

Children's Television Programming Report

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Report reflects information for : Fourth Quarter of 2014

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

Applicant Information	Applicant Name, Type, and Contact Information					
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Contact Representatives (0)

Children's	Section	Question	Response	
Television	Station Type	e Station Type Network Affilia		n
mornation		Affiliated network	ABC	
		Nielsen DMA	Columbus OH	
		Web Home Page Address	www.abc6onyou	rside.com
Digital Core	Question			Response
Programming	State the average number of hours of Core Programming per week broadcast by the station on its main program stream			4.0
	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			
	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:			3.0
	Does the Licensee provide information identifying each Core Program aired on its station, including an indication of the target child audience, to publishers of program guides as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.673?			Yes
	Does the Licensee certify that at least 50% of the Core Programming counted toward meeting the additional programming guideline (applied to free video programming aired on other than the main Yes No program			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(10)

Digital Core Program (1 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Jack Hanna's Wild Countdown
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays / 9-9:30AM (10/4/14 - 12/27/14)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	1
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	This program chooses a region, or special adaptions animals have made or a specific animal and uses a top ten countdown. From a safari in Botswana, to a dude ranch in Montana, to a retirement home for horses, Jack counts down 10 incredible horse experiences. He also explores wild and rare animals in Australia such as dingoes, devils and cassowaries. For animal adaptation Jack travels from the Arctic to the desert picking ten animals who have made special adaptation to survive in the harsh environments. This program informs the viewer about animals and their habitat which can lead the viewer to discussions regarding the environment and conservation. Aired on main digital stream.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (2 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Ocean Mysteries
Origination	Syndicated

Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays / 9:30-10AM (10/4/14 - 12/27/14)
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	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Supported by a team of Georgia Aquarium biologists, veterinarians and other experts, Jeff Corwin travel the world to explore the Earth's least understood resource, our oceans and waterways and the animals which call them home. He swims with manta rays pointing out that their body form was the inspiration for the design of the Stealth jet. While in the water with whale sharks he takes samples of their blood to better understand their biology. As Jeff continues his journey through each episode the viewer is able to connect with these animals and learn how important they are to all life on the planet as well as how sea life connects to life on the rest of the globe. Aired on main digital stream.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (3 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Born To Explore
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays / 10-10:30AM (10/4/14 - 12/27/14)
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	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Richard Wiese takes the viewer on globetrotting adventures. In this program Richard Wiese goes to places around the world and meets the people who inhabit the area. Through his travels whether he climbs Mount Kilimanjaro, investigates why people live at the base of an active volcano or travels down the Nile River, the viewers are brought along to the places and people of the world who form our diverse cultures and thereby given a better understanding why we are different and yet the same. Aired on main digital stream.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (4 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Sea Rescue
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays / 10:30-11AM (10/4/14 - 12/27/14)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	1
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Each episode focuses on the rescue of a sea animal giving the viewer information about medical benefits rescue and rehabilitation programs for animals. The viewer also learns about the rescued animal's biology and ecology. This information is important because it adds to the knowledge necessary to conserve and protect threatened and endangered species. Aired on main digital stream.

Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I? Yes

Digital Core Program (5 of 10)	Response
Program Title	The Wildlife Docs
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays / 12:30-1PM (10/5/14 - 12/28/14)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	26
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	2
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	This program follows the surprising, exotic and challenging lives of a veterinary staff who cares for over 2,000 animals. The viewer will witness a variety of wild experiences through the eyes of the veterinary team, such as nutrition, treatments, x-rays, surgery, preventive care and emergencies. Through this program the viewer will be given a glimpse of the enormity, variety and quality of treatment that sets the standard for animal care. Airs on main digital stream.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (6 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Expedition Wild
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays / 1-1:30PM (10/5/14 - 12/28/14)

Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	1
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Wildlife expert Casey Anderson showcases his charismatic animal companions on an innovative and action- packed odyssey through North America's wild places. Through this program viewers will have a rare glimpse into the beauty and complexity of the natural world. Viewers will follow Casey on a series of adventures, such as paddling the Grand Canyon, skiing with wolverines in British Columbia, observing mountain lions in Montana, staking out the scavengers of Yellowstone, investigating a raven's nest, observing polar bears on Alaska's northern slope and climbing rugged extremes in pursuit of Maine's black bears. These adventures will bring the viewer a rare experience with endangered species, some deadly, others dashing in the stunning natural ecosystem they call home. Airs on main digital stream.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (7 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Animal Exploration with Jarod Miller
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays / 12-12:30PM (10/5/14 - 12/28/14)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13

Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	1
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Jarod Miller brings viewers up close with the most fascinating members of the animal kingdom. The mission of Animal Exploration is to inspire viewers to preserve the innate human instinct to explore Each episode is designed to reveal to the viewers the world around them in a way that identifies positive role models and pro-social values within an environmentally responsible universe. Also, each episode features a "Did you know?" segment, that shares information that viewers can use in their own backyards. Airs on main digital stream.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (8 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Animal Atlas
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays / 10-10:30AM & 10:30-11AM (10/5/14 - 12/28/14)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
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	13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Life science, biological science, beautiful photography and humor combine to provide viewers this program with life science concepts, animal classification, as well as anatomy and physiolo information of animals. The viewers are taken around the biomes of the world merging the fascination of the animal world with a greater understanding of the relationship between the branches of the animal kingdom. Airs on secondary digital channel 6.2.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Core Program (9 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Zoo Clues
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays / 11-11:30AM & 11:30AM-12PM (10/5/14 - 12/28/14)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
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	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Zoo Clues tackles the animal kingdom's most mind-blowing questions, like these: Can birds fly backwards? Are whales fish? Do dogs sweat? Questions and clues are presented, giving viewers a chance to guess the right answers. Our investigation of the answers takes viewers on a fast-paced and entertaining tour of the animal kingdom. The series will keep viewers engaged with the nearly infinite visual richness, animal characteristics, and wild range of animal behaviors. Beyond basic engagement, Zoo Clues will leave viewers with a meaningful perspective about animals and meaningful comparisons to their own human characteristics. The variety of the animal kingdom is truly odd and bizarre enough to read like fiction, but the clever narration of Zoo Clues links disparate information together in a way that always makes clear that what viewers see is real, natural, and relates to their own life in the real world. Airs on secondary digital channel 6.2.

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Digital Core Program (10 of 10)	Response
Program Title	On The Spot
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays / 12-12:30PM & 12:30-1PM (10/5/14 - 12/28/14)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
Total times aired	18
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	2
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	This program is hosted by comedian Eric Schwartz who randomly interviews people on the stree about local and national curriculum focusing on questions about any of the following topics; geography, history, art, science, mathematics, culture, language, music and sports. The answer to the questions are addressed with video inserts, graphs and/or maps to provide viewers with a deeper understanding of the topic. Airs on secondary digital channel 6.2.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Non-Core Educational and Informational Programming (0) Sponsored Core Programming (0)

Liaison Contact

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	Rick White
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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.	WSYX broadcasts a minimum of three hours weekly, programs which provide both educational and informational needs of children. We believe that these programs have unlimited value. During this past quarter, WSYX telecast numerous public service announcements aimed at children 16 years of age and under. We also air on a regular basis PSAs provided to us by Drug Free America and the Ad Council, which are geared toward children. Our PSA's are designed for a general audience, but also serve children 16 years of age and under. Our general audience programs which serve children 16 years of age and under include our local news which airs Mon-Fri 5-7am, 12-1pm, 5-6:30pm and Mon-Sun 11-11:35pm. Non- broadcast efforts directed toward children include numerous public appearances this quarter by News personnel. Public appearances are ongoing projects.

Other Matters (10)

Other Matters (1 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Jack Hanna's Wild Countdown
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays / 9-9:30am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	This program chooses a region, or special adaptations animals have made or a specific animal and uses a top ten countdown. From a safari in Botswana, to a dude ranch in Montana, to a retirement home for horses, Jack counts down 10 incredible experiences. He also explores wild and rare animals in Australia such as dingoes, devils and cassowaries. For animal adaptation Jack travels from the Arctic to the deser picking ten animals that have made special adaptation to survive in the harsh environments. This program informs the viewer about animals and their habitat which can lead the viewer to discussions regarding the environment and conservation. Airs on main digital stream.
Other Matters (2 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Ocean Mysteries
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays / 9:30-10AM
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming. Supported by a team of Georgia Aquarium biologists, veterinarians and other experts, Jeff Corwin travels the world to explore the Earth's least understood resource, our oceans and waterways and the animals which call them home. He swims with manta rays pointing out that their body form was the inspiration for the design of the Stealth jet. While in the water with whale sharks he takes samples of their blood to better understand their biology. As Jeff continues his journey through each episode the viewer is able to connect with these animals and learn how important they are to all life on the planet as well as how sea life connects to life on the rest of the globe. Airs on main digital stream.

Other Matters (3 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Born to Explore
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays / 10-10:30AM
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Richard Wiese takes the viewer on globetrotting adventures. In this program Richard Wiese goes to places around the world and meets the people who inhabit the area. Through his travels whether he climbs Mount Kilimanjaro, investigates why people live at the base of an active volcano or travels down the Nile River, the viewers are brought along to the places and people of the world who form our diverse cultures and thereby given a better understanding why we are different and yet the same. Airs on main digital stream.

Other Matters (4 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Sea Rescue
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays / 10:30-11AM
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Each episode focuses on the rescue of a sea animal giving the viewer information about medical benefits rescue and rehabilitation programs for animals. The viewer also learns about the rescued animal's biology and ecology. This information is important because it adds to the knowledge necessary to conserve and protect threatened and endangered species. Airs on main digital stream.
Other Matters (5 of 10) Re	esponse

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Program Title	The Wildlife Docs
Origination	Syndicated

Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays / 11-11:30AM
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	This program follows the surprising, exotic and challenging lives of a veterinary staff who cares for over 2,000 animals. The viewer will witness a variety of wild experiences through the eyes of the veterinary team, such as nutrition, treatments, x-rays, surgery, preventive care and emergencies. Through this program the viewer will be given a glimpse of the enormity, variety and quality of treatment that sets the standard for animal care. Airs on main digital stream.

Other Matters (6 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Outback Adventures with Tim Faulkner
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays / 11:30AM-12PM
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	This program is hosted by wildlife expert Tim Faulkner. Viewers will be provided an eye-opening experience as Tim, animal expert and wildlife park operations manager, showcases the beauty and wonder of the natural world. Audiences will be brought closer to the natural world as Tim explores the habitats and adventures of creatures of all sizes, including a giant Galapagos tortoise, a baby wombat, the flying fox, and even a newly discovered species of birds. Airs on main digital stream.

Other Matters (7 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Animal Exploration with Jarod Miller
Origination	Network
Days/Times	Sundays / 12-12:30PM
Program Regularly	
Scheduled	
Total times aired at	13
regularly	
scheduled time	
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target	13 years to 16 years
Child Audience	
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Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming. Each week Jarod looks at exotic and domestic animals from his own unique perspective. Every week Jarod travels to zoos and aquariums to explore animals that fit a particular theme, whether it's the need for speed or animal heroes. It is the mission of this program to inspire viewers, children and adults alike, to preserve the innate human instinct to explore. The producers design each episode to reveal to children the world around them in a way that identifies positive role models and pro-social values within an environmentally responsible universe. Airs on main digital stream.

Other Matters (8 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Animal Atlas
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays / 10-10:30AM & 10:30-11AM
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Life science, biological science, beautiful photography and humor combine to provide viewers of this program with life science concepts, animal classification, as well as anatomy and physiology information of animals. The viewers are taken around the biomes of the world merging the fascination of the animal world with a greater understanding of the relationship between the branches of the animal kingdom. Airs on secondary digital channel 6.2.

Other Matters (9 of 10)	Response
Program Title	Zoo Clues
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays / 11-11:30AM & 11:30AM-12PM
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Zoo Clues tackles the animal kingdom's most mind-blowing questions, like these: Can birds fly backwards? Are whales fish? Do dogs sweat? Questions and clues are presented, giving viewers a chance to guess the right answers. Our investigation of the answers takes viewers on a fast-paced and entertaining tour of the animal kingdom. The series will keep viewers engaged with the nearly infinite visual richness, animal characteristics, and wild range of animal behaviors. Beyond basic engagement, Zoo Clues will leave viewers with a meaningful perspective about animals and meaningful comparisons to their own human characteristics. The variety of the animal kingdom is truly odd and bizarre enough to read like fiction, but the clever narration of Zoo Clues links disparate information together in a way that always makes clear that what viewers see is real, natural, and relates to their own life in the real world. Airs on secondary digital channel 6.2.

Other Matters (10 of 10)	Response
Program Title	On The Spot
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Sundays / 12-12:30PM & 12:30-1PM
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	26
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	This program is hosted by comedian Eric Schwartz who randomly interviews people on the street about local and national curriculum focusing on questions about any of the following topics; geography, history, art, science, mathematics, culture, language, music and sports. The answers to the questions are addressed with video inserts, graphs and/or maps to provide viewers with a deeper understanding of the topic. Airs on secondary digital channel 6.2.

Certification	Question	Response
	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.	
	I declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am an authorized representative of the above-named applicant for the Authorization(s) specified above.	WSYX Licensee, Inc.

Attachments No Attachments.