# KRSL Quarterly Issues List First Quarter 2024 People in the News Program Monday through Friday – 7:40am – 8am and 8:15am – 8:30am

#### Monday's through the Quarter:

A Midway Extension District agent discussed issues that were important to area farmers and ranchers. Also on the first Monday of each month, Amanda Smith from Smoky Hills PBS previews the programming lineup for the month. And on the second Monday each month, Russell County Economic Development and CVB Directors Michael Parsons and Maggie Holloway discussed upcoming events in Russell County and programs available for new and existing businesses.

#### **Tuesday's through the Quarter:**

USD 407 Russell representatives discussed school events during the school year. The program is open during the summer for area events.

#### Wednesday's through the Quarter:

Pastors of the local churches appeared on Clergy Comments to discuss what was happening at the local churches. This day was open for area events.

# Thursday's through the Quarter:

Employees of the City of Russell discussed issues affecting residents of the Russell community. Also on the fourth Thursday of each month, Russell County Administrator John Fletcher discussed issues affecting residents in Russell County.

# Friday's through the Quarter:

This day was open for area events.

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#### Tuesday, January 2, 2024

Craig Dinkel of Midway Extension District of Russell and Ellsworth Counties appeared on the Morning Show with a look ahead to events coming up in the month of January.

#### Wednesday, January 3, 2024

Clergy Comments presented by Pastor Ron Wedel of First Congregational Church in Russell.

Russell County Commissioner Daron Woelk sat down with KRSL News Director David Elliott for a recap of Tuesday's County Commission meeting.

#### Thursday, January 4, 2024

City of Russell Fire Chief Dylan Reidel appeared on the Morning Show to announce the promotion of two members of the Fire Department.

U.S. Senator Jerry Moran of Kansas joined KRSL's Erik Stone in studio to discuss improved access to medical care for veterans as well as other issues facing Congress ahead of their new session.

# Friday, January 5, 2024

Russell Recreation Center Director Klinton Warner appeared on the Morning Show to talk about the start of Travelling League Basketball and Co-ed Volleyball.

# Monday, January 8, 2024

Maggie Holloway with Russell County Economic Development and CVB appeared on the Morning Show to discuss funding requests and the pending release the Russell County Visitor's Guide.

Chelsee Hoffman and Ashely Wickham with Russell Regional Hospital were guests on the Morning Show and provided an update on some of the services the hospital has to offer.

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#### Tuesday, January 9, 2024

Russell County Emergency Management Director Keith Haberer appeared on the Morning Show to update listeners on the impacts of the winter storm.

Russell High School Activities Director Andy Stueve joined KRSL's Erik Stone on the Morning Show to update listeners on the postponed Basketball games for Tuesday evening and a look ahead to the MCL Tournament as well as an update on the Wrestling teams.

#### Wednesday, January 10, 2024

Clergy Comments presented by Pastor Ray Morris is Second Baptist Church in Russell.

Patty Driscoll and Russell Regional Hospital Director of Radiology Drew Hamel appeared on the Morning Show to promote the upcoming heart scan opportunity set for February 13 at RRH.

#### Thursday, January 11, 2024

Crystal Craig with Russell Community Theater appeared on the Morning Show to announce a grant received for new lighting and offer a sneak peak into the 2024 season.

# Monday, January 15, 2024

Clinton Laflin of Midway Extension District of Russell and Ellsworth Counties appeared on the Morning Show and provided advice on how farmers and ranchers can protect their livestock during this period of cold temperatures.

# Tuesday, January 16, 2024

Russell County Commission Chairman Duke Strobel sat down with KRSL News Director David Elliott with a recap of Monday's County Commission meeting.

# Thursday, January 18, 2024

Shannon Trevethan, Director of the Deines Cultural Center in Russell, appeared on the Morning Show to discuss the opening of the Ruppenthal Middle School Science Exhibit opening on Sunday, January 21.

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#### Monday, January 22, 2024

Lisa Moubry with the Russell Area Chamber of Commerce appeared on the Morning Show with a look ahead to the Chamber's annual banquet on January 29.

#### Tuesday, January 23, 2024

Raina Tomlinson of the Russell High School JAG-K Chapter along with three Russell High School students appeared on the Morning Show to discuss the latest activities involving the organization.

#### Wednesday, January 24, 2024

Clergy Comments presented by Pastor Teri Sutherlin of St. John Lutheran Church in Russell.

Sadie Soldan with the Russell FFA Alumni appeared on the Morning Show with a look ahead to the organization's dinner and auction on Saturday, January 27 at the Russell Elks Lodge.

#### Thursday, January 25, 2024

Maggie Holloway, Tourism Director for Russell County Economic Development and CVB, appeared on the Morning Show with an update on her office's activities and a look ahead to the upcoming release of the new Russell County Visitor's Guide.

# Tuesday, January 30, 2024

USD 407 Superintendent Jordan Perez appeared on the Morning Show with recap of Monday night's School Board meeting.

## Wednesday, January 31, 2024

Clergy Comments presented by Pastor Brenda Rodger of First Lutheran Church of Dorrance.

# Thursday, February 1, 2024

City of Russell Police Chief Jordan Harrison appeared on the Morning Show with a reminder about parking ordinances within the City of Russell.

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#### Friday, February 2, 2024

Russell Recreation Director Klinton Warner appeared on the Morning Show with a look ahead to spring activities.

#### Monday, February 5, 2024

Amanda Smith, Marketing Director with Smoky Hills PBS appeared on the morning show with a look at current programming which includes live broadcasts of the Kansas Legislature and Doctors on Call.

Karrie Vanwinkle with the Midway Extension District of Russell and Ellsworth counties was a guest on the morning show with a look ahead to upcoming Extension events.

#### Tuesday, February 6, 2024

USD 407 Music Instructor Michael Davidson appeared on the Morning Show to promote Singing Valentines from the Madrigal Singers and the upcoming choir tour.

Russell County Commissioner Steve Reinhardt sat down with KRSL News Director David Elliott for a recap of Monday's county commission meeting.

# Wednesday, February 7, 2024

Clergy Comments presented by Pastor Ron Wedel of First Congregational Church in Russell.

Luke Keller, Russel High School Girls Wrestling Coach, appeared on the Morning Show with a look ahead to the Class 4-1A Regionals this Saturday, February 10 in Scott City.

# Thursday, February 8, 2024

Crystal Craig with Russell Community Theater was a guest on the Morning Show to unveil the 2024 Season schedule.

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#### Monday, February 12, 2024

Andrea Kraus and Connie Blanke with Russell Pride and the Russell Maker Space Project appeared on the Morning Show to talk about a fundraiser to match a grant from the Dane G. Hanson Foundation for use of a space in Downtown Russell.

Sarah Vonfeldt with Russell Regional Hospital was a guest on the Morning Show to talk about the counseling services offered at the RRH Physicians Clinic.

#### Tuesday, February 13, 2024

USD 407 Superintendent Jordan Perez appeared on the Morning Show with a recap of Monday night's School Board meeting.

#### Wednesday, February 14, 2024

Clergy Comments presented by Pastor Michael Ketchens of Trinity United Methodist Church in Russell.

Russell-Sylvan-Lucas Assistant Boys Wrestling Coach Jason Pfeifer joined the Morning Show with Erik Stone for a preview of the upcoming Class 3-2-1A Regional set for this Saturday at Southeast of Saline High School.

# Thursday, February 15, 2024

City of Russell Water Utility Director Randy Baker appeared on the Morning Show with an update of a continuing work at Plant A within the City of Russell.

Russell County Clerk Kristi Whitman was a guest on the Morning Show providing information on the upcoming Presidential Preference Primary to be held on March 19.

# Friday, February 16, 2024

Curtis Sohm with Break Through Physical Therapy in Victoria appeared on the Morning Show to talk about his new practice.

Allison Railsback FFA Advisor at Russell High School and students Hannah Gideon and Kierra Eck were guests on the Morning Show to discuss National FFA Week which is February 17-24.

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#### Monday, February 19, 2024

Jessica Kootz with the Midway Extension District of Russell and Ellsworth Counties appeared on the Morning Show for a preview of upcoming events.

Russell High School Girls Wrestling Coach Luke Keller along with members of the Wrestling team including Javden Nev. Mya Trevino and Kinsey Zorn joined KRSL's Erik Stone on the Morning Show for a preview of the upcoming Girls Class 4-1A State Wrestling Tournament.

#### Tuesday, February 20, 2024

Katie Revell, Simpson Elementary School Principal and Stacie Dumler, Elementary School Psychologist, appeared on the Morning Show to discuss developmental screenings that are upcoming for children up to the age of five.

#### Wednesday, February 21, 2024

Clergy Comments presented by Pastor Ray Morris of Second Baptist Church of Russell.

Russell County Commissioner Daron Woelk sat down with KRSL News Director David Elliott for a recap of Tuesday's meeting.

## Thursday, February 22, 2024

Outgoing Russell County Administrator John Fletcher appeared on the Morning Show to reflect on his time as a public servant in Russell County.

Members of the Russell-Sylvan-Lucas Boys Wrestling Team were guests on the Morning Show ahead of the Class 3-2-1A State Wrestling Tournament in Salina.

# Monday, February 26, 2024

Lisa Moubry with the Russell Area Chamber of Commerce appeared on the Morning Show to talk about the continued drive for membership and the upcoming Legislative Coffee set for March 2 in Russell.

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#### Tuesday, February 27, 2024

Russell High School Activity Director Andy Stueve and Class 4-1A State Champion Wrestler Jaden Ney appeared on the Morning Show for a recap of the State Wrestling Tournament and an update on Sub-State Basketball.

#### Wednesday, February 28, 2024

Clergy Comments presented by Pastor Teri Sutherlin of St. John Lutheran Church in Russell.

Jon Ross and Mike McAdoo with the Russell Chapter of Black Gold Pheasants Forever appeared on the Morning Show with a look ahead to the Chapter's 18th Annual Banquet on March 23.

#### Friday, March 1, 2024

Russell Recreation Director Klinton Warner appeared on the Morning Show with a reminder for the upcoming deadline to sign up for Youth Soccer and to also announce sign ups are underway for Baseball and Softball.

## Monday, March 4, 2024

Smoky Hills PBS Marketing Director Amanda Smith and General Manager Betsy Schwien appeared on the Morning Show to talk about the ongoing membership drive.

Craig Dinkel with Midway Extension District of Russell and Ellsworth Counties was a guest on the Morning Show offering a preview of upcoming events.

## Tuesday, March 5, 2024

Russell County Commission Chairman Duke Strobel sat down with KRSL News Director David Elliott for a recap of Monday's County Commission meeting.

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#### Wednesday, March 6, 2024

Clergy Comments presented by Pastor Ron Wedel of First Congregational Church of Russell.

Jamie Tomlinson with Community for Classrooms appeared on the Morning Show to promote their Bowling Tournament set for Saturday, March 9 at Playdium Bowl in Russell.

#### Thursday, March 7, 2024

City of Russell Public Works Director Rich Krause appeared on the Morning Show to talk about the Community Cleanup Day scheduled for Saturday, April 20.

Chris Norris, 5th grade teacher at Bickerdyke Elementary School in Russell, was a guest on the Morning Show and provided a recap of the school's recent Science Fair.

#### Monday, March 11, 2024

Kayla Cass, New Director of Nursing at Russell Regional Hospital, appeared on the Morning Show to outline her vision for the Nursing Department at RRH.

## Wednesday, March 13, 2024

Clergy Comments presented by Pastor Michael Ketchens of Trinity United Methodist Church of Russell.

# Thursday, March 14, 2024

Crystal Craig with Russell Community Theater appeared on the Morning Show with a look ahead to their first production of 2024, "If The Shoe Fits" set for April 16-20 at the RCT Playhouse.

# Friday, March 15, 2024

Galen Niedenthal, President of the Russell County Farm Bureau, appeared on the Morning Show to talk about the upcoming Food Drive on March 19 at Klema Apple Market in Russell to benefit the Russell County Food Pantry.

John and Cinda Palmer were guests on the Morning Show with a look ahead to the 83rd Annual Luray Fish Fry on Friday March 15.

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#### Monday, March 18, 2024

Clinton Laflin with Midway Extension District of Russell and Ellsworth Counties appeared on the Morning Show with a look ahead to upcoming events in the Month of March.

#### Tuesday, March 19, 2024

USD 407 Superintendent Jordan Perez appeared on the Morning Show for a recap of Monday night's School Board meeting.

Russell County Commissioner Steve Reinhardt sat down with KRSL News Director David Elliott for a recap of Monday's meeting.

#### Wednesday, March 20, 2024

Clergy Comments presented by Pastor Ray Morris of Second Baptist Church in Russell.

Lauren Kasselman and James Martin with the Career and Technical Education (CTE) Program at Russell High School appeared on the Morning Show with a preview of the program's Open House on Thursday, April 4.

## Thursday, March 21, 2024

City of Russell Police Chief Jordan Harrison and Community Service Officer Bransen Byle appeared on the morning show to remind residents of certain city ordinances involving overgrowth and nuisances.

Kathy and Mike McAdoo with the local chapter of Black Gold Pheasants Forever joined KRSL's Erik Stone on the morning show to preview the 18th annual banquet on Saturday, March 23 at the Russell VFW.

## Friday, March 22, 2024

109th District Representative Troy Waymaster was a guest on the Morning Show and provided an update on the ongoing legislative session.

Jennifer Funk appeared on the Morning Show with a look ahead to the Community Easter Egg Hunt set for Saturday, March 30.

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#### Monday, March 25, 2024

Becky Anschutz with the Russell Area Chamber of Commerce Board appeared on the Morning Show to discuss Russell County Leadership's recent trip to the State Capitol and a look ahead to an upcoming Bingo Night.

#### Tuesday, March 26, 2024

Kevin Flegler, Welding Instructor with Russell High School, appeared on the Morning Show with a look ahead to the Career and Technical Education Open House set for Thursday, April 4.

Lauren Kasselman with the FCCLA Chapter at Russell High School was a guest on the Morning Show and talked about the upcoming state competition in Wichita for FCCLA members at RHS.

#### Wednesday, March 27, 2024

Clergy Comments presented by Pastor Teri Sutherlin of St. John Lutheran Church in Russell.

## Thursday, March 28, 2024

Russell County Commissioner Daron Woelk appeared on the Morning Show to remind residents of ongoing work on county roads.

Roger Day and Vance Chartier with the Hays High Plains Chorus joined KRSL's Erik Stone on the Morning Show for a preview of their concert on April 6 at Fort Hays State University.

## Friday, March 29, 2024

Sherri Stoppel with SLH Farms and Craig Dinkel from Midway Extension District appeared on the Morning Show to discuss Grow for Russell County, a new addition to the Russell County Free Fair.

Jordan Bayse with Chapel of Hope Church in Russell joined KRSL's Erik Stone on the Morning Show for a preview of their free program "David: King of Jerusalem" set for Friday, March 29 at 7:30 p.m.