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# Children's Television Programming Report

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City: **FORT SMITH** State: **AR** 

Service: Full Service Television Purpose: Children's TV Programming Report Status: Received Status Date:

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# Report reflects information for : Second Quarter of 2016

General
Information

Section	Question	Response
Attachments	Are attachments (other than associated schedules) being filed with this application?	No

# Applicant Information

#### **Applicant Name, Type, and Contact Information**

Applicant	Address	Phone	Email	Applicant Type
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#### Children's Television Information

Section	Question	Response
Station Type	Station Type	Network Affiliation
	Affiliated network	NBC
	Nielsen DMA	Ft. Smith-Fay-Sprngdl-Rgrs
	Web Home Page Address	www.nwahomepage.com

# Digital Core Programming

Question	Response
State the average number of hours of Core Programming per week broadcast by the station on its main program stream	6.0
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	168.0
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:	6.0
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 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?	Yes

# Digital Core Programs(6)

Digital Core Program (1 of 6)	Response
Program Title	Wild America
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays 7:00a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
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.	WILD AMERICA is targeted to children ages 13-16. The key educational objective of the program is to familiarize children with the animals of the North American content, their interaction with other animals and their environment. Throughout the series emphasis will be placed upon protecting endangered species and the impact that humans have while interacting in their environment. Each episode of the series will be specific to a particular animal. Topics will range from basic food gather, mating, natural enemies, relationships to other animals, and the interaction of the specific ecology on the survival of the species. We expect that children viewing the program will achieve a greater understanding of nature and specific animal species because of the up-close and detailed photography of the series. Through this understanding, it is hoped children will better relate to the natural environment as it exist in North American and learn to protect its natural species.
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	Wild About Animals
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays 7:30a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	13
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	0
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	0
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.	WILD ABOUT ANIMALS is a half-hour animal magazine series that airs 52 weeks per year. The show is hosted by the Emmy-award winning actress Mariette Hartley. Mariette has committed herself to fighting for the rights of animals for over 20 years. This series is produced for children 16 and under (specific target audience is 13-16). As the producers of WILD ABOUT ANIMALS, it is the objective of Steve Rotfeld Productions, Inc., to educate and inform children, specifically in the target age group, by bringing them entertaining and interesting stories about the worlds most fascinating animals. Each episode consists of four (4) different stories designed to teach children about both exotic and unique animals as well as to educate them further about animals they see everyday.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

Program Title	Real Life 101
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays 8:30a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	11
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	2
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	2
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.	Real Life 101 is bold yet simple. Real life jobs and careers are explored in an energetic style as an education and information (E/I) presentation for teenage viewers. The careers and people chosen to reflect those categories offer a vital inside look at what it would really be like to choose that particular profession. A co-host approach allows for interchange of questions and responses adding viewer stimulation and insight. Age group: 13-16
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Real Life 104
List date and time rescheduled	05/07/2016 11:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-05-07
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Real Life 101
List date and time rescheduled	05/14/2016 11:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes

Date Preempted	2016-05-07
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (4 of 6)	Response
Program Title	Awesome Adventures
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays 11:30a
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	6
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	7
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	7
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	7
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.	Awesome Adventures is designed to educate, inform and entertain children 16 and under (specific target audience is 13-16) about the world around them. Each journey is a lesson in the beauty of nature, its creatures, and the people who inhabit the land. The shows are not designed to be or overly pedantic, but rather, the goal is to make the learning fun.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Awesome Adventures
List date and time rescheduled	04/02/2016 02:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-04-02
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Questions	Response	
Title of Program	Awesome Adventures	
List date and time rescheduled	04/09/2016 02:00 PM	

Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-04-09
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Awesome Adventures
List date and time rescheduled	04/17/2016 10:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-04-17
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

# **Digital Preemption Programs #4**

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Awesome Adventures
List date and time rescheduled	04/30/2016 11:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-04-30
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

# **Digital Preemption Programs #5**

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Awesome Adventures
List date and time rescheduled	05/22/2016 11:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2011-05-21
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Awesome Adventures

List date and time rescheduled	06/05/2016 12:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-06-04
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Awesome Adventures
List date and time rescheduled	06/20/2016 09:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-06-18
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (5 of 6)	Response
Program Title	Career Day
Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays 8:00am
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	11
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	2
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	2
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.	Career Day is a television program that introduces young adults to career exploration and awareness. Students often do not know what they want to do an dare unsure of potential interests they may have that could be a career. Career Day provides an avenue to view experts in their respective fields as they discuss their work, the education/training to prepare for the job, and experiences that led them to choose their career. To encourage students to make informed decisions, young adults must be introduced to career awareness, such as concept that success in most careers requires education and training. The programs motivational and inspirational message of each guest empowers audiences of all ages to investigate career opportunities, which has been proven to enhance academic performance, facilitate high school completion and encourage post-secondary education.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Career Day
List date and time rescheduled	05/07/2016 10:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-05-07
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Career Day
List date and time rescheduled	05/14/2016 10:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-05-14
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (6 of 6)	Response
Program Title	Whaddyado?

Origination	Network
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	Saturdays 12:00N
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	6
Total times aired	13
Number of Preemptions	7
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	0
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	7
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.	Whaddyado? is a half-hour weekly E/I series designed to educate, inform,inspire and entertain children 16 & under (specific target audience is (13-16) about the world around them. Each episode is an educational life-lesson, based in reality, intended to prepare young people for potential situations that could easily crop up at any time, anywhere. Through dramatic re-enactments, WHADDYADO will skillfully document the event, interview the participants, and talk to various experts, who will explain what the proper reaction should be when faced with similar life-threatening circumstances. Also, in an effort to help young people make the right decision at the right moment, there will be a Moral Dilemma segment featured in each show.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Whaddyado?
List date and time rescheduled	04/02/2016 02:30 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-04-02

Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Whaddyado?
List date and time rescheduled	04/09/2016 02:30 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-04-09
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### **Digital Preemption Programs #3**

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Whaddyado?
List date and time rescheduled	04/17/2016 11:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-04-16
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

# **Digital Preemption Programs #4**

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Whaddyado?
List date and time rescheduled	05/01/2016 11:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-04-30
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Whaddyado?
List date and time rescheduled	05/22/2016 11:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes

Date Preempted	2016-05-21
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Whaddyado?
List date and time rescheduled	06/05/2016 12:30 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-06-04
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Questions	Response
Title of Program	Whaddydo?
List date and time rescheduled	06/24/2016 09:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	No
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2016-06-18
Episode #	
Reason for Preemption	Sports

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	Bobbi Smith
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City	Van Buren
State	AR
Zip	72956
Telephone Number	(479) 571-5100
Email Address	bsmith@myfox24.
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.	

# Other Matters (6)

Other Matters (1 of 6)	Response
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Other Matters (3 of 6)	Response
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Program Title Career Day

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#### 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.

Yes

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

Bobbi Smith Office

Manager

07/05 /2016 **Attachments** 

No Attachments.