

## **THIRD QUARTER ISSUES AND ANSWERS, 2014**

### **KELO-AM AND KELQ-FM**

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## **ORIGINAL LOCALLY PRODUCED PROGRAMS OF RESPONSE**

"FORUM" is produced in-studio by Public Affairs Director Jon Michaels for thirty minutes and airs every Sunday morning. Jon Michaels has been doing this program since the FCC first required it in 1977. Jon has received the "GOLDEN APPLE" award from the South Dakota Education Association, the "BRIGHT IDEA" award from the Sioux Falls Public Relations Network for "lifetime achievement", the "GOLDEN WINGS MEDAL" from the Children's Care Hospital and "VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR" from Downtown Sioux Falls (formerly Main Street). Jon has also received awards from the Associated Press over the years of what is still the longest running public affairs show host in Sioux Falls radio History.

## ISSUES AND ANSWERS FOR 3<sup>RD</sup> QUARTER, 2014

**RELIGION:** From young people leaving some of the local Hutterite communities in the Midwest to some of the most successful free religion music festivals (300,000,000 gather annually in a former South Dakota corn field)...Religion is what is changing our culture and economy.

**HISTORY:** A new Sports Hall of Fame in the new Premier Center, a country club nears 110 years in Sioux Falls and remembering the Battleship South Dakota are some of our history celebrated this summer in Sioux Falls.

**MILITARY:** From the youth of the Sioux Falls Civil Air Patrol to the homeless Veterans Stand Down in Sioux Falls, the military is a large part of what has become our city of Sioux Falls. (Many of the 42,000 based here in WW II returned and started families)

CITY GOVERNMENT: We cover the many petition groups that citizens have brought to our elections...and the latest about our very respected and ultra-modern Sioux Falls Police.

ETHNIC MINORITY: With over 3,000 refugees from Islamic countries, should we worry about 9-11. Also how many cultures view domestic abuse.

RECREATION: Two of the biggest free music festivals in the country happen every summer in Sioux Falls...(Jazzfest and Lifelight)

## HISTORY:

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
Aug. 10	FORUM	30 MIN.	7 AM	7 AM	30 MIN.

Public Affairs Dir. Jon Michaels speaks with Terry Nielsen, President, and Scott Fiedler, former President of the South Dakota Sports Hall of Fame, about the new location in the new Denny Sanford Premier Event Center this October.

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
Aug. 17	FORUM	30 MIN.	7 AM	7 AM	30 MIN.

Public Affairs Director Jon Michaels had this recording with some of the founding members of the South Dakota Battleship Memorial

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
Aug. 31	FORUM	30 MIN.	7 AM	7 AM	30 MIN.

Public Affairs Director, Jon Michaels, talks with five generation golfer, Dan Kirby, about the history of Minnehaha Country Club.

## MILITARY:

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
July 6	FORUM	30 MIN.	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	30 MIN.

Public Affairs Director, Jon Michaels, talks with Wing Vice Commander Lieutenant Col. Rick Larson, about the many responsibilities of the Civil Air Patrol in Sioux Falls and South Dakota.

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
Sept. 14	FORUM	30 MIN.	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	30 MIN.

Public Affairs Dir. Jon Michaels (former Navy) speaks with former homeless veteran Robin Kiser (former Air Force) and Chuck Albrect, Volunteer at the Vet Center (former Army) about the Veterans Stand Down at the Sioux Falls VFW on Friday, Sept. 19th from 9 AM to 2 PM

## CITY GOVERNMENT:

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
July 27	FORUM	30 MIN.	<del>7:30</del> AM	7:30 AM	30 MIN.

Public Affairs Director since 1977, Jon Michaels, discusses city issues and concerns with Councilman Kermit Staggers and Theresa Stehly about boulevards, event center, tree trimming and petition issues.

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
Sept. 24	FORUM	30 MIN.	<del>7:30</del> AM	7:30 AM	30 MIN.

You can now report a crime on-line at the Sioux Falls Police Website. Public Affairs Dir. Jon Michaels speaks with Officer Sam Clemens about our growing city and modern police department.

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
Aug. 8	AM SHOW	4 HR.	6 AM	6:35 AM	4 MIN.

Sioux Falls Police Lt. Troy Lubbers talk about increasing patrols to focus on bicycle and pedestrian safety with schools now back in session

## ETHNIC MINORITY:

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
Sept. 7	FORUM	30 MIN.	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	30 MIN.

Qadir Aware, former Director of the Sioux Falls Cultural Center, Kurdish freedom fighter and refugee talks with Public Affairs Director Jon Michaels about local concerns about foreign students and our large refugee population.

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
Sept. 28	FORUM	30 MIN.	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	30 MIN.

October Is Domestic Violence month and also has the Take Back The Night gathering as awareness for the Children's Inn in Sioux Falls. Many refugees don't understand that violence to women and children is not acceptable in our country



## RECREATION:

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
July 13	FORUM	30 MIN.	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	30 MIN.

Public Affairs Dir. Jon Michaels talks with Sioux Falls Jazz and Blues Festival Executive Dir. Rob Joyce about 100,000 fans and the largest free jazz concert in the country.

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
July 21	FORUM	30 MIN.	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	30 MIN.

Public Affairs Dir. Jon Michaels, talks with LifeLight Festival Director, Julie Klinger, about the upcoming music festival and 300,000 fans.

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
July 30	AM SHOW	4 HR.	6 AM	9:05 AM	4 MIN.

Jen DeVine of the Sioux Empire Fair gave highlights of the 10 day event.

## RELIGION:

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
Aug. 3	FORUM	30 MIN.	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	30 MIN.

Public Affairs Director, Jon Michaels, talks with 4 of the Nine, a group that left their homes in Hutterite Colonies in the Midwest and Canada.

DATE	PROGRAM	DURATION	TIME	START	LENGTH
Aug. 24	FORUM	30 MIN.	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	30 MIN.

Public Affairs Dir. Jon Michaels, discusses the 17th annual Lifelight Festival all Labor Day weekend and Al Green's new book.