

**WEWS THIRD QUARTER 2009 ISSUES/PROGRAMS
REPORT**

QUARTERLY LISTING OF COMMUNITY PROBLEMS AND NEEDS OF AREA SERVED BY:

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The topics listed below were addressed during the prior quarter. Programming in this report includes local public affairs program, public affairs segments in the news and various programs from the ABC Television Network.

The programs from the ABC Television Network include various prime time specials as well as religious programming which air periodically. The categories are as follows:

Arts, Books & Theatre
Business
Children's Issues
Consumer Issues
Education Issues
Environmental Issues
Health
Legal Issues
Public Safety and Welfare
Race & Ethnic
Women's Issues
Youth
ABC Public Affairs Programming

ARTS, BOOKS & THEATER

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE

Date: August 2, 2009 & August 8, 2009 (Originally aired 6/21/2009 & 6/27, 2009)

Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.

Duration: 6:27

Description: Whatever Happened to MacNolia Cox is based on the life of the Akron area's first African American to participate in the National Spelling Bee. Author Georgia Gay is MacNolia's niece and she explained her aunt's life before, during and after the National Spelling Bee in 1936.

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE

Date: August 23, 2009 & August 29, 2009 (Originally aired 7/12/09 & 7/18/09)

Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.

Duration: 6:09

Description: Authors Janie Reinart and Mary Anne Mayer discussed their book *Love You More Than You Know* which is a compilation of stories from mothers who has a child serving in the military. Ms. Reinart and Ms. Mayer each has a child who has served or is serving in the military

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE

Date: August 16, 2009 & August 22, 2009

Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.

Duration: 6:10

Description: Author Phillip Davis talks about thinking and his belief that not too many people, especially young people do much thinking anymore. His book is titled *Thinking – A Time Honored Forgotten Tradition*.

BUSINESS

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE

Date: September 6, 2009 & September 12, 2009

Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.

Duration: 12:25

Description: Black Pages of Ohio Publisher Bob Lanier and Black Pages Regional Manager Victoria Lukes discussed the September 16th Profit Factor Conference which is geared to small business owners and entrepreneurs. Sheilah Hampton is Service Office Manager with Ohio Bureau of Workers Compensation, one of the event's sponsors. She explained which her organization is sponsoring this event and how the Profit Factor Conference benefits the business community.

Program: Kaleidoscope
Date: September 27, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Duration: 6:38

Description: President and Executive Director of the Council of Smaller Business Enterprises Steve Millard talks about the President's proposed health care reform and what he thinks small businesses really need when it comes to health care reform and what's preventing most from providing health insurance for their staffs.

CHILDREN

Program: Kaleidoscope
Date: Sept. 13, 2009 & Sept, 19, 2009 (Originally aired on 8/30/09 & 9/5/09)
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 7:07

Description: President and CEO of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Cleveland Margaret Mitchell discuss the results of the recent study which shows that youngsters who are mentored by adults tend to go on to college and have a successful lifestyle compared to those who had no adult mentors growing up.

Program: Kaleidoscope
Date: Sept. 13, 2009 & Sept. 19, 2009(Originally aired 8/30/09 & 9/5/09)
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 6:13

Description: Director of the Rising Tide Program Maurice Stevens and President and CEO of Passages Dr. Brian Alexander Moore talked about the emphasis their respective programs place on fathers taking an active role in the lives of their children.

CONSUMER ISSUES

Program: NewsChannel 5 at 11:00
Date: September 25, 2009
Time: 11:00 p.m.
Duration: 1:00

Description: With the click of a mouse you can find people looking for someone to share a ride, whether it's to work or to Washington DC. Many people who ride-share do it for the conversation as well the cost. But, Consumer Reporter Joy Benedict reports that there are safety concerns to consider before you hit the road with a stranger.

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Program: NewsChannel 5 at 11:00
Date: September 15, 2009
Time: 11:00 p.m.
Duration: 1:00

Description: Here in Ohio, it is illegal to operate any motor vehicle without insurance, but being covered can also be costly. Consumer Reporter Joy Benedict gave tips on how to lower your car insurance rates.

Program: NewsChannel 5 at 11:00
Date: August 10, 2009
Time: 11:00 p.m.
Duration: 1:00

Description: Planning a move across town or even across the country? Consumer Reporter Joy Benedict reports that no matter what the situation, moving can be a hassle and a big expense, unless you know how to find the best deal.

Program: NewsChannel 5 at 11:00
Date: August 18, 2009
Time: 11:00 p.m.
Duration: 1:00

Description: In recent years, the number of people looking for love online has increased dramatically. But, Joy Benedict reports that before you consider consulting the World Wide Web as a place to meet a mate, there are things you need to keep in mind in order to stay safe.

Program: NewsChannel 5 at 11:00
Date: August 25, 2009
Time: 11:00 p.m.
Duration: 1:00

Description: Most of us have run into a problem with a store or product that forces us to turn to customer service. There's a right way and a wrong way to complain. Consumer Reporter Joy Benedict reports gave tips to help you get your problem solved and get what you want.

Program: NewsChannel 5 at 11:00
Date: July 20, 2009
Time: 11:00 p.m.
Duration: 1:00

Description: Many of us want to work out but perhaps getting to the gym or the expense is holding us back. Consumer Reporter Joy Benedict reports that there's now another option that allows you to work up a sweat without sweating the cost.

Program: NewsChannel 5 at 11:00
Date: July 29, 2009
Time: 11:00 p.m.
Duration: 1:00

Description: Plenty of people are turning to the internet to sell their possessions in hopes of making some money and Consumer Reporter Joy Benedict reports that with more and more options, choosing the best site is key when it comes to making a profit.

Program: NewsChannel 5 at 11:00
Date: July 23, 2009
Time: 11:00 p.m.
Duration: 1:00

Description: The economy isn't in the best shape and that's forcing some companies to make deals in order to move inventory. Car dealerships are trying to reel in customers with signs, streamers and sales! However Consumer Reporter Joy Benedict reports that before you drive away you need to ask yourself some questions like how long do you expect to keep the car and where do plan to get financing?

Program: NewsChannel 5 at 11:00
Date: July 24, 2009
Time: 11:00 p.m.
Duration: 1:00

Description: Bogus bills are a big problem in the state of Ohio. A consumer investigation discovered counterfeiters are getting creative. Reporter Joy Benedict explains that the latest trick involves counterfeiters bleaching real five dollar bills and then printing fake hundreds.

EDUCATION

Program: Kaleidoscope
Date: August 16, 2009 & August 22, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 9:12

Description: Cleveland Municipal School District CEO Eugene Sanders and Chief of Safety and Security Lester Fultz explain what parents can expect as school reopens for the new year, the uniforms for high school students and what parents should do if they cannot afford uniforms for their children.

Program: Kaleidoscope
Date: July 19, 2009 & July 25, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 6:23

Description: Chris Baumhauer and James Williams are volunteers with RSVP Experience Corps Volunteer. They discuss their work as tutors to students in the Cleveland Municipal School District.

Program: Kaleidoscope
Date: August 23, 2009 & August 29, 2009 (Originally aired 7/12/09 & 7/18/09)
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 9:12

Description: Chief Community Relations and Diversity Officer at the Cleveland Clinic Dr. Anthony Stallion and student Lillian Perez discussed the Clinic's Saturday Academy which grooms high school students for careers in the healthcare field. Lillian is a graduate of the program.

Program: Kaleidoscope
Date: August 23, 2009 & August 29, 2009 (Originally aired 7/12/09 & 7/18/09)
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 5:18

Description: Mid-Day Toastmasters President Trevor Capoccione and Vice President Griffin Allen discussed the benefits of Toastmasters. They explain how learning to become a polished speaker could boost your career advancement and enrich your social life.

HEALTH

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: July 26, 2009 & August 1, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 6:38

Description: The annual MultiCultural Music Fest has now added a health feature. The Diabetes Association of Greater Cleveland joined the event this year to provide diabetes screenings to those attending the event this year.

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Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: August 9, 2009 & August 15, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 7:43

Description: Co-Chair of the Universal Sisters Conference Dr. Modish Lane discuss this year's event, the type of workshops attendees could expect and why this annual conference places special emphasis on women's health.

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: August 9, 2009 & August 15, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 6:22

Description: Director of Medical Home at St. Vincent Charity Hospital Dr. Srinivas Merugu and Health Program Officer for Sisters of Charity Foundation of Cleveland Teleange Thomas were guests. They discussed the one year old Medical Home Program and its impact to date.

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: July 5, 2009 & July 11, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 22:40

Description: Psychologist Dr. Angela Neal-Barnett explains how to survive during these challenging economic times. She discussed how to cope if you've been laid off from your job or even if you have a job which now has additional responsibilities. Dr. Neal-Barnett is author of Sooth Your Nerves.

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: September 27, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Duration: 7:28

Description: State Senator Nina Turner and Spiritual Care Coordinator Darcia Simpson of Hospice of the Western Reserve discussed the upcoming Voices of Hospice, a daylong community event to educate individuals in the African American Community about hospice care. Senator Turner will be the keynote speaker.

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: Sept. 20, 2009 & Sept. 26, 2009 (Originally aired 3/22/09 & 3/28/09)
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 12:21

Description: Normal Pressure Hydrocephalus or NPH is a condition that mimics Alzheimer's and Parkinson's diseases. Jim Livingston's family went through a year of thinking he was suffering from Alzheimer's before he was diagnosed with NPH. Jim and his wife Joan discussed their experiences and the positive changes that took place in their lives after Jim was diagnosed and treated for NPH. Cleveland Clinic Neurosurgeon Dr. Mark Luciano discussed Jim's case, talked about NPH, its symptoms and causes and how it's treated. According to Dr. Luciano, most patients return to a normal lifestyle within days of treatment.

PUBLIC SAFETY AND WELFARE

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: September 6, 2009 & September 12, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 8:18

Description: Cuyahoga County Common Pleas Court Judge Eileen Gallagher and Foreclosure Mediator Andrea Kinast explains how the court works with homeowners and financial institutions to work on solutions to prevent home foreclosures.

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: Sept. 20, 2009 & Sept. 26, 2009 (Originally aired 3/22/09 & 3/28/09)
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 7:58

Description: The Director of the Ohio Department of Aging Barbara Riley discussed Front Door Resources which is accessible by phone or internet and provides answers to questions facing the elderly or disabled individual and their caregivers.

Program: Kaleidoscope
Date: July 26, 2009 & August 1, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 7:35

Description: Executive Director of the Maltz Museum of Jewish Heritage Judi Feniger discuss the current exhibit titled *Terror in America: 1776 - Present*. The exhibit runs through early August.

Program: Kaleidoscope
Date: August 2, 2009 & August 8, 2009 (Originally aired 6/21/09 & 6/27/09)
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 6:30

Description: The Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District celebrates its 40th anniversary this month. Director of Watershed Programs Frank Greenland talks about what the agency has accomplished over the past 40 years and his vision for the future.

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: July 26th 2009 & August 1, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 6:06

Description: Lou Acosta is coordinator of the *Blessings Music and Awards Festivals* taking place in Lorain and Sandusky in August. He explains that money raised from each festival goes back into the community.

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: July 19, 2009 & July 25 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 7:16

Description: Administrative and Presiding Judge of the Cleveland Municipal Court Ronald B. Adrine talked about establishing a Family Justice Center here in Cleveland. This center would have all the services to assist victims of crime under one roof. There are similar centers in other cities around the country.

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: August 9, 2009 & August 15, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 6:08

Description: Treasurer of the Cuyahoga County Fair Gail Royal explains what visitors can expect to see at this year's event.

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: September 27, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Duration: 6:13

Description: Co-Chair of the Akron/Canton Foodbank's Taste of the NFL Eric Johnson and Chef Brandt Evans of Blue Canyon Kitchen and Tavern discussed this annual event which raises money for the Foodbank. They also talked about how the economic crisis is impacting the Foodbank as an increasing number of families turn to it for assistance.

RACE & ETHNICITY

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: July 19, 2009 and July 25, 2009
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 6:58

Description: New Barley Corn members John Delaney and Alex DeGabriel shared what will take place at this year's Irish Cultural Festival at the Berea Fairgrounds. They also performed one on today's program.

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: August 2, 2009 & August 8, 2009 (Originally aired 6/21/09 & 6/27/09)
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 6:30

Description: The Chair of the Immigrant Minority Business Alliance Len Calabrese and the Executive Director of Neighborhood Solutions Mansfield Frazier discussed opening a Welcoming Center in Cleveland that would reach out to all ethnic groups and encourage individuals to move to and remain in Cleveland

WOMEN'S ISSUES

Program: KALEIDOSCOPE
Date: Sept. 13, 2009 & Sept. 19, 2009 (Originally aired on 8/30/09 and 9/5/09)
Time: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 a.m.
Duration: 7:17

Description: Executive Director of Edna House Debi Ortigies and Resident Tammy Henry discussed the programs available at the agency to women who are addicted to drugs and alcohol. Edna House is a residential facility for women with chemical addiction.

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ABC NEWS PROGRAMS – Third Quarter, 2009

AMERICA THIS MORNING

Monday through Friday

4:30 - 7:00AM ET/PT

This morning news program provides viewers with late-breaking national and international news, sports, weather and financial reports. Featuring separate and distinct fifteen-minute segments, information about overnight events is constantly updated.

GOOD MORNING AMERICA

Monday through Friday

7:00-9:00AM ET/PT

Diane Sawyer and Robin Roberts provide viewers with timely news reports, informative, features, weather information, and up-to-the minute interviews with world leaders.

WORLD NEWS WITH CHARLES GIBSON

Monday through Friday

6:30-7:00PM ET and 7:00-7:30PM ET

5:30-6:00PM PT and 6:00-6:30PM PT and 6:30-7:00PM PT

ABC News Anchor Charles Gibson keeps viewers informed about world news events in this half-hour news review.

NIGHTLINE

Monday through Friday

11:35PM - 12:06:30AM ET/PT - *unless otherwise indicated*

Cynthia McFadden, Martin Bashir and Terry Moran co-anchor the program which provides in-depth discussion of current events.

NOTE: As news events warrant, ABC NEWS NIGHTLINE may be expanded. Please refer to the NIGHTLINE section for exact program times.

WORLD NEWS NOW

Sunday through Thursday (Broadcast Day)

2:00 - 6:00AM ET

1:00 - 6:00AM CT

12:00 - 6:00AM MT

12:00 - 5:00AM PT - *Sunday*

12:36:30- 5:00AM PT - *Monday through Thursday*

Comprised of thirty-minute segments, ABC's WORLD NEWS NOW offers up-to-date news coverage including a mixture of live and taped coverage of domestic and international news issues.

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PRIMETIME & 20/20

Informational News magazine(s) combines hard-hitting investigative reports, newsmaker interviews, compelling human interest and feature stories, and offers viewers a chance to learn more about the world around them.

Primetime (Special Editions)

ABC News Correspondent Diane Sawyer and Chris Cuomo, Cynthia McFadden and John Quiñones anchor *Primetime*.

20/20

10:00 - 11:00PM ET/PT

ABC News Correspondents John Stossel and Elizabeth Vargas anchor *20/20*.

THIS WEEK WITH GEORGE STEPHANOPOULOS

Sundays

9:00 – 10:00AM ET / 8:00 – 9:00AM PT

and 10:30 – 11:30AM ET / 9:00 – 10:00AM PT

ABC News Correspondent George Stephanopoulos anchors this news/interview program which focuses on the latest news events. World leaders and policy makers participate in roundtable discussions.

NOTE: ABC Sports programs may necessitate the pre-emption or re-scheduling of various news feeds.

WORLD NEWS

Saturdays & Sundays

6:00 – 6:30PM ET / PT and 6:30 – 7:00PM ET / PT

This half-hour news program reviews the day's major events.

NOTE: ABC Sports programs may necessitate the pre-emption or re-scheduling of various news feeds.

ABC NEWS BRIEF

Monday through Friday

aprx. 2:58 - 3:00PM ET/1:58 - 2:00PM PT

This two-minute news capsule updates important news events of the day.

NOTE: As events warrant, ABC NEWS BRIEF may be expanded or re-scheduled, or an additional News Brief may be scheduled.

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ABC NEWS PROGRAMS – 20/20 – Third Quarter, 2009

20/20

Friday, July 3, 2009

MICHAEL JACKSON

20/20 will report on the latest details and questions surrounding Michael Jackson's life and shocking death. Anchored by Elizabeth Vargas, the hour will feature interviews with those closest to the King of Pop in the last days of his life, never-before-seen home video of Jackson with his children, and will take viewers through the controversial change in his appearance over the years.

Friday, July 10, 2009

RISE & FALL OF GM

20/20 takes viewers inside the bankruptcy of one of the most important companies in American history. The hour covers the mistakes and mismanagement -- from the negotiations with the powerful unions to the miscalculation of the effect of foreign competition -- and how they plan to win America back. Bill Weir reports.

Friday, July 17, 2009

LIVE TO TELL

20/20 reports on harrowing ordeals and astonishing escapes that ordinary people experience and manage to survive.

Friday, July 31, 2009

MONEY DETOX

Out of control spenders turn to the only week-long live-in center located in Tennessee where they join other over-spenders from all over the country, each at their wits' end financially. They participate in a week of therapeutic exercises, role playing, meditation and group therapy hoping to get to the root of the problem and then change their behavior.

Friday, August 7, 2009

MEDICAL MYSTERIES

Whether examining how a baby born with his heart outside of his body can possibly survive or why millions of women only feel pain during sex, "Medical Mysteries" reports on some of the strangest conditions known to medicine.

Friday, August 14, 2009

BLOWN AWAY: TWISTER TERROR

In less than five minutes, an entire community was torn apart as a massive tornado of historic proportions changed the lives of everyone in its path. Sam Champion chronicles the frightening force of nature and the enduring power of the human spirit.

Friday, August 21, 2009

IN HARM'S WAY

It was an accident that sparked a firestorm: a New York mother reportedly driving drunk and stoned, killing herself and seven others - including four children in her van - after driving the wrong way down the highway. What put this mother on the path to disaster? Why would parents drink and drive with their children in the car? Juju Chang reports that it's more common than many might think.

Friday, August 28, 2009

NEW REVELATIONS

The gruesome murder of Jasmine Fiore led to a widely televised manhunt for reality star suspect Ryan Jenkins and ended with Jenkins' suicide. But the story of the murdered bikini model, found stuffed in a suitcase, is still far from over. Deborah Roberts reports on the astonishing revelations just now coming to light.

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Friday, September 4, 2009

AMISH TEENAGERS

"20/20" takes an unprecedented look at Amish teenagers at a crossroads, as they come of age and decide their future. ABC News' Jay Schadler first introduced viewers to the teens in a report that aired last year. What life decisions have they made in the time since? Schadler reports.

Friday, September 11, 2009 (Premiere)

LA TOYA JACKSON

On the season premiere, La Toya Jackson gives her first one-on-one, in-depth television interview to Barbara Walters since her brother, Michael Jackson, died earlier this summer.

Friday, September 18, 2009

DECEPTION

Three very different women from a Dallas suburb take matters into their own hands after discovering that their boyfriend had not only lied to them about his relationship with at least a dozen other women, but he had knowingly infected them with HIV. Elizabeth Vargas' report.

Friday, September 25, 2009

OUTCAST

Christine Paolilla, transformed from an ugly duckling into "Miss Irresistible," turns on the very girls who made her popular? Four girls were gunned down at a home in Houston, TX suburb. Police were baffled by the murders. Was Christine Paolilla responsible for the murders? ABC News Correspondent Mary Fulginiti reports.

PRIMETIME

PRIMETIME: FAMILY SECRETS

This series goes behind closed doors and reveals firsthand the secrets most families never talk about.

Tuesday, July 7, 2009

Primetime will report on Michael Jackson's children, the custody battle with Debbie Rowe and feature a rarely seen interview with Rowe from 2003. Diane Sawyer and Elizabeth Vargas will co-anchor the program with Jim Avila reporting from Los Angeles.

Tuesday, July 14, 2009

In an exclusive television interview with ABC News' Chris Connelly, Joe Jackson says he suspects foul play may have been involved in the death of his son, Michael Jackson. The report will examine Joe Jackson's accusations, from his claims that some of the people surrounding Michael were ripping him off to whether any one individual could be at fault for the death of the King of Pop.

Tuesday, July 21, 2009

Two moms living together raising their two sons, may not be traditional, but it is no longer unheard of. However, Rene and Chloe Prince are not a typical lesbian couple. Chloe is a male to female transsexual, who underwent gender reassignment surgery. "Primetime" cameras were allowed to follow Chloe as she took the plunge into womanhood.

Tuesday, August 4, 2009

Doctors say about one million children in the U.S. suffer from OCD. While many people often joke they have some form of the disorder, "Primetime: Family Secrets" takes a rare look inside the lives of the children who are truly suffering from OCD and reveals something far more crushing than most of us could ever imagine. David Muir reports.

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PRIMETIME: THE OUTSIDERS

The limited series takes viewers into the lives of people who live in worlds unfamiliar to the rest of society.

Tuesday, August 11, 2009

LIVING WITH WILD LIONS

Lions may be the kings and queens of the African bush, but their kingdom is fast disappearing. Two extraordinary men are breaking all the rules to try to save the lions. Kevin Richardson is an affable South African known as the 'Lion Whisperer,' and hundreds of miles away in Namibia, Animal Planet host a Dave Salmoni is risking his life trying to rehabilitate a pride of wild lions. Jay Schadler travels to Africa to report on the unforgettable journey of two men living with lions.

Tuesday, August 18, 2009

ABDUCTED BY ALIENS?

Juju Chang meets people who give extraordinary accounts of encounters with the unexplained. Chang also interviews Harvard scholars who have a medical explanation of how people could believe they are experiencing life with extraterrestrials.

Tuesday, August 25, 2009

TRANSFORMATION

Part of the Wild Horse Inmate Program (WHIP), mustangs end up at a Colorado prison, where inmates become horse whisperers, learning to care for, gently break and train these frightened 800-pound animals to accept a saddle and rider. As Jay Schadler reports, the unique program does more than train mustangs for a new future among humans. The mustangs transform many of the inmates too.

Tuesday, September 1, 2009

LIVING WITH BEARS

What would compel a retired school teacher from Anchorage, Alaska to live in the wilderness, opening his cabin's surroundings up to wild black bears and grizzlies, the largest land predator in North America? Jay Schadler goes into the deep woods of Alaska to find out, and asks: which is more dangerous, a 700 pound grizzly or a 71-year-old retired school teacher named Charlie?

Tuesday, September 8, 2009

JON GOSSELIN

In his first television interview since divorce papers were filed, Jon Gosselin speaks candidly with Chris Cuomo about being vilified in the tabloids and discusses his true feelings for his soon-to-be ex-wife, Kate Gosselin.

Wednesday, September 16, 2009

THE CYCLE OF ABUSE

Are we all programmed from childhood to make the same mistakes our parents made in raising us? The odds are hard to overcome -- one in three people abused as children will also use physical force on their own children, according to several child behavior experts. Primetime reports on breaking the cycle of abuse.

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PRIMETIME: CRIME

This series goes deep inside real cases and also retraces the twists and turns of some cold cases, providing new clues and forensic evidence.

Wednesday, July 1, 2009

Tim MacNeil was a successful defense attorney. Two years ago he was gunned down by a masked intruder in his San Diego home -- the only eyewitness his two stepchildren, Brae and Nathan. Both are now charged with the murder, but who really did it? With one trial, the unique situation of two separate juries and both siblings pointing the finger at each other, could they both get off? Mary Fulginiti unravels the case.

Wednesday, July 8, 2009

Melanie Goodwin was a college sophomore making one last stop at a convenience store before heading back to campus. But her simple stop to pick up a snack turned horrific and resulted in her tragic death when she encountered a stranger who quietly followed her out the door. Jim Avila unravels the case.

Wednesday, July 15, 2009

Those who date online might expect a certain amount of innocent fudging in others' profiles. There's always the risk of encountering a liar whose online self-description is far from the real person. David Muir investigates the man who called himself "Dr. Jeff" and how he was able to lure so many women. Muir sits down for an exclusive interview with Marsalis himself, who breaks his silence on.

Wednesday, July 29, 2009

What & Who Killed Michaels Jackson? Tonight's report includes the latest details in the investigation surrounding Michael Jackson's death, and how his passing is shining a light on celebrities' use of drugs and the doctors who enable them.

Wednesday, August 12, 2009

Jon Quinones reports on teen, Alissa Turney, who vanished without a trace after coming home from school. The case went relatively cold...was she a runaway or a victim of foul play? The report includes never-before-seen home video and documents.

Wednesday, August 19, 2009

Was a high school sophomore brainwashed into viciously killing his former best friend, or was he the mastermind? How did an apparently normal, innocent looking teenager in Colorado Springs, Colorado get involved in something so horrible? Grimes speaks out for the first time to Jim Avila, saying he did it because of a twisted version of the children's game Simon Says.

Wednesday, September 2, 2009

Jaycee Dugard is back with her family 18 years after allegedly being kidnapped at the age of 11. Now Dugard and her two daughters face a long road ahead as they try to adapt to a normal life. Elizabeth Vargas talks to Jessyca Mullenberg, another kidnap victim who beat the odds and survived similar abuse. Vargas reports on how long-time captives struggle once they are freed -- and how they can even be blamed for not trying to escape.

Wednesday, September 9, 2009

The state of Missouri has cast aside the familiar model of juvenile jails in favor of a radically different approach - therapy and rehabilitation. Is the Missouri's approach working? Chris Cuomo reports.

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ABC NEWS SPECIALS – Third Quarter, 2009

Thursday, July 16, 2009

J.K. ROWLING: A YEAR IN THE LIFE

The woman who created an imaginary world for millions, J.K. Rowling, allowed cameras extraordinary access during the year before the 7th Harry Potter book was published. From the one bedroom apartment in Scotland where it all began to a hotel room where viewers watch her type the last words of the Potter saga, Rowling lets millions of fans into her world. Elizabeth Vargas takes viewers on a journey into the life of the woman who came from “nothing” and created all of her own success.

Tuesday, July 7, 2009

A SPECIAL EDITION OF 20/20: MICHAEL JACKSON MEMORIAL SERVICE

Diane Sawyer and Barbara Walters will co-anchor a this special edition. Sawyer, from ABC News headquarters in New York, and Walters, from the Staples Center in Los Angeles, will report on the highlights from the memorial service and other news of day.

Wednesday, July 22, 2009

ABC NEWS SPECIAL – PRESIDENTIAL NEWS CONFERENCE

Charles Gibson will anchor this special coverage from New York with Chief Washington Correspondent George Stephanopoulos and Senior White House Correspondent Jake Tapper reporting from Washington.

Friday, July 24, 2009

A SPECIAL EDITION OF 20/20: OVER A BARREL: THE TRUTH ABOUT OIL

Oil affects nearly every aspect of people’s lives, yet most have no idea why prices keep shooting up and down and who’s pulling the strings. In an hour special, ABC News Anchor Charles Gibson investigates how the oil business works, who’s making money and how average Americans are at the mercy of the biggest industry in the world.

Wednesday, August 26, 2009

ABC NEWS SPECIAL: REMEMBERING TED KENNEDY

ABC News will broadcast an hour-long special on the passing of Senator Ted Kennedy, anchored by Charles Gibson from Hyannis Port, MA and Diane Sawyer in New York. The special will report and reflect on the Senator’s life and legacy, including his 46-year career in the United States Senate, the family influences that shaped him and the triumphs and tragedies of his life.

Wednesday, September 9, 2009

ABC NEWS SPECIAL: A PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS TO CONGRESS & REPUBLICAN RESPONSE

ABC News will broadcast live coverage of President Barack Obama's address to a joint session of Congress and the Republican response. Charles Gibson will anchor the coverage from New York, with Chief Washington Correspondent and host of "This Week" George Stephanopoulos reporting from Washington, DC.

Tuesday, September 15, 2009

THE BARBARA WALTERS SPECIAL: PATRICK SWAYZE: LAST DANCE

ABC News will re-air Barbara Walters’ interview with Patrick Swayze which originally aired in January, 2009 and turned out to be his final interview. The hour special will also include exclusive audio excerpts from Patrick Swayze's autobiography, which he just completed three weeks ago.

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DATE	START	END	TOPIC
<u>Tuesday, July 7, 2009</u>	1:00:00 PM	3:59:59 PM	ET Remembering Michael Jackson
	10:00:00 AM	12:59:59 PM	PT Remembering Michael Jackson
<u>Friday, July 17, 2009</u>	8:24:12 PM	8:24:43 PM	ET Squeezeback: The Death of Walter Cronkite
	5:24:12 PM	5:24:43 PM	PT Squeezeback: The Death of Walter Cronkite
<u>Wednesday, July 22, 2009</u>	8:00:00 PM	8:59:59 PM	ET Presidential News Conference
	5:00:00 PM	5:59:59 PM	PT Presidential News Conference
<u>Wednesday, August 5, 2009</u>	8:53:15 AM	9:40:00 AM	ET Released Journalists Land In U.S.
	5:53:15 AM	6:40:00 AM	PT Released Journalists Land In U.S.
<u>Thursday, August 6, 2009</u>	3:38:06 PM	3:42:53 PM	ET President Obama's Comments on Supreme Court Nominee Sotomayor's Senate Conf.
	12:38:06 PM	12:42:53 PM	PT President Obama's Comments on Supreme Court Nominee Sotomayor's Senate Conf.
<u>Saturday, August 8, 2009</u>	10:58:45 AM	11:05:14 AM	ET Supreme Court Justice Sotomayor Swearing in Ceremony
	7:58:45 AM	8:05:14 AM	PT Supreme Court Justice Sotomayor Swearing in Ceremony
<u>Tuesday, August 25, 2009</u>	1:18:15 AM	1:27:04 AM	ET The Passing of Senator Edward Kennedy
	10:18:15 PM	10:27:04 PM	PT The Passing of Senator Edward Kennedy
<u>Wednesday, August 26, 2009</u>	9:56:37 AM	10:02:37 AM	ET President Obama's Remarks on the Passing of Senator Kennedy
	6:56:37 AM	7:02:37 AM	PT President Obama's Remarks on the Passing of Senator Kennedy
<u>Thursday, August 27, 2009</u>	1:48:22 PM	1:57:11 PM	ET Senator Kennedy's Motorcade Departs from Hyannis Port to Boston
	10:48:22 AM	10:57:11 AM	PT Senator Kennedy's Motorcade Departs from Hyannis Port to Boston
	4:53:34 PM	5:00:36 PM	ET Senator Kennedy's Motorcade Arrives in Boston
	1:53:34 PM	2:00:36 PM	PT Senator Kennedy's Motorcade Arrives in Boston
<u>Saturday, August 29, 2009</u>	10:00:00 AM	1:06:25 PM	ET Remembering Edward Kennedy - The Funeral Service
	7:00:00 AM	10:06:25 AM	PT Remembering Edward Kennedy - The Funeral Service
	7:00:00 PM	8:16:36 PM	ET Remembering Edward Kennedy - The Burial Service
<u>Wednesday, September 9, 2009</u>	4:00:00 PM	5:16:36 PM	ET Remembering Edward Kennedy - The Burial Service
	8:00:00 PM	9:12:11 PM	ET A Presidential Address and a Republican Response
	5:00:00 PM	6:12:11 PM	ET A Presidential Address and a Republican Response

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THIS WEEK – Third Quarter, 2009

Sunday, July 5, 2009

Guests:

- US Vice President Joe Biden

Topics:

- Iraq Policy
- Afghanistan & Iran
- State of US Economy

Sunday, July 12, 2009

Guests:

- Sen. Richard Durbin (D-IL), Senate Majority Whip
- Sen. Jon Kyl (R-AZ), Senate Minority Whip

Topics:

- Healthcare Reform
- 2nd Stimulus possible
- Judge Sotomayor's Confirmation Hearings

Sunday, July 19, 2009

Preempted to Full Network

Sunday, July 26, 2009

Guests:

- Sen. Ken Conrad (D-ND), Chairman Budget Committee
- Sen. Jim DeMint (R-SC), Member, Joint Economic Committee

Topics:

- Obama's Healthcare Reform Overhaul

Sunday, August 2, 2009

Guests:

- Timothy Geithner, Secretary of the Treasury
- Alan Greenspan, Frmr. Chairman of the Federal Reserve Board

Topics:

- State of the Economy
- Fiscal Policy
- Administration's Push for Healthcare Reform

Sunday, August 9, 2009

Guests:

- Frmr. DNC Chairman, Howard Dean
- Frmr. Speaker of the House, Newt Gingrich

Topics:

- Healthcare Reform
- Sarah Palin's comments on Obama's Healthcare Reform

Sunday, August 16, 2009

Guests:

- Kathleen Sebelius, Sec. of Health & Human Svcs
- Sen. Arlene Specter (D-PA), Spc. Committee on Aging
- Sen. Orrin Hatch (R-UT), Health, Education, Labor & Pensions Committee

Topics:

- Criticism to Healthcare Reform Plan

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Sunday, August 23, 2009

Guests: (Roundtable)

- David Frum, New Majority.com
- Paul Krugman, 08 Nobel Prize Winning Economist
- Robert Reich, Frmr. Clinton Labor Secretary

Sunday, August 30, 2009

Guests:

- Sen. Orrin Hatch (R-UT)
Health, Education, Labor and Pensions Committee
- Sen. John Kerry (D-MA)
Chair, Committee on Foreign Relations

Topics:

- Life & Legacy of Sen. Edward Kennedy

Sunday, September 6, 2009

Guests:

- Robert Gibbs
White House Press Secretary
- Tom Daschle
Former Democratic Senate Majority Leader
- Bob Dole
Former Republican Senate Majority Leader
- Rep. Mike Pence (R-IN)
Chairman, House Republican Conference
- Rep. Maxine Waters (D-CA)
Member, House Financial Services Committee

Topics:

- Preview President's Address
- Healthcare Reform

Sunday, September 13, 2009

Guests:

- Kathleen Sebelius
Secretary of Health and Human Services
- Sen. John Rockefeller (D-WV)
Chairman, Senate Finance Subcommittee on Health Care
- Sen. Mary Landrieu (D-LA)
Chair, Small Business and Entrepreneurship Committee
- Gov. Tim Pawlenty (R-MN)
Vice Chair, Republican Governor's Association

Topics:

- Healthcare Reform

Sunday, September 20, 2009

Guests:

- President Barack Obama (Exclusive Interview)

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Sunday, September 27, 2009

Guests:

- Robert Gates
Secretary of Defense
- John McCain (R-AZ)
Ranking Member, Senate Armed Services Committee

Topics:

- Administration's Policy of Afghanistan
- McChrystal Assessment
- Standoff with Iran

NIGHTLINE – Third Quarter, 2009

Wednesday, July 1, 2009

Topics:

- Michael Jackson's Will
- Youngest Solo Sailor

Thursday, July 2, 2009

Topics:

- Live from Neverland
- Michael Jackson's Last Dance
- Lady Diana

Friday, July 3, 2009

Topics:

- Political Shocker: Sarah Palin
- In the name of Jesus
- Young at Heart

Monday, July 6, 2009

Topics:

- Fans & Michael Jackson's Funeral
- Plotting Palin's Plans
- Steve McNair's Death

Tuesday, July 7, 2009

Topics:

- Michael Jackson's Memorial Service
- The Moonwalk

Wednesday, July 8, 2009

Topics:

- Consumers Beware
- Long Live the King
- Playboy Politics

Thursday, July 9, 2009

Topics:

- The Fountain of Youth
- On the Frontlines

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Friday, July 10, 2009

Topics:

- Cold Case Shocker
- World Without Men
- Babies In Marketing

Monday, July 13, 2009

Topics:

- Details in Murder of Adoptive Parents
- SotoMayor Confirmation Hearings
- Property Poet

Tuesday, July 14, 2009

Topics:

- Jackson Custody Hearings
- Saving Africa's Cheetahs
- Pitching Products from the Grave

Wednesday, July 15, 2009

Topics:

- Jackson Pepsi Commercial
- Obama on Healthcare Reform
- Wrestlers & the Recession

Thursday, July 16, 2009

Topics:

- Billings Murder: The 8th Accomplice
- Pandemic Strikes Back
- Apollo Moon Tapes

Friday, July 17, 2009

Topics:

- Remembering Walter Cronkite
- Snake Hunt in Florida
- Playlist: Jason Mraz

Monday, July 20, 2009

Topics:

- Face Lift for a Job Lift
- The Latest on the Kidnapped Soldier
- Bye Bye Boombox

Tuesday, July 21, 2009

Topics:

- A Daughter's Devotion
- Madagascar Upheaval
- Shelter of the Mother's Little Helper

Wednesday, July 22, 2009

Topics:

- Obama: Healthcare Reform Can't Wait
- Grading the President
- Michael Murder Mystery
- Gloria Vanderbilt's Steamy Read

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Thursday, July 23, 2009

Topics:

- A Day in the Life with President Obama

Friday, July 24, 2009

Topics:

- The Raid: Investigating Michael Jackson's Death
- Swimming in Debt

Monday, July 27, 2009

Topics:

- Hooked on Food
- Bargain Houses for Sale
- So Long Sarah

Tuesday, July 28, 2009

Topics:

- Michael Jackson's Use of Prescription Drugs

Wednesday, July 29, 2009

Topics:

- Pregnant and in Peril: The Swine Flu
- Turning the Real Estate Corner
- Eric Holder: America's Top Cop

Thursday, July 30, 2009

Topics:

- The Audacity of Hops: Obama Downplays Tonight's Beer Meeting

Friday, July 31, 2009

Topics:

- Stolen from the Womb
- Blast from Real Estate Past
- Playlist: Kelly Clarkson

Monday, August 3, 2009

Topics:

- Plane Turbulence Injuries

Tuesday, August 4, 2009

Topics:

- Homeward Bound
- Bon Appetit
- The Wrestler

Wednesday, August 5, 2009

Topics:

- Targeting Women
- Bill Clinton & Foreign Policy
- Idol No More: Paula Abdul

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Thursday, August 6, 2009

Topics:

- In His Own Words: Spiral towards murder
- Supreme History: Judge Sotomayor
- John Hughes

Friday, August 7, 2009

Topics:

- To Sin Again: Las Vegas
- Father of Invention
- The Secret Life of Bees

Monday, August 10, 2009

Topics:

- Midair Horror in Crowded Skies
- Swine Flu: Race Against Time
- Recession Rustling on the Rise

Tuesday, August 11, 2009

Topics:

- The Little Princess
- Healthcare Sound & Fury
- Eunice Kennedy Shriver

Wednesday, August 12, 2009

Topics:

- Sex Shops

Thursday, August 13, 2009

Topics:

- Jared's Revenge
- Lessons In Hope
- Beating the Odds

Friday, August 14, 2009

Topics:

- Hidden Addictions
- Praying for Rain in Texas
- Pieces of Meat

Monday, August 17, 2009

Topics:

- Over the Hump?
- High Times in California
- Like a Virgin: Celebrities Taking the vow of Chastity

Tuesday, August 18, 2009

Topics:

- Making Hollywood Housecalls
- The Undercover Car Spies
- Old Music Videos Become Internet Jokes

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Wednesday, August 19, 2009

Topics:

- Billings Murder a Contract Killing?
- From Eating Disorder to Food Critic
- Brits v Germans: The Beach Chair Battle

Thursday, August 20, 2009

Topics:

- Militant's Source of Funding

Friday, August 21, 2009

Topics:

- Reality Show Manhunt
- Wild Things
- Hurricane Bill Blows In

Monday, August 24, 2009

Topics:

- Jasmine Fiore's Murder
- Inside the World of Dr. Oz

Tuesday, August 25, 2009

Topics:

- Home Sweet Home
- Plaxico Burrell Speaks Out
- The Bolivian Jungle

Wednesday, August 26, 2009

Topics:

- Lion of the Senate's Storied Career
- A Life Remembered
- The Kennedy Men

Thursday, August 27, 2009

Topics:

- Jaycee Dugard
- Final Journey: Ted Kennedy
- Animal Instincts

Friday, August 28, 2009

Topics:

- Held Captive
- Charged: Garrido
- Game of their Lives

Monday, August 31, 2009

Topics:

- The Biggest Loser
- Anti-Fat Camp
- Losing Weight at Home

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Tuesday, September 1, 2009

Topics:

- Broke: John McAfee
- California Fires

Wednesday, September 2, 2009

Topics:

- Monster in our Midst
- The Destruction of Reality TV
- In Search of Dead Celebrities

Thursday, September 3, 2009

Topics:

- Omarosa
- Joe Millionaire
- Praising Your Kids

Friday, September 4, 2009

Topics:

- Financial Terrorists
- Drought Cop
- Playlist: Roberta Flack

Monday, September 7, 2009

Topics:

- Autistic Kids Go Extreme
- Burgernomics
- Summer In Memoriam

Tuesday, September 8, 2009

Topics:

- Tyra Banks Tells All

Wednesday, September 9, 2009

Topics:

- Make or Break
- Political Slowdown
- Healthcare

Thursday, September 10, 2009

Topics:

- Convenience Store Corners the Market
- Brian Ross: FBI Deep Cover
- Politicians Gone Wild

Friday, September 11, 2009

Topics:

- What Really Happened to Pat Tillman?

Monday, September 14, 2009

Topics:

- Patrick Swayze Dies At 57
- Eat Yourself Thin
- Losing Your Cool

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Tuesday, September 15, 2009

Topics:

- Closing In On the Killer
- Streets of Philadelphia
- Chef Jacques Pepin

Wednesday, September 16, 2009

Topics:

- Tracking A Suspected Predator (Pt 1)
- The Sting (Pt 2)
- Twisted Traveler (Pt 3)

Thursday, September 17, 2009

Topics:

- Annie Le Murder Case

Friday, September 18, 2009

Topics:

- Food Fight
- Into The Wild
- Sign of the Times: The End of Soap Operas

Monday, September 21, 2009

Topics:

- Mind of a Monster
- When Chimps Attack
- Terrorist Among Us?

Tuesday, September 22, 2009

Topics:

- Hollywood's Dirty Laundry
- Capitalism Evil
- Swept Away

Wednesday, September 23, 2009

Topics:

- Las Vegas Tunnel People
- Sex, Lies & Videotape
- Helicopter Heist

Thursday, September 24, 2009

Topics:

- Are We Born to Cheat?

Friday, September 25, 2009

Topics:

- Never on Sundays
- Al Qaeda Alert
- On the Cheap

Monday, September 28, 2009

Topics:

- Thou Shall Not Steal

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Tuesday, September 29, 2009

Topics:

- Meet the Dr. of Death
- Battling Criminals with YouTube
- Fast Foods Gets A Fancy Makeover

Wednesday, September 30, 2009

Topics:

- Enroll Yourself in the Genius Factory
- Wall of Water

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