



KDKA-TV QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAM LIST
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Attached are listings of broadcasts or broadcast segments, which, in the station's judgment, reflect the station's most significant programming treatment of ascertained issues during the preceding three-month period.

KDKA-TV broadcasts both locally produced and network programming. Although we include only local programs herein, KDKA-TV also broadcasts several network broadcasts including FACE THE NATION, 60 MINUTES, and 48 HOURS.

PROGRAM INDEX

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

KDKA-TV produces this weekly half-hour local program dealing with the viewing area's economy and business environment. "The Sunday Business Page" is hosted by KDKA-TV's Jon Delano.
Sunday, 6:30AM to 7:00AM

KD/PG SUNDAY EDITION

KDKA-TV and The Pittsburgh Post-Gazette produce this weekly half-hour program in which current community issues are discussed. This program is hosted by KDKA-TV's Stacy Smith and Ken Rice, and the Editor of *The Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*, David Schribman.
Sunday, 11:30AM to 12:00PM

1. HEALTH CARE

Topics discussed in this category included discussions on The Affordable Care Act and the glitches associated with the computer sign-up system for it, a local Congressman's efforts for a major overhaul of America's broken mental health delivery, and a look at the efforts to eradicate polio as well as the University of Pittsburgh's historic role in Dr. Jonas Salk's groundbreaking work in developing and testing a vaccine to prevent polio.

KD/PG SUNDAY EDITION

Sunday, October 6, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guest: Karen Wolk Feinstein, Ph.D. - President & CEO, Jewish Healthcare Foundation

Topic: The Affordable Care Act (Obama Care) sign-up began for the public but with major glitches, including failures within the computer sign-up system. We talked with Dr. Karen Wolk Feinstein, President & CEO of the Jewish Healthcare Foundation, and a recognized expert on the delivery of healthcare, about the Affordable Care Act, what it does, how it is supposed to work, and who benefits from it. It wasn't until the end of the year before most sign-up glitches were addressed, and sign-up levels remained below goals set by the Obama Administration.

KD/PG SUNDAY EDITION

Sunday, December 29, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guest: Rep. Tim Murphy, Ph.D. - (R) 18th Congressional District, Upper St. Clair

Topic: Western Pennsylvania Republican Congressman Tim Murphy, with 30 years of experience as a clinical psychologist, before serving in the Pennsylvania state legislature and in Congress, is taking the lead in calling for a major overhaul of America's broken mental health delivery, especially after a series of mass school shootings in America. He talked about that proposed legislation, which would expand access to care, rely more on court-ordered and preventive treatment programs, and provide extra federal spending for prevention, research, and first-responder training. Congressman Murphy also discussed 2013, a year of political gridlock in Washington, and what he believes will take place on Capitol Hill in 2014, an election year for the entire United States House of Representatives.

KD/PG SUNDAY EDITION

Sunday, December 22, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guests: Donald S. Burke, M.D. - Dean, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh
Stephanie Urchick, Ed.D. - Retired Dean, California University of Pennsylvania

Topic: Polio remains a crippling and potentially deadly, highly infectious disease, which could see resurgence, unless it is completely eradicated from the earth. Rotary International, since 1988, has made its goal the elimination of polio, and the disease is present in only three countries today (Afghanistan, Nigeria, and Pakistan). Our guests talked about Pittsburgh and the University of Pittsburgh's historic role in Dr. Jonas Salk's groundbreaking work in developing and testing a vaccine to prevent polio. This program included clips from exclusive KDKA-TV interviews with Dr. Salk in 1980 and with David Oshinsky, author of the Pulitzer Prize-winning book: "Polio: An American Story", part of a KDKA-TV documentary about polio. Both of our hosts have a personal connection to polio, as "KD/PG Sunday Edition" co-host Stacy Smith is a polio survivor, and co-host David Shribman's father was also a polio survivor.

2. GOVERNMENT SHUTDOWN – DEBT CEILING

Topics discussed in this category included discussions on the debt ceiling, and what the possibility of default would mean to the financial credibility of the United States.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, October 13, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guest: Antony Davies, Ph.D. - Associate Professor of Economics, Duquesne University

Topic: As the deadline came closer to America possibly defaulting, questions were asked about the debt ceiling, what it is, how it works, and whether the ceiling could be raised. We talked with Antony Davies, Ph.D., an Associate Professor of Economics at Duquesne University's Graduate School of Business. He provided perspective on what options the country had and if an agreement was reached at the last minute to avoid default.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, October 20, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guests: Thomas J. Nist - Director of Graduate Studies, Duquesne University

Jay W. Sukits - Clinical Assistant Professor, University of Pittsburgh

Topic: As the federal budget deadline wore on, we called upon two men with extensive backgrounds in banking, Duquesne University's Tom Nist, and the University of Pittsburgh's Jay Sukits, to discuss the possibility of default, and what it would mean to the financial credibility of the United States. Default was averted at the last moment when agreement was reached in Congress on stopgap legislation. The long-term potential for a repeat performance is likely, unless political divisions narrow on Capitol Hill.

3. TOURISM

Topics discussed in this category included discussions on the increase in tourism in Pittsburgh due to the Pittsburgh Pirates' appearance in the playoffs, and the 40-foot inflatable duck on Pittsburgh's rivers that drew 500,000 visitors to the city.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, October 6, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guest: Craig Davis - President & CEO, VisitPittsburgh

Topic: As predicted, in a previous broadcast, the Pittsburgh Pirates' appearance in Major League Baseball playoffs for the first time in many years, combined with the visit of a 40-foot inflatable duck on Pittsburgh's rivers (part of the Pittsburgh Cultural Trust's "Festival of Firsts") resulted in huge crowds (an estimated 500,000 visitors), a boom in tourism, and a boost to the local economy. Craig Davis, President and CEO of VisitPittsburgh, returned and discussed the presence of many tourists from out-of-town on their first visit to Pittsburgh for both of these events. There have been requests for the duck, which was leaving, after a limited stay to return to Pittsburgh because of the overwhelming positive response to this art initiative, a new area for Pittsburgh and its own population, as well as visitors.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, October 6, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guest: Shaunda Miles - Director of Public Relations, Pittsburgh Cultural Trust

Topic: Specifically, this segment dealt with the tourism bonanza caused by the exhibit of the 40-foot rubber duck on Pittsburgh's rivers, part of the Pittsburgh Cultural Trust's "Festival of Firsts", in September. Shaunda Miles, from the Trust, joined us, to talk about the economic and psychological lift that this unusual expression of art along the rivers provided to Pittsburgh. It is something that is unlike any other art exhibit in the history of the city. The duck is not scheduled to return, but the Trust has kept silent about what other possibilities exist to draw on the positive experience of this exhibit.

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Sunday, October 27, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guest: [Shaunda Miles](#) - Director of Public Relations, Pittsburgh Cultural Trust

Topic: The Pittsburgh Cultural Trust's ambitious project, its "Pittsburgh Festival of Firsts", featuring the 40-foot-high rubber duck, along Pittsburgh's rivers, came to an end, and the duck departed the area as tourists sadly said goodbye to this incredibly popular exhibit. What did we learn from this experience, how did it boost tourism and Pittsburgh's image, and would the duck ever return? These were questions we asked the Cultural Trust's Director of Public Relations, Shaunda Miles.

4. POLITICS

Topics discussed in this category included a discussion regarding the findings of a report on overtime hiring practices of the Pittsburgh Police, a discussion on the initiative to recruit the best and brightest talent for Pittsburgh's new mayoral administration, a discussion on the political landscape over the next two years, and an interview with former Senator Rick Santorum.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, October 20, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guest: [Michael Lamb](#) - (D) Pittsburgh City Controller

Topic: After indictments were handed out by a federal grand jury in an investigation of the Pittsburgh Police, including Chief Nathan Harper (who was forced to resign), Pittsburgh City Controller Michael Lamb conducted an audit of overtime hiring practices by Pittsburgh Police and called for major reform of those practices. We spoke with Controller Lamb about the results of his findings, and suggestions for reform.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, October 27, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guest: [Grant Oliphant](#) - President & CEO, The Pittsburgh Foundation

Topic: The Pittsburgh Foundation is launching a new initiative to recruit the best and brightest talent for Pittsburgh's new mayoral administration, under Mayor-elect Bill Peduto. The initiative is called "Talent City", and we spoke with Pittsburgh Foundation President & CEO Grant Oliphant, about how the initiative will work. The Pittsburgh Foundation is contributing \$275,000 to this effort, which requires the city administration to consider some applicants who have survived this selection process.

KD/PG SUNDAY EDITION

Sunday, November 10, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guests: [Jim Burn](#) – Chairman Pennsylvania State Democratic Party

[Melissa Hart](#), Esq.

Topic: Our guests gave their political analysis of the victory of Pittsburgh city councilman Bill Peduto as Mayor of Pittsburgh, problems that incumbent Republican governor of Pennsylvania Tom Corbett may face in next year's re-election campaign, and the potential candidates for President of the United States in 2016. Melissa Hart and Jim Burn weighed in on political leaders from New Jersey Governor Chris Christie to Hillary Rodham Clinton. They also talked about divisions within political parties that could cause problems in the coming election.

KD/PG SUNDAY EDITION

Sunday, November 24, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guest: [Rick Santorum](#) - Former United States Senator (R) Pennsylvania, CEO, EchoLight Studios

Topic: Former United States Senator Rick Santorum, Republican from Pennsylvania, appeared on this broadcast and talked about politics (he is still considering whether to run again for the Republican nomination for President of the United States, which he lost, in 2012), including political gridlock in Washington, the disastrous computer launch of the Affordable Care Act (Obama Care), and the role

of the Tea Party, in American politics. However, Senator Santorum has a new role to play as CEO of a Texas-based film production and distribution company EchoLight Studios, which produces and distributes high-quality motion pictures for families, including a recently released film called "The Christmas Candle" with limited release in selected theaters. Santorum talked about the role that this company can play in the entertainment industry.

5. EDUCATION

Topics discussed in this category included a discussion on the role teachers are being asked to play in protecting students in schools, a discussion with the Superintendent of Pittsburgh Public Schools, and a discussion regarding the "Pittsburgh Promise" scholarship fund.

KD/PG SUNDAY EDITION

Sunday, December 8, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guests: Nina Esposito-Visgitis - President, Pittsburgh Federation of Teachers

Cindy Zeth-Sciullo - "Lead", Pittsburgh Chapter of Organizing for Action

Topic: December 14th marked the first anniversary of the mass school shootings at Sandy Hook Elementary School, in Newtown, Connecticut, in which a 20-year-old Newtown resident fatally shot twenty elementary school children and six adult staff members, before killing himself. Adam Lanza had also murdered his own mother in their home before going on the school shooting spree. It was the second-deadliest mass murder at a U.S. elementary school in American history. Our guests talked about the critically important role that teachers are now being asked to play in protecting students in schools (Pittsburgh recently had a shooting near Brashear High School, in which several students were shot, and teachers played a major part in protecting students), whether teachers should be armed with guns, and whether anything can be done to move the stalled political agenda for gun reform and better mental health monitoring.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, December 15, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guest: Linda S. Lane, Ed.D. - Superintendent, Pittsburgh Public Schools

Topic: The Superintendent of Pittsburgh Public Schools, Dr. Linda Lane, joined us to discuss her "State of the Pittsburgh School District" findings. Dr. Lane's goal is to have 100-percent of students continue their education with either a two-year or four-year college degree or workforce certification. That will mean focused attention on academic achievement, teacher accountability, and perhaps a shrinking of the number of schools.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, December 15, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guest: Saleem Ghubril - Executive Director, "The Pittsburgh Promise"

Topic: Because "The Pittsburgh Promise" has done so much to encourage post-secondary education, it is now the recipient of a \$200,000 grant, over three years, from the Lumina Foundation. "Promise" Executive Director Saleem Ghubril returned, to discuss this initiative, which is also available to people outside of the City of Pittsburgh. "The Pittsburgh Promise" scholarship funds are limited to students who live within the city and attend Pittsburgh Public Schools.

6. LOCAL SPORTS

Topics discussed in this category included a discussion with the author of a book on the legendary 1970's Pittsburgh Steelers, an interview with the Manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates, and a discussion with the author of book on former Pittsburgh Steelers coach Chuck Noll.

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Sunday, November 3, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guest: Gary M. Pomerantz - Author, *Their Life's Work: The Brotherhood of the 1970s Pittsburgh Steelers, Then & Now*

Topic: Gary Pomerantz has written a remarkable book for Simon & Schuster (part of the CBS Corporation) about the legendary 1970's Pittsburgh Steelers, their Super Bowl championships, their players, and their personal struggles, on and off the football field. Pomerantz joined us to talk about what he learned during several years of research and interviews with players, and their family members, coaches, and owners, about the Pittsburgh Steelers' triumphs and tragedies. Pomerantz believes that because of changes in the way players receive their salaries, and changes in the way pro football is regulated on the field, there will never be another dynasty like the Pittsburgh Steelers of the 1970's.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, November 3, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guest: Clint Hurdle - Manager, Pittsburgh Pirates

Topic: Fresh off the first winning season for the Pittsburgh Pirates in 21-years, Manager Clint Hurdle visited "The Sunday Business Page" to discuss Pirates baseball, their fans, Hurdle's involvement in the local community, and his affiliation with a company called Thuzio, which books athletes to appear at community and business functions. Hurdle was named National League Manager of the Year, after this interview. His job is also year-round, as the Pirates prepare for spring training, in a few months, and a roster that will not include a number of players who helped the Pirates reach the playoffs.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, December 1, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guest: Jim O'Brien - Author, *Chuck Noll: A Winning Way*

Topic: Jim O'Brien is a Pittsburgh-born sports writer, who has chronicled the careers and lives of dozens of famous local athletes. One of the most celebrated is the subject of his latest book: legendary, four-time (the record) Super Bowl-winning Head Coach of the Pittsburgh Steelers Chuck Noll. The book is called *Chuck Noll: A Winning Way* and O'Brien, who covered the Steelers, and also lived near Noll, in Pittsburgh's South Hills talks about the record-winning coach's skills as a strategist, but lesser skills, on the personal level.

7. 50th ANNIVERSARY OF THE ASSASSINATION OF J.F.K.

The topic of this category was a look back at the 50th Anniversary of the assassination of President John Kennedy.

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Sunday, October 20, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guests: Cyril H. Wecht, M.D., JD - Former Allegheny County Coroner & Medical Examiner
Mark Lane - Author, *Rush to Judgment*

Topic: This was a very special broadcast from a historical standpoint for KDKA-TV, marking the upcoming 50th anniversary of the assassination of President John F. Kennedy and the continuing controversy about the findings of the Warren Commission regarding the investigation into JFK's death, as well as the single-bullet theory adopted by the Commission. Dr. Cyril Wecht has been a longtime critic of that theory and the Commission's findings, and his Cyril Wecht Institute of Forensic Science at Duquesne University was holding an international symposium on the 50th anniversary of the Kennedy assassination. Dr. Wecht appeared on this broadcast, along with symposium participant and original Warren Commission critic author Mark Lane, whose controversial book *Rush to Judgment* questioned the findings of the Warren Commission. Mark Lane was the first guest on

legendary KDKA-TV talk show hostess Marie Torre's "Contact", broadcast in May, 1967, discussing the same issue, and today, stands by his criticisms, and, in this 50th anniversary broadcast we showed for the first time in 50 years a charcoal sketch by then KDKA-TV Art Director Jack Guest of President John F. Kennedy, which was used during KDKA-TV station breaks during the mourning period after Kennedy's assassination. This program also re-broadcast a special report by KDKA-TV News Anchor Stacy Smith (regular co-host of this broadcast) from 1983 from Dallas, Texas, about the Warren Commission findings, first broadcast on the 30th anniversary of the assassination of President Kennedy.

8. NATURAL DISASTER RELIEF EFFORTS

Topics discussed in this category included discussions on continuing disaster relief efforts in Haiti due to an earthquake, and local efforts to assist the victims of the typhoon in the Philippines.

KD/PG SUNDAY EDITION

Sunday, October 13, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guests: Deborah Todd - Staff Writer, *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*

Ervin Dyer - Former *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette* Staff Writer, Senior Editor, *Pitt Magazine*

Topic: Seven Pittsburgh journalists, including alumni from the Pittsburgh Black Media Federation's Frank Bolden Urban Journalism Workshop, recently returned from an eight-day visit to Haiti. The trip was made to provide journalists with a special experience in international reporting and to report on the grassroots recovery by the people from Haiti from the devastating earthquake in 2010. Deborah Todd and Erv Dyer appeared on this broadcast to report on the people they met, the many connections that Pittsburghers have made with Haiti, and to applaud the important work of the Pittsburgh Black Media Federation.

KD/PG SUNDAY EDITION

Sunday, November 17, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guests: Jaime Abola - President, Filipino-American Association of Pittsburgh

Edna Leihgerber - Member, Filipino-American Association of Pittsburgh Employee

Karen Dempsey - VP Development & Administration, Brother's Brother Foundation

Lauren Ashley - Regional Communications Officer, American Red Cross

Topic: Typhoon Haiyan, called Typhoon Yolanda in the Philippines, struck portions of Southeast Asia including the Philippines on November 7th as a Category 5 Super Typhoon and was said to be perhaps the deadliest storm in history, killing more than 6,000 people in the Philippines alone, leaving hundreds of thousands of people homeless, and at least 1,700 people missing. With more than one and a half billion dollars in damage, members of Pittsburgh's small Filipino community and local charities like the Pittsburgh-based Brother's Brother Foundation, and the Western Pennsylvania chapter of the American Red Cross, are providing medical supplies, financial relief, and relief workers to the affected area including the city of Tacloban, one of the hardest-hit, in the Philippines. The first half of this broadcast included interviews with members of the Filipino-American Association of Pittsburgh, while the second half of the broadcast concentrated on the charity efforts by Brother's Brother Foundation and the American Red Cross in Western Pennsylvania, to help the victims of Typhoon Haiyan.

9. NELSON MANDELLA

The topic of this category was a look back at the life of South Africa's Nelson Mandela.

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Sunday, December 15, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guests: Rev. Johannes Swart - Associate Professor of World Mission & Evangelism, Pittsburgh Theological Seminary
Canon Harold T. Lewis, D.D. - Retired Rector, Calvary Episcopal Church, Shadyside
Dr. Brenda Berrian - Professor of Africana Studies, University of Pittsburgh
Arthur Baldwin - President & Managing Partner, TSE & B Consulting

Topic: Nelson Mandela, who rose from the slavery of racial apartheid, and long imprisonment in South Africa, to lead political rebellion, and later become President of the same country that had once imprisoned him, died on December 5th. He was a recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize, for his efforts to unite his divided country, and was known, later, as the father of his country and its democracy. Our guests all had direct contact with South Africa and several of our guests heard Nelson Mandela speak at the Soldiers & Sailors Memorial Hall in Oakland, and met him during the course of their work, either in Pittsburgh, or South Africa. They discussed his remarkable life and legacy.

10. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Topics discussed in this category included a discussion on Pittsburgh's remarkable transformation over the last thirty years, and economic development initiatives occurring in the Braddock section of Pittsburgh.

KD/PG SUNDAY EDITION

Sunday, October 27, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guests: Mackenzie Carpenter - Staff Writer, *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*
Douglas Heuck - Editor & Publisher, *Pittsburgh Quarterly*

Topic: We provided a spotlight on a four-week special series of articles in the *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette* about Pittsburgh's remarkable transformation over the last thirty years called "30/30". Our guests included *Post-Gazette* staff writer Mackenzie Carpenter, one of the principal contributors to this series, and Douglas Heuck, Editor and Publisher of *Pittsburgh Quarterly*, a local magazine that focuses on business issues. Much of the discussion centered on the demise of much of the steel industry as a main economic force, and the transition from heavy manufacturing to the development of medical and academic start-ups, called "meds and eds" which saved Pittsburgh's economy and gave it a new direction for the future.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, December 22, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guests: Mayor John Fetterman - (D) Braddock
William J. Gatti, Jr. - President, TREK Development Group

Topic: Braddock, though rocked by the closing of UPMC/Braddock, several years ago, is fighting back. Ground was broken recently, for new apartments on land where that hospital once stood, and retail stores, plus an Urgent Care facility, are planned for that area. Braddock Mayor John Fetterman and William J. Gatti, Jr., President of TREK Development Group, talked about this venture which received government assistance from the county and the state.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, December 22, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guests: Mayor John Fetterman - (D) Braddock
Chef Kevin Sousa - Restaurant Owner

Braddock's mayor and a well-known, local restaurant owner and chef, are planning to create Braddock, Pennsylvania's first real restaurant which would overlook U.S. Steel's Edgar Thomson Works. But in order to have sufficient funding for the project, funds are being solicited on-line – through Kickstarter.com. Without \$250,000 in seed money, the project might not become a reality. Mayor John Fetterman and Chef Kevin Sousa talked about their ambitious plans, which would include employing local residents, from using local produce and chickens, to restaurant employees and the restaurant would "kick start" Braddock's economy.

11. TRANSPORTATION

The topic of this category was a discussion on the local impact of the US Airways/American Airlines merger.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, November 17, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guest: Rich Fitzgerald - (D) Allegheny County Executive

Topic: U.S. Justice Department approval of the US Airways/American Airlines merger means the disappearance of US Airways as an air carrier, and the likely disappearance of many of its local jobs. Allegheny County Executive Rich Fitzgerald joined us, to talk about what lies ahead for this region in terms of flights, numbers of employees, and the shaky future of a US Airways maintenance facility at Pittsburgh International Airport. It remains unclear whether any future economic incentives would do anything to preserve those jobs that hang in the balance.

12. ENERGY

The topic of this category was a discussion on a program that offers assistance for those struggling to find money to pay for heating their homes.

THE SUNDAY BUSINESS PAGE

Sunday, November 10, 2013, 6:30AM – 7:00AM, 10 minutes

Guests: Brynnly Schwartz - Communications & Community Relations Specialist, Columbia Gas
Scott Waitlevertch - External Communications Manager & Government Relations Manager, Equitable Gas

Topic: This year, the cost of natural gas for heating was expected to rise thirteen percent, and the cost of propane fuel for heating was expected to go up nine percent. For those struggling to find money to pay for heating their homes, the Low Income Heating Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), financed, in part, by customers donating a small amount of money on their bills, is a lifesaver. It helps to subsidize heating bills for those in great need. Columbia Gas' Brynnly Schwartz and Equitable Gas' Scott Waitlevertch joined us, to talk about this tremendous program, how it works, and how to qualify.

13. DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

The topic of this category was a discussion on domestic violence.

KD/PG SUNDAY EDITION

Sunday, December 1, 2013, 8:30AM – 9:00AM, 30 minutes

Guests: Nicole Molinaro Karaczun - Director of Services, Women's Center & Shelter of Greater Pittsburgh

Kim Dunkovich - Domestic Violence Survivor and Volunteer, Women's Center & Shelter of Greater Pittsburgh

Gary Mitchell - Uncle of Domestic Violence Deceased Victim Mariah Jai Anderson

Topic: In November, a repeated victim of domestic violence, Mariah Jai Anderson, mother of three children, had made plans to file a protection-from abuse order against her live-in boyfriend and the father of her three children, Carlos Monique Harper, who had beaten her, threatened her, and stalked her. On a Sunday night, as she left her job at the Walmart in New Castle, Harper waited until she entered her car, approached it, and fired shots into the auto, killing her, before killing himself, in the middle of a standoff with police. Our guests talked about victims of domestic violence, surviving domestic violence, and programs that are available for victims and their families. Sadly, during the

holidays, domestic violence increases by ten percent, while calls for help and the number of people in shelters decreases.