injuries. Attend a Saint Paul Church seminar February twentieth. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

## **YOUTH & SENIORS**

1/3: 5:48a, 1:29a :15

1/7: 10:47p

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1/12: 12:53p, 7:43p

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1/24: 11:13a, 3:32a

1/27: 8:28p

Each month, the American Writers Museum welcomes a new children's author to its children's literature gallery. Stop by and hear a story from some of today's most inspiring and creative authors. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

1/15: 7:47a, 12:56a

1/19: 4:49a, 8:27p

1/22: 12:19p, 2:59a

1/25: 12:33p, 3:55a

Addison Center for the Arts presents "Young at Art" a compilation of artwork from eight different elementary schools in Addison. Runs January seventeenth through February second. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

1/16: 8:59a, 12:46a :15

1/20: 4:59a

Learn innovative ways to preserve your brain function as you age at a North Suburban Y-M-C-A presentation January twenty-sixth. For information on this free event, visit WGN's community events page.

1/31: 4:58a, 12:57a :15

2/3: 3:46p

If you're approaching age sixty-five, make sure you know how to select the best Medicare plan for your needs. Attend a Medicare Information Seminar February tenth. For details, visit WGN's community events page.

2/26: 5:39a, 3:41a :15

3/2: 4:58a, 1:59a

It's a special night just for tweens! Enjoy games, music, dancing, food and more when Eastside Community Center hosts "Tween Night" March ninth. Registration is required, for details, visit WGN's community events page.

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**THE FOLLOWING IS A REPRESENTATIVE LIST OF ISSUES  
AND SOME TYPICAL PSA'S THAT ADDRESSED THEM.**

**ARTS & CULTURE**

WGN PSA	One Chicago	:30
Social Network	Just Play	:15

**CRIME & SAFETY**

Ad Council Sex Assault	Its On Us Zoe	:15
Boards Of Pharmacy	CMNA3617315	1:00
WGN PSA	Opioid Micah 15	:15

**EDUCATION & CAREER SERVICES**

Council of the Great City Schools	CMNA3619215	:30
Danny Davis Literacy	Danny Davis Literacy	:30
IBA Bright Directions	BDIR 3003 Ramona	:30

**FAMILY**

Ad Council Hunger PSA	Hunger-15	:15
National Council for Adoption	Mindi 60	1:00
Shelter Pet	Pets Anthem	:30

**GOVERNMENT & VETERANS AFFAIRS**

100 Club	Legacy 30 100 Club	:30
DAV - Fulfilling Our Promises	Promise 60	1:00
Military & Vet Services	CMNA3632115	1:00

**HEALTH & WELLNESS**

Obesity Action Coalition	CMNA3630415	1:00
Pulmonary Hypertension	CWPHAHC60H	1:00
Stand Up to Cancer	Aidan Smith 15	:15

**HOMELESS & HOUSING**

Illinois.org	Smart Meter PSA	:30
JBJ Soul Foundation	JBJ Soul Foundation 30	:30

**NATURE & ENVIRONMENT**

Ad Council Harvey	Ad Council Harvey	:30
WGN PSA	Ana Puerto Rico 31	:30

**YOUTH & SENIORS**

Ad Council Bullying	Bully Prevention Anthem	:30
Bright Focus Foundation	Make A Plan Today	1:00
Shriners Hospital	SHC902H	:30