

QUARTERLY ISSUES & PROGRAMS LIST

There follows a listing of some of the most significant issues responded to by station WEDG-FM, Buffalo, New York, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period January 1, 2018 through March 31, 2018. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority. The issues were covered on WEDG-FM's public affairs program on the dates indicated. The program is 30 minutes long and begins at 8am on Sunday.

ISSUE: Free Tax Prep

DATE: January 7, 2018

DURATION: 28:00 (2 14-minute segments)

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed that Tax Season arrives in January so during the show we spoke with Andy Lashua about the free tax preparation services that are available to the community and how they can take advantage of them. We also spoke with Ruben Mukunzi about this publication Karibu News and how his readership can benefit from free tax prep services.

ISSUE: Family Help Center

DATE: January 14, 2018

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed what free services the Family Help Center offers to parents and guardians of children and what services they offer to small children. Phone number and website were also given.

ISSUE: Smoker's Quit Line

DATE: January 14, 2018

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the risk to smoking. What makes it so dangerous, what makes it addictive? Besides lung cancer, what other types of cancers are caused by smoking? Are cigars just as bad? Also discussed the process of calling into the quit line, if medication is necessary, if there is a helpline available for people who need it, what are the costs, is it always successful and gave the phone number and website,

ISSUE: NYS Pharmacy

DATE: January 21, 2018

DURATION: 28:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the mission of the organization, how the pharmacy services have changed over the last decade, what the significance is of having a president from WNY lead NYS, programs offered and community outreach, plans for the future and how community members can find a pharmacist they prefer? Also discussed how pharmacists are trying to help battle the opiate crisis and how the community can learn more.

ISSUE: Dr. Dubovsky's Update to WNY on CPEP and psychiatric services in WNY

DATE: January 28, 2018

DURATION: 28:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the services CPEP provides, the urgent need for comprehensive psychiatric services, WNY has pediatric specialists, warning signs of depression in children, SAFE act and danger in people not seeking services to avoid reporting, and where to get help and find out more information.

ISSUE: United Way – Understanding Poverty/Poverty Simulations – Segment 1 & Understanding Poverty – ESPRI – Segment 2

DATE: February 4, 2018

DURATION: 28:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the United Way's financial stability programs aimed at reducing poverty in Western New York.

ISSUE: Christ the King Seminary & the World Conference

DATE: February 11, 2018

DURATION: 28:00 (2 14-minute segments)

DESCRIPTION:

Discussion the history of Christ the King Seminary, the mission of the organization, the educational programs offered to the community, the significance of this world wide conference coming to WNY, how they are funded, and how the community can get more information.

ISSUE: Junior Achievement

DATE: February 18, 2018

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

JR Achievement offers kindergarten – 12th grade programs foster work-readiness, entrepreneurship and financial literacy skills and use experiential learning to inspire students to dream big and reach their potential. They are hosting a bowl-a-thon to raise money for their events. They are always looking for Volunteers to prepare young people to own their future economic success!

ISSUE: WNY United Against Drug & Alcohol Abuse Inc

DATE: February 18, 2018

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the mission of the organization, the programs offered, community outreach, plans for future, how community members can help, how they are trying to battle the opiate crisis and how the community can learn more.

ISSUE: Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Buffalo

DATE: February 25, 2018

DURATION: 26:00 (2 13-minute segments)

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the services offered by CCCS Buffalo, how they are funded, how the community can get more information, how to get out of holiday debt and to plan for next year, how to stay out of danger, how to budget and what to save. CCCS Buffalo isn't just for emergency, use the services proactively.

ISSUE: United Way Workforce Development – Segments 1 & 2

DATE: March 4, 2018

DURATION: 28:00 (2 14-minute segments)

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the workforce development initiatives in Erie County aimed at reducing poverty in Western New York.

ISSUE: Central Terminal

DATE: March 11, 2018

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the history of the building, the preservation means for Buffalo and WNY, how it is funded, programs offered and the impact of the train decision by legislators and how the community can learn more.

ISSUE: Museum of Disability

DATE: March 11, 2018

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussion the history of the museum, why it started, the programs and initiatives it offers, books written and promoted by the museum to help people understand, the role of the museum in helping the community, upcoming events, how the community can help and learn more and how they are funded.

ISSUE: Buffalo City Mission

DATE: March 18, 2018

DURATION: 18:46

DESCRIPTION:

Stewart discussed the 100 year anniversary of the City Mission. He told us how it started and where it has come. He mentions that many of the homeless are first time homeless and some have lost their jobs which thrust them into homelessness. He talked about how many beds are in the mission. The mission is full everynight. He discussed the Dream program which helps put men back to work and out of the mission. He talked about the Cornerstone Manor which is for women. He mentioned where people can make donations.

ISSUE: Chiari Walk

DATE: March 18, 2018

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed what the Chiari is and how many people in our area are affected by this sickness. Also discussed how to get free help and support, how to get in on the upcoming walk to raise funds.

ISSUE: Catholic Charities

DATE: March 25, 2018

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the services Catholic Charity provides. All faith groups can donate and also obtain services (not just Catholics). Also discussed how they are funded and details of the appeal 2018, how the community can get more information, how the older adult programs help the WNY community, additional programs Catholic Charities offers to people of all faiths and the theme this year, "Love Your Neighbor".

ISSUE: YWCA

DATE: March 25, 2018

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed what the YWCA is and who it serves, who is eligible to participate and receive services, how they are funded, how the community can get more information, how to get help for domestic violence victims, the role of trauma informed care in the police for Niagara county and how to get more information for family members and patients interested.