

Programs and Issues

The following, a list of some of the significant issues that WZWZ Kokomo, Indiana responded to in its programming along with the most significant programming treatment of those having issues for the period of October 10, 2023 – January 10, 2024. This listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which they appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

Mayor Tyler Moore calls Z 92.5 on the first and third Wednesday of the month to update us on city work, local events and openings within city run organizations.

- 01/17/2024 -7:05 am – 10 minutes
- 02/07/2024 - 7:05 am – 10 minutes
- 02/21/2024 - 7:05 am – 10 minutes
- 03/06/2024 - 7:05 am – 10 minutes
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- 04/03/2024 - 7:05 am – 10 minutes

Allison from Kokomo Parks and Recreation Comes in weekly on Wednesdays to discuss upcoming events.

- 03/20/2024 -8:30 am – 10 minutes
- 03/27/2024 -8:30 am – 10 minutes
- 04/03/2024 -8:30 am – 10 minutes
- 04/10/2024 -8:30 am – 10 minutes

Interviewed nonprofit agencies about their work in the community.

- 01/17/2024 - 8:05 am 10 minutes – United Way of Howard and Tipton counties
- 01/17/2024 - 8:05 am 10 minutes – Bona Vista
- 01/25/2024 - 8:05 am 10 minutes – Bona Vista
- 02/12/2024 -8:05 am 10 minutes – Ayusa
- 02/21/2024 - 8:05 am 10 minutes – Kokomo Rescue mission
- 02/22/2024 - 8:05 am 10 minutes – local 685 woman’s committee
- 02/23/2024 - 7:30 am 10 minutes – Mental Health America
- 03/04/2024 -8:05 am 10 minutes – Be a Shero
- 03/05/2024 - 8:05 am 10 minutes – Kokomo Symphony Orchestra
- 03/05/2024 - 8:05 am 10 minutes – Eastern HS Drama Club
- 03/12/2024 -8:05 am 10 minutes – The Bengal Backers

- 03/15/2024 -8:05 am 10 minutes – Relay for life
- 04/05/2024 - 8:05 am 10 minutes – Kokomo Humane Society

03/16/2024 – Partnered with CASA for their yearly Saint Patrick’s Day 5K

VIEWPOINT OVERVIEW JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH 2024

1/7/24 Travis Tafflinger, Bridges Outreach. Talked about the Frozen Sandlot and how Bridges Outreach is operating the facility. Also discussed mentoring programs as well as programs where Bridges is flipping houses for those in need to give them a base to operate in the community.

1/14 and 1/21/24 Reba Harris outgoing director of Gilead House. Talked about Reba's leaving Gilead House and how she is not retiring but continuing her work with not for profits.

1/28 and 2/4/24 Cheryl Graham United Way of Howard and Tipton Counties. Talked about the ways the United Way was helping folks within a certain income level get their taxes done.

2/11 and 2/18/24 Dr. William Smith, Douglas School. Discussed progress on the refurbishing of Douglas School, its historic significance, and what the building will be used for when the remodeling is finished.

2/25/24 Emily Fritsch, Director of Kokomo Excel Center. . Talked about the Excel Center, a high school for adults, opportunities to obtain a full Core-40 diploma, not a GED. Plus advantages in career advancement with an Ivy Tech partnership.

3/3 and 3/10/24 Mark Koopman, director of Hoosier Burn Camp. Talked about the Hoosier Burn Camp and the healing it provides for victims of burns.

3/17 and 3/26 Jack Dodd, Howard County Commissioner President. Talked about the good things that have been happening in Howard County. The Stellantis/Samsung SDI battery plant, The READI \$30-million project, taking care of some drainage issues, the recovery from the March 31, 2023 tornados, and improvements to Howard Haven.

3/31/24 Sam Lashley, National Weather Service. Talked about what we can do when severe weather hits. Gave insight as to how EF damage is determined and the future of storm seminars.