

2nd Quarter 2015 "Georgia Focus" Public Affairs Issues/Clearance

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The Little White House – 70th Anniversary of FDR's death

The Little White House in Warm Springs was President Franklin D. Roosevelt's personal retreat. He came to Warm Springs for polio treatment, and liked the area so much that he had a home built on nearby Pine Mountain. Finished in 1932, Roosevelt kept the house after he became President and died there April 12, 1945. On this program, Robin Glass, the Site Manager, conducts a tour of The Little White House and museum. Available April 4-5.

This show aired on (Day) SUNDAY from: (Start Time) 6:00AM to: (End Time): 6:30AM

Autism/Autism Speaks

The U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention identify around 1 in 68 American children as on the autism spectrum. That's a ten-fold increase in prevalence in 40 years. This program discusses Autism and its impact on Georgians with Dr. Chris Gunter, Associate Director of Research at Marcus Autism Center and Associate Professor in the Department of Pediatrics at Emory University, and Kathleen Leard, 2015 Chair for the Georgia Walk Now for Autism. Available April 11-12.

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Cold Case Investigative Research Institute

The Cold Case Investigative Research Institute is a Georgia based organization that works to solve unsolved crimes by working with colleges across the country bringing together students, researchers, and the criminal justice community to help family members once the police run out of leads. Sheryl McCollum, Founder and Director of CCIRI, and her students are program guests. Available April 18-19.

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100th Anniversary of the Grady College of Journalism

2015 marks the 100th Anniversary of the Henry W. Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication at the University of Georgia. The school was named after legendary Atlanta journalist and UGA Georgia alum, Henry W. Grady (1850-1889). On this program recorded in front of a live audience Charles Davis, Dean of the Grady School, and Loran Smith, legendary UGA broadcaster, journalist and Grady College Alum, discuss the College's history. Available April 25-26.

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Callaway Gardens

Open since 1952, Callaway Gardens is nestled in the southernmost foothills of the Appalachian Mountains. The Callaway family longed for a place where man and nature could abide together for the good of both...now more than six decades later, their retreat continues to offer solace, inspiration and discovery for all who visit. Rachel Crumbley, Director of Marketing & Public Relations, talks about the attractions and events there. Available May 2-3.

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Cheating But Not Cheated: The APS Cheating Scandal

The Atlanta Public Schools Cheating Scandal is now remembered as the longest criminal trial in Georgia history. Christopher Waller, former principal of Parks Middle School, became the "poster child" of the scandal which turned his life upside down. Waller entered a guilty plea as a first-time offender and provided crucial testimony in court. Program guests are Christopher Waller and his attorney, LaDawn Jones, who have penned a memoir called *Cheating But Not Cheated*, Available May 9-10.

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Georgia 811

Georgia 811 is dedicated to preventing damage to Georgia's underground utilities and promoting public safety and connecting utility companies with professional excavators and homeowners who are planning mechanized digging activity such as excavation, tunneling, grading, boring and demolition. Guests Cliff Miedl, 2 time Olympian and spokesman for GA 811 and Meghan Wade, Director of Corporate Communications for GA 811, discuss the importance of calling before you dig. Available May 16-17.

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Mothers & Others for Clean Air

Mothers & Others for Clean Air, a program of the American Lung Association of the Southeast, is a partnership of leading public health and child advocacy organizations working to advance public policy to improve air quality. They also partner with medical and public health professionals as well as parents of children with asthma and those with chronic disease. Program guests are Susan Berryman Rodriguez, Project Director for Mothers & Others for Clean Air and Vicki Carew, a M&O supporter whose daughter has asthma. Available May 23-24.

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Center for Civil and Human Rights

The Center for Civil and Human Rights in downtown Atlanta is an engaging cultural attraction that connects the American Civil Rights Movement to today’s Global Human Rights Movements. It’s a place for visitors to explore fundamental rights so that they leave inspired and empowered to join the dialogue about human rights in their communities. Program guest is Doug Shipman, CEO of The Center for Civil and Human Rights. Available May 30-31.

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5th Annual Alternative Fuel Vehicle Roadshow

Georgia Public Service Commissioner Tim Echols has announced the host cities for the 5th Annual Alternative Fuel Vehicle Roadshow, a statewide educational tour, June 15th – 26th, designed to assist municipal leaders and private enterprise business fleets with critical transportation and operations planning information. Program guests are PSC Commissioner Tim Echols and Don Francis, Executive Director of Clean Cities Georgia. Available June 6-7.

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GA DOE – Summer Feeding Program

For many kids, summertime means two things: fun and friends. But when school’s out, that also means families can’t count on kids eating meals at school, and already tight family food budgets have to be stretched even further. The USDA offers summer meals to kids across Georgia and program guests are Paige Holland and Kelly Schlein, Grants Program Consultants for the School Nutrition Division of the Georgia Department of Education. Available June 12-13.

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Courthouses of Georgia

The courthouses of Georgia’s 159 counties hold the keys to the history of families and entire communities. ACCG, Georgia’s county association, has released a photography book called *Courthouses of Georgia*. ACCG Executive Director Ross King and photographer Greg Newington discuss this project. Available June 20-21.

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Georgia State Parks

The Georgia Department of Natural Resources’ parks division manages more than 85,000 acres that provide outdoor recreation, protect natural environments and preserve historic resources. On this program recorded at Red Top Mountain State Park near Cartersville, Kim Hatcher from Georgia State Parks talks about summer activities in parks across the state. Available June 27-28.

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