



Issues and Programs Lists Q4 2022

WKGN broadcast the following local programs each weekday: 3&OUT with Nate Hodges and Houston Kress 7-10 a.m., The Blitz 10 a.m.-12 p.m., Talk Sports with Jon Reed 12-3 p.m., The Drive with Russell Smith 3-6 p.m. and Overtime 6-8 p.m. Each of these shows focus is the local sports community and social commentary on sports issues effecting the local community. Here are some specific examples from this quarter.

Overtime 6-8 p.m. on 10-21-22 for multiple segments—The Overtime hosts discuss a local University of Tennessee football player Jaylen McCullough who had been arrested for an altercation at his apartment. He’s a starter on the football team and the relationship between players on the team and the community is always of interest to the people living in Knoxville and others who follow the football team. The hosts discuss the latest in the case. McCullough had been cleared of all charges in the case as it was determined that he acted in self defense. The other person had entered his apartment uninvited.

The Blitz 10-12 p.m. on 10-26-22 for one segment—The hosts discuss the Tennessee Kentucky football rivalry. The schools usually support the local community with a competitive blood drive. In addition there’s an old Beer Barrell trophy that folks in the community want to bring back. In the past it was awarded to the team that won the game each season. However, after an incident years ago the trophy was retired. Now that beer sales are legal in SEC football stadiums many community members are pushing to bring it back.

3&OUT 11-21-22 for multiple segments—The hosts discuss a University of Tennessee football player Jeremy Banks who was suspended for a key game this

season. Many are blaming his absence and the fallout as the reason the team played uninspired football and lost a chance to play in the college football playoff. A playoff appearance would have been big for the local economy. The hosts talk the fallout and what it means for the future.

Overtime 11-30-22 6-8 p.m. for one segment—The hosts ask and answer the classic Christmas question...when is it appropriate to put up the Christmas tree?

The Blitz 12-22-22 10-12 p.m. for multiple segments—The University of Tennessee football team is one of the community's staples. Each December the program signs it's new crop of incoming freshmen players. On this edition of the show the hosts talk through the new class and what each player brings to the table.