

QUARTERLY ISSUES\PROGRAMS LIST

There follows a listing of some of the significant issues responded by KMMO Marshall, Missouri, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period JANUARY 1 THRU MARCH 31, 2020. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

DESCRIPTION OF ISSUE	PROGRAM\SEGMENT	DATE	TIME	DURATION	NARRATION OF TYPE AND DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM \SEGMENT
CCMH PARTICIPATES IN THE SEASON OF GIVING	NEWS	1/7/20	8:30AM	1 MINUTE	EMPLOYEES AT CARROLL COUNTY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL GAVE BACK TO THE COMMUNITY BY PARTICIPATING IN A FOOD DRIVE AND CHILDREN'S GIFT ADOPTION. EMPLOYEES COLLECTED A RECORD 3,799 ITEMS DURING THE FOOD DRIVE. THE HOSPITAL ALSO PROVIDED 115 FAMILIES AND 115 CHILDREN WITH GIFTS AND 451 TOTAL SACKS OF FOOD.
UPDATE MARSHALL HGTV MEETING	NEWS	1/14/20	12:30PM	1 ½ MINUTES	MAYOR JULIE SCHWETZ GATHERED PEOPLE TOGETHER TO DRAW UP PLANS TO PRODUCE A VIDEO ABOUT MARSHALL TO SUBMIT TO HGTV. THE IDEA IS FOR THE TOWN TO BE SELECTED AS THE TOWN THE NETWORK IS GOING TO RENOVATE. THE DEADLINE TO SUBMIT THE VIDEO IS TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4.
JASON M. JONES CHARGED IN HOLDEN HOMICIDE	NEWS	1/20/20	7:30AM	1 MINUTE	JASON M. JONES HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH MULTIPLE FELONIES FOR ALLEGEDLY KILLING 41-YEAR-OLD ROBERT W. HORTON ON JANUARY 18. JONES, AGE 39, OF KANSAS CITY, KANSAS, WAS APPREHENDED BY A MISSOURI STATE HIGHWAY PATROL TROOPER AFTER HE FLED THE SCENE IN A TRUCK. HE HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH FIRST-DEGREE MURDER AND SEVERAL OTHER FELONIES.
SWEET SPRINGS SCAM	NEWS	1/28/20	6:30AM	1 ¼ MINUTES	THE SWEET SPRINGS POLICE DEPARTMENT ALERTED AREA CITIZENS ABOUT A POSSIBLE SCAM. IT IS A SCAM WHERE A FRAUDSTER REQUESTS CODES FROM APP STORE AND ITUNES, APPLE STORE OR VANILLA GIFT CARDS FROM VICTIMS. THE AGENCY SAYS TWO INCIDENTS ARE BEING INVESTIGATED.
HOWARD COUNTY UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI EXTENSION	NEWS	2/7/20	1:30PM	1 MINUTE	CITIZENS OF VOTING AGE ELECTED MEMBERS TO THE HOWARD COUNTY UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI EXTENSION COUNCIL. ELECTED WERE: BRIDGETT BONECUTTER; LOGAN CHRISLAW; SRAAH DICKERSON-SELLARS; CASSANDRA FRINK; AMANDA HUTSON; AND CHRISTY MARTIN. EACH WILL SERVE A TWO-YEAR TERM.
HIGH-SPEED CHASE THROUGH MARSHALL	NEWS	2/11/20	5:30PM	1 ½ MINUTES	AUTHORITIES PURSUED A VEHICLE THROUGH MARSHALL. THE PURSUIT BEGAN IN LINN COUNTY AND ENDED JUST OUTSIDE THE MARSHALL CITY LIMITS. ARRESTED WAS 38-YEAR-OLD MATTHEW GUILFORD, OF BROOKFIELD. HE WAS CHARGED WITH SEVERAL FELONIES, INCLUDING RESISTING ARREST AND FLEEING.
MARSHALL DOG PARK GRAND OPENING	NEWS	2/17/20	6:30AM	1 ½ MINUTES	AFTER CONSTRUCTION WAS COMPLETE, THE FRIENDS OF THE MARSHALL DOG PARK AND THE SALINE ANIMAL LEAGUE HELD A GRAND-OPENING CEREMONY FOR THE PARK LOCATED ON PART OF THE OLD MARSHALL HABILITATION CENTER PROPERTY. A COUPLE OF THE ORGANIZERS- LESLIE HUSTON AND DISA FARRIS- COMMENTED ON THE EXCITEMENT SURROUNDING THE FIRST DOG PARK IN MARSHALL.

RAILROAD CARS DERAIL IN PETTIS COUNTY	NEWS	2/29/20	7:30AM	45 SECONDS	SEVERAL CARS FROM A UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD TRAIN DERAILED WEST OF SMITHTON. RAILROAD PERSONNEL, MISSOURI STATE HIGHWAY PATROL TROOPERS AND PETTIS COUNTY DEPUTIES REPORTED TO THE SCENE AND DETERMINED THERE WAS NO DANGER TO THE PUBLIC. HOWEVER, THE DERAILMENT BLOCKED ONE ENTRANCE/EXIT TO/OFF THE TOWN. IT TOOK SEVERAL HOURS FOR THE ROADWAY TO BE REOPENED TO TRAFFIC.
SALINE COUNTY COMMISSION NAMES NEW BUILDING AND GROUNDS SUPERVISOR	NEWS	3/3/20	8:30AM	1 MINUTE	PRESIDING COMMISSIONER KILE GUTHREY JR. ANNOUNCED A NEW BUILDING AND GROUNDS SUPERVISOR HAD BEEN SELECTED. ZACK FLETCHER WILL REPLACE BILL SLEEPER, WHO RETIRED TOWARD THE END OF FEBRUARY. HE ALSO ANNOUNCED TOMMY BERGER WILL BE FLETCHER'S ASSISTANT.
HIERONYMUS NAMED PRINCIPAL AT SMS	NEWS	3/12/20	1:30PM	1 MINUTE	BRETT HIERONYMUS WAS NAMED PRINCIPAL AT SMITH-COTTON MIDDLE SCHOOL BY THE SEDALIA 200 SCHOOL BOARD. HIERONYMUS CURRENTLY IS PRINCIPAL AT HEBER HUNT ELEMENTARY. HIS PROMOTION BEGINS JULY 1, 2020.
MARSHALL EMERGENCY CITY COUNCIL MEETING	NEWS	3/19/20	7:30AM	3 MINUTES	THE MARSHALL CITY COUNCIL MET WITH SEVERAL OTHER CITY AND COUNTY AGENCIES TO DISCUSS WHAT TO DO IN WAKE OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC. MAYOR JULIE SCHWETZ OFFERED NOTED COMMUNICATION BETWEEN THE AGENCIES IS MOST IMPORTANT. SCHWETZ ASKED CITIZENS TO BE PATIENT BECAUSE THESE ARE UNCERTAIN AND CHANGING TIMES.
CARROLL COUNTY COURTHOUSE CLOSED	NEWS	3/24/20	6:30AM	30 SECONDS	CARROLL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ANNOUNCED THE CARROLL COUNTY COURTHOUSE WILL BE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. THIS IS AN EFFORT TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC AND STAFF BY REDUCING THE CHANCES OF CONTRACTING TO THE CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19). IF YOU NEED TO COME TO THE COURTHOUSE, YOU WILL BE ASKED SEVERAL SCREENING QUESTIONS PRIOR TO BEING ALLOWED TO ENTER THE BUILDING.
WARRENSBURG ROBBERY SUSPECT	NEWS	1/2/19	6:30 AM	1 MINUTE	AN AREA LAW-ENFORCEMENT AGENCY IS SEEKING THE PUBLIC'S HELP IN TRYING TO SOLVE A ROBBERY. OFFICERS WERE CALLED TO A ROBBERY AT THE LITTLE CAESAR'S RESTAURANT IN THE 100 BLOCK OF NORTH MAGUIRE IN WARRENSBURG. THE SUSPECT IS DESCRIBED AS A WHITE MALE WITH A MUSCULAR BUILD AND ABOUT 5-FOOT-10 AND 150 TO 160 POUNDS. ANYONE WITH INFORMATION IS URGED TO CALL THE WARRENSBURG POLICE DEPARTMENT.
CHAMBER SOCIAL	SPOTLIGHT	1/7/20	3:15 PM	2 MINUTES	TALKED WITH KATIE SHANNON ABOUT THE MARSHALL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE'S MONTHLY SOCIAL. THE LOCATION OF THE EVENT ROTATES EVERY MONTH. IN JANUARY, IT WAS HELD IN ARROW ROCK. THERE IS FOOD, DOOR PRIZES AND "MARKETING MINUTES" AN OPPORTUNITY FOR AREA BUSINESSES TO LET RESIDENTS KNOW ANYTHING NEW GOING ON WITH THEIR BUSINESS.

WING DING	SPOTLIGHT	1/15/20	3:15 PM	3 MINUTES	TALKED WITH BRANDON THIEL ABOUT A FUNDRAISER FOR THE MARSHALL FFA ALUMNI. IT WAS SUPER BOWL SUNDAY AND PEOPLE WERE ABLE TO STOP BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL IN MARSHALL AND PICK UP CHICKEN WINGS. THE WINGS WERE SMOKED AND DRY RUBBED AND PEOPLE JUST NEEDED TO ADD THEIR FAVORITE SAUCE AT HOME. ALL THE PROCEEDS GO TO THE MARSHALL FFA TO HELP STUDENTS ATTEND SUMMER CAMP AND LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE.
HUTNER'S EXPO	SPOTLIGHT	1/20/20	3:15 PM	4 MINUTES	TALKED WITH DAVID HEKE ABOUT A HUNTER'S EXPO JANUARY 24-26 AT ARROWHEAD STADIUM. THERE WERE VENDOR BOOTHS WITH PEOPLE COMING FROM ALL OVER MISSOURI WITH CONSERVATION-RELATED ITEMS. ACTIVITIES INCLUDED A LASER SHOOTING EVENT FOR YOUTH, INTERACTIVE DEMONSTRATIONS AND A BIG BUCK CONTEST. PROCEEDS WENT TOWARDS YOUTH AND OUTDOOR PROGRAMS.
CHILI SUPPER	SPOTLIGHT	1/31/20	3:15 PM	2 ½ MINUTES	TALKED WITH MEMBERS OF THE MISSOURI VALLEY COLLEGE RODEO TEAM ABOUT THEIR ANNUAL CHILI & SOUP SUPPER. IT WAS HELD AT THE MARSHALL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL. PROCEEDS WENT TO HELP DEFRAY COSTS OF THE MVC RODEO TEAM TRAVELING TO AND COMPETING IN COLLEGE RODEOS. RODEO PARTICIPANTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL ENTRY FEES PLUS GAS, FOOD, LODGING AND HOUSING THEIR HORSES.
WOMEN'S RETREAT	SPOTLIGHT	2/5/20	3:15 PM	3 ½ MINUTES	TALKED WITH BOBBY GODWIN ABOUT AWOMEN'S RETREAT SPONSORED BY LIFE CHURCH. IT WAS HELD AT BUEKER MIDDLE SCHOOL IN MARSHALL. THE PURPOSE OF THE EVENT WAS TO SHOW WOMEN EVERYWHERE HOW APPRECIATED THEY ARE IN EVERYDAY LIFE. THERE WAS FOOD, VENDORS AND SPEAKERS.
WAVERLY MASONIC LODGE	SPOTLIGHT	2/13/20	3:15 PM	1 ½ MINUTES	TALKED WITH MIKE THOMAS ABOUT A SOUP & CHILI DINNER SPONSORED BY THE WAVERLY MASONIC LODGE. THE MEAL WAS HELD IN THE BASEMENT OF THE WAVERLY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. CARRYOUTS WERE AVAILABLE AND A FREE WILL OFFERING WAS ACCEPTED. PROCEEDS WENT TO FUND SCHOLARSHIPS FOR AREA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.
PANCAKE & SAUSAGE SUPPER	SPOTLIGHT	2/21/20	3:15 PM	1 ½ MINUTES	TALKED WITH BRYAN BERLIN ABOUT A PANCAKE & SAUSAGE SUPPER AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN "ROCK" CHURCH IN MARSHALL. IT'S AN ANNUAL EVENT HELD ON FAT TUESDAY (THE DAY BEFORE THE START OF LENT). PROCEEDS GO TO THE UPKEEP OF THE CHURCH. THE CHURCH SANCTUARY WAS BADLY DAMAGED IN A HAIL STORM THREE YEARS AGO AND RESTORATIONS HAVE RECENTLY BEEN COMPLETED.
BENEFIT BREAKFAST	SPOTLIGHT	2/27/20	3:15 PM	2 MINUTES	TALKED WITH HOPE HEAPER-HAYES ABOUT A BENEFIT BREAKFAST FOR A LOCAL FAMILY. THE BREAKFAST WAS SPONSORED BY THE MISSOURI VALLEY COLLEGE SCHOOL OF NURSING AND HELD AT THE MARSHALL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL.

RIDING CENTER	SPOTLIGHT	3/3/20	3:15 PM	3 ½ MINUTES	TALKED WITH JACKIE JONES ABOUT THE HUNDRED ACRE WOOD RIDING CENTER. CENTRALLY LOCATED BETWEEN MARSHALL, SEDALIA AND BOONVILLE, THE CENTER'S MISSION IS TO ENRICH THE LIVES OF CHILDREN AND ADULTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS THROUGH THE POWER OF THE HORSE. THE ENVIRONMENT IS SAFE AND STRUCTURED AND ALL INSTRUCTORS AND SPECIALLY TRAINED.
SLATER FFA ALUMNI	SPOTLIGHT	3/4/20	3:15 PM	2 MINUTES	TALKED WITH TIFFANY THORNTON ABOUT THE ANNUAL SLATER FFA ALUMNI'S BAKED POTATO SUPPER. IT WAS HELD AT THE SLATER HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA. PEOPLE GOT A LARGE BAKED POTATO TOPPED ANY WAY THEY WANTED PLUS A SALAD AND A HOMEMADE DESSERT. A SILENT AUCTION ALSO TOOK PLACE DURING THE DINNER. PROCEEDS WERE USED TO HELP SLATER FFA MEMBERS WITH EXPENSES TOWARDS FFA CAMP, WASHINGTON LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE AND THE NATIONAL FFA CONVENTION. THEY ALSO PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIPS.
SHOW-ME CRAFTERS	SPOTLIGHT	3/10/20	3:15 PM	2 ½ MINUTES	TALKED WITH LAURA DWIRE ABOUT THE SHOW-ME CRAFTERS' ANNUAL SPRING CRAFT SHOW AT THE MISSOURI STATE FAIRGROUNDS. THE SHOW WAS HELD INSIDE THE AG AND MEC BUILDINGS ON THE FAIRGROUNDS. THERE WERE 110 VENDORS SELLING ALL HANDMADE ITEMS. THEY HAD AN EASTER EGG HUNT FOR THE KIDS. THERE WAS A CONCESSION STAND SERVING BREAKFAST AND LUNCH ITEMS AND A BAKE SALE TO BENEFIT HABITAT FOR HUMANITY.
PORK CHOP DINNER	SPOTLIGHT	3/12/20	3:15 PM	2 ½ MINUTES	TALKED WITH RANDY SHANNON ABOUT A SMOKED PORK CHOP DINNER AT CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN MARSHALL. BESIDES PORK CHOPS, THE MENU CONSISTED OF SCALLOPED POTATOES, GREEN BEANS, HAWAIIAN ROLLS AND COBBLER. DINE-IN AND CARRYOUTS WERE AVAILABLE. THERE WAS ALSO A RAFFLE FOR A SIDE OF BEEF AND \$500 CASH. PROCEEDS WENT TO THE BROWNING FAMILY. A LOCAL FAMILY WITH A DAUGHTER BATTLING CANCER.
AGRI LEADERS MEETING	KMMO AG REPORT	1/3/20	12:25PM	3 MINUTES	VISITED WITH BRITTANY HEMME, SANTA FE AGRI LEADERS ADVISOR ABOUT THE AGRI LEADERS KICKOFF MEETING TO BE HELD 1-6-20. A DINNER STARTS THE EVENING, DURING WHICH THE 20TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE AGRI LEADERS WILL BE CELEBRATED BY RECOGNIZING SCHOLARSHIPS WINNERS FOR THE PAST 20 YEARS. THE AGRI LEADERS CONTINUE TO PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIPS TO AREA STUDENTS. MO DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE DIRECTOR, CHRIS CHINN, WILL BE THE FEATURED SPEAKER.

WEATHER STATION IN ALMA	KMMO AG REPORT	1/9/20	12:25PM	3 MINUTES	VISITED WITH JEFF BERGMAN AND REPRESENTATIVES FROM ALMA COMMUNICATIONS AT THE SANTA FE AGRI LEADERS KICKOFF MEETING ABOUT THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE TOWER THAT WAS INSTALLED LAST YEAR NEAR SANTA FE HIGH SCHOOLS SPORTS STADIUMS. THIS IS THE ONLY WEATHER STATION IN LAFAYETTE COUNTY AND IT PROVIDES VITAL INFORMATION TO ANYONE WISHING TO GO ONLINE TO THEIR WEBSITE. IT PROVIDES STORM INFORMATION, HUMIDITY AND BAROMETRIC PRESSURE, SOIL TEMPERATURES AND MUCH MORE VITAL INFORMATION. ALMA COMMUNICATIONS, SANTA FE AGRI LEADERS AND THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI EXTENSION ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS IMPORTANT TOOL BEING INSTALLED AND PROVIDING IMPORTANT INFORMATION.
PATTY WOOD – MO CATTLEMEN	KMMO AG REPORT	1/13/20	12:25PM	3 MINUTES	INTERVIEWED PATTY WOOD, WHO IS THE PRESIDENT ELECT FOR THE MISSOURI CATTLEMENS ASSOCIATION AT THEIR ANNUAL MEETING AND TRADE SHOW IN COLUMBIA. PATTY TALKED ABOUT HER MANY YEARS EXPERIENCE AS A CATTLE FARMER, HER INVOLVEMENT WITH THE MISSOURI CATTLEWOMEN AND THE MISSOURI CATTLEMENS ASSOCIATION. SHE ALSO TALKED ABOUT THE IMPORTANCE OF THE CONVENTION AND TRADE SHOW WHICH PROVIDES CATTLEMEN ACROSS MISSOURI THE OPPORTUNITY TO IMPROVE CONDITIONS IN THEIR PERSONAL LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION BUSINESSES WITH INFORMATION AND THE LATEST TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION PROVIDED AT THE CONVENTION.
USMCA AGREEMENT	KMMO AG REPORT	1/31/20	12:25PM	3 MINUTES	TALKED ABOUT GREAT INFORMATION FOR FARMERS, PRODUCERS AGRI-BUSINESSMEN AND AMERICANS, IN GENERAL, AS PRESIDENT TRUMP SIGNED THE USMCA AGREEMENT. THIS TREATY WITH THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO AND CANADA REMOVES TARIFFS AND PROVIDES FOR FREE TRADE BETWEEN ALL THREE COUNTRIES. THE BENEFITS FOR ALL THREE COUNTRIES WILL AMOUNT TO BILLIONS OF DOLLARS OF TRADE FOR ALL COMMODITY GROUPS HERE IN THE US.
CENTRAL MO AG EXPO	KMMO AG REPORT	02/04/20	12:25PM	3 MINUTES	INTERVIEWED DANNY YOUNG, CENTRAL MISSOURI AG CLUB PRESIDENT AT THE ANNUAL AG EXPO IN SEDALIA. A LARGE VARIETY OF EXHIBITS FILLED THE MATTHEWSON EXHIBITION BUILDING AND LOWELL MOHLER ASSEMBLY HALL ON THE MISSOURI STATE FAIRGROUNDS. DANNY TALKED ABOUT THE EVENT WHICH SEEMS TO GROW EVERY YEAR. ALONG WITH THE EXPO, THE CENTRAL MISSOURI AG CLUB SPONSORS A DINNER AND PIE AUCTION. PROCEEDS FROM THESE EVENTS PROVIDE MANY SCHOLARSHIPS TO AREA COLLEGE AGRICULTURE STUDENTS.

WESTERN FARM SHOW	KMMO AG REPORT	02/06/20	12:25PM	3 MINUTES	VISITED WITH KEN DEAN ABOUT THE ANNUAL WESTERN FARM SHOW, OF WHICH HE IS THE LONG TIME MANAGER, AT THE AMERICAN ROYAL BUILDING IN KANSAS CITY. THIS IS ONE OF THE LARGEST INDOOR FARM SHOWS IN THE UNITED STATES. NOT ONLY DOES THE EVENT DISPLAY HUNDREDS OF TRACTORS AND FARM IMPLEMENTS, BUT ALSO INCLUDES MANY EDUCATIONAL SEMINARS AND INFORMATION ON THE LATEST AGRICULTURAL INNOVATION. ONE HIGHLIGHT OF THE EVENT IS FFA DAY, ALWAYS ON FRIDAY, IN WHICH FFA MEMBERS FROM MISSOURI AND KANSAS BRING NON PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS FOR A HUGE FOOD DRIVE. THEIR EFFORTS HELP TO FEED THOUSANDS IN THE KANSAS CITY METRO AREA WHO ARE EXPERIENCING FOOD INSECURITY.
MISSOURI PORK EXPO	KMMO AG REPORT	02/12/20	12:25PM	3 MINUTES	INTERVIEWED DON NIKODIM, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE MISSOURI PORK ASSOCIATION AT THE ANNUAL PORK EXPO AT THE HOLIDAY INN EXECUTIVE CENTER IN COLUMBIA. THIS YEARS EXPO HAD A RECORD NUMBER OF DISPLAY BOOTHS, DISPLAYING EQUIPMENT FOR PORK PRODUCTION AND AGRICULTURE IN GENERAL. MEETINGS THROUGHOUT THE DAY INCLUDED EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS PROVIDED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI EXTENSION AND SPEAKERS FROM ACROSS THE UNITED STATES. GAMES AND ACTIVITIES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE WERE ALSO HELD. A HUGE BBQ LUNCH AND AWARDS BANQUET WERE ALSO HELD. DON TALKED ABOUT THIS EVENT AND CONCERNS OF THE PORK ASSOCIATION, WHICH INCLUDE THE EXPORT MARKET.
DR. TOM BLUMHORST – FFA	KMMO AG REPORT	02/24/20	12:25PM	3 MINUTES	THIS AG REPORT FEATURED DVM TOM BLUMHORST, AND WAS THE BEGINNING OF SEVERAL AG REPORTS IN WHICH DR. BLUMHORST DISCUSSES HOW BECOMING AN FFA MEMBER YEARS AGO GREATLY IMPROVED HIS LIFESTYLE. THE FFA CREED IS SOMETHING HE RECITES EVERY DAY AND BY LIVING BY ITS STANDARDS, HE HAS KEPT A POSITIVE ATTITUDE ABOUT SUCH THINGS AS WORK ETHICS, HIS RELIGIOUS BELIEFS, LEADERSHIP SKILLS AND FAMILY LIFE. DR BLUMHORST ADDRESSES MANY FFA CHAPTERS AROUND THE STATE, SPEAKING TO GREEN HANDS, HOPING TO HAVE AN IMPACT THEIR LIVES AND FFA CAREERS.
SLATER FFA POTATO SUPPER	KMMO AG REPORT	03/03/20	12:25PM	3 MINUTES	VISITED WITH LAUREN CREWS OF SLATER HIGH SCHOOL CONCERNING THE SLATER FFA BAKED POTATO SUPPER UPCOMING AT THE SLATER HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA. THIS ANNUAL EVENT, SPONSORED BY THE SLATER FFA ALUMNI, GETS A LOT OF SUPPORT FROM THE SLATER AND SURROUNDING AREA. THE PROCEEDS FROM THIS EVENT GO TO SUPPORT SLATER FFA MEMBERS ATTENDING THE WASHINGTON LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE. ALONG WITH THE POTATO SUPPER, A SILENT AUCTION IS HELD, WITH MANY OF THE ITEMS AUCTIONED ARE DONATED BY SLATER BUSINESSES.

STATE FAIR GROUND BREAKING	KMMO AG REPORT	03/10/20	12:25PM	3 MINUTES	MARK WOLFE, MISSOURI STATE FAIR DIRECTOR OPENED THE GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY FOR THE NEW DIRECTOR'S PAVILLION WHICH IS TO BE ERECTED ON THE FAIRGROUNDS. NOT ONLY WILL THIS BE USED FOR SUCH STATE FAIR EVENTS AS THE GOVERNOR'S BREAKFAST, BUT WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE TO RENT FOR LARGE EVENT, SUCH AS WEDDINGS AND OTHER CEREMONIES. NACOR STEEL, A NEW PLANT IN SEDALIA IS PROVIDING ALL THE STEEL ITEMS FOR THE BUILDING CONSTRUCTION.
GOVERNOR MIKE PARSON	KMMO AG REPORT	03/18/20	12:25PM	3 MINUTES	MISSOURI GOVERNOR, MIKE PARSON, WAS THE FEATURED SPEAKER AT THE STATE FAIR DIRECTOR'S PAVILLION GROUND BREAKING. HE SHOWED APPRECIATION TO ALL THOSE INVOLVED IN THE CONSTRUCTION AND STATE OFFICIALS, WHO PLAYED A LARGE PART IN APPROVING THIS NEW CONSTRUCTION. GOVERNOR PARSON SPOKE OF THE IMPORTANCE OF THE MISSOURI STATE FAIRGROUNDS AND THE OUTSTANDING STATE FAIR STAFF AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS. MISSOURI'S STATE FAIR IS AMONG THE TOP AGRICULTURAL FAIRS IN THE NATION.
SONNY PERDUE	KMMO AG REPORT	03/24/20	12:25PM	3 MINUTES	SONNY PERDUE, U.S. SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE COMMENTED ON THE IMPORTANCE OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL COMMUNITIES, DURING THE CORONA VIRUS SITUATION. U.S. FARMERS AND PRODUCERS NOT ONLY PROVIDE NECESSARY NUTRITION AND FUEL FOR THIS COUNTRY BUT IN MANY COUNTRIES AROUND THE WORLD. SECRETARY PERDUE COMMENTED THAT THE HARD WORK AND DEDICATION TO THE AG INDUSTRY HAS BEEN AND WILL CONTINUE TO BE AN ASSET IN GETTING THROUGH THIS CHALLENGING SITUATION.