

KQIK-FM Quarterly Issues /Program List

There follows a listing of some of the significant issues by this Station along with most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period 7/1/23 to 9/30/23 The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

There are many social issues that are important and worthy of attention, but here are five that are particularly pressing in this area:

1. ***Native American pride***: The ongoing struggle for racial equality and justice is an issue that affects people of color around the world. From poverty, and systemic racism to economic and educational disparities, this issue is one that requires ongoing attention and action to address.
2. ***Education and Youth Support*** are essential for personal and societal growth and development. It allows individuals to expand their knowledge, skills, and abilities, and enables them to make informed decisions about their lives and their communities. Education is also crucial for economic success and for addressing social and global issues. Investing in education is investing in the future.
3. ***Religion***: plays a significant role in many people's lives, providing a sense of purpose, community, and spiritual fulfillment. It can also serve as a source of moral guidance and inspire individuals to lead ethical and compassionate lives. While religion can be a source of conflict and division, it can also foster understanding and unity among people of different backgrounds and beliefs.
4. ***Elderly support*** is crucial for ensuring their well-being, dignity, and inclusion. It enhances their quality of life, provides social connections, and recognizes their valuable contributions to society.
5. ***First Responders and emergency service public awareness***: First responders and emergency services are crucial to the safety and well-being of our communities. They work tirelessly to protect and serve us, often putting their own lives at risk. It is important to be aware of their role and to show appreciation for their service. If you see a first responder or emergency service worker in your community, take a moment to thank them for their dedication and hard work. Together, we can show our support and appreciation for these important members of our community.

DESCRIPTION OF ISSUE	PROGRAM: <i>COMMUNITY CALENDAR</i> <i>(9:10A, 12:35P, & 5:35P)</i>	DURATION 5 MIN	NARRATION OF TYPE AND DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM/SEGMENT
VETERAN SUPPORT			Operation Tears of the 22 is hosting a veteran's retreat and fundraiser this weekend at K-River Campground in Moyers, Oklahoma. Come support a great cause with cornhole tournaments, trail rides for off road vehicles, tricycle races, live music, great food, a petting zoo, hayrides, outdoor movie night, and more. The whole family is welcome to attend! For more information, look up Operation Tears of the 22 on Facebook.
FIRST RESPONDER SUPPORT			Unity with the Community will be held Saturday, July 22nd at the Paris Police Department at 2910 Clarksville Street in Paris. This Saturday from 10am to 2pm. Come and enjoy Free Games, Hamburgers & Hot Dogs, Face Painting, Bounce House, Snow Cones and more. Be sure to visit with the Special Guests from the Paris Police Department, Paris EMS, Lamar County Sheriff's Office, Paris SWAT Team, and Air Evac. This is a FREE Event. So don't miss it!!!!
COMMUNITY SUPPORT			The Knights Paris MC is having a Backpack Giveaway on Saturday, July 29th starting at 12-Noon and will be held at the Knights Paris MC Clubhouse located at 1055 Pine Bluff Street in Paris. Each child or children that shows up must be with a parent to receive a backpack.
COMMUNITY PRIDE			Fair Season is coming!! Coming to Pushmataha County September 13-16 at the Pushmataha County Fairgrounds in Antlers. This FREE Fair will have lots of animals including Rabbit & Poultry Show on Thursday, Livestock Judging on Friday along with the Swine & Cattle Show and don't miss the Chicken Races on Saturday. The Push County Fair, 610 S.W. "D" Street in Antlers September 13-16. See you there!!!!
COMMUNITY PRIDE			Get ready for the Deer Capital Steak Cookoff, Saturday and Sunday September 9th and 10th in Antlers. First Place Prize for Steak is \$1,000. This Steak Cookoff is for Adults AND Kids, and it benefits the Deer Capital Tourism Association and will take place at the Pushmataha County Fairgrounds at 610 S.W. "D" Street in Antlers....the Pushmataha County Fairgrounds. For more information contact Michael Taylor at 580-271-1127.
COMMUNITY SUPPORT			R.S.V.P. of Antlers would like to invite you to their Bingo Party on Saturday, August 5th at the Pushmataha Fairgrounds Building. Doors open at 5:30pm with concessions available. Tickets can be purchased at the door for \$20.00 for 18 games. Then there will be two Blackout games at \$5.00 each. Proceeds go to the RSVP Program. A silent auction will also be held. Don't miss the Bingo FUN!!!!

COMMUNITY PRIDE			Two events near Downtown Paris will be held on Saturday, September 2nd. Don't miss The Hatch Chili Fest from 8am to 1pm at the Paris Farmers & Artisan Market at 400 S.W. First Street in Paris. Around 2,500 pounds of Hatch Chili's will be purchased. Then Saturday Night it's Salsa on The Square from 6:30-8:30pm. A Latin themed dance event with Mariachi music and more. Everyone is invited to attend. For more information contact Cheri Bedford by email.....cbedford@paristexas.gov.
EDUCATION/ YOUTH SUPPORT			The Hugo Lions Club raises money throughout the year to give as Scholarships to graduating Seniors. To help fund this they are doing...."30 Gun In 30-Minutes". Tickets are \$100 each and can be purchased at Security First National Bank, Kiamichi Tech and Ameristate Bank all in Hugo. For more information contact Jerrod Lundry at 580-326-6491.
FIRST RESPONDER SUPPORT			The Wilburton Police Department presents.....The 7th Annual Bull Bash Saturday Night September 9th starting at 7pm. It's an OPEN Bull riding with 2 head for \$100 and there is \$2,000 in added prize money. Fun for the whole family with "Money The Hard Way". A Full Concession stand will be available and prize drawings throughout the night. Admission is \$10.00 for adults, \$5.00 for kids age 6 and up and for kids age 5 and under it's FREE!! For more information, please contact Amy Couch at 918-867-2348 or 580-239-0476.
VETERAN/FIRST RESPONDER SUPPORT			The Paris Elks Lodge at 2110 36th Street NE hosts a Veterans & First Responders Breakfast on the THIRD Saturday of every month from 7am to 11am. It is FREE for Military Veterans that have kept this Country safe and to our First Responders who keep our community safe. For more information contact David Poole at 903-517-7640.
COMMUNITY SUPPORT			Saturday, September 2nd do not miss the Larry McFarlin Bull Bash Benefit beginning at 7:30pm at the Paris Rodeo & Horse Club Arena at 550 Clement Road in Paris. Bull rider entry is \$100. Mutton Bustin' Entry is \$25.00. Plus \$10,000 in added prize money. Books are open August 23-26. Contact Sharon Barnes to enter at 903-249-4674. Special guest appearance by LeAnn Hart. Gate Admission is \$10.00 and 100% of the proceeds benefits Larry McFarlin.
EDUCATION/ YOUTH SUPPORT			The Antlers Public School would like to announce when their Parent/Teacher Conferences will take place. The first one will be held on Thursday, September 14th from 4-7pm and then again on Wednesday, September 26th from 4-7pm. This is a change from a previous schedule.

<p>NATIVE AMERICAN PRIDE/YOUTH SUPPORT</p>			<p>The Choctaw Nation Youth Advisory Board is hosting a CAR WASH on Saturday, September 9th from 10am to 1pm at the First United Bank at 801 East Jackson Street in Hugo. The proceeds will benefit the Hugo Girls Basketball team. Don't miss the fun!!!</p>
<p>RELIGIOUS SUPPORT</p>			<p>The Antlers Methodist Church is joining other churches throughout America and celebrating "National Back To Church Sunday" which will be held on Sunday, September 17th at 11am. Come and join for a special Worship Service, Special Music and a Church Wide Picnic following the service. Don't miss the fun and fellowship.</p>
<p>COMMUNITY PRIDE</p>			<p>If you love garage sales, then this is for you!!! On Saturday, September 23rd.....32 families and vendors will be set up in the Rattan Rock Creek Park for their annual Fall Community Yard Sale. They will be set up from 8am to 3pm. Come and shop plus there will also be a Concession Stand set up too. It is a huge community event you will not want to miss. Just follow the signs once you get to Rattan.</p>
<p>RELIGIOUS SUPPORT</p>			<p>The Cowboy Crossing Church on Highway 70 East of Hugo will be holding a Fall Frenzy Rummage Sale on Saturday, October 7th from 8am to 5pm. If you would like to have a booth space, they are just \$25.00 inside or outside. Also, if you want to bring your food truck and set up it's just \$50.00 for a spot. For more information on booth space call 580-743-0229.</p>
<p>RELIGIOUS SUPPORT</p>			<p>The Ministerial Alliance is sponsoring a Community Prayer Night in Antlers on Sunday, September 24th at First Bank Park beginning at 5pm. This community gathering to pray is for comfort and peace after the murder of an elderly Antlers citizen.</p>
<p>COMMUNITY PRIDE</p>			<p>The City of Hugo will be holding their City-Wide Fall Cleanup on Friday and Saturday October 20th & 21st. No Hazardous waste is allowed such as batteries, paint, tires, ect. Please take all items to the Landfill on South 8th Street across the Bypass from 8am to 5pm. You also must own a current City Of Hugo Water Bill in order to dump. If you need more information, then please call 580-326-2344.</p>
<p>EDUCATION</p>			<p>Goodland Academy will be celebrating their 175th Anniversary on Saturday, October 14th from 10am to 3pm. They will be having tours of the academy, bounce houses for the kids plus food and desserts will be available too. Don't miss the fun!!</p>

<p>RELIGIOUS/ YOUTH SUPPORT</p>			<p>The Antlers High School FCA would like to invite you to "Fields of Faith" on Wednesday, October 11th at the Antlers Football Field. One Day. One Message. One Stand. It's worship and testimony and Tyrell Hatcher will be the speaker. Don't miss Pizza from First Bank. In the event of bad weather, it will be held at the Antler High School Auditorium.</p>
<p>COMMUNITY PRIDE</p>			<p>The Red River Valley Veterans Memorial Museum in Paris presents....."The Oak Ridge Boys Front Porch Singing Tour" at Drakes Party Barn on Saturday, October 7th. Gates opens at 5pm with music beginning at 6pm. Burgers will be provided plus a CASH bar will be available. Tickets are \$60.00 in advance or \$75.00 at the gate. A Live Auction will also take place. Don't miss the Oak Ridge Boys at Drakes Party Barn at 6090 U.S. 271 North near Powderly, Texas. For more information, please call 903-783-0945.</p>
<p>COMMUNITY SUPPORT</p>			<p>The City of Paris will be hosting several town hall meetings dedicated to listening to and better understanding the concerns some in west Paris have raised regarding their neighborhoods, growth, development, public safety, and quality of life. Each town hall will be a repeat of one another; therefore, the public are welcome to attend all of these events, or pick the one most convenient for their schedule. The following is a list of locations, dates, and times for all five events.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tuesday, September 26, 2023, 6:00 pm at Justiss Elementary School, 401 18th Street NW. 2. Tuesday, October 10, 2023, 6:00 pm at Travis High School of Choice, 3270 Graham Street. 3. Thursday, October 12, 2023, 6:00 pm at Givens Early Childhood Center, 655 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive. 4. Tuesday, October 31, 2023, 2:00 pm at Historic Union Depot, 1125 Bonham Street. 5. Thursday, November 2, 2023, 9:00 am at CitySquare Paris, 2515 Bonham Street.
<p>VETERAN/FIRST RESPONDER SUPPORT</p>			<p>The Red River Valley Veterans Memorial will host a Veteran's Day Program on Saturday, November 11th beginning at 2pm at the Love Civic Center in Paris. The program will include a performance by the North Lamar High School orchestra plus the guest speaker is Paris High Graduate and current Paris Mayor Reginald Hughes. Mr. Hughes is an honorably retired US Navy Warrant Officer. Everyone is invited to attend.</p>
<p>ELDERLY SUPPORT</p>			<p>The Community Partners of S.E.Oklahoma & N.E.Texas will be holding a Senior Citizens Celebration with FREE Food, Door Prizes and Entertainment from the Dalton Street Gang. The First Celebration will happen at the Idabel Fairgrounds in the Larry Brinkley Building Friday, October 20th from 11am to 1pm. The second celebration will be held Friday, October 27th at the Old Choctaw Nation Community Center in Hugo from 11am to 1pm. For more information call Amber Stewart at 405-406-6654.</p>

<p>COMMUNITY PRIDE</p>			<p>The Finley Fall Festival at the Finley Community Center in Finley, Oklahoma will be held Saturday, October 14th ALL DAY!! There is going to be a 7K Run and Breakfast that morning, a Children's Carnival, Cake Walk, Silent Auction and Corn Hole Tournament. A Country Supper after the Rib Cookoff. Plus, entertainment with an Open Mic Night, Karaoke, Goepel Signing then the band 88000 closes the day with a concert. Don't miss the fun in Finley, Oklahoma.</p>
<p>COMMUNITY PRIDE</p>			<p>Friday and Saturday, October 13th and 14th....The Fort Towson Historic Site invites you to take a Historic Candlelight Tour of Doaksville!!! Learn about the historic town with dramatic scenes from 1851. Tours every 30 minutes beginning at 7pm with the last tour at 9:30pm. Admission is \$8.00 children aged 6 and under free. Advance Tickets available by calling 580-873-2634.</p>
<p>RELIGIOUS SUPPORT</p>			<p>The Victory Assembly of God Church on Highway 3 Rattan will be holding a Fall Bazaar on Saturday, October 14th from 9am to 2pm. Also available will be lunch, Taco Soup, Dessert, and drink for \$6.00 from 11am to 1pm. They will also hold a Bake Sale with Cakes, Pies, and Brownies. For more information call Jessica McDaniel at 580-271-2847.</p>
<p>VETERAN SUPPORT</p>			<p>Eufaula area Chamber Of Commerce and Eufaula at VFW Post 8798 will host a parade in downtown Eufaula , Veterans Day, Saturday, November 11th at 1 PM. Everyone is invited to show appreciation for our Veterans. Participation is Free. Line up at Eufaula High School at Noon.</p>