

KCCU QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT

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ABOUT KCCU

KCCU is a non-commercial educational radio station licensed to Cameron University in Lawton, OK.

NATIONAL PROGRAMMING

The KCCU Network ("KCCU") airs some of the most prominent programs in public media, such as *Morning Edition*, *All Things Considered*, *A Prairie Home Companion*, and *Performance Today*.

KCCU carries nine hours of national news programming from NPR Monday through Friday and three hours on Saturdays and Sundays. KCCU also carries other news and information programs that air at various times throughout the week.

KCCU carries cultural and entertainment programs from NPR, American Public Media, and other entities throughout the week.

LOCAL PROGRAMMING

KCCU airs locally- and regionally-produced news programs, public service announcements, live classical music, and specialty programs daily.

Local news programming includes *The Texoma Report*, a newscast covering the KCCU network broadcast area, and feature stories covering topics from around the area. KCCU also airs regional news content developed by sources such as the StateImpact program, the Oklahoma Public Media Exchange, and the collaborative outlet AudioTexas.

Specialty programming includes cultural programs such as *Classical Music Today*, highlighting notable historical events from each day in the world of classical music, and *Slice of Life*, a weekly commentary; informational programs such as the public affairs program *Community Focus* and *The Wall Street to Main Street Report*, which provides daily stock and commodity prices after the closing bell; and special news coverage, such as for elections and important breaking news.

Enclosed is a list of topics covered in KCCU news and feature stories and in local public affairs programming during the second quarter of 2014.

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June 30, 2014

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NOTE: Newscast times are at 29:30 past the hour during *Morning Edition* and 29:00 past the hour during *All Things Considered*.

LOCAL NEWS FEATURE SUMMARIES

Title: Oklahoma Candidate Filing

Original Airdate: April 10, 2014

Description: Report on official filings for candidacy in the upcoming elections in Oklahoma. Includes actuality from Rep. Joe Dorman on the governor's race from a post-filing rally in Lawton.

Title: Reynolds Army Community Hospital Facility Change

Original Airdate: April 10, 2014

Description: Report on the announcement that Reynolds Army Community Hospital at Fort Sill will convert its emergency room into an urgent care center beginning July 1. Includes actuality from hospital commander Col. Noel Cardenas.

Title: Fort Sill Change of Command Ceremony

Original Airdate: June 3, 2014

Description: Report on the formal change of command ceremony at Fort Sill, transferring leadership from Maj. Gen. Mark McDonald to Maj. Gen. John Rossi. Includes actualities from ceremony events and remarks by Maj. Gen. McDonald.

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STATEIMPACT OKLAHOMA SUMMARIES

Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: April 3, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report updating listeners on the status of state parks offloaded by the state to other controlling entities in April 2011. This story examined the parks that were taken over by local communities.

Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: April 9, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report updating listeners on the status of state parks offloaded by the state to other controlling entities in April 2011. This story examined the parks that were taken over by Native American tribes.

Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: April 17, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report on changes made by a state oil and gas regulatory agency to the permitting process for disposal and injection wells.

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Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: April 24, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report on a federal climate change laboratory in El Reno and how Oklahoma's climate is helping expand the scientific understanding of climate change processes.

Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: May 1, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report on the population reduction of the Lesser Prairie Chicken and efforts to protect the species, including its listing on the federal threatened species list.

Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: May 6, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report on a warning issued by the US Geological Survey of an increased risk of earthquakes in the state.

Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: May 8, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report recapping a recent public forum sponsored by StateImpact Oklahoma regarding the subject of climate change in the state.

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Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: May 15, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report on the cedar tree population in the state, the hazards the trees create, and the landowner apathy and regulatory inability that prevent dealing with the problem.

Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: May 22, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report on the ongoing drought in parts of Oklahoma and neighboring states, how it is affecting the wheat crop, and what that means for the rest of the nation.

Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: May 29, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report recapping the recently-adjourned legislative session and examining which bills passed and which bills failed.

Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: June 3, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report on Oklahoma Attorney General Scott Pruitt's response to the Environmental Protection Agency's new carbon dioxide emissions rules.

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Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: June 5, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report on the impending legal challenge to a bill that sets the tax rate for oil and gas companies in the state, and the effect the questions raised by the challenge might have on governance in the state.

Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: June 12, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report on the Oklahoma Attorney General's office and its ongoing series of legal challenges against the Environmental Protection Agency.

Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: June 19, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report on the ongoing process to update the City of Norman's water supply plan and where the city will choose to get its water over the next 50 years to ensure it has an adequate supply.

Title: Newscast/StateImpact Report

Original Airdate: June 26, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and a StateImpact Oklahoma report on how the City of Norman sets water rates by a vote of the people, and what other cities in the state can learn from how Norman's process works.

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AUDIOTEXAS FEATURE SUMMARIES

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: April 1, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing the increase in well drilling in Texas and concerns that the state is not doing enough to prevent potential groundwater pollution.

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: April 8, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing the efforts of volunteers to help the cleanup process of a recent oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico near Galveston Island.

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: April 15, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing the laws that restrict oil exporting and how those laws affect the large quantities of oil produced near Houston.

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Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: April 16, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report discussing a debate held in San Antonio between Texas Senator Dan Patrick and San Antonio mayor Julian Castro on the subject of immigration reform.

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: April 22, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing an increase in oil and gas-related pollution in Texas at the same time funding and enforcement from the agency charged with oversight of pollution have been reduced.

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: April 29, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing taxation on the oil and gas industry and how it is affecting production in Texas and Alaska.

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: April 30, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report discussing efforts being made by anti-death penalty groups in Texas to gain more disclosure from the state Department of Criminal Justice following a botched execution in Oklahoma.

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Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: May 6, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing local lawsuits over pollution in the state and the efforts by large corporations to protect themselves by getting restrictions on such suits passed by the state Legislature.

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: May 7, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing a recent verdict in a case centering on the environmental effects of fracking and what the verdict means for that process and air quality in Texas.

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: May 13, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing the need to repair roads in the state that have been heavily damaged by increased traffic from oil and gas trucks and the bureaucratic red tape from the state government that is preventing repairs.

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Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: May 14, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing the upcoming runoff in the Republican primary election for the Texas Railroad Commission, and how the race has turned negative.

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: May 20, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing efforts by scientists to use computers and satellites to find new homes for ducks displaced by the development of residential subdivisions in Texas.

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: May 28, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing the concerns over wastewater injection wells in the state and the efforts to implement (or prevent) regulation of such wells.

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: June 4, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing the gas hydrogen sulfide, the deadliness of the gas, regulations regarding it, and concerns citizens have about the gas today.

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Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: June 10, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing the status of the legal hearings proceeding in the wake of a ship collision and oil spill in March near Galveston.

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: June 17, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing the procedures being used to test for possible groundwater contamination as Texas experiences a level of oil production not seen in almost thirty years.

Title: Newscast/AudioTexas Report

Original Airdate: June 24, 2014

Description: News report featuring local headlines and an AudioTexas report from the StateImpact Texas team discussing how oil and gas producers in high-drilling areas are shorting their workers on overtime pay, and the federal government's efforts to rectify the situation.

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OTHER FEATURES

Title: Oklahoma Tornado Project

Original Airdate: April 7, 2014

Description: Report from a special series focusing on different aspects of the recovery process following a series of tornadoes in Oklahoma in May 2013. This segment discussed the ruling in Take Shelter Oklahoma's lawsuit against Oklahoma Attorney General Scott Pruitt and the current status of the group's legal actions.

Title: Oklahoma Tornado Project

Original Airdate: April 14, 2014

Description: Report from a special series focusing on different aspects of the recovery process following a series of tornadoes in Oklahoma in May 2013. This segment discussed the students who graduated from the two schools hit by the tornadoes, and the struggle to help them recover despite being separated from other affected students.

Title: Oklahoma Tornado Project

Original Airdate: April 21, 2014

Description: Report from a special series focusing on different aspects of the recovery process following a series of tornadoes in Oklahoma in May 2013. This segment discussed the cleanup efforts after the storm, and what happened to all the trash and debris that was collected.

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Title: Oklahoma Tornado Project

Original Airdate: April 28, 2014

Description: Report from a special series focusing on different aspects of the recovery process following a series of tornadoes in Oklahoma in May 2013. This segment discussed the status of individuals still waiting to receive federal money to construct safe rooms in their homes, despite being approved to receive the funds months ago.

Title: Oklahoma Tornado Project

Original Airdate: May 5, 2014

Description: Report from a special series focusing on different aspects of the recovery process following a series of tornadoes in Oklahoma in May 2013. This segment discussed an upcoming project to display photographs of different scenes of the aftermath of the May 2013 storms.

Title: Oklahoma Tornado Project

Original Airdate: May 12, 2014

Description: Report from a special series focusing on different aspects of the recovery process following a series of tornadoes in Oklahoma in May 2013. This segment discussed an upcoming film that will examine religious and existential themes through the stories of storm survivors.

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Title: Oklahoma Tornado Project

Original Airdate: May 19, 2014

Description: Report from a special series focusing on different aspects of the recovery process following a series of tornadoes in Oklahoma in May 2013. This segment discussed the upcoming anniversary of the storm, and two women who survived the storm and happened to become neighbors in their new town.

Title: Oklahoma Tornado Project

Original Airdate: May 27, 2014

Description: Report from a special series focusing on different aspects of the recovery process following a series of tornadoes in Oklahoma in May 2013. This segment discussed the efforts being made by one group to ensure that children are aware of emergency procedures and know what to do if a tornado strikes.

Title: Oklahoma Tornado Project

Original Airdate: June 2, 2014

Description: Report from a special series focusing on different aspects of the recovery process following a series of tornadoes in Oklahoma in May 2013. This segment discussed the lessons learned by hospitals in the Joplin, Missouri area following a massive tornado that hit that city in 2011.

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Title: Oklahoma Tornado Project

Original Airdate: June 9, 2014

Description: Report from a special series focusing on different aspects of the recovery process following a series of tornadoes in Oklahoma in May 2013. This segment discussed the lessons learned by schools in the Joplin, Missouri area following a massive tornado that hit that city in 2011.

Title: Oklahoma Tornado Project

Original Airdate: June 23, 2014

Description: Report from a special series focusing on different aspects of the recovery process following a series of tornadoes in Oklahoma in May 2013. This segment discussed the lessons learned by businesses in the Joplin, Missouri area following a massive tornado that hit that city in 2011, and the efforts of those businesses to help the city recover.

Title: Oklahoma Tornado Project

Original Airdate: June 30, 2014

Description: Report from a special series focusing on different aspects of the recovery process following a series of tornadoes in Oklahoma in May 2013. This segment discussed an organization that is hiring ex-criminal offenders as workers to help rebuild areas and communities hit by tornadoes.

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COMMUNITY FOCUS SUMMARIES

<u>AIRDATE</u>	<u>SUBJECT</u>
4/4/14	Leadership Lawton Class XXIV – Interview with Brandi Whatley and Julio Nunez with Leadership Lawton/Ft. Sill Class XXIV. Topics included the purpose of the program, why they joined, and the class’s major project, a golf tournament fundraiser to pay for playground equipment for children with developmental disabilities at Swinney Elementary School.
4/11/14	Gang Orientation Workshop –Interview with Rodney Mitchell, the Gang Prevention Program Street Outreach Assistant at Lawton’s Marie Detty Youth and Family Service Center. The purpose of the workshop was to bring together community leaders to present, inform and assist in the facilitation of a strategic plan to focus on the resolution of gang activity and violence plaguing the City of Lawton.
4/18/14	Veterans Job Club/Taking It To The Streets: U.N.L.E.A.S.H.E.D. – The first segment was an interview with Robert Phillips, Veterans Employment Representative for Workforce Oklahoma, about the Veterans Job Club program at several Workforce Oklahoma centers around the state. The club is designed to bring job-seeking veterans and employers seeking job applicants together. The second segment was an interview with Therron Harris, creator and facilitator of Taking It To The Streets, an event to show local residents that positive events can have a positive impact on the community as a whole and to encourage those involved in gang lifestyles to leave them behind.
4/25/14	Fort Sill Western Heritage Days/77th Army Band-Cameron University Joint Concert – The first segment was an interview with Brenda Spencer-Ragland, Director of Ft. Sill’s Family & Morale, Welfare and Recreation, and Shane Dunlove, Community Recreation Officer on Ft. Sill, about the first-ever Western Heritage Days event. The event included free concerts, a chuck wagon camp and other family-friendly events for soldiers, their families, and the local community. The second segment was an interview with Warrant Officer Matthew David about the history of the 77th Army Band, the offshoot bands of the 77 th , and the upcoming combined concert with the Cameron University Concert Band.

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- 5/2/14 **Great Plains AMBUCS Mudder's Day 5K Run/Obstacle Course** – Interview with Jenny Clement-Shaw, GPAMBUCS President; Vic Menendez, GPAMBUCS Past-President and District Governor for AMBUCS, and Laura Folland, Mudder's Day Run Project Manager, about the AMBUCS mission of creating mobility and independence for people with disabilities and how the Mudder's Day Run fundraiser helps accomplish that mission.
- 5/9/14 **2014 Arts For All Festival/Armed Forces Day Parade Part 1** – The first segment was an interview with Rhonda Norell, Arts For All Festival co-chair, about festival events, the over 90 artists in attendance, live entertainment, and other points of interest for the upcoming festival. The second segment was part one of an interview with Tanna Vu, Tourism Director at the Lawton Fort Sill Chamber of Commerce, and Melinda Kukurich, Armed Forces Day Parade Chairperson, about the upcoming Armed Forces Day Parade, the family-friendly activities taking place in Elmer Thomas Park, and a special ceremony unveiling Heroes Boulevard, a tribute to soldiers leaving for war, in celebration of the parade's 50th anniversary.
- 5/16/14 **Armed Forces Day Parade Part 2/Charlie Christian Music Festival Part 1** – The first segment was part two of an interview with Tanna Vu and Melinda Kukurich about this year's Armed Forces Day Parade. The second segment was part one of an interview with Anita Arnold, executive director of Black Liberated Arts Center, about the upcoming music festival in honor of guitarist Charlie Christian featuring world-renowned, regional, and local musicians. Topics included information about Christian and his influence on musicians past and present. The festival was held in Lawton for the first time after being held in Oklahoma City for 28 years.
- 5/23/14 **Charlie Christian Music Festival Part 2/Tour de Meers Bike Ride** – The first segment was part two of an interview with Anita Arnold, executive director of Black Liberated Arts Center, about the upcoming Charlie Christian Music Festival. Topics included details about the festival, including the line-up, venues, times, dates and ticket information. The second segment was an interview with Cindy Zelbst, co-chair of the Tour de Meers Bike Ride. The ride is a fundraiser for the Meers Volunteer Fire Department and features routes of 10, 22, 30, 57 and 62 miles in the vicinity of Meers, Medicine Park, and the Wichita Mountains Wildlife Refuge.

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- 5/30/14 **Great Plains Improvement Foundation** – Interview with Sheryl Smith, GPIF director of operations, about the foundation’s 45 years as a Community Action Agency. Topics included GPIF’S Community Action Agency affiliation, the beginnings of Community Action, services GPIF provides to residents of Comanche County and surrounding area residents, and the inaugural Community Action Family Fun Day, an event designed to celebrate the agency’s 50th anniversary.
- 6/6/14 **OSDH Community Chats and Oklahoma Health Improvement Plan** – Interview with Brandie O’Connor, OSDH Regional Director for Kiowa, Cotton, Comanche and Caddo Counties, about the Oklahoma Health Improvement Plan, how it affects communities, and the upcoming Community Chat to be held in Lawton.
- 6/13/14 **The Longest Day** – Interview with Martha McMartney, captain of the Lawton/Fort Sill Bridge Club Team, about The Longest Day, a fundraising event for Alzheimer’s research. The nationwide event, sponsored by the American Contract Bridge League and the Alzheimer’s Association, was being held in Lawton for the first time.
- 6/20/14 **2014 Oklahoma Summer Arts Institute** – Interview with Julie Cohen, President of the Oklahoma Arts Institute. Topics included her experience as a student at the OSAI 30 years ago, OAI history, the OSAI audition process for students, the fall institute held for teachers and the general public, and the performances to be held at the end of each week of the OSAI.
- 6/27/14 **Moody Gardens of Galveston, TX** – Interview with Jerri Hamachek, marketing director for Moody Gardens, and Sara Brown, PR manager for Moody Gardens Hotel. The interview focused on what Moody Gardens has to offer visitors, including wildlife areas, various theaters, and activities such as a ropes course and zip line.