WAUKEGAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

To: Local Media

From: Ty Rohrer, Cultural Arts Museum Supervisor

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RE: Press Release Free Program

PRESS RELEASE Post Week of 05/14

The Waukegan Historical Society is pleased to present *THE WKRS PHENOMENON* by speaker Larry Leafblad on Sunday, May 20 at 2:00 pm. This **FREE** program is open to the public and will take place in the Dr. Lynn Schornick Theatre located at 39 Jack Benny Drive, Waukegan, in Bowen Park at the Waukegan Park Districts – Jack Benny Center for the Arts. The long-time "on-air" personality Larry Leafblad will talk about the amazing history of WKRS in Waukegan and the "Golden Age of Radio." This will be an interesting look into Waukegan's past and the importance of "The 1220 Spot on Your Radio Dial." The Waukegan Historical Society will also hold their annual meeting in conjunction with this event in the Schornick Theatre.

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