

KUVU & The DROP - Denver, Colo.

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2nd Quarter, 2023

DATE OF REPORT: April 10, 2023 - June 10, 2023

**“The Morning DROP” with Sugabear (Mon. – Fri. 6:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.)**

“The Morning DROP” with DROP host Sugabear presents an eclectic mix of the R&B and Hip-Hop spectrum – from throwback sounds to new hits, with DJ mixes on Mondays, Thursdays, and Fridays and all that’s in between. The show will also highlight community leaders in Denver with Sugabear’s Community Corner. On Therapy Thursdays, The Morning DROP presents stories from Mental Health professionals.

ISSUE(S)	DATE/TIME (approximate)	DURATION (min:sec)	TITLE/DESCRIPTION OF SEGMENT
Mental Health	4/6/23 9:15am	19:45	Therapy Thursday: Mental Health Counselor Michelle Simmons talks about teen drinking & alcoholism
Mental Health	4/13/23 9:13am	27:09	Therapy Thursday: KUVU on-air host Tree King & CEO of child development center Heidi Heissenbuttel talk about Autism
Health, Resources	4/17/23 9:20am	18:45	Community Corner: Former Denver Bronco and Super bowl champion Ryan Harris talks about the mission of saving and healing lives through organ and tissue donation for transplantation.
Mental Health	4/20/23 9:15am	26:53	Therapy Thursday: Creator & owner of cannabis delivery service Michael Diaz Rivera talk about overcoming drug possession charges
Mental Health	4/27/23 9:10am	35:57	Therapy Thursday: Mental Health Professionals Robert Franklin & Jason Vitello talk about finding

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Mental Health	5/4/23 9:12am	34:28	Therapy Thursday: Mental health counselor Michelle Simmons talks about how to deal with changes & transitions
Mental Health	5/11/23 9:10am	28:00	Therapy Thursday: Michelyn Johnson the executive director of academic support program Rise 5280 talks college applications
Education	5/16/23 9:15am	28:36	Community Corner: Miss Black Colorado Tatianna Bien-Aime talks about her platform G.I.R.L. Girls transitioning Into Real Leaders.
Mental Health	5/18/23 9:11am	24:02	Therapy Thursday: Angela Rose, Program director for MTV's Mental Health Action Day.
Education	5/24/23 9:16am	20:31	Community Corner: Haley Witt & Jesus Rodriguez discuss non-profit Youth on Record and their 9th Annual Block Party/Youth Music Fest
Mental Health	5/25/23 9:09am	27:57	Therapy Thursday: Robert Franklin, mental health counselor talks how to say "no"
Mental Health	6/1/23 9:08am	29:37	Therapy Thursday: Michelle Simmons, Mental health counselor talks the 8 dimensions of wellness
Resources, Education	6/2/23 9:10am	21:22	Community Corner: Daniel Mondragon talks Hands of the Carpenter, a nonprofit organization dedicated to helping working single mothers with their cars so

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			they can maintain employment and achieve self-sufficiency.
Resources, Education	6/6/23 9:17am	23:15	Community Corner: Olivia Omega & Nate Cadena talk Denver Scholarship Foundation. Dedicated to the social and academic advancement of Denver’s students.
Mental Health	6/8/23 9:12am	33:56	Therapy Thursday: Robert Franklin, Mental health counselor talks How to say “no” part 2
Mental Health	6/22/23 9:10am	36:25	Therapy Thursday: Dr. Ryan Ross, Steve Chavis & Jason Vitello President of leadership organization, KUVU on-air host & mental health Expert talk men’s mental health & fatherhood.
Resources	6/23/23 9:16am	17:58	Community Corner: Nydia Gonzales talks Backpack Meet Up with The Denver Okey Dokes International Running Team. A benefit run/walk for kids, providing school supplies & necessities.
Mental Health	6/29/23 9:12am	30:44	Therapy Thursday: John Roberts aka Juicy Misdemeanor & Aaron Michaels, drag queens & members of YouthSeen & Black Pride Colorado talk LGBTQ Pride/Pride month
Mental Health	7/6/23 9:08am	36:28	Therapy Thursday: Michelle Simmons, Mental health counselor talks Dating apps.

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**“The Morning Set” with Carlos Lando, Steve Chavis, and Abi Clark  
(Mon. – Fri. 7:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.)**

Longtime KUVU voices Carlos Lando and Steve Chavis along with Community Producer Abi Clark present an eclectic mix of the jazz spectrum – from traditional sounds to new hits, Latin jazz, blues, soul, funk, and all that’s in between. The show will also highlight the arts & culture and food scenes in Denver and beyond, present stories from community members, profile neighborhoods, and offer jazz history and music education

**“Influenced” with Abi Clark and Andy O  
(Tues. 12:00 a.m. – 1:00 a.m.)**

Influenced takes a journey into musical crossovers. The hosts, Abi Clark & Andy O’ explore jazz played by artists not known as jazz players and conversely, music by jazz artists playing songs outside The Great American Songbook or The Real Book. Each episode aims to entertain while leading to a deeper knowledge and appreciation of the interconnectivity of music.

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Food, Business	4/12/23, 8:30 AM	8:30	Eats & Beats: Yaritza Ortiz, Co-Owner of Areyto Puerto Rican Food Truck
Lifestyle	4/18/23, 7:30 AM	6:00	Behind The Mic: Mid-Day Jazz Host Tree King talks about her personal connection to autism and shares her next guest on her show - Firefly Autism with Dr. Amanda Kelly
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Arts	4/21/23, 8:30 AM	11:30	Live & Local: Fabrica De Arte is coming to

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			town as part of the Biennial de las Americas. Curators Sandra Lopez and X Alfonso came to the Studio to talk about the event next week
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Arts	4/26/23, 7:25	00:45	Extra Feature: Bravo! Vail Summer Festival: Parker Owens, Director of Marketing for Bravo! Vail Music Festival joins The Morning Set to talk about upcoming concerts included in festival line-up
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Arts	4/27/23, 7:30 AM	5:16	Live & Local: Spoke with Jazz pianist and composer Billy Childs about his upcoming performance and his latest release.
Arts	4/28/23, 9:30 AM	3:41	Live & Local: Spoke with Music Director S.Renee Clark about the Denver Center for the Performing Art's (DCPA) production of <i>The Color Purple</i>
Arts	5/01/23, 8:30 AM	5:06	Live & Local: Fábrica de Arte Américas came to town as part of the Biennial de las Americas. Sandra Lopes, Curator of Fábrica de Arte Américas, gave me a walking tour of the exhibition. I also got the opportunity to speak with dancers Jairo Heli, Angelica Baños, and Nandy Luna to learn more about the story of TLAOLLI. Lastly I spoke with Joyce Sanchez, Operations Manager of LCAC who sponsored the event, for a behind the scenes view of what it takes to bring an initiative of this size to fruition

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			and the impact it has on Denver.
Business, Downtown	5/03/23, 8:30 AM	4:39	Eats and Beats: Herb’s Bar turns 90 and is planning a huge celebration for 05/07. Spoke with co-owners and musicians Laura Newman and Cherie DuFour to learn more about the history of this beloved, live-music staple nestled in the heart of Denver’s Famous Lodo Scene.
Arts	05/04/23, 8:30 AM	4:21	Extra Feature: The Colorado Potters Guild is Back With Their Annual Spring Sale and we spoke with Carolyn Lievers of The Guild to learn more.
Downtown, Cross-Promotion	05/05/23, 8:30	8:12	Behind the Mic: The Latin Soul Party came on The Morning Set to talk about upcoming Cinco de Mayo sets. They will be DJing and hosting “The Latin Soul Party in the Plaza” Saturday Night (5/6), 8pm to 11pm at Spangalang, AND hosting The KUVU Stage Sunday (5/7) evening 6pm to 11pm at Civic Center Park!
Arts, Education	5/8/23, 8:30 AM	08:04	Extra Feature: Luke Wachter is an educator and a musician. He is currently the Associate Director for Educational Initiatives at the Newman Center for the Performing Arts at the University of Denver. Luke joined Steve and I on the Morning Set to talk about the Music Creators Camp - a one week experience, June 19-23 2023, for 12-16 year old musicians who are serious about writing music. Presented by the Newman Center, this camp seeks to help young songwriters who write melodies, lyrics, and beats find their own unique voice as an artist.
Arts, Community	5/9/23, 8:30 AM	05:00	Live & Local: M. Roger Holland, Director of The Spirituals Project, stopped by the studio to tell us about The Spirituals Project: National Conference happening May 11-13, 2023. The Theme is Healing 2023, and Steve Chavis of The Morning Set got a chance to sit down with Roger to learn more.
Arts	5/11/23, 7:30 AM	05:00	Live & Local: Cyrille Aimée takes the stage as a quartet with Mathis Picard on the keys, Amina Scott on the bass, and Pedro Segundo on the drums at the Newman Center Friday, May 19, 2023 at 7:30 PM. Steve Chavis of The Morning Set caught up with Cyrille Aimée about her songwriting process

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Community	5/12/23, 8:00 AM	25:00	Pledge Drive: Jim White, long-time member, joined us on The Morning Set to share 10 reasons why he loves KUVO
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Community	5/19/23, 9:00 AM	25:00	Pledge Drive: Amanda Mountain, CEO of RMPM, joined us on The Morning Set to talk to the community members about the impact of donating/becoming a member
Arts	5/30/23, 12:15 AM; 12:40 AM	1:00; 1:10	Extra Feature: Andy O’ and Abi Clark of Influenced Interviewed Jazz Harpist Brandee Younger about her Jazz Harp Influences and teaching the next generation in anticipation of her Performance at Dazzle 06/04
Arts, Festival, Music	06/08/23, 7:30 AM; 9:30 AM	04:56	Live & Local: Sonia Rae, Cultural Affairs Program Manager for Denver Arts and Venues, joins the Morning Set to share the logistics on the Five Points Jazz Festival
Arts, Music, Festival	06/09/23, 8:30 AM	12:37	Live & Local: Raul Murciano and The Colorado Mambo Orchestra are headlining this year’s Five Points Jazz Festival. Raul Murciano, Leader of the Colorado Mambo Orchestra, joined the Morning Set to talk about his career, The Colorado Mambo Orchestra line-up, and upcoming performances
Food, Business, Festival, Community	06/14/23, 8:30 AM	08:03	Eats & Beats: Beverly Grant is the owner of Mo’ Betta Green MarketPlace, a farmers market and education/wellness platform here in Denver. She joined The Morning Set to talk about Mo’ Betta Green’s various community gardens around Denver, its long-standing farmers market, and their 13th Annual Juneteenth Freedom Celebration happening this weekend, on June 17th and 18th
Arts, Theater	06/15/23, 8:30 AM	9:36	Behind the Mic: Debra Gallegos, Director of the play A Mexican Trilogy: Charity by Evelina Fernandez produced by Firehouse Theater Company in the John Hand Theater, joins The Morning Set to talk about this play
Arts, Music	06/16/23, 8:30 AM	5:37	Live & Local: Bill O’Connell, musician, joins The Morning Set to talk about his latest



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			performance at Dazzle at Baur's - Bill O'Connell Latin Jazz Quartet feat. Craig Handy 06/17 + 06/18
Food, Business	06/21/23, 8:30 AM	6:10	Eats & Beats: We feature a conversation with Thom aka "Bacon", owner of Magic Bus Catering, of our venture to his food trailer in Lyons and the food he served us that day
LGBTQ, Festival, Arts, Music	06/22/23, 7:30 AM; 9:30 AM	6:20	Live & Local: Rex Fuller, the CEO of the Center on Colfax, joined the Morning Set to share details on this year's Denver Pride festival and parade
Community, Health, Wellness, Therapy	06/23/23, 8:30 AM	5:29	Behind the Mic: We feature a highlight from The Drop 104.7's Therapy Thursday interview with Steve Chavis - Host of the Morning Set, DR. Ryan Ross - educator, speaker, and actualization coach, leader - Urban Leadership Foundation of Colorado (ULFC), and Jason Vitello (President, Colorado Public Health Association). The topic of discussion was around Men's Mental Health
Community, Arts, Heritage	06/28/23, 8:30 AM	8:39	Eats & Beats: Michael Mares, Co-owner of the Flavor of Tabasco Food Truck, joins The Morning Set to talk about his food truck and their presence at our signature fundraising event Live at the Vineyards
Music	06/29/2023, 7:30 AM; 9:30 AM	6:29; 6:31	Live & Local: We feature highlights from our conversation with Carmen Bradford, Vocalist of the Count Basie Orchestra. She covered meeting Count Basie for the 1 <sup>st</sup> time, the direction of the band, and advice for young singers
Community, Outdoor Recreation, Art	06/30/2023, 8:30 AM	6:39	Live & Local: Cassie Castillo, Development Associate at Latino Outdoors, joined The Morning Set to talk about the work that the organization is doing in its over 33 chapters across the U.S. as well as their touring micro art show coming to Denver July 7th
Food, Business	07/05/23, 8:30 AM	5:20	Eats & Beats: Tamara Nisbeth, owner, lead chef and visionary of Reggae Pot Jamaican Grill joins The Morning Set to talk about the restaurant and their presence at our signature fundraising event Live at the Vineyards
Festival, Music, Arts	07/06/23, 8:45 AM	6:01	Live & Local: Flo Ayers, Executive Director of the Colorado Black Arts Festival, joins The Morning Set to share details on the

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			37 <sup>th</sup> Annual CO Black Arts Festival
Music	07/07/2023, 7:30 AM; 9:30 AM	4:11; 4:35	Live & Local: We feature highlights from our conversation with Scotty Barnhart, Leader of the Count Basie Orchestra. He covered meeting the direction of the band and what makes up the Count Basie Sound