# 2ND QUARTER 2019 ISSUES PROGRAMMING

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# 2019 Community Issues – iHeartRadio Baton Rouge

#### Crime

• Drug-related violent crime

#### **Education**

- Improve K-12 public school performance in EBR
- Adequate funding for and accountability in higher education
- Support for TOPS as initially defined
- Overcrowding of schools in outlying parishes

#### Economy/Economic Development

- Retain/expand current businesses
- Attract new businesses
- Effectiveness/return of tax incentives
- Expanding downtown development, including residential

#### **Government/Politics**

- Working of Louisiana Legislature, Metro Council and regional parish councils
- Public apathy

#### Healthcare

- Access to care for un-and under-insured, especially North Baton Rouge
- Affordable health care for all
- Declining mental health spending

#### Infrastructure

- Interstate traffic congestion
- Traffic signal synchronization
- Progress of federally mandated sewer upgrade
- Troubled public transportation system (CATS)

### Sense of Community

- Neighborhood safety, blight, resident participation
- Support museums, libraries, charities, etc
- Resident involvement
- Social Services
- Quality of life

#### Taxes

- Tax proposals need convincing argument to pass
- Proof that taxpayer's money is well spent

#### Weather

- Winter blasts
- Hurricane Season

## **OF INTEREST TO YOU**

A weekly public affairs program of iHeartRadio Baton Rouge. Approximately 26 minutes in length. Airs Sundays. KRVE-FM: 6a.m. WJBO-AM and WFMF-FM: 7 a.m. WYNK-FM: 8 a.m..

| DATE    | GUEST  | TOPIC   | ISSUES                         |
|---------|--|---|--------------------------------|
| 4/7/19  | From Baton Rouge Children's Advocacy Center: Toni Bankston, Exec. Dir. David St. Romain, Public Outreach Coordinator | Child Abuse Prevention<br>Month   | Sense of Community             |
| 4/14/19 | Livingston Parish Sheriff<br>Jason Ard   | Chippin' In for St. Jude fundraiser   | Sense of Community             |
|         | Gov. John Bel Edwards  | Portion of opening address to lawmakers at start of 2019 Legislative Session      | Government/Politics            |
| 4/21/19 | Adam St. Pierre, STEM<br>Librarian, East Baton Rouge<br>Parish Library   | Mid-City Micro Con  | Sense of Community             |
|         | Jill Gonzalez, Wallethub   | Louisiana Least Green<br>State for 2019   |                                |
| 4/28/19 | Testimony on bill requiring origin of seafood  | House Bill 335  | Government/Politics            |
| 5/5/19  | Uttam Dhillon, Acting<br>Administrator DEA   | National Prescription Drug Take Back Day (iHeartRadio National PSA Program)       | Healthcare, Sense of Community |
| 5/12/19 | U.S. Sen. Bill Cassidy, President Donald Trump, others   | White House Press<br>Conference on Surprise<br>Medical Bills                      | Healthcare                     |
|         | Maj. Gen. Rick Kaiser, Army<br>Corps of Engineers  | Reopening of Bonnet<br>Carre Spillway   | Infrastructure                 |
| 5/19/19 | Don Redman, AAA  | Memorial Day Travel   | Sense of Community             |
| 5/26/19 | Dr. Nick Rauber, DDS,<br>Founder   | Swollfest fishing rodeo to<br>benefit Our Lady of the<br>Lake Children's Hospital | Sense of Community             |
|         | NOAA officials   | 2019 Hurricane Season<br>Outlook  | Weather                        |

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|---------|--|---|---------------------|
| 6/2/19  | Mary Stein, Assistant Library Director, East Baton Rouge Parish Library  | EBRPL Summer<br>Program   | Sense of Community  |
| 6/9/19  | Gov. John Bel Edwards closing press conference  Barry Erwin, Council for a Better                                | 2019 Legislative<br>Session Wrapup  | Government/Politics |
| 6/16/19 | Louisiana REPLAY OF 2/24/19 SHOW   |   |                     |
|         | Whitney Pike, recovering opiod addict Dr. Jan Laughinghouse, Capital Area Human Services                         | Opioid abuse<br>(Murphy, Sam and<br>Jodi interview from<br>KRVE-FM)                   | Healthcare          |
|         | LSU Department of Sociology<br>Assistant Professor Matthew<br>Valasik  | Study linking blight,<br>homicide may predict<br>where murder could<br>occur          | Crime               |
| 6/23/19 | From the Capital Area CASA Association:  Erin Fulbright, Recruitment Coordinator Brent St. Blanc, CASA Volunteer | Capital Area CASA Association – its mission, recruitment efforts, upcoming fundrasier | Sense of Community  |
| 6/30/19 | Don Redman, AAA  | 4 <sup>th</sup> of July travel  | Sense of Community  |
|         | Allison May, Allstate  | Baton Rouge's low<br>ranking on Allstate<br>survey on safe drivers                    |                     |

### **ARTS COUNCIL RADIO SHOW**

Presented by the Arts Council of Greater Baton Rouge. Host: Rhaea D'Aliesio. Running time: 23 minutes. Unless otherwise noted, the issue is Sense of Community. Airs Sundays. KRVE-FM: 6:30 a.m. WJBO-AM and WFMF-FM: 7:30 a.m. **NOTE: Show does not air on WYNK-FM.** 

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| 4/7/19        | LSU School of Music  | Upcoming performance of the Brahms                            |
|               | Carlos Riazuelo, Director of Orchestral                            | Ein Deutches Requiem  |
|               | Studies  |   |
|               | Dr. John Dickson, Director of Choral                               |   |
|               | Studies  |   |
| 4/14/19       | John Kelton, Enjoy Baton Rouge                                     | Sight-seeing tour offerings, Baton                            |
|               |  | Rouge history   |
| 4/21/19       | From the Arts Council:   | Upcoming exhibitions, projects                                |
|               | Kelsey Livingston, Director of Visual Arts                         |   |
|               | Leea Russell, Director of Education and                            |   |
|               | Community Engagement   |   |
| 4/28/19       | From BREC Art:   | upcoming event Art Unleashed                                  |
|               | Robin McAndrew, Malena Moreau Jezek,                               |   |
| - /- /        | and Jenny Poulter  |   |
| 5/5/19        | Daniel Espinoza, Reactivate Program                                | Upcoming programming  |
| - / - 2 / - 2 | Coordinator from the Walls Project                                 |   |
| 5/12/19       | Yiseul and Masson LeMieux of LeMieux                               | Discussing their avant garde approach                         |
|               | Studios  | to classical music and immersive                              |
| E /4 0 /4 0   |  | performances throughout Louisiana                             |
| 5/19/19       | artist and native Baton Rougian Stan                               | Discuss his body of work and what it                          |
| F /2C /40     | Routh  | was like to grow up in Baton Rouge                            |
| 5/26/19       | Nicholas Bejeaux, Audience Engagement &                            | Current exhibits and upcoming events,                         |
|               | Public Relations Manager for the Louisiana                         | including Dino Day  |
| 6/2/19        | Art and Science Museum  Manica Pages Director of Crants            | Do mustifying grants dissussion on the                        |
| 0/2/19        | Monica Pearce, Director of Grants                                  | De-mystifying grants, discussion on the Louisiana Arts Summit |
|               | Management & Special Projects, Arts Council of Greater Baton Rouge | Louisiana Arts Summit   |
| 6/9/19        | John Kelton, Enjoy Baton Rouge                                     | (replay of 4/14/19 show)                                      |
| 6/16/19       | Daniel Espinoza, Reactivate Program                                |   |
| 0/10/13       | Coordinator from the Walls Project                                 | (replay of 5/5/19 show)                                       |
| 6/23/19       | Jonathan Grimes, Director of Facilities &                          | Music, upcoming Arts Council events                           |
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| 6/30/19       | Yiseul and Masson LeMieux of LeMieux                               | (replay of 5/12/19 show)                                      |
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