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### WGTE PUBLIC MEDIA TO PREMIERE NEWEST DOCUMENTARY IN FEBRUARY

TOLEDO, OH – WGTE Public Media is proud to present its newest documentary, "Apple Corps: The Grand Rapids Applebutter Fest." The program airs on Thursday, February 16, at 8:00 p.m. This half-hour show is supported by the Historical Society of Grand Rapids. WGTE began production on the program in July of 2011, following the Applebutter Fest through its completion on October 9.

Join WGTE to discover the history of the Grand Rapids Applebutter Fest and get a glimpse behind-the-scenes as this massive festival comes to life. Each year the tiny village of Grand Rapids, Ohio, throws opens its streets and hearts to tens of thousands of guests. This celebration of family, art, history, and of course, applebutter, mobilizes hundreds of volunteers in a small town of less than a thousand.

The program's producer, David Kuznicki states that "I like to joke that it takes a village to raise a festival. The entire town of Grand Rapids puts so much work into this festival all year long, and it shows. I hope the program does justice to the process of this whole town- a family, really- coming together to entertain and educate an entire region."

"Apple Corps: The Grand Rapids Applebutter Fest" airs on Thursday, February 16, at 8:00 p.m. on WGTE TV.

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