

## Children's Television Programming Report

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 State: NY

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## **Report reflects information for : Second Quarter of 2011**

General	Section	Question	Response
Information	Attachments	Are attachments (other than associated schedules) being filed with this application?	

Applicant	Applicant Name, Typ	e, and Contact Info	rmation		
Information	Applicant	Address	Phone	Email	Applicant Type

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Contact Representatives (0)

Children's	Section	Question	Response	
Television Information	Station Type	Station Type	Network Affiliation	ı
		Affiliated network	CBS	
		Nielsen DMA	Binghamton	
		Web Home Page Address	www.wbng.com	
Digital Core	Question			
Programming	State the average number of hours of Core Programming per week broadcast by the station on its main program stream			3.0
	State the average number of hours per week of free over-the-air digital video programming broadcast by the station on other than its main program stream			0.0
	State the average number of hours per week of Core Programming broadcast by the station on other than its main program stream. See 47 C.F.R. Section 73.671:			0.0
	Does the Licensee provide information identifying each Core Program aired on its station, including an indication Yes of the target child audience, to publishers of program guides as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.673?			Yes
	•	at least 50% of the Core Programming counted toward meeting ed to free video programming aired on other than the main Yes N		Yes

stream) did not consist of program episodes that had already aired within the previous seven days either on the

station's main program stream or on another of the station's free digital program streams?

## Digital Core Programs(6)

Digital Core Program (1 of 6)	Response
Program Title	BUSYTOWN MYSTERIES - I
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 10-10:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	3 years to 7 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Inspired by the beloved works of best-selling children's author Richard Scarry, Busytown Mysteries brings the popular adventures of Busytown to preschoolers with an educational, problem-solving twist. Children can follow classic characters such as Huckle, Sally and Lowly as they scour Busytown on fun-filled adventures looking for answers to life's puzzles. Each episode focuses on fostering viewers' problem solving abilities, as the characters use their skills of observation to collect facts, draw inferences from those facts, and ultimately reach conclusions. Each episode also develops vocabulary through words and concepts that are part of the episode's overall theme. This program is specifically designed to further the educational and informational needs of children, has educating and informing children as a significant purpose, and otherwise meets the definition of Core Programming as specified in the Commission's rules.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (2 of 6)	Response
Program Title	BUSYTOWN MYSTERIES - II
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 10:30-11am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	3 years to 7 years
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Digital Core	
Program (3	
of 6)	Response

Program Title	DOODLEBOPS ROCKIN' ROAD SHOW
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sunday, 7-7:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	3 years to 8 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Each episode of the show features a real child, who writes for help or advice with a problem to the Doodlest three animated young members of a band. The child then enters the animated world of the Doodlenet, and sets out on an adventure with the band to find a resolution to the problem, with important life lessons imparted in the process. Each episode reinforces the lesson through a musical interlude that encapsulates the educational message. Specific educational objectives of the program include encouraging viewers to develop positive personal qualities such as honesty and initiative, and providing viewers with a basic understanding and appreciation of music. This program is specifically designed to further the educational and informational needs of children, has educating and informing children as a significant purpose, and otherwise meets the definition of Core Programming as specified in the Commission's rules.
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Program Title	TROLLZ

Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sunday, 7:30-8am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	8 years to 12 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	TROLLZ is an animated series about five teenage girls growing up in a magic and colorful world, who live the credo B.F.F.L Best Friends for Life. The magic in their lives is interwoven into real-world type experiences through which they learn to engage in problem solving, creative thinking, and cooperative strategy skills. The series also provides an opportunity for the five girls to learn how to cope with some of the social and emotional issues of self-esteem relating to physical features and other personal attributes, emerging friendships and peer-group relationships, and other experiences found in Trollzopolis. This program is specifically designed to further the educational and informational needs of children, has educating and informing children as a significant purpose, and otherwise meets the definition of Core Programming as specified in the Commission's rules.
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Program Title	HORSELAND - I
Origination	Network

Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturday, 7-7:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	9 years to 11 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	HORSELAND is an animated series about five girls and two boys who live in spectacular countryside that houses a farm called Horseland. Each of these main characters has a special horse whose personality is similar to its owner's. Horseland and its unique approach of integrating the personality of the main characters and animals serve to reinforce prosocial themes. Horseland is also a "coming of age" series in which viewers experience and learn from the social interactions, hopes, dreams, and even fears of this group of culturally diverse adolescents. From this background, the experiences of sharing, caring, compromise, friendship, respect, and competition emerge to provide the young viewers with social and emotional guidelines for better understanding many of the life-lessons they need to learn as they grow and develop. This program is specifically designed to further the educational and informational needs of children, has educating and informing children as a significant purpose, and otherwise meets the definition of Core Programming as specified in the Commission's rules.
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Non-Core Educational and Informational Programming (0) Sponsored Core Programming (0)

Question	Response
Does the Licensee publicize the existence and location of the station's Children's Television Programming Reports (FCC 398) as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3526(e)(11)(iii)?	Yes
Name of children's programming liaison	Greg Catlin
Address	560 Columbia Dr.
City	Johnson City
State	NY
Zip	13790
Telephone Number	607-729-8812
Email Address	
Include any other comments or information you want the Commission to consider in evaluating your compliance with the Children's Television Act (or use this space for supplemental explanations). This may include information on any other noncore educational and informational programming that you aired this quarter or plan to air during the next quarter, or any existing or proposed non-broadcast efforts that will enhance the educational and informational value of such programming to children. See 47 C.F.R. Section 73.671, NOTES 2 and 3.	

Liaison Contact

## Other Matters (6)

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The undersigned certifies that he or she is (a) the party filing the Children's Television Programming, or an officer, director, member, partner, trustee, authorized employee, or other individual or duly elected or appointed official who is authorized to sign on behalf of the party filing the Children's Television Programming; or (b) an attorney qualified to practice before the Commission under 47 C.F.R. Section 1.23(a), who is authorized to represent the party filing the Children's Television Programming, and who further certifies that he or she has read the document; that to the best of his or her knowledge, information, and belief there is good ground to support it; and that it is not interposed for delay. FAILURE TO SIGN THIS APPLICATION MAY RESULT IN DISMISSAL OF THE APPLICATION AND FORFEITURE OF ANY FEES PAID Upon grant of this application, the Authorization Holder may be subject to certain construction or coverage requirements. Failure to meet the construction or coverage requirements will result in automatic cancellation of the Authorization. Consult appropriate FCC regulations to determine the construction or coverage requirements that apply to the type of Authorization requested in this application. WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS FORM OR ANY ATTACHMENTS ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. Code, Title 18, §1001) AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION AUTHORIZATION (U.S. Code, Title 47, §312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. Code, Title 47, §503). I certify that this application includes all required and relevant attachments. WBNG, I declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am an authorized representative of the above-named applicant for the Authorization(s) specified above. Inc.

Attachments No Attachments.