



KBRN – Programs and Issues Report Q1 - 2023 Boerne Radio 103.9FM Boerne, Texas

Boerne Radio/KBRN serves Boerne Texas with local news at the top of the hour, local sports at the bottom. We air Public Service and Community Calendar Announcements, and we're in the community at local events supporting our local non-profits.

Boerne Issues this Quarter include:

Drug Awareness Crime Transportation

Senior Scams Wildfire Safety Land Preservation/Development

Veterans Literacy Police Suicide

Employment Trauma Training Foster Kids/Women's Shelter

Power Outage Safety Handicapped Mobility Civic Leadership

Youth Life Skills

Daily Boerne Radio News Reports: Airs at the top of the hour every hour from 7am to 6pm. Each story averages 30 seconds.

January 12, 2023 – Drug Awareness

Interview with Bryan Benway – Communications Director for Boerne ISD - The Boerne Independent School District has announced the next discussion topic in the Parent Education Speaker Series. The event is titled One Pill Can Kill and Cyber Danger. Panel Guests will discuss the dangers that our students face, such as Fentanyl as well as online predators. All Boerne ISD parents, students, and community members are invited to attend, and will take place on Thursday, February 16th from 6-7pm at Champion High School.

January 16, 2023 – Kendall County Scam Alert

Interview with Sheriff Al Auxier - It's not a new scam, as it keeps coming back where the caller says they are with the Kendall County Sheriff's Office with a convincing message to call back if they leave one. Usually it's to tell you there's an outstanding warrant or fine that needs to be paid. The Kendall County Sheriff's Office wants you to know they would never call you to alert you to a warrant or ask for payment over the phone. Also never give out your personal information or wire money to an unsolicited caller. If you get this call, report it right away, and if you're a victim of this scam, report it with as much detail as possible...the phone number left,





date and time of the call, and the transaction information you made. So far \$6000 has been lost in Kendall County because of this scam.

January 18, 2023 - Honoring Veterans

Interview with Don Gray, Commander - The Boerne American Legion Post 313 Captain Mark "Tyler" Voss announced they are hosting a Vietnam Veterans Commemoration Ceremony on Wednesday, March 29th which is National Vietnam War Veterans Day. The event will happen at The Center on Old San Antonio Road and will thank and honor our veterans and families of veterans, POWs, and those listed as MIA, for their service and sacrifice for our country. More details at BOERNE A.M. LEGION DOT ORG

January 24, 2023 – Job Fair

Interview with Boerne ISD Superintendent Dr. Tommy Price - The Boerne Independent School District Operations Department will host a Job Fair on Tuesday, February 7th at the Boerne Middle School North on Johns Road. The Fair will be from 9 to noon, as they are looking for a Head Custodian, Food Service Assistants, School Bus Drivers, and Groundskeepers.

February 2, 2023 – Power Outage Safety

Communications Director Chris Shadrock offered safety tips during the historic freeze in case of power outages like keeping freezers and refrigerators closed to keep food safe. Only use a generator outdoors and away from windows to prevent fire and carbon monoxide poisoning. If you lose power, turn off your heater and wait a few minutes after the power is restored before turning it and other large electronics back on. Disconnect appliances and electronics to avoid damage from electrical surges.

February 7, 2023 – Crime Report

The Kendall County Sheriff's Office has produced their monthly report and in January crime is mostly down. There were 102 less speeding citations than last year with just 85. Felonies are down almost by half compared to last January. There was a significant increase in narcotic crimes with 16 arrests made compared to 6 last year. And last January the Sheriff's Office issued 252 warnings...this past month that number jumped to 763.





February 16, 2023 - Wildfire Protection Plan

The Bergheim Volunteer Fire Department will host a Community Wildfire Protection Plan. 2022 was the 4th driest year in the past 128 years of Kendall County, which as you know is the one of the 10 fastest growing counties not just in Texas but the nation according to the US Census of 2012 and 2020. Yet our fire departments are still the same and underfunded. There will be a forest service wildfire simulation table, tons of information, and presentations about the Community Wildfire Protection Plan. The meeting starts at 6 and the Bergheim Volunteer Fire Department is at 1 Old Curry Creek Road.

February 24, 2023 – Trauma Training

Interview with Police Chief Steve Perez. Being a Boerne Police Officer isn't always keeping the peace when Main Street closes for the 5K or Car Show, or hanging out the kids at the schools as an SRO. The police department needs to be prepared for the worst. All the officers go through Home Front Trauma training which replicates the worst of scenarios under war like conditions with the sights, sounds, and smells of a real traumatic event. Andrew Martinez with Home Front Trauma recently dropped off Trauma Medical Bags for every School Resource Officer for a few schools in Boerne, but they need more to cover the others...

March 16, 2023 – Handicapped Mobility

The Kendall County Emergency Management Team encourages you if you have a disability, if you require transportation service, if you have communication barriers or limited mobility...it's very important that you register for a program that's called STEAR. STEAR stands for State of Texas Emergency Assistance Registry. Find the QR code to register on the Kendall County Emergency Management Facebook page.

March 27, 2023 – Transportation/Land Preservation

Tomorrow evening at City Hall the City Council Meeting will begin at 6pm which always starts with open time to hear from citizens, and according to a press release from Protect Our Hills - Kendall County, and the Greater Edwards Aquifer Alliance this is your chance to voice your concerns over the long range transportation plans regarding the Boerne Mobility Plan and Boerne Thoroughfare Plan. It's projected to have a full room so you might want to arrive at the City Hall Chambers early.

Interview Programs:

March 11, 2023 – Water, Land, Transportation – Mayor Tim Handrin interview on the Boerne Brew at (26:00)

The Boerne Star's Zachary-Taylor Wright chats with Mayor Tim Handrin about his withdrawal from the next mayoral race, what still needs to be done, and the future. He shares the state of the union on the major issues facing Boerne including Water, Land Development, and our Traffic issues.





March 11, 2023 – Police Suicide Prevention – Boost Boerne Business Radio Show (10:49) minutes at 11am

Laura Anderson is the President of the 100 Club of Kendall County with the mission of supporting the families of those officers who were either killed in action, or committed suicide. Creating programs and support groups for those families, and raising funds for scholarships for their kids is part of the important services they provide.

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March 3, 2023 – Foster Care Families in Need – Boost Boerne Business Radio Show – (15:54) minutes at 11am

Staci Almager – CEO with the Hill Country Family Services helps families in crisis from job loss, fires, freezes, illness, abuse etc. – and hosts a drive to provide an Easter Basket for families in need where the mother may be in a shelter, or simply don't have the finances. Zac Hale with Cavender Cares joins the conversation.

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February 24, 2023 – Life Skills for Youth - - Boost Boerne Business - (17:38) minutes at 11:00am

Guest: Blythe Zemel, Executive Director and Founding President of Girl With Grit. Come and Make It is a youth makerspace based in Kendall County. They teach young girls 8 and up how to change a tire, care maintenance, handle tools, and knives. They have an art room, a fashion and design room, and a digital art lab equipped with 3-D printers.

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March 10, 2023 – Boerne Leadership / Boerne Fire Department – Boost Boerne Business Radio Show – (13:34) minutes at 11am

Leadership Boerne is a service of the Greater Boerne Chamber of Commerce and every year they tackle a need of the city. Guest: Robert Lee – Assistance Chief and Fire Marshall of the Boerne Fire Department. Co-Host Steely Lott with Leadership Boerne. The Fire Department is underfunded and has serious needs to serve the fasting growing county in Texas.

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