

Narrative describing the issue and source

Drugs, and the abuse of prescription drugs.

Name of individual & position

Kathy Sinclair Director of Floyd against Drugs.

Address & Phone #

Floyd County Sheriff's Dept. Rome, Ga. 30165// 706-238-5145

Narrative describing the program.

A number of drugs were discussed and explained how one can get addicted on just one puff of Crack cocaine. More children are trying the drugs for the sake of peer pressure/ The drug problem is a problem and it takes everyone working together to stop some of the drug use in our schools. For the most important information and as a speaker schools can contact Kathy for a presentation and periodic visit.

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Narrative describing the issue and source

Another book, and another fund raiser for Cave Spring, Ga.

Name of guest or guests and position.

Mike Ragland author and Historian

Address & Phone #

Cave Spring , Ga.//706-331-3678

Narrative describing the program

Mike Ragland has written another book, this time a short story about courage . The name of the book is Courage Wolf. All the proceeds from this book will go to the Cave Spring Historical Society and will help in the purchase of the old green Hotel that gave up her secret disclosing an ancient log cabin underneath all the 20th century remodeling. The price of the book is \$12.50 and can be purchased from numerous locations in Rome... The Face book page is Cave Spring Historical Society.

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Narrative describing the issue and source

Going Home is a free workshop for returning inmates and their families provided by the director of the program.

Name of individual & position

Laure Clemons creator and director of this organization

Address & Phone #

www.Extendedfamilysupport.org/ 256-927-7997

Narrative describing the program

Returning home inmates will learn 6 key areas of adjustment and tools dealing with each other. They will take home an easy to learn communication secret that just might keep the family together. They will enjoy a fun morning learning what life is like after an inmate comes home from prison and how to make the transition easier for everyone concerned.

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Date 01/22/12

Issues-Programs

WRGA AM 1470

Narrative describing the issue and source

He's got the whole world in his hands, a theme for the fundraiser for Polk Foster Parents .

Name of individual & position

Rene Barton organizer

Address & Phone #

3330 Hickory Grove Road, Acworth, Ga. 30101//404-556-9450

Narrative describing the program.

Saturday Feb 4th will be the date for this event. There will be auction, speakers, singing and lots of Food. People are urged to make a contribution for the children in foster care in Polk County. There are 200 children in need of a home and or in transition to a foster home. These funds help support the foster families that have so unselfishly taken on the responsibility of parenting a child in the system.

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Narrative describing the issue and source

Ducks Unlimited will have their annual fundraiser on Feb 3rd 2012 at the forum in Rome, Ga.

Name of individual & position

David Culp, Chairperson of the event.

Address & Phone #

44 East 2nd Ave, Rome, Ga. 30161//706-346-0571

Narrative describing the program.

Ducks Unlimited is the world's largest private sector waterfowl , wetlands, and wildlife conservation organization with well over a million supports and members in the U.S. The banquet helps to support local wildlife habitat with only 8% going towards staff and administrative fees. Tickets are available at 706-346-0571 or 706-766-3990.

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Narrative describing the issue and source

Blood Assurance is asking for donations and will extend hours at specific locations.

Name of individual & position

Lacy Wilson and Sandra Kerr both employees of Blood Assurance.

Address & Phone #

700 East 3rd st Chattanooga TN. 37403// 800-962-0628

Narrative describing the program

Over 30 hospitals are supplied with blood products through Blood Assurance. 17 counties in Ga, Ala. And North Carolina depend upon Blood Assurance for their blood supply... There will be an increase in hours open at the Rome, Cartersville and Dalton locations.. There is a desparate shortage of ABpositive and o negative.

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Narrative describing the issue and source

February is Heart month and Dr Reeves gives us information on how to be heart healthy.

Name of individual & position

Dr. Leonard Reeves assistant Dean of Northwest Georgia Clinical Campus of Georgia Health Sciences University.

Address & Phone #

415 East Third Street Rome, Ga. 30161

Narrative describing the program.

Cancer is one of the most deadly diseases but heart disease kills more people than cancer. The trend is to focus more on cancer but the medical reality is that people need to clean up their lifestyles and keep count of their important numbers such as their cholesterol, triglycerides, the ratios and more about what the numbers mean. The Medical facilities are offering screening to those who want to know if they are having buildups in their arteries. There is a small charge.

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Date 02/19/12

Issues-Programs

WRGA AM 1470

Narrative describing the issue and source

The Rome Georgia ECO center has become a wonderful educational tool for Rome's school children and surprisingly a learning tool for adults.

Name of individual & position

Eric Lindberg director of the center and Ben Winkleman assist. director

Address & Phone #

PO Box 1433// 706-236-5025

Narrative describing the program.

Eric and Ben are truly lovers of nature and exhibit love of the outdoors and the work they do at the ECO center. They are friends of the Rivers and streams in Rome and the advocates of protecting our natural resources. A seminar will be offered Feb 25th starting at 9am at the Eco center located next to the farmer's Pavillion in Ridge Ferry park. Trout unlimited will be there to emphasize how important it is to take care of our rivers and streams. Ben will present a turkey seminar giving an overview of wild turkey in our area and how to hunt successfully .

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Narrative describing the issue and source

Sam Baltzer, came to talk about the upcoming concerts that are free to the public.

Name of individual & position

Sam Baltzer, Artistic Director for R.O.M.E., Rome's Own Music ensembles and professor of music at Shorter University

Address & Phone #

23 Ridgeview Dr. Silver Creek GA. 30173//706-233-7285 www.romesownmusic.org

Narrative describing the program

Comedy tonight will feature the songs of 40s and 50s era. It will include Spike Jones music with a selection featuring 2 well tuned vacuum cleaners. A fun filled night of music on the lite side . The concert comes alive on Feb 28th at the Rome Ga. City Auditorium starting at 7:30pm.

The next concert will be Thursday March 2 at the Rome. Ga. City Auditorium starting at 7:30 featuring American Classics and spotlighting Rhapsody in Blue a favorite Gershwin tune that everyone can enjoy. This piece features Rebekah Jordan Miller at the piano. This concert charges admission and everyone is encouraged to bring the children and enjoy a night of fantastic music.

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Narrative describing the issue & the source

The Rockmart Cultural Arts Center has evolved into a prominent organization for the advancement and cultural opportunities in the area.

Name of individual & position

Leigh Hulseley, Executive Director of the center.

Address and Phone

City Of Rockmart // 770-684-5454

Narative describing the program

Ms Hulseley came to talk about he activities and community spirit in the Rockmart area. She spoke about the Arts commission and how you can become a member. Forms can be found on the website at www.rockmart-ga.gov/rcac.com The plans for the spring and summer are on the website. This offers really good volunteering opportunities. The object of the conversation was to get involved in your community.

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| 03/04/12 | 6:00AM | 23:50 | AROUND AND ABOUT |

Narrative describing the issue & the source

Keith Mikler, University of Georgia Extension Service has a lot to say about planting new flowers and vegetable early.

Name of individual & position

Keith Mikler, Extension Agent University of Georgia.

Address and Phone

Rome Georgia County Extension Service Old Courthouse building Rome, Ga. 30161
[WWW.university of Georgia extension service.org](http://WWW.universityofgeorgiaextension.org)

Narative describing the program

Keith says that we are always trying to jump the gun on Springtime. He advises not to plant too early and to make sure that you have your soil tested before planting anything. He gave a list of to dos and a list of things not to do... He recommends waiting until after the last frost when the ground gets warmer. He also gave advice on what kind of fertilizer to use on your vegetable garden. There are booklets and many things to pick up at the county extension office. Most of them are free.

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Narrative describing the issue & the source

March is colorectal cancer awareness month. Dr. Leonard Reeves came to talk about the symptoms and prevention.

Name of individual & position

Dr. Leonard Reeves assistant Dean of Northwest Georgia Clinical Campus of the Georgia Health Sciences University

Address and Phone

415 East Third Street Rome, Ga 30161// 706-295-6325

Narrative describing the program

Dr. Reeves stated that more cases of Colorectal cancer has heightened the urgency of more research in prevention and treatment. He mentioned the fact that cigarettes are to blame not only for colorectal cancer but for most cancers that are diagnosed. He recommended the diet rich in vegetables, fruits and lots of fiber. A colonoscopy is prescribed for anyone over 50. For those who have had a relative with colon cancer is advised to have the procedure done every 3 to five years.

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| 03/18/12 | 6:00AM | 23:50 | AROUND AND ABOUT |

Narrative describing the issue and source

Rosie the Riveter was invaluable in world war two.

Name of guest or guests and position.

Jane Tucker and Lou Jordon both women that went to work in the factories and offices to support the war effort

Address & Phone #

Rome Area History Museum Rome GA. 30161//305 Broad street// 235-8051/703-999-1729/706-291-2286

Narrative describing the program

Jane and Lou talked about their experience during their teenage years and the jobs they held during the war. Jane help build ships at Southern Ship authority in Savannah GA. and Lou was in the secret service decoding messages in Washington. They both worked as adults and was trained in the work they were doing. Both women went on to be strong and brilliant citizens in their communities. They volunteer at the Rome Area History Museum in Rome,Ga.

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Narrative describing the issue and source

The busy schedule of the Clarence Brown conference center in Cartersville seems to be
The main topic of this program.

Name Of Individual & Position

Regina Wheeler Deputy Director of the Cartersville-Bartow county Convention and visitors
Bureau.

Address & Phone #

PO Box 200397 Cartersville, Georgia 30120//800-733-2280

Narrative describing the program

Regina came to talk about the heavy schedule at the Clarence Brown Center and the diverse events that
are for everyone's interests. Regina invited everyone to a number of events schedule in the weeks to
come. Firefighter's /Explorers April 1, The singing Cookes, April 27th and in May Steps of faith Spring
praise dance concert may 12..The web site is at www dot visit Cartersville ga dot org.

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Notes

1st Quarter 2012 "Georgia Focus" Public Affairs Issues/Clearance

Station: WRGA am Market: Rome, GA

Huxford Spear Library

The Huxford-Spear Genealogical Library in Homerville, GA is perhaps the most comprehensive private genealogical facility in the eastern U.S. The collection includes over 26,000 books, 6,000 family histories and nearly 10,000 sheets of microfiche. Program guests, Cathy Wells, Chairman of the library's board and Donald Davis, President of the Huxford Genealogical Society, discuss the library. Available December 31- January 1.

This show aired on (Day) 12/31/11 from: (Start Time) 8:00am (End Time): 8:30am

Sherwood Pictures/Courageous

Sherwood Pictures is known for hit movies such as *Fireproof* and *Courageous*...but these aren't movies made Hollywood – they're made in Albany, GA. Alex Kendrick, founder of Sherwood Pictures and Director and star of the movie *Courageous* discusses their work. Available January 7-8.

This show aired on (Day) 1/7/12 from: (Start Time) 8am to: (End Time): 8:30am

Passion to Action

The Loecken family was living the American Dream and seemed to have everything yet something kept pulling at them—a sense that they were being called to a greater purpose in life. So, they sold their home, bought an RV and began travelling the country to serve others. On this week's show they share their story and discuss their book *Passion to Action*. Available January 14-15.

This show aired on (Day) 1/14/12 from: (Start Time) 8am to: (End Time): 8:30am

Georgia Partnership for Excellence in Education

The Top Ten Issues to Watch is an annual publication of the Georgia Partnership for Excellence in Education. The list of issues for 2012 has been released and guests Dr. Stephen Dolinger, President of the Partnership, and Dr. Dana Rickman, Director of Policy and Research, discuss the issues. Available January 21-22.

This show aired on (Day) 1/21/12 from: (Start Time) 8am to: (End Time): 8:30am

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Station: WRGA AM Market: Rome, GA

American Heart Association

The American Heart Association works to build healthier lives by advocating for strategies that promote public policy for reducing heart disease and stroke. Guests Sarah Balog, Government Relations Director for the American Heart Association, Laura Bracci with the Institute of Public Health at Georgia State University and Robbie Burlas, a volunteer for the American Heart Association, discuss policy issues of 2012. Available January 28-29.

This show aired on (Day) 1/28/12 from: (Start Time) 8 AM to: (End Time): 8:30 AM

Georgia Department of Behavioral Health

Georgia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities DUI Intervention Program works to improve public health and promote greater safety on the highways of Georgia. Cassandra Price from the Department of Behavioral Health discusses this program. Available February 4-5.

This show aired on (Day) 2/4/12 from: (Start Time) 8 AM to: (End Time): 8:30 AM

Girl Scouts

This weekend the Girl Scouts celebrate 100 years as the largest girl-serving organization in the nation. Founded by Savannah's Juliette Gordon Low, the Girl Scouts have a rich legacy of developing young women leaders. Guest is Marilyn Midyette, CEO of the Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta. Available February 11-12.

This show aired on (Day) 2/11/12 from: (Start Time) 8 AM to: (End Time): 8:30 AM

Georgia Traffic Injury Prevention Institute

The Georgia Traffic Injury Prevention Institute (GTIPI) is an educational outreach unit of The University of Georgia that works with law enforcement to support a variety of traffic safety initiatives throughout Georgia. Guests Andrew Turnage and Dana Porter from GTIPI and Ofc. Heather Stafford from Gwinnett County Police, discuss these initiatives. Available February 18-19.

This show aired on (Day) 2/18/12 from: (Start Time) 8: AM to: (End Time): 8:30 AM

Station: WRGAam Market: Rome, GA

Claxton Wildlife Festival

The Evans County Wildlife Club, which has hosted the Claxton Rattlesnake Round-up since 1968, has changed the name of this annual event to the Claxton Rattlesnake and Wildlife Festival. Guests Luther Royal, Mayor of Claxton, Bruce Purcell, President of the Evans County Wildlife Club, and Mike Harris and John Jensen from GA Dept. of Natural Resources, discuss the event. Available February 25-26.

This show aired on (Day) 2/25/12 from: (Start Time) 8:am to: (End Time): 8:30am

Georgia Secretary of State/Elections

The Georgia Secretary of State's office has wide-ranging responsibilities including supervision of efficient and secure elections. Brian Kemp has been GA's Secretary of State Since January 2010. On this program he discusses the 2012 elections. Available March 3-4.

This show aired on (Day) 3/3/12 from: (Start Time) 8am to: (End Time): 8:30am

75th Anniversary of the Georgia State Patrol

2012 is the 75th Anniversary of the Patrol. This program looks back over GSP's history with guests Col. Mark McDonough, Commissioner of the GA Dept. of Public Safety, Major Robert Hightower and TFC Van Keller, both GSP retired and Gordy Wright Public Information Officer for the GA Dept of Public Safety. Available March 9-10.

This show aired on (Day) 3/9/12 from: (Start Time) 8am to: (End Time): 8:30am

HUD

Scam artists posing as financial advisors or debt relief consultants are taking advantage of vulnerable homeowners whose homes have been threatened by economic difficulty. Ed Jennings, HUD's Region 4 Regional Administrator, discusses The US Department of Housing and Urban Development's Know It. Avoid It. Report It. campaign which works to help homeowners avoid mortgage scams. Available March 16-17.

This show aired on (Day) 3/16/12 from: (Start Time) 8am to: (End Time): 8:30am

Station: WRGA Market: Rome, GA.

Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day/*Vietnam Remembered Today*

In 2011 the U.S. Senate passed a resolution co-sponsored by GA Senator Johnny Isakson declaring March 30 "Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day." Vietnam Veterans Mark & Don Shaughnessy, authors of *Vietnam Remembered Today* discuss their wartime experiences. Available March 24-25.

This show aired on (Day) 3/24/12 from: (Start Time) 8am to: (End Time): 8:30am

Governor's Office of Consumer Protection

The Governor's Office of Consumer Protection protects consumers and businesses from unlawful, deceptive and unfair practices in the marketplace through education and enforcement of the laws. Our guest today is John Sours, Administrator of the Governors Office of Consumer Protection. Available March 31- April 1.

This show aired on (Day) 3/31/12 from: (Start Time) 8am to: (End Time): 8:30am