Quarterly Issues/Programs List MontanaPBS (KUSM-TV Bozeman & KUFM-TV Missoula)

MontanaPBS is committed to providing coverage of major issues and problems in the communities served. The following list represents a sample (no less than five) of significant issues responded to by MontanaPBS along with the most relevant programming treatment of those issues for the **2nd quarter of 2020** (*April 1, 2020 – June 30, 2020*). This listing is by no means exhaustive, and does not include the Montana Broadcasters Candidate Debates prior to the Primary Vote, nor does it include the Learn at Home schedule which was put in place to respond to the needs of Montana students, parents and teachers because of the Coronavirus. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

MontanaPBS HD - Digital Multicast Channel - High Definition

Description of Issue	Program/Segment	Dates	Times	Duration	Narration of Type and Description of Program Segment
Mental Health	Montana Ag Live – "Rural Mental Health"	4/26 4/30 5/3	6pm 4am 11am	56 mins	Good mental health can be a challenge in Montana, especially in our rural areas, and it can be a tough issue to discuss. The long distances in Montana, and the long work hours for ranchers and farmers can make it difficult to access mental health care. Allison Brennan, MSU's extension mental health specialist. acquaints viewers on rural mental health issues in Montana, and ways to respond to these issues.
COVID-19 Virus	Answering Questions about Coronavirus: A MontanaPBS Special	4/2 4/9 4/16 4/23 4/30	7pm 7pm 7pm 7pm 7pm	56 mins.	MontanaPBS had a live discussion of current CoViD-19 planning for the State on six consecutive Thursday nights (beginning March 26). Featuring a group of knowledgeable State panelists from Administration, Health & Education, viewers could send in their questions via email or call an onscreen number.
Healthy Living	Blood Sugar Rising	4/15 4/21	8pm 11am	2 hrs.	Diabetes is an epidemic that affects 100 million Americans, costing over \$350 billion annually. This program explores the history and science of this hidden crisis and profiles some of the faces behind the statistics whose stories bring insights and hope.
Politics and Government	For This and Future Generations: Montana's 1972 Constitutional Convention	4/22	2pm	1 hr.	In mid-winter 1972, one hundred grassroots delegates and a staff of some of the best and brightest young people under the Big Sky, gathered in Helena for what many would recall as the proudest time of their lives. Their task: to re-write the lumbering, old state constitution. Two months later, every delegate walked down the aisle of the House Chambers and unanimously signed a document that would affect the lives of generations of Montanans to come. This is the story of those 100 delegates and the tumultuous times that ignited their fervor. It is also the story of the 700,000 Montanans who charged the delegates - a group of ranchers and farmers, business people, educators, housewives, attorneys, a beekeeper, a retired librarian, a graduate student and a retired FBI agent - with the challenge of writing a legal foundation for life in the state.
Race Issues	Race Matters: America in Crisis	6/5	8pm	56 mins.	Examine the frustration pouring out onto American streets, outrage about police brutality, and America's deep systemic racial disparities in the economy, education, criminal justice system, and health care, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic.

MontanaPBS Kids - Digital Multicast Channel - Standard Definition

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Early Childhood Learning	Sesame Street "It's Earth Day"	4/20 4/20 4/20	10am 2pm 10pm	29 mins.	It's Earth Day on Sesame Street and Rudy learns to be kind to the earth after he sees what it would be like if everyone acted like him and threw their trash on the street.
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Discovery	Legacy List with Matt Paxton	6/16 6/22 6/29	4am 4am 4am	55 mins.	As baby boomers downsize living spaces and settle estates, The Legacy List helps aging homeowners catalog a lifetime of belongings, locating treasured heirlooms and unexpected valuables in the attic, closet, or even under the floorboards. Host Matt Paxton, a nine-season veteran of A&E's Hoarders, is joined by military memorabilia expert Avi Hopkins, fashion collectibles authority Jaime Ebanks, and Mike Kelleher, a walking encyclopedia of pop culture trinkets and antiques.	

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Race Relations	America ReFramed: Where the	5/5	6pm	90 mins.	The death of Michael Brown, shot by a Ferguson, Missouri police officer	
	Pavement Ends	5/5	10pm		in 2014, was national news after protests erupted there. But the history of	
		5/6	6am		Ferguson, a formerly whites-only "sundown town," and the neighboring	
		5/9	8pm		black town of Kinloch, now semi-abandoned, is not well known.	
		5/10	12am		Incorporating audio archives and reflections of residents of Kinloch and	
					Ferguson, this film explores the relationship between these two towns.	
					Beginning with a 1960s roadblock that divided then-white Ferguson from	
					black Kinloch, the film depicts a micro-history of race relations in	
					America and examines how past injustices prefigure those of today.	

MontanaPBS Capitol Coverage - Digital Multicast Channel - Standard Definition

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Politics	MPAN (Legislative Channel)	2nd qtr	24/7	24/7	Repeat airings of gavel to gavel coverage of the 65th Montana Legislature
		2020			as well as live coverage of interim legislative committee hearings.