

WJTS TV 18 - 2024 First Quarter Issues/Programs List
Quarterly Issues/Programs List 01/01/24-03/31/24
April 9, 2024

There follows a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by Station WJTS, Jasper, IN, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period January 1st 2024 to March 31st, 2024. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

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Daily Community Issues of Local Importance: EDUCATION	WJTS News	1/1/24-3/31/24	Mon-Fri. 6:00pm, 7:30pm, 9:30pm And Tues-Sat. 5:30am	15 Minutes	WJTS News provides coverage of local Educational news, including, but not limited to School Board meetings, Student Achievement, current events, school cancellations, 4-H recruitment, fundraisers for student organizations.
Daily Community Issues of Local Importance: GOVERNMENT	WJTS News	1/1/24-3/31/24	Mon-Fri. 6:00pm, 7:30pm, 9:30pm And Tues-Sat. 5:30am	15 Minutes	WJTS News provides coverage of local governmental meetings by routinely attending meetings at the town, city and county level. Reports provide an opportunity for local officials to explain information to the public as regular reports regarding the actions taken by various city/town councils.
Daily Community Issues of Local Importance: VARIOUS	WJTS "in.form"	1/1/24-3/31/24	Mon-Fri. 6:20pm, 7:50pm, 9:50pm And Tues-Sat. 5:50am	10-15 Minutes	WJTS "inform" is an interview program featuring one-on-one interviews with local leaders, organizations, achievers, health officials, etc discussing different topics nightly. The locally generated and produced show features interviews in a long form program providing the community with local officials / chairpersons / coordinators explaining information to the public. List of guests/topics are part of this file
Severe Weather Tornado Awareness	Indiana State-wide Tornado Drill	Tuesday 03/12/24	10:20am	5 Minutes	WJTS Participated in the Indiana State-Wide Tornado Drill and Severe Weather Awareness Week with news stories of preparation for and execution of safety measures to take during a tornado or severe weather.

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Local Governemental Meetings	Jasper City Council Meetings And Huntingburg City Council Meetings	Jasper 1/21/24 2/25/24 3/24/24 Huntingburg 1/14/24 1/28/24 2/11/24 2/25/24 3/10/24 3/24/24	Jasper 7:00am H'burg 8:00am	Varies depending on meeting length (1hour to 2 hours)	WJTS airs the Jasper City Council Meeting on the Sunday following the meeting at 7:00am in it's entirety and the Huntingburg City Council Meeting on the Sunday following the meeting at 8:00am in it's entirety.
Community Services	Public Service Messages Community Calendar	1/1/24- 3/31/24	Varies. PSA air in all dayparts at random		:30 and :60 second announcements (Public Service Announcements) to encourage and promote Volunteers of America, Recording Artists Against Drunk Driving, and Gun Safety, for example. This program is the primary source for information and promotion of events and programs related to community fund raising affairs, such as: Local Volunteer Fire Departments, Churches, Schools, Red Cross Blood Drives, Chamber of Commerce Events and local fund raising benefits.
Community Services-Drug and Alcohol Use amongst youth.	Dubois County CARES Public Service Messages Community Calendar	1/1/24- 3/31/24	Varies. PSA air in all dayparts at random		:30 second announcements (Public Service Announcements) on behalf of Dubois County CARES (Coalition For Adolescent Resilience and Empowerment Strategies) working to change youth substance use and the culture of use in Dubois County. PSA's are to create awareness of CARES and it's mission to empower youth to be drug and alcohol free. . Campaign utilizes "Talk They Hear You" and "Parents Who Host Lose The Most" national campaigns.

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Community: HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS	High School Basketball Broadcasts	Varies	Varies	1 and a half to 2 hours	WJTS Films and broadcasts local high school sporting events the day after for the community and shut-ins in the community. High School sports is a vital element of the culture of community in this area. Schedule of games in this file.
Religion/ Multi-Cultural	Salem Untd Church Of Christ Wkly Sunday Service	Sundays 1/1/24- 3/31/24	10:00am	1 Hour	These Programs offer certain listeners of faith an opportunity to practice and/or participate in their religion. The rebroadcast offers shut-ins the chance to continue with their faith even if they are unable to attend services in person.
	St. Joseph's Catholic ChurchMass	Sundays 1/1/24- 3/31/24	11:00am	1 Hour	
State Government Issues: JASPER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE "LEGISLATIVE BREAKFAST" WITH INDIANA STATE REPRESENTATIV ES AND SENATORS	Event Broadcast 2 different sessions	Session 1 Tuesday 1/23/24, Wednesday 1/24/24 And Sunday 1/28/24 Session 2 Tuesday 3/5/24, Wednesday 3/6/24 and Sunday 3/10/24	8:00pm 1:30pm 3:00pm 8:00pm 1:30pm 3:00pm	2 Hours	Broadcast of Jasper Chamber Of Commerce and VUJC hosting of "Legislative Breakfast" featuring Indiana State Reps, Steve Bartels and Shane Lindauer and State Senator Mark Messmer. Recorded on the Saturday prior and aired for those unable to attend. Gov't Officials discuss Legislative issues and answer questions from the audience.
Community: City Issues	WJTS "Monday With The Mayor"	Mondays 1/1/24- 3/31/24	Every Monday at 6:10pm, 7:14pm, and 9:40pm and Tuesday 5:40am	5-7 minutes	Segment in local news featuring an interview and discussion of issues facing local communities. Guests included the Mayor of Jasper and the Mayor of Huntingburg on an alternating schedule. At least once a month, the Town Of Ferdinand Manager is guest as well as the Mayors of Loogootee and Rockport and Santa Claus Town Council President.

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Community: HUMANE SOCIETY	WJTS "Pet Of the Week"	Tuesdays 1/1/24- 3/23/24	Every Tuesday at 6:10p, 7:40p and 9:40p and Wednes day 5:40am	5 minutes	5 minute segment in local news featuring the Dubois Humane Society and their "Pet Of The Week". We have the animal on set with a representative from the Humane society discussing the pet and care of pets in general. The adoption rate of the on-air pet is nearly 100%.
Senior Health	Tri County Y "Morning Energizer" Class	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday 01/01/24- 3/31/24	9:00 am	30 minutes	WJTS and the "Y" partner to air a 30 minute class for viewers to exercise at home. The segments were recorded by Tri-County Y instructors. Each segment is 30 minutes in length and is aired every weekday. The class is geared toward residents 55 and older.
Community Event: CITY OF JASPER "STATE OF THE CITY" ADDRESS	Event Broadcast	Tuesday 1/30/24 And Sunday 2/4/24	8:00pm 1:00pm	1 Hour	Broadcast of City Of Jasper Mayor's "State Of The City" address. The broadcast featured progress and future plans of Jasper, IN as presented by the Mayor at the first City Council meeting of the year.
Community Event: ST. PATRICK'S CELEBRATION	Ireland St. Patrick's Little and Miss Shamrock and Parade	Sunday 3/10/24 Thursday 3/14/24 Thursday 3/21/24, Sunday 3/24/24	1:00pm 8:00pm 8:00pm 1:00pm	1 1/2 Hours	Broadcast of Ireland St. Patrick's Celebration Little Miss Shamrock Pageant and the St. Patrick's Parade Recorded and aired to spread the community pride and culture and to reach the homebound.

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Community Event: SPENCER COUNTY REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE Annual Meeting	Event Broadcast	Wednesday 3/20/24 And Sunday 3/24/24	8:00pm 2:00pm	1 Hour	WJTS Filmed and broadcast the Spencer County Regional Annual Meeting about their progress in economic development, tourism, membership, and services. The annual meeting featured a presentation on successful Indiana towns and cities featuring the Mayor of Boonville and former Mayor of Sullivan.
Community Event: WJTS TV PARADE OF PARADES	St. Patrick's Festival, Strassenfest, Dale Fall Fest, Huntingburg Herbstfest and Santa Claus Christmas Parade	Saturday 1/1/24	12:30pm	6 Hours Total	WJTS Re-Broadcast each of the parades in our viewing area that were recorded and as a recap of 2021. Jasper Strassenfest, Dale Fall Fest, Huntingburg Herbstfest and Santa Claus Christmas Parade... each recorded and aired to spread the community pride and culture and to reach the homebound.