

9.1 WNIN-TV Program/Topic Report
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There follows a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by WNIN-TV, Evansville, IN, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period 4/1/16-6/30/16. This listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

Issue	Program	Date	Time	Duration	Type/Description
Arts/Music	Sunset at Semper Fulgens	4/7/16	8:00pm	60 minutes	This locally-produced special was a combination of concert and documentary as viewers watched opera singer Matthew O'Neill welcome a friend and renowned piano player to Evansville to play an intimate concert.
Arts/Music	Music From Jefferson's Monticello	4/14/16	8:00pm	60 minutes	This locally-produced docu-concert featured a concert of Thomas Jefferson's music and letters presented by the New Harmony Music Festival and School. This program features classical and traditional works that would have been heard at Monticello. Hosted by Christopher Layer, featuring Mazz Swift, Jerron "Blindboy" Paxton, and Williams Zeitler.
Local History	Picture This "Automotive History"	5/5/16	7:00pm	30 minutes	The first episode in a new 5-part series, this program focused on Evansville's automotive history and featured archival photographs and local experts explained the rich history of automotive production in Evansville, IN.
Local History	Picture This "Historic Homes/School Buildings"	5/12/16	7:00pm	30 minutes	This second episode in a series of five focused on famous historic homes and old school buildings in Evansville during the early 1900's. Buildings were highlighted with archival photographs while experts explained each photo.
Arts/Youth/Education	Shorts by High Schoolers	6/26/16	2:00pm	90 minutes	This special highlighted a WNIN video contest for high school students. It presented 6 finalists and the two winning teams. One in the documentary category and the other in the feature category. Viewers were presented each entry, synopsis from a panel of three judges, and comments from the students.
Local History	Picture This "Famous People and Places"	5/19/16	7:00pm	30 minutes	This third episode looked at the famous people that visited Evansville in the recent past, including presidents, musicians, and singers. It also focused on popular Evansville locations in the early 1900's such as Cook's park.
Local History/Black History	Picture This "African American History/Breweries"	5/16/16	7:00pm	30 minutes	This fourth episode looked at Evansville's African American history with archival photographs including people instrumental in building the Evansville community. It also included a segment on the many breweries that Evansville was home to.
Local History	Picture This "Theatres and Hotels"	5/26/16	7:30pm	30 minutes	This second episode in a series of five focused on Evansville's Theatres and Hotels from the 1800s to the 1960s. Viewers saw original photographs while experts explained each photo.
Local History	Picture This "Postcards"	6/2/16	7:00pm	30 minutes	This final episode in the new series focused solely on postcards from the late 1800's and early 1900's. Most featured buildings and locations such as parks, hotels, banks, and the zoo.

					Local experts described each postcard and its significance to the community at that time.
Education	Regional Voices: Dr. David Smith's State of the School Address	5/8/16	10am	30 minutes	Evansville/Vanderburgh School Superintendent, Dr. David Smith, presented his annual "State of the Schools" address to the Evansville Rotary Club.
Community Politics	Frontline 3412 "Policing The Police"	6/28/16	9pm	60 minutes	Step inside the Newark Police Department — one of many troubled forces ordered to reform. Writer and historian Jelani Cobb examines allegations of police abuses and the challenge of fixing a broken relationship with the community.
Economy	PBS Newshour	6/17/16	6pm`	7 minutes	Is the economic cost of Brexit too great? With a British referendum looming over whether to leave the European Union, many in favor of staying cite cultural and altruistic reasons. But according to some, including Prime Minister David Cameron, Brexit would also have severe economic consequences, including massive trade revenue losses and brain drain driven by shifting job markets. Economics correspondent Paul Solman reports.
Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement	Independent Lens "The Armor of Light"	5/10/16	8pm	150 minutes	Meet two Christians — an Evangelical anti-abortion activist and an African-American mother whose son was murdered — who find common ground in the fight against the rising tide of gun violence.
Poverty/Hunger	PBS Newshour	5/12/16	6pm	5 minutes	News Wrap: Judge rules \$175 billion Obamacare subsidy for the poor is unconstitutional: In our news wrap Thursday, a federal judge struck down the Obama administration's \$175 billion spending plan to subsidize health care for low-income Americans, agreeing with Congressional Republicans that the government was spending the money without Congress' approval. Also, Islamic State suicide bombers struck again in Iraq, killing 17 soldiers in Ramadi and five more civilians in Baghdad.
Transportation	PBS Newshour	5/11/16	6pm	4 minutes	Uber shuts down in Austin; hits major speed bumps in New York and California: The meteoric rise of ride-sharing services like Uber and Lyft is hitting speed bumps across the country: legal settlements with drivers in California and Massachusetts; a decision to suspend services in Austin, Tex.; and now, a union in New York City. Hari Sreenivasan talks to Mike Isaac of the New York Times for more.

In addition to the reported programs, WNIN regularly tapes and airs various speakers and presentations that have a local interest. During the 2nd quarter of 2016, WNIN provided the following content on 9-1: Dick Lugar and Lee Hamilton speaking on civility in politics, a presentation of the local Junior League's Hall of Fame, Karuna Pandit on Hinduism, Dr. Fuente's on Race, Josh Armstrong on the Downton Master Plan, and Perry Hammock on Indiana's Bicentennial.