

## **KYRS Quarterly Report for the 2nd Quarter of 2022**

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**KYRS has identified the following as significant issues in our community for the quarter:**

- Public Health
- Environmental Issues
- Diversity, Youth, & Culture
- The Arts

**KYRS programs addressing these issues are described below:**

**Issue:** Public Health

**Program Addressing the Issue:** This Won't Hurt a Bit

**Date:** 5/15/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 10:00 AM PST

**Duration:** 1 hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** On today's This Won't Hurt a Bit, Erika & Mark discussed the difference between "The Abortion Pill" and "The Morning After Pill" and touched on the ramifications of these medicines in light of the latest threats to Roe vs. Wade.

**Issue:** Public Health

**Program Addressing the Issue:** This Won't Hurt a Bit

**Date:** 6/5/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 10:00 AM PST

**Duration:** 1 hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** On today's TWHAB, Erika and Make took a dive into migraine headaches for National Migraine and Headache Awareness Month (#MHAM).

**Issue:** Public Health

**Program Addressing the Issue:** The Science of Poverty

**Date:** 6/25/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 4:00 PM PST

**Duration:** 1 hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** Today was Part 1 of the anti-suicide series. We talked about the dynamics of what to look for, and what to do if you see any of the red flags.

**Issue:** Environmental Issues

**Program Addressing the Issue:** Earth Matters Now

**Date:** 5/10/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 4:00 PM Pacific

**Duration:** 1 hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** Laura and Mike did stories on bumblebees endangered, the avian flu and how to euthanize your chickens, climate and colonialism, land conservancy tax scams, a new orca born off the Oregon coast, a levee removed from the Green River near Auburn, WA and a critique of the 30 by 30 land protection plan.

**Issue:** Environmental Issues

**Program Addressing the Issue:** Earth Matters Now

**Date:** 5/24/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 12:00 Pacific

**Duration:** 1 hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** Laura and Mike did stories on salmon and the Snake River dams, Spokane's new water conservation ordinance, wolf predation in NE Washington, possible retrofit of dams with hydropower, the crypto project in Pend Oreille County, snake venom also having bacteria, and avian flu deniers.

**Issue:** Environmental Issues

**Program Addressing the Issue:** Earth Matters Now

**Date:** 6/28/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 12:00 PM Pacific

**Duration:** 1 hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** Laura and Mike did stories on lawns, urban planting, biodiversity, wolf scandal in New Mexico, agriculture and solar in Washington, new cultural legislation for public lands, hazards of gas stoves, and how the US budget funds military at the expense of health and environment.

**Issue:** Diversity, Youth & Culture

**Program Addressing the Issue:** Detention

**Date:** 5/9/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 4:00 PM Pacific

**Duration:** 1 Hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** This show is created and hosted by middle school students. This week we had a very special guest, our student teacher Madii! Our subject this week was our childhood nostalgia, comparing our childhoods to hers. We talked about TV shows, toys, technology, and so much more!

**Issue:** Diversity, Youth & Culture

**Program Addressing the Issue:** Dragonflies

**Date:** 4/10/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 3:00 PM Pacific

**Duration:** 1 Hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** Dragonflies on Thin Air is a child run radio show. This week's episode includes descriptions of the DJs' spring break vacations, what the DJs would do if they got a million dollars and much more!

**Issue:** Diversity, Youth & Culture

**Program Addressing the Issue:** Generational Warfare

**Date:** 6/4/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 9:00 AM Pacific

**Duration:** 1 Hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** Ry the Y welcomes back the newly Whitworth-graduated twin-Z's, inaugurating a fresh summer of Generational Warfare. After arguing about the Obi-Wan Kenobi show a bit too long, they transitioned to discussions of the Uvalde shooting, red flag laws, guns surpassing cars as the leading killer of children, and D.C.'s move to raise vehicle registration fees for oversized personal vehicles. They close with some highlights from their current reading (The Whiteness of Wealth, Homelessness is a Housing Problem).

**Issue:** Diversity, Youth & Culture

**Program Addressing the Issue:** Out & About

**Date:** 6/7/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 4:00 PM Pacific

**Duration:** 1 Hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** A great conversation with Matt Danielson of the Pride Parade and Festival. We talked about the time of the parade, the

participants, new stuff and how the parade has evolved. We also talked about Matt's open mic karaoke work that he and his brother have been doing.

**Issue:** Diversity, Youth & Culture

**Program Addressing the Issue:** Out & About

**Date:** 6/28/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 4:00 PM Pacific

**Duration:** 1 Hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** I did a monologue on the overturning of Roe V Wade, what it means to all who believe that privacy is a human right, how this relates to the rise of fascism in our nation, how all antifascists should stand together – LGBTQ people, BIPOC people, people who value democracy, etc. Ultimately what this ruling means for those who want safe abortions, those who use contraception, those of us who wish to be open about being LGBTQ, etc.

**Issue:** The Arts

**Program Addressing the Issue:** Out & About

**Date:** 6/21/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 4:00 PM Pacific

**Duration:** 1 Hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** An interview with castmates Dana Sammond and Skyler Moeder and mate-mate Sarah Griffith. We talked about the play Much Ado About Nothing being presented at the MAC's outdoor theater. This is the last week of the play! Dana and Skyler talked about their characters, their history in theater and their future in theater. Sarah talked about how the play was as audience member.

**Issue:** The Arts

**Program Addressing the Issue:** Out & About

**Date:** 5/31/2022

**Broadcast Time:** 4:00 PM Pacific

**Duration:** 1 Hour

**Narrative of Issue and how programs addressed the issue:** A fun conversation with Malcolm Pelles, Dahveed Bullis and Matt Slater. Malcolm is the director of the upcoming play PASS OVER. Dahveed and Matt star in it. We talked about the upcoming play and racial issues in Spokane and other cities. It was great hearing these three black men talk about their life in Spokane, their creative endeavors, the play and their hopes for the future.