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DATE	TOPIC	TIME AIRED
1/3/18	Humane Society of Southeast Missouri or Mac's Mission. Over 70 dogs were rescued in Malden over the New Years Eve holiday. 38 animals were rescued on December 31st and another 34 dogs were rescued yesterday. The Humane Society is not seeking charges against the breeder.	15 Minutes 7:10 am- 7:25am
1/4/18	The Pemiscot County R-3 Party and Benefit auction will be Friday night, February 23rd but preparations are already underway. I spoke with Donna Green, one of the many volunteers that make the annual event a success. Individuals and groups are welcome to come and help. The R-3 Party is also taking orders for tamales. You can call Carol Beth Powell at the R-3 School. The number is 333-1856. As we mentioned the annual event starts Friday night, February 23rd. The proceeds from the auction and party go to the local cancer gas fund, the American Heart Association and the LeBonheur juvenile diabetes program.	15 minutes 7:15 am-7:30 am
1/5/18	Public Health officials across the Bootheel, Northeast Arkansas and Northwest Tennessee say the continued frigid cold temperatures are a safety hazard for those exposed to the outdoors. With temperatures still below freezing, and wind chills at or below zero, health officials say steps need to be taken to prevent hypothermia. This safety tip is more important in the case of infants, older adults, pets and livestock. Hypothermia occurs when an individual's body temperature drops below the necessary means to achieve normal metabolism and other bodily functions.	15 Minutes 7:15 am – 7:30 am
1/13/18	It's a Senior Wellness Fair, hosted by Dunklin County RSVP, Senior Companion Program and St. Francis Park. The event will be held in the Malden Community Center on Thursday, March 22nd from 9 until Noon and is free to Seniors 55 and older. I spoke with Vickie Rhew with the Senior Companion Program about the event. If you'd like to participate as a vendor, call 573-888-5892 for more information.	20 minutes 7:10 am- 7:30 am
1/26/18	PSC sets local public hearing schedule in Liberty Utilities Natural Gas rate case. The Missouri Public Service Commission will hold local public hearings in March in a natural gas rate case filed by Liberty Utilities (Midstates Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities. The local public hearing schedule appears below. March	15 minutes 7:15 am-7:30 am

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	<p>26—Sikeston. Sikeston City Hall Council Chambers, 105 E. Center Street. A PSC staff public information/question and answer session starts at 12:00 p.m. followed by the Commission receiving testimony from the public. According to the Liberty Utilities filing, the proposed rate increase for a residential customer with average usage would be approximately \$2.06 a month in the Northeast District (NEMO); approximately \$14.09 a month in the Southeast District (SEMO); and approximately \$7.62 a month in the Western District (WEMO). In this case, Liberty Utilities also seeks to consolidate its three rate districts, NEMO, SEMO and WEMO, into a single district with a uniform delivery charge.</p>	
2/5/18	<p>The Piggott High School FBLA is hosting an event called “Dolled Up For Dad” which is a free salon service for girls attending the daddy daughter dance in Piggott on Saturday, February 10th. Appointments can be made for hair, fingernails, and/or makeup from 12:00 pm to 4 pm to schedule appointments, you can call (870)-634-7253.</p>	<p>15 minutes 7:15 am- 7:30 am</p>
2/7/18	<p>Leadership Kennett Accepting Applications- Leadership Kennett is an interactive program focusing on the community’s attributes and what it takes to be a leader. Participants are exposed to the opportunities, realities and challenges of our area. Individuals who have a genuine interest in leadership, who desire to increase their own levels of involvement, and who wish to broaden their knowledge are encouraged to participate in Leadership Kennett. Graduates of the program will have a great addition to their résumé.</p>	<p>15 minutes 7:15 am- 7:30 am</p>
2/8/18	<p>Welcome Home Vietnam Vets Celebration Planned- A “Welcome Home Vietnam Vets” event is planned for Saturday, March 31, in Rector. Vietnam-era veterans from throughout the region are invited to Rector to participate in a parade, special afternoon program and an evening concert. The event will conclude with a mini-concert that afternoon at the veterans park and a full concert that night by well-known country and gospel artist Statler Brother Jimmy Fortune. He and his band have prepared a special veterans-related program which will be held on the stage of the Rector Community Center starting at 7:00 pm., tickets are \$20.00 and are available at the Rector water department.</p>	<p>15 minutes 7:15 am- 7:30 am</p>
	<p>Spring 2018 Career Expo March 1 at SEMO Local, regional and national employers are registered to meet Southeast Missouri State University students of all majors and Southeast alumni at the spring 2018 Career Expo March 1 in the Student Recreation Center. The event is scheduled for 10 am. to 2 pm. Students interested in exploring internships for career and job opportunities will be able to</p>	<p>15 minutes 7:15 am- 7:30 am</p>

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	meet people from organizations directly related to their field of study.	
2/22/18	Parker-Hannifin to host Toastmasters Meeting on Wednesday, February 28th- Parker Hannifin will be hosting a Toastmasters information meeting at their facility (Parker– 1200 Ely St., North Bypass, Kennett).Community leaders are invited to attend. Lunch will be provided and an RSVP by is requested by Tuesday, February 27th. Parker Hannifin is continually looking for development opportunities to provide to team members and two of the most requested areas are leadership and communication. The purpose of the meeting will be to see a “mock” Toastmasters meeting followed by a brief Q&A. This will aid attendees in seeing if Toastmasters might be a good fit for the Parker team or for members of the community.	15 minutes 7:15 am- 7:30 am
3/2/18	SEMO football players help Malden tornado victims- MALDEN, MO –According to Malden Police Chief Jarrett Bullock, SEMO Football player Nick Thompson, a graduate of Malden High School along with his teammates and coach were in Malden Thursday, February 1, helping tornado victims move furniture, downed limbs, and trees along with other items.	15 minutes 7:15 am- 7:30 am
3/2/18	After recent school threats, Piggott Police and Clay County Sheriff deputies are spending some of their off duty time walking the halls of Piggott schools.The district had plans to hire a school resource officer in the fall of 2018, however, thanks to the efforts of local law enforcement the school has plenty of temporary help patrolling the school grounds. Students and many parents feel more at ease now knowing that members of law enforcement are present.The Clay County Sheriff’s Department and the Piggott Police Department also held a safety meeting with teachers on Thursday, addressing several safety issues and student concerns.	15 minutes 7:15 am- 7:30 am
3/8/18	Caruthersville Chamber of Commerce and business owners traveled to Jefferson City Wednesday, March 7- A group of community leaders, business owners, and chamber board members traveled to Jefferson City to meet with a few of our state legislators to discuss the economic development of our area. We were able to obtain some great resources and contacts for the betterment of our city and Pemiscot County stated Jimmy Lyons.The purpose of our trip was to reach out to our State Legislators to gain information, knowledge, and resources to be able to come up with a plan to move forward for the betterment of not only the City of Caruthersville, but also the surrounding communities in Pemiscot County. Also, a special thanks to our local Representative, Andrew McDaniel, for	15 minutes 7:15 am- 7:30 am

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	<p>coordinating and facilitating the meetings with these Legislators. They all have busy schedules and we are appreciative that they took the time to meet with us today.</p>	
3/14/18	<p>Humane Society declares “Puppy Love” a Success- Caruthersville Humane Society, a no-kill animal shelter in Hayti Missouri, is pleased to announce that their “Puppy Love” event in February was a great success. According to CHS President Karol Wilcox, the annual event is held during February. Groups are asked to participate by hosting a “jeans” day and collecting funds for the care of animals at the shelter. “This year we raised over \$1500,” Wilcox said, “These funds are much needed, and help us with the costs of animal care such as vaccinations, worming, and medical treatments.”</p>	<p>15 minutes 7:15 am- 7:30 am</p>
3/15/18	<p>Malden is hosting a community benefit for tornado victims-  Malden Councilwoman Dianna Rogers, who’s ward was devastated by an EF2 tornado on Saturday, February 24th, has organized a community benefit to raise money for the tornado victims to be held Sunday at 2:00 pm at the American Legion in Malden. Several area bands will be performing, there will be a raffle, food, face painting, photo booths and T-shirts for sale along with a bake sale. “The recovery has been a lengthy process but we are so blessed to have had the help from so many groups who came and wanted to do what they could to help,” Rogers said. “It’s amazing that so much good can come from something so terrible.” The City of Malden is extending an invitation to everyone who would like to contribute and help Malden in its effort to rebuild and move forward.</p>	<p>15 minutes 7:15 am- 7:30 am</p>
3/29/18	<p>More than \$150,000 approved to help Malden, MO tornado recovery- Good news for Malden, Mo., the city will receive more than \$150,000 to help recover from a tornado that swept through the area in February. The announcement was made Wednesday, March 28, by Governor Eric Greitens, in partnership with the Delta Regional Authority (DRA). Greitens said, “When a tornado struck Southeast Missouri, we told the rest of the state about a resilient community that remained unbroken in the face of danger and damage,” he said, “We wanted you to know that we’re still with you, helping to rebuild and repair what you’ve lost. We want the state to know that the people of Malden are tough, and we know they’ll rebuild and rise up twice as strong.”</p>	<p>15 minutes 7:15 am-7:30 am</p>