

**WVIA-TV PUBLIC FILE
QUARTERLY ISSUES / PROGRAM LIST
REPORT
April 1, 2017 to June 30, 2017**

Health & Wellness Concerns:

Call the Doctor #2913 - Does Your Child Have Autism?

Program Source: WVIA Public Media

Wednesday, April 5, 2017

7pm – 25 minutes

Thursday, April 6, 2017

10pm – 25 minutes

Friday, April 7, 2017

10pm – 25 minutes

Sunday, April 9, 2017

4pm – 25 minutes

Wednesday, April 19, 2017

7pm – 25 minutes

Thursday, April 20, 2017

10pm – 25 minutes

Friday, April 21, 2017

10pm – 25 minutes

Sunday, April 23, 2017

4pm – 25 minutes

DETAILS: Over the last 15 years, autism among children has risen at an alarming rate. While the Center for Disease Control says one in 68 children suffers from the disorder, a newer government survey of parents suggests the numbers could be as high as 1 in 45. We'll be discussing autism in greater detail including possible causes...symptoms...and what to do if your child shows signs of having the disorder.

Call the Doctor #2914 - Prostate Cancer: What Every Man Should Know

Program Source: WVIA Public Media

Wednesday, April 12, 2017

7pm – 25 minutes

Friday, April 14, 2017

4pm – 25 minutes

Wednesday, April 26, 2017

7pm – 25 minutes

Thursday, April 27, 2017
10pm – 25 minutes
Friday, April 28, 2017
4pm – 25 minutes
Sunday, April 30, 2017
4pm – 25 minutes

DETAILS: Prostate cancer is one of the most common types of cancer in men – second only to skin cancer. While the disease is rare before the age of 50, experts believe that most elderly men have traces of it, and over 27,000 American men will die of the disease this year. That’s why important to undergo proper screenings and know the early warning signs.

Call the Doctor #2915 - Diabetes: The Silent Killer

Program Source: WVIA Public Media

Wednesday, May 3, 2017
7pm – 25 minutes
Thursday, May 4, 2017
10pm – 25 minutes
Friday, May 5, 2017
3pm – 25 minutes
Sunday, May 7, 2017
4pm – 25 minutes
Wednesday, May 17, 2017
7pm – 25 minutes
Thursday, May 18, 2017
10pm – 25 minutes
Friday, May 19, 2017
4pm – 25 minutes
Sunday, May 21, 2017
4pm – 25 minutes

DETAILS: Over the past two decades, diabetes rates have nearly doubled throughout the nation and our region. Linked to the equally disturbing rise of obesity in our country, diabetes now claims the life of one American every three minutes. Learn what you can do to prevent or treat and control this debilitating and often deadly disease.

Call the Doctor #2916 - Precision Medicine: It’s About You

Program Source: WVIA Public Media

Wednesday, May 10, 2017
7pm – 25 minutes

Friday, May 12, 2017

3pm – 25 minutes

Sunday, May 14, 2017

4pm – 25 minutes

Wednesday, May 24, 2017

7pm – 25 minutes

Thursday, May 25, 2017

10pm – 25 minutes

Friday, May 26, 2017

4pm – 25 minutes

DETAILS: Over the past two decades, diabetes rates have nearly doubled throughout the nation and our region. Linked to the equally disturbing rise of obesity in our country, diabetes now claims the life of one American every three minutes. Learn what you can do to prevent or treat and control this debilitating and often deadly disease.

GCSM Preventive Medicine Lecture: Doug Lisle, PhD – Psychology of Healthy Eating & The Pleasure Trap

Program Source: WVIA Public Media

Thursday, May 25, 2017

9pm – 52 minutes

Friday, May 26, 2017

3pm – 52 minutes

Sunday, May 28, 2017

4:30pm – 52 minutes

Wednesday, May 31, 2017

8pm – 52 minutes

Thursday, June 1, 2017

2pm – 52 minutes

Saturday, June 3, 2017

11am – 52 minutes

DETAILS: Dr. Doug Lisle shares his experience and insights into behavior change- specifically how certain factors can affect your desires and behaviors. He lectures extensively and is well known for The Pleasure Trap co-authored with Alan Goldhamer. The book explores why we often do things that are not in our best interest.

Government:

State of Pennsylvania #1201 – Washington Update with Congressman Lou Barletta

Program Source: WVIA Public Media

Tuesday, May 9, 2017

9pm – 54 minutes

Wednesday, May 10, 2017

3pm – 54 minutes

Sunday, May 14, 2017

12pm – 54 minutes

DETAILS: Host Larry Vojtko sits down with 11th Congressional District Representative Lou Barletta to discuss issues facing the citizens of Pennsylvania. Topics included: Healthcare reform, Immigration, the economy.

State of Pennsylvania #1202 – Washington Update with Senator Bob Casey

Program Source: WVIA Public Media

Thursday, June 1, 2017

8pm – 54 minutes

Friday, June 2, 2017

2pm – 54 minutes

Sunday, June 4, 2017

12pm – 54 minutes

DETAILS: Host Larry Vojtko sits down with U.S. Senator Bob Casey to discuss issues facing the citizens of Pennsylvania. Topics included: Healthcare reform, Immigration, the economy.

State of Pennsylvania #1203 – Washington Update with Congressman Matt Cartwright

Program Source: WVIA Public Media

Friday, June 2, 2017

8pm – 54 minutes

Saturday, June 3, 2017

12pm – 54 minutes

Sunday, June 4, 2017
11am – 54 minutes

DETAILS: Host Larry Vojtko sits down with 17th Congressional District Representative Matt Cartwright to discuss issues facing the citizens of Pennsylvania. Topics included: Healthcare reform, Immigration, the economy.

Education/Arts & Culture:

Poetry Out Loud Regional Competition 2017

Program Source: WVIA Public Media

Thursday, April 6, 2017
8pm – 43 minutes
Friday, April 7, 2017
2pm – 43 minutes

DETAILS: In December, top regional high school students participated in the 2017 Poetry Out Loud Regional Competition at the WVIA Public Media Studios in Pittston, PA. A total of 10 students participated with the winner advancing to the state competition in Harrisburg, PA.

American History:

The Great War: American Experience #2905

Program Source: PBS

Monday, April 10, 2017
9pm – 1 hour, 56 minutes
Tuesday, April 11, 2017
3pm – 1 hour, 56 minutes

DETAILS: Explore America's tortured, nearly three-year journey to war. Reports of German atrocities and submarine attacks on American ships erode neutrality, finally leading to Wilson's proclamation that "the world must be made safe for democracy."

The Great War: American Experience #2906

Program Source: PBS

Tuesday, April 11, 2017

9pm –1 hour, 56 minutes

Wednesday, April 12, 2017

3pm – 1 hour, 56 minutes

DETAILS: Follow America's entry into the war as patriotism sweeps the nation, stifling free speech and dissent. A diverse group of men becomes the country's first mass conscripted army, while women continue to demand the vote.

The Great War: American Experience #2907

Program Source: PBS

Wednesday, April 12, 2017

9pm –1 hour, 56 minutes

Thursday, April 13, 2017

3pm – 1 hour, 56 minutes

DETAILS: Discover how the violent and bloody conflict transformed the nation forever, as America steps onto the world stage for the first time. But while many heralded the peace, others worried about democracy at home.

Environment/Conservation:

Chesapeake Bay Summit 2017

Program Source: Maryland Public Television

Thursday, April 27, 2017

8pm –56 minutes

Wednesday, April 28, 2017

2pm – 56 minutes

DETAILS: The Chesapeake Bay Summit 2017 brings together world renown experts on the Bay to discuss timely and important issues. In a provocative forum broadcast live and moderated by Frank Sesno in front of a live studio audience, the summit explores why some states failed to regulate and enforce nutrient and sediment pollution that flows into the Susquehanna River, especially since the river is the leading single source of Chesapeake Bay pollutants. The Summit will also ask why officials have failed to meet the federal mandate to clean up the river, and will the Environmental Protection Agency punish the state's recalcitrance by applying tough sanctions as promised.

Nova #4410 – Poisoned Water

Program Source: PBS

Wednesday, May 31, 2017

9pm – 56 minutes

Thursday, June 1, 2017

3pm – 56 minutes

DETAILS: The water contamination crisis in Flint, MI, has revealed a disturbing truth about the vulnerabilities of our aging drinking water infrastructure. Discover the chemistry, biology and engineering that led to this disaster.

Veteran's Affairs:

National Memorial Day Concert

Program Source: PBS

Sunday, May 28, 2017

8pm – 1 hour, 26 minutes

Sunday, May 28, 2017

10pm – 1 hour, 26 minutes

Monday, May 29, 2017

2pm – 1 hour, 26 minutes

DETAILS: Join co-hosts Gary Sinise and Joe Mantegna for the 28th broadcast of this night of remembrance honoring the service and sacrifice of our men and women in uniform, their families at home and all those who have given their lives for our country.

Independent Lens #1819 – Farmer/Veteran

Program Source: PBS

Monday, May 29, 2017

10pm – 56 minutes

Tuesday, May 30, 2017

4pm – 56 minutes

DETAILS: A combat veteran starts a farm to help cultivate a healthier life outside the Army. While the sense of duty he once felt as a soldier returns, his crippling PTSD remains as he and his wife nervously anticipate the birth of their first child.

Gun Violence:

Independent Lens #1812 - Newtown

Program Source: PBS

Monday, April 3, 2017

9pm –1 hour, 26 minutes

Tuesday, April 4, 2017

3pm – 1 hour, 26 minutes

DETAILS: Newtown explores the aftermath of the mass shooting in Newtown, Connecticut, where 20 first-graders and six of their educators were killed on December 14, 2012. Joining the ranks of a growing club to which no one wants to belong, the lives of several characters profoundly affected by the fallout of gun violence interconnect and propel the town toward introspection and action.

Sustainability/Food Supply:

Independent Lens #1813 – Seed: The Untold Story

Program Source: PBS

Monday, April 17, 2017

10pm –56 minutes

Tuesday, April 18, 2017

4pm – 56 minutes

DETAILS: Follow passionate seed keepers around the world who are determined to protect humanity's 12,000-year-old food legacy. In the last century, 94 percent of seed varieties have disappeared.

Crime & Punishment/Juveniles:

Independent Lens #1818 – They Call Us Monsters

Program Source: PBS

Monday, May 22, 2017

10pm –1 hour, 26 minutes

DETAILS: This film takes viewers behind the walls of the Compound, the facility where Los Angeles houses its most violent juvenile criminals. To their advocates, they're kids. To the system, they're adults. To their victims, they're monsters. Also included is the short film "FACING LIFE" which follows the sad and startling story of Cyntoia Brown, who is serving a life sentence for a murder she committed at the age of 16."

Frontline #3511 – Second Chance Kids

Program Source: PBS

Tuesday, May 2, 2017

10pm – 56 minutes

Wednesday, May 3, 2017

4pm – 56 minutes

DETAILS: A fight over the fate of juveniles in prison for murder, following a landmark Supreme Court ruling. The film examines the impact of the order to re-evaluate thousands of juvenile murder cases and follows two of the first convicts to be released.

Poverty/Housing

Frontline #3512 – Poverty, Politics & Profit

Program Source: PBS

Tuesday, May 9, 2017

10pm – 56 minutes

Wednesday, May 10, 2017

4pm – 56 minutes

DETAILS: Investigate the billions spent on housing the poor and why so few get the help they need. With NPR, the film examines the politics, profits and problems of an affordable housing system in crisis.

World History/Culture:

The Story of China #101 – Ancestors/Silk Roads & China Ships

Program Source: PBS

Tuesday, June 20, 2017

8pm – 1 hour, 56 minutes

DETAILS: Explore China's early history with host Michael Wood as he joins a million people at a festival devoted to ancient gods, hear the tale of China's bloodthirsty First Emperor and travel the Silk Road to discover the brilliant Tang dynasty.

The Story of China #102 – Golden Age/The Ming

Program Source: PBS

Tuesday, June 27, 2017

8pm – 1 hour, 56 minutes

DETAILS: See the stunning achievements of two of China's most brilliant dynasties: the Song, creators of a Chinese Renaissance, and the Ming, builders of the Great Wall and the Forbidden City.

Science/Technology:

Food: Delicious Science #101 – Food on the Brain

Program Source: PBS

Wednesday, May 17, 2017

10pm – 56 minutes

Thursday, May 18, 2017

4pm – 56 minutes

DETAILS: Travel the world with Michael Mosley and James Wong to discover how the chemistry in our food affects our brains and creates our deepest cravings. This is delicious science.

Food: Delicious Science #102 – A Matter of Taste

Program Source: PBS

Wednesday, May 24, 2017

10pm – 56 minutes

Thursday, May 25, 2017

4pm – 56 minutes

DETAILS: Travel the world with Michael Mosley and James Wong to learn about the science that makes our food taste delicious and the powerful effect it has on our tongue and nose.

Food: Delicious Science #103 – We Are What We Eat

Program Source: PBS

Wednesday, May 31, 2017

10pm – 56 minutes

Thursday, June 1, 2017

4pm – 56 minutes

DETAILS: Travel the world with Michael Mosley and James Wong to learn how the hidden chemistry in every mouthful of food keeps our bodies fit and healthy.

American Epic #101 – The Big Bang

Program Source: PBS

Tuesday, May 16, 2017

9pm – 56 minutes

Wednesday, May 17, 2017

3pm – 56 minutes

DETAILS: Travel to 1920s Tennessee as the Carter Family, Jimmie Rodgers, and the Memphis Jug Band make their first records with producer Ralph Peer on a revolutionary portable recording machine, creating the first recordings of R&B and country songs.

American Epic #102 – Blood and Soil

Program Source: PBS

Tuesday, May 23, 2017

9pm – 56 minutes

Wednesday, May 24, 2017

3pm – 56 minutes

DETAILS: Travel to the rural South as Elder Burch, Charley Patton and others record early Delta blues, gospel and protest songs. The Great Flood of 1927 devastates Mississippi River communities, leading to northern migration and Chicago Blues by Howlin' Wolf.

American Epic #103 – Out of Many, The One

Program Source: PBS

Tuesday, May 30, 2017
9pm – 1 hour, 26 minutes
Wednesday, May 31, 2017
3pm – 1 hour, 26 minutes

DETAILS: Discover how America's diverse cultures contribute to its musical styles: from the Hopi tribe to Hawaii's Joseph Kekuku to Mexican-American Lydia Mendoza and the Cajun Breaux Family. Mississippi John Hurt's blues inspires a generation of musicians.

Nuclear Issues/WMD:

Nova #4408 – Building Chernobyl's Megabomb

Program Source: PBS

Wednesday, April 26, 2017
9pm – 56 minutes
Thursday, April 27, 2017
3pm – 56 minutes

DETAILS: An international team of engineers races to construct a gargantuan dome to contain the lingering radioactive materials and crumbling remains of the Chernobyl nuclear reactor, decades after being the site of the world's worst nuclear disaster.

Religion/Ethics:

Independent Lens #1814 – The Last Laugh

Program Source: PBS

Monday, April 24, 2017
10pm – 1 hour, 26 minutes

DETAILS: Hear Mel Brooks, Sarah Silverman, Carl Reiner and other Jewish comics and thinkers discuss the provocative question of whether any topic - including the Holocaust - should be off-limits in comedy.

Arts:

Great Performances at the Met #1103 – L'Amour de Loin

Program Source: PBS

Sunday, April 2, 2017
12pm – 2 hours, 26 minutes

DETAILS: One of the most highly praised operas of recent years, which had its premiere at the Salzburg Festival in 2000, Kaija Saariaho's yearning medieval romance *L'Amour de Loin* ("Love From Afar"), has its Met premiere. The production is by Robert Lepage, co-produced with L'Opera de Quebec, where it premiered to acclaim last summer, in collaboration with Ex Machina. Debuting Finnish conductor Susanna Malkki leads the performance, which stars Susanna Phillips as Clemence, Eric Owens as Jaufre, and Tamara Mumford as the Pilgrim who carries messages of love between them.

Great Performances at the Met #1104 – Romeo et Juliette

Program Source: PBS

Friday, April 14, 2017
9pm – 2 hours, 56 minutes

DETAILS: The electrifying team of Vittorio Grigolo and Diana Damrau reunites for a new production of Gounod's opera based on the Shakespeare play. Damrau makes her role debut as Juliette in Bartlett Sher's new production, conducted by Gianandrea Noseda. Elliot Madore sings Mercutio and Mikhail Petrenko sings Frre Laurent. Sher's staging is a La Scala production, initially presented by the Salzburg Festival, where it premiered in 2008.

Great Performances at the Met #1105 – Nabucco

Program Source: PBS

Sunday, May 7, 2017
12pm – 2 hours, 26 minutes

DETAILS: Metropolitan Opera Music Director James Levine conducts Verdi's early drama of Ancient Babylon, *Nabucco*, with Placido Domingo adding a new role to his repertory as the title character. Liudmyla Monastyrskaya sings the tour-de-force role of Abigaille, *Nabucco*'s willful daughter, with Jamie Barton as Fenena, Russell Thomas as Ismaele, and Dmitry Belosselskiy as the prophet Zaccaria.