

QUARTERLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WZZM

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: COVID-19

DISCUSSION: In an attempt to slow the spread of the COVID-19 virus, Maryland Governor Larry Hogan's request for residents to stay home is echoed by local emergency services personnel. "Allegany County continues to have no laboratory confirmed cases of the COVID-19 virus," Emergency Services Director James Pyles said. "Governor Hogan's stay-at-home order is an attempt to slow the spread of this highly contagious virus." In his Monday morning press conference, Hogan issued a stay-at-home order that prohibits residents from being out of their houses other than for items deemed essential, for example getting food or medication. The 'stay-at-home' order allows people to leave their home to go grocery shopping; an essential job; care for a relative or friend; care for livestock or pets; visit their own business for minimal operations; or go to government buildings for necessary purposes. The order does not allow social gatherings; shopping for unnecessary items such as home décor or run nonessential business beyond minimal operations, such as securing the property. "The order goes in place March 30th at 8 p.m.," Pyles said. "In Maryland, over 1,400 people have been diagnosed with COVID-19...a steep increase compared to just a week ago." "DES and our allied agencies have been working around the clock to ensure that the citizens of Allegany County are protected," Pyles said. "We will continue our mission until this pandemic is over."

DATE: March 28<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

The program is aired during the morning, midday and afternoon

GUEST: Allegany County Department of Emergency Services Director James Pyles

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

YEAR : 2020

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STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: COVID-19 Testing

DISCUSSION: Laboratories are struggling to keep up with the nationwide demand for testing. Therefore, it is taking longer for test results to come back. Laboratories are prioritizing tests for hospitalized patients, symptomatic healthcare workers and emergency responders, symptomatic patients who are medically fragile and live in congregate housing such as nursing homes, and symptomatic high-risk unstable patients whose care would be altered by a diagnosis of COVID-19.

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GUEST: Allegany County Health Officer Jenelle Mayer, MPH

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: US Census

DISCUSSION: In light of the COVID-19 precautions, to avoid a Census Enumerator coming to your home, please complete the Census ONLINE at ([my2020census.gov](https://my2020census.gov)) or by phone (1-844-330-2020).

DATE: March 21-22

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

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GUEST: Tanya Gomer with Allegany County Government

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

YEAR : 2020

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STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: CARES ACT

DISCUSSION: On Friday, the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) was signed into law. There are several key provisions in this legislation that will help keep small businesses afloat and employees financially stable. To help business owners navigate this law, US Congressman David Trone says his team has compiled a Small Business Owner's Guide to the CARES Act. The CARES Act also includes direct payments to the American people to help make ends meet during the COVID-19 pandemic. Individuals making up to \$75,000 (\$150,000 for married workers) will receive payments of \$1,200 with an additional \$500 payment per child under age 17. The payments decrease for workers who earn more than \$75,000 per year and stop altogether for single workers making more than \$99,000 (\$198,000 for married workers and \$218,000 for a family of four.) These rebates will be delivered by mail to Americans who file individual federal income tax returns, or via electronic direct deposit in place of a physical check when available. In order to receive these rebates, taxpayers must have valid Social Security Numbers for themselves and qualifying children.

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GUEST: US Congressman David Trone

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

YEAR : 2020

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## QUARTERLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: MD Responds

DISCUSSION: Would you be willing to help your community prepare for and respond to emergencies? Want to volunteer, but not sure where to start? The Maryland Responds Medical Reserve Corps (MRC) is a web-based registry where volunteers age 18 or older can sign up to receive information on volunteer needs during an emergency. Over the next few months, the Allegany and Garrett County Maryland Responds MRC units will be recruiting interested community members to become registered responders. Maryland Responds participants are invited to participate in training opportunities and preparedness drills, and they can choose to be automatically alerted when emergency volunteer needs occur locally, regionally, statewide or even nationally. Maryland Responders are always free to choose which opportunities they will respond to or pass on. Although the name of the program includes the word "medical," there are lots of volunteer roles that don't require any special medical training. The current volunteer drive in Allegany and Garrett Counties is building toward a free Maryland Responds regional "mini-conference" to be held May 8 at the Garrett County Health Department. The conference will feature information on Maryland Responds, training sessions for registered and prospective responders on a variety of emergency preparedness topics, and a registration station with responders who can assist individuals with getting started in Maryland Responds. More information on that conference, the training sessions, and how to register will be available in the coming weeks. As a volunteer, you can make a difference in the health of your community! Learn more by visiting <https://mdr.health.maryland.gov/>, sending an email to [mdresponds.health@maryland.gov](mailto:mdresponds.health@maryland.gov), or calling 410-767-7772.

DATE: March 14<sup>TH</sup>-15<sup>TH</sup>

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

The program is aired during the morning, midday and afternoon

GUEST: Alison Robinson and Brenda Caldwell administrators for the Allegany County Maryland Responds Unit, and Cindy Mankamyer with the Garrett County Unit

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

YEAR : 2020

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QUARTERLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Economic Impact of Pandemic And Tax Deadline Changes

DISCUSSION: Comptroller Peter Franchot discusses the changes in deadlines for business tax payments and potentially individual income tax returns and how to most efficiently reach his offices during the State of Emergency causing closures of state offices, as well as project revenue estimates approved by the Bureau of Revenue Estimates

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GUEST: MD Comptroller Peter Franchot

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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## QUARTERLTLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Backyard Buffer Program

DISCUSSION: The Maryland DNR Forest Service and The Potomac Watershed Partnership are again pleased to present the Backyard Buffer program in Allegany County. If you have a drainage ditch, stream, creek, or river flowing through your property or live adjacent to such a waterway, you could qualify for a free "Buffer in a Bag". Each bag contains approximately 25 native bare-root tree and shrub seedlings, which are suited for streamside conditions. Streamside buffers help preserve and improve water quality by absorbing excess nutrients, reducing sediment, lowering peak water temperatures, and stabilizing stream banks. If you live in Allegany County and are interested in participating in our effort to improve water quality, please call MD DNR Forester, Adam Miller at 301-777-5590 or email [adam.miller@maryland.gov](mailto:adam.miller@maryland.gov) to reserve your "buffer in a bag". If you live in Garrett County, please call Garrett Project Manager, Melissa Nash at 301-334-3296 or email at [melissa.nash@maryland.gov](mailto:melissa.nash@maryland.gov) to reserve your "buffer in a bag". Quantities are limited, and reservations for tree packets will be taken on a first-come, first-served basis

DATE: March 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

The program is aired during the morning, midday and afternoon

GUEST: MD Forester Adam Miller

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

YEAR : 2020

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## QUARTERLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Natural Resources Camp

DISCUSSION: The Maryland Department of Natural Resources invites high school students with an interest in forestry, fisheries, wildlife, or parks management to participate in a Natural Resources Careers Camp, July 19-25 at the Hickory Environmental Education Center in Garrett County. A partnership with Allegany College of Maryland and the Maryland Department of Natural Resources offers high school students an opportunity to learn from industry professionals and develop contacts that could lead to future employment and a career in natural resources. Students will participate in hands-on classroom and field activities in forestry, wildlife, ecology, fisheries, watershed management, natural resources management, and conservation. They will use Geographic Information System Mapping, Global Positioning Systems, computer simulation, and other field tools used in natural resources careers. The camp is open to any student who will be entering grades 9 through 12 next year, although space is limited to 42 students. Application deadline is March 31.

DATE: March 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

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GUEST: MD Forest Service Forester Dan Hedderick, AMC Forestry Program Director Marie Miller and student Alex Hedderick

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

YEAR : 2020

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STATION: WDN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: School Readiness Fair

DISCUSSION: The annual Celebrate School Readiness with Dr. Seuss event will be held on Saturday, March 7, 2020, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Country Club Mall and will feature children's games and crafts, prizes, a library reading corner and story time, and photos with the Cat in the Hat. Magician, Louis Paul, will be in attendance from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Additionally, there will be information available regarding pre-kindergarten, Head Start, and Early Head Start registrations; educational, health and community resource displays and information; free vision and speech screenings; and much more.

DATE: Feb 29<sup>th</sup>- March 1<sup>st</sup>

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

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GUEST: Deb Kolb with the Judy Center and Rebecca Robie with Head Start

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

YEAR : 2020

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STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: International Women's Day Event

DISCUSSION: Ms. East Coast World Carisa Fazenbaker and Cindy Burgener with Tri-State Events discuss the 2020 International Women's Day Expo to benefit Heartly House March 7. The event is designed to celebrate women around the region and will feature speakers, giveaways, prizes and services.

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GUEST: Ms. East Coast World Carisa Fazenbaker and Cindy Burgener with Tri-State Events

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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STATION: WDN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Stepping On

DISCUSSION: Stepping On is a proven program designed to build confidence and reduce falls for adults. Jane Rossi UPMC Western MD PT discusses the program and how to get registered.

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TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

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GUEST: Jane Rossi UPMC Western MD PT

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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## QUARTERLTLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Appalachian Lab

DISCUSSION: In recent years, devastating wildfires have burned throughout the world, bringing with them significant personal, political, economic, and environmental consequences for the communities they affected. On Thursday, March 5, at 6:30pm, Dr. Deborah Landau, Conservation Ecologist with Maryland/DC Chapter of The Nature Conservancy, and Appalachian Laboratory fire ecologist Dr. Mark Cochrane will present "Wildfire in Appalachia: Fire history of the Central Appalachians and implications of a changing climate to our forests' health" as part of the Watershed Moments Community Learning Series. Landau and Cochrane will share the history of wildfire in the Central Appalachian Mountains and explain what science can tell us about the possible threat posed by fire to the region in the future. This presentation will be held at the Appalachian Laboratory in Frostburg, Maryland, and is free and open to the public. Seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Doors open at 6pm. Contact Rhonda Schwinabart, at 301-689-7102, or visit [www.umces.edu/watershed-moments](http://www.umces.edu/watershed-moments) for more information.

DATE: Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

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GUEST: Rhonda Schwinabart, Coordinator of External Affairs

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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## QUARTERLTY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Energy Express

DISCUSSION: Are you a college student seeking a summer job and money toward your college education? If so, being an Energy Express AmeriCorps member is the perfect position for you Mineral County had an outstanding group of AmeriCorps members. Energy Express is seeking students for AmeriCorps\* summer mentor and community volunteer coordinator positions. This nationally acclaimed summer reading and nutrition program engages West Virginia's children in fun reading, writing and art activities. Each AmeriCorps\* mentor assures that 8 children are served during the summer.

DATE: Feb 15<sup>TH</sup>-16<sup>TH</sup>

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

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GUEST: Beth Maszor with Energy Express

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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## QUARTERLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDNZ

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Tech Program Accreditation at Western MD Work

DISCUSSION: Almost 40 local workers earned accreditation this evening during a ceremony at Western Maryland Works. The workers earned credentials in nine different duty areas including welding, mechanical systems and machining. Many of them had been employed at the Verso Luke Mill and are now training for new careers and job opportunities around the region thanks to the state, local and federal partnerships that helped to create Western Maryland Works. Dave Smarik outreach coordinator with the Advanced Manufacturing Programs for the Industrial Maintenance Technician Program says it is very exciting to present these graduates. "The majority of these students are part of the Verso dislocated Luke Mill workers and they are operating under the Trade Adjustment Act funding that we have diligently worked to put into play here. These are the first graduates here at the Western Maryland Works makerspace." He says the facility is truly unique and offers the needed training for the workforce in our community which leads to sustainable employment.

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GUEST: Dave Smarik outreach coordinator with the Advanced Manufacturing Programs, Allegany County Commissioner Creade Brodie, former Luke Mill employee Rich Lehmann

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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## QUARTERLTLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Mountainside Baroque

DISCUSSION: Join Mountainside Baroque supporters on Valentine's Day for a rollicking evening of Renaissance music and entertainments, food and beverage tastings, a multi-course dinner and your best chance to play the courtier. That's right, this is a costume-optional party where every guest has a seat at the palace. Early brass horns resound from the bedecked halls of the Cumberland Masonic Center as you whet your appetite with tastings of food and beverages befitting the occasion. But partake lightly here. For soon you'll join a procession of royals and rogues to convey the groaning board, whereupon rest a whole roast pig and accompaniments fit for the king. Dig in as the music continues, now more dulcet on the ear. As your repast yields to grand desserts, our band of featured musicians and troubadours performs romantic treats first heard centuries ago. Then enjoy a reading of love poems and sonnets and a country dance demonstration. The players will make way for you on the dance floor before we bid farewell.

DATE: Feb 8<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

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GUEST: Love Renaissance Style Chairperson Marsha Bell

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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## QUARTERLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Singing Valentines

DISCUSSION: There is still time to make this Valentine memorable. Call for a Singing Valentine! Barbershop quartets with a mix of men and women from the Allegany A cappella Harmony Group will sing two romantic love songs and present a fresh rose for your special valentine at work, home or other location in the region. For information or to reserve your singing valentine for call 301-268-1104. Thanks again to Kevin McKenzie, Mikayla Dodge, Jim Zoller, Ramona Roller and Fred Tola

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GUEST: Fred Tola and members of the Chorus of the Potomac

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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## QUARTERLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Groundhog Day

DISCUSSION: Will he or won't he? That's the big question for Maryland Mountain Murray, Cumberland's furry prognosticator on Sunday, February 2 – Groundhog Day. Will it be an early spring or six more weeks of winter? Mayor Ray Morris will be on hand to interpret and proclaim Murray's predication at the City of Cumberland's 12th annual Groundhog Day celebration at City Hall. The event is being hosted by the City of Cumberland with the help of Bob Candy of the Tri-State Zoological Park who brings Murray to the event. Murray will be retrieved from a pre-fab tree stump on a platform in front of City Hall. Murray will make his appearance at sunrise, 7:22 am. City Hall will open at 6:30 am and revelers can enjoy free hot chocolate, coffee and donuts. "We want to make it fun for everyone," added Diane Johnson, director of Cumberland's Parks and Recs Department. Parks and Recs is planning on having children's activities including groundhog cookie decorating and groundhog related worksheets (puzzles, word search, mazes, cut outs, color sheets, etc.). The Allegany County Library system plans to have groundhog coloring sheets for children that will be displayed in the libraries and at City Hall. Free groundhog bookmarks will be handed out, as well. Photo opportunities with Murray and Mayor Morris will be available after his weather prediction. Incoigneto Imagery will be taking photos but spectators are encouraged to bring their own cameras.

DATE: Feb 1-2

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

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GUEST: Cumberland Mayor Ray Morris

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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## QUARTERLTLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Census 2020

DISCUSSION: Shape the distribution of \$675,000.000.000 in annual public funding.. Participate in the 2020 Census to count everyone once, only once, and in the right place. Allegany County need to ensure that every man, woman and child is counted in the Allegany County Census. Shape your parks, healthcare, and your community. Participate in the 2020 Census. Help shape the future of Allegany County and shape your family's future. Participate in the 2020 Census. April 1, 2020 is national census day. Take 10 minutes - do it online, by phone, or by mail.

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GUEST: Tanya Gomer Allegany County Government

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Mineral County Days

DISCUSSION: Mineral County Chamber of Commerce President Randy Crane talks about Mineral County Day in Charleston and the focus on projects for the region in 2020

DATE: Jan 25<sup>TH</sup>-26<sup>TH</sup>

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

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GUEST: Mineral County Chamber of Commerce President Randy Crane

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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## QUARTERLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: 75<sup>TH</sup> Anniversary of the Liberation of Auschwitz

DISCUSSION: Dr. Judy Stone and Ellen McDaniel-Weissler discuss AUSCHWITZ AND BEYOND: KINDNESS AS RESISTANCE coming up at ACM. The Allegany College Peace Studies Club and the Allegany Country Women's Action Coalition are cosponsoring a program in commemoration of the liberation of Auschwitz on Jan 27, 6:30 – 8 PM in Zimmer Auditorium at ACM. It is called AUSCHWITZ AND BEYOND: KINDNESS AS RESISTANCE. While the focus is on the 75th anniversary of the liberation, it will also question, "What have we learned since then?" and "How do we help one another treat all others and ourselves with kindness?" The program will include a talk from Dr. Judy Stone about her family's experiences in Hungary, the Holocaust, and coming to America. Dr. Stone's mother and two aunts survived Auschwitz and her father and uncle survived Dachau. More than 80 other relatives were murdered in concentration camps. Yet much of her focus is on her family's resilience, the kindnesses that helped save some of them, and their messages to us. The talk will be followed by several short reading, musical selections, candle lighting and traditional mourner's prayer in memory of the 11 million killed in the Holocaust. There will then be a brief question and answers session. Members of the community of all beliefs are invited to join in this remembrance and call for more kindness.

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GUEST: Dr. Judy Stone and Ellen McDaniel-Weissler

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Cumberland Valley Optimist Club

DISCUSSION: Along with Sheriff Robertson, presented the Cresaptown Eagles organization with plaques and a certificate to thank and acknowledge all they have done for the Cumberland Valley Shop With A Cop program. Their continued support allows a place for the officers and youth to go to have their gifts wrapped, they provide lunch, and host various benefits throughout the year to support SWAC. 15th annual Shop With A Cop took place with the highest number of kids participating yet – 54.

DATE: Jan 18<sup>TH</sup>-19<sup>TH</sup>

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

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GUEST: Jen Jeudy with Cumberland Valley Optimist Club

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

YEAR : 2020

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QUARTERLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Upcoming PACE events

DISCUSSION: Jeremy Irons Allegany County PACE Co-Chair and Shawn Bender Garrett County PACE Co-Chair discuss the upcoming PACE events in Annapolis and the importance of the annual event for the region.

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GUEST: Jeremy Irons and Shawn Bender PACE CoChairs

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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## QUARTERLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Upcoming Legislative Session

DISCUSSION: Maryland Delegate Mike McKay discusses the upcoming legislative session. He says he is working to secure funding for the demolition of the old Allegany High School to make way for new housing along with strengthening funding for Rocky Gap Casino. McKay says he is also trying to provide more funding for postpartum dental care.

DATE: Jan 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

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GUEST: Delegate Mike McKay

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PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Upcoming Legislative Session

DISCUSSION: MD Senator George Edwards says he is preparing for the upcoming legislative session by heading to Annapolis early and participating in several meetings and events. He says the main issues he is focused on include funding recommendations for the Kirwin Commission for public schools.

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GUEST: MD Senator George Edwards

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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STATION: WDZN

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: US Census

DISCUSSION: You Count! Every person is worth \$1,825 a year in federal funds. That's \$18,250 in ten years. If you fail to fill out your Census Survey, your community loses that funding. Take 10 minutes, fill out your 2020 Census Survey because YOU count. If you've already completed the survey, Thanks!

DATE: Jan 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> 2020

TIME/DURATION: 2:30 AIRED AROUND 10 AM, NOON, 2 PM, 4 PM

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GUEST: Jacob Moore with Allegany County Government

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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## QUARTERLY ASCERTAINMENTS/ COMMUNITY ISSUES

STATION: WDNZ

PROGRAM: Allegany Radio Corporation Community Forum

SUBJECT: Robotics League Needs Volunteers

DISCUSSION: REACT has established *FIRST* LEGO League (FLL) teams in every elementary and middle school in the county, which is an after school opportunity that provides students age 9-14 with a hands-on, interactive robotics program in a sports-like atmosphere. Teams of up to 10 players focus on team building, problem solving, creativity, and analytical thinking to develop solutions to a problem currently facing the world – the Challenge. REACT has funded these teams through independent fundraising and provides the coach training/recruitment and additional funds for regional and state competitions. For the first time in Allegany County, we are hosting our very own FLL Qualifier, which is a county competition to enable teams to advance to the state competition in the spring. In the past, Allegany County teams have competed in Garrett County against their robust program, GEARS. However, Allegany County has grown too large in terms of the number of teams and must host our own Qualifier competition, which is a great problem to have. Officials are in need of approximately 100 volunteers. Volunteers do not have to have technical/robotics/engineering background to participate as there are a wide variety of volunteer positions including time keeper, greeter, etc. Volunteers must be 13 years or older.

DATE: Jan 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> 2020

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GUEST: Jessica Mellon REACT organizer

MEDIA INTEREST: Covered in Times News

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