

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 October 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017. 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 8:00 AM on Sundays.

ISSUE: Mental Health Awareness Month

DATE: October 1, 2017

DURATION: 28:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed with Karl Shallowhorn from Compeer Buffalo. October is Mental Health Awareness month and Karl spoke on mental health awareness and how Compeer Buffalo helps residents get the help they need.

ISSUE: NFTA

DATE: October 8, 2017

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed what the history and mission of the NFTA is, the role of the canine division and loss of recent animal, what the structure of collaboration between other agencies and divisions within the police department is, how candidates are recruited for employment and when the upcoming exam will be and what employment opportunities there are and how the community can get help and more information.

ISSUE: Old Fort Niagara

DATE: October 8, 2017

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the fort's history and what it contributes to WNY, how they are funded, how the community can get more information, how to volunteer and support fundraising activities, how schools can coordinate educational programs for students and that Fridays at the Fort allows interactive learning for 4th and 7th graders.

ISSUE: Mount St. Mary's Wellness Program Nov 2017

DATE: October 15, 2017

DURATION: 28:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the program at Mount St. Mary's and how it helps the community, how it is funded, how and where to get more information and signing up for the woman's wellness program – where to do it.

ISSUE: Old Fort Niagara – Part 2

DATE: October 22, 2017

DURATION: 28:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the history of the fort and what it contributes to WNY, how they are funded, how the community can get more information, how to volunteer and support fundraising activities, the fundraising dance gala in January and Christmas by Candlelight in December and how schools can coordinate educational programs for students for Fridays at the Fort.

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

DATE: October 29, 2017

DURATION: 28:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the psychologic impact of recent Vegas mass shooting on WNY community, the services CPEP provides, the urgent need for comprehensive psychiatric services, the fact that WNY has pediatric specialists, warning signs of PTSD, where to get help and find out more information.

ISSUE: Women's Issues

DATE: November 5, 2017

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

DESCRIPTION:

Discussion the new issue of No Boundaries and how it focuses on women's issues in our community. In the first segment we spoke with two representatives from Women Elect, a group that is working to help women feel more empowered to run for public office. In the second segment, we spoke with

Kate Rogers, a writer for No Boundaries who spoke on her article detailing the work of Girls Education Collaborative.

ISSUE: Civil Air Patrol

DATE: November 12, 2017

DURATION: 17:42

DESCRIPTION:

Major Luke told us what CAP is – it is an auxiliary unit of the US Air Force. They train cadets (students ages 12-21). They take part in community events. They also learn aerospace education, leadership and search and rescue. They actually assist the US military during natural disasters, etc. They obtain surveillance as well. They were formed just before the bombing of Pearl Harbor in WWII. It is open to males & females. They have different divisions across the nation and in NY state. They teach STEM program to the students. This program does not mean the volunteer has to enter the military. Major Luke describes how to get involved.

ISSUE: Junior League of Buffalo

DATE: November 12, 2017

DURATION: 9:38

DESCRIPTION:

Danielle explained what the Junior League is. They have been around since 1919. They are an organization that helps other organizations. They empower women, help families and help children. They are best known for their house they redecorate every year. That is a fundraiser which is their biggest of the year. They are taking applications for grants this time of year. The deadline is December 1st. Danielle explained how to apply and who can apply. It is for non-profit organizations and is called the Community Assistance Small Grant.

ISSUE: Naval Park and commissioning of the USS Little Rock (new)

DATE: November 19, 2017

DURATION: 28:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the history of the park, the significance of the new USS Little Rock being commissioned here in Buffalo, how the park is funded and how the community can learn more.

ISSUE: Breast Cancer/Mammography

DATE: November 26, 2017

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed Breast Cancer, who should be screened and what age to start. What interval should screening be done and how do you get a free mammogram. Discussed if the mammography a perfect test and how the mammography has changed over the years and how to get more info.

ISSUE: Project Connect

DATE: November 26, 2017

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the prevalence of poverty in the WNY area, the services and outreach that are offered, how this program helps those in need, how the program is funded and how the community can learn more.

ISSUE: Holiday Partnerships

DATE: December 3, 2017

DURATION: 28:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussion with the Child & Family Services and learned more about their Adopt a Family program that ensures the children they serve have a happy holiday season. Second, we discussed the Holiday Partnership, a community-wide effort to ensure all families have the opportunity to experience the joy of the holidays.

ISSUE: Salvation Army

DATE: December 10, 2017

DURATION: 28:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the history of the Army, the services offered and how it is funded, how it raises funds during Christmas and beyond, discussed "red kettle", programs that are in greatest need in WNY during the holidays, the new "virtual" red kettle and social media and how the community can learn more.

ISSUE: Commissioner Burstein discusses the Opioid Crisis in WNY – Part 1

DATE: December 17, 2017

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed what the agency does, the medication assisted treatment and how this can help the problem, the most recent information on the issue of opiate overdoses in our community, how they community can find out more and how we can help.

ISSUE: Smoke Free UB research underway

DATE: December 17, 2017

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed the health impact of smoking cessation, the dangers of continued persistent smoking, the medication assisted treatment and how this can help the problem, what can be said to people afraid to quit (failure, weight gain, loss of social circle), how the community can find out more and how we can help.

ISSUE: Ronald McDonald House

DATE: December 24, 2017

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed who can use the free services at Ronald McDonald House, how it's funded, how people can help and when. It's 100% charity and no one is ever charged to use the facility.

ISSUE: Wings Flights of Hope

DATE: December 24, 2017

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed what Wings Flight does, Free flights for medical patients battling cancer, needing organ transplants, humanitarian reasons. Also discussed where they fly to, how to get help from them, how they are funded and how to donate.

ISSUE: Family Help Center

DATE: December 31, 2017

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

Discussed what the Family Help Center is, what services they offer to the public as far as FAMILY, children, teens and adults. Hours of operation, how people can get help from them for free and other topics discussed within their non-profit organization.

ISSUE: GA Foster Care

DATE: December 31, 2017

DURATION: 14:00

DESCRIPTION:

At GA Family services part of what they do is foster care. She answered questions about who can be a foster parent, do they need to have their own home, what if they already have kids? Is there support for foster families? Is there financial support for foster families? How long do foster kids stay in a home? Can the family adopt the child they have in foster care?