

FCC REPORT 2023 QUARTER 3

JULY 1

ANTIQUES MARKET OPENS PKG 1:45

Fargo Antiques & Repurposed Market, aka The FARM, announces its annual Christmas In July event. The month-long event features family fun, nostalgia and holiday shopping.

JULY 2

MAKER'S SPOTLIGHT SUNDAY VOSOT :45

"From Barn to Yarn" Yarn Factory is a full-service, custom fiber mill that works with local farms to turn their fiber into beautiful roving, yarn, and more. Starting at noon, they will be at the 4e Winery with a wide range of beautiful yarn and fiber and alpaca dryer balls.

JULY 3

RRVF PREPS VOSOT :45

They're already setting up and preparing for the start of the Red River Valley Fair, which begins Friday in West Fargo. We are at the fairgrounds and speaking with workers.

NEW JAPANESE RESTAURANT VOSOT :45

A new restaurant "SOHO 23" will be opening in the 25th St. Market. Owner Jin Y. Myung says the menu will consist of Japanese favorites and Korean barbecue.

JULY 4

BONANZAVILLE 4TH OF JULY PKG 1:45

Daytime event featuring pony rides, face painting, bingo, Red River Trivia, Games Galore carnival-themed fun with approximately ten inflatables, new food vendors, demonstrations, and more. 10am-7pm. Fireworks begin at dusk. 1351 Main Ave W., West Fargo.

MOORHEAD FARMERS' MARKET VOSOT :45

The Moorhead Farmers Market will feature music, vegetables, fruit, baked goods, honey, jams, pet products, hand-crafted artisan goods and more. Heritage Hjemkomst Center parking lot, 202 1st Ave N. 3:30pm-6:30pm

JULY 5

RANSOMWARE CRISIS PKG 1:45

A local cyber expert discusses ransomware gangs across the nation stealing confidential documents from schools and dumping them online. The documents describe student sexual assaults, psychiatric hospitalizations, abusive parents, suicide attempts.

JULY 5

NO MORE FISH GUTS PKG 1:45

It's a colossal, stinky mess for workers at the Otter Tail County recycling facility. People are dumping fish guts into recycling bins. The county is pleading for cooperation. It says the proper way to dispose of fish guts is to bury them or bagging them with household garbage.

JULY 6

DELTA WHEELCHAIR MISHAP PKG 1:45

A Moorhead, Minn. woman is excoriating Delta Airlines for seriously damaging her daughter's electric mobility chair. In a lengthy, emotional social media post with photos, Marisa Bengtson-Loerzel called on Delta to train its employees better to avoid this from happening to someone else.

TO FREE OR NOT TO FREE VOSOT :45

Two eagles are free after deputies helped separate the brawling pair that had become entangled with each other on Minnesota's Leech Lake. But was freeing the eagles the "right thing" to do? North Dakota Game & Fish Outreach Biologist Doug Leier explains.

JULY 7

RED RIVER VALLEY FAIR BEGINS PKG 1:45

It's kickoff day for the 2023 Red River Valley Fair. Details & highlights will be outlined during a news conference at 11:30am at Butler Arena.

DEPUTY CHARGED VOSOT :45

Roseau County Deputy Bruce Hanson is a felony charge of presenting false claims to a public officer, plus several misdemeanors ranging from misconduct to breaching government data practices.

JULY 8

WINGS & WHEELS VOSOT :45

Wings and Wheels is a charity car show hosted by the Fargo Air Museum and Twisted Royalty. Each year the event raises money for different causes. All proceeds from the 2023 show will be donated to the Fargo Air Museum's Veterans Program.

JULY 9

GRASSROOTS SHOOTOUT VOSOT :45

Race car drivers from around the region are competing for thousands of dollars in prizes. Interstate Raceway is hosting the Grassroots Shootout with stunt cars.

JULY 10

MARK KNUTSON PKG 1:45

Remembering the father of the Fargo marathon Mark Knutson who was killed in a traffic crash while biking near his Detroit Lakes home over the weekend.

CHARITY GOLF VOSOT :45

Golf tournament put on by local realty company to raise money for Sanford for the Children's Miracle Network.

JULY 11

TREES PKG 1:45

Moorhead city foresters are doing what they can to try to save the rest of the tree canopy from an invading army of destructive bugs. They're treating their remaining healthy large ash trees with injections designed to stop the spread of emerald ash borer, and taking down 350 diseased trees throughout the city.

COMFORT DOG PKG 1:45

West Fargo is going to the dogs. We're meeting the new comfort dog who'll be working in West Fargo public schools along with their SRO to help kids with their mental health and updating viewers on the new protective gear for the fire department's dog as well.

JULY 12

DOG CRISIS PKG 1:45

Area rescues are going begging for fosters and adopters after a massive space crunch from a glut of homeless dogs. They're now being forced to turn adoptable dogs away even though they have the money to save them.

RURAL GROCERIES PKG 1:45

A new state grant program hands out cash to help support grocery stores in rural towns in ND that are going out of business because the population is dwindling too much to support them.

JULY 13

DOWNTOWN STREET FAIR PKG 1:45

Downtown Fargo's biggest summer event draws guests from all over for its curated crafts, food, and other local products.

RECORD HEAT PKG 1:45

National Weather Service says June was the hottest on record for North Dakota. Meteorologist Brian Barrett digs into how the heat is affecting farmer's crops at the critical midway point of the summer.

JULY 14

STORM DAMAGE PKG 1:45

Hail and high winds wreak havoc on property across the region. We're checking with county sheriffs and homeowners all the way from the metro to lakes country and taking stock of the stage at Trollwood.

SOLDIER RETURN VOSOT :45

Guard troops come home from deployment in Kuwait to Fargo.

JULY 15

KNUTSON RUN PKG 1:45

Area runners gathered for a final run in honor of the late father of the Fargo marathon, Mark Knutson, killed last weekend in a bike-car crash in Detroit Lakes.

JULY 16

DOWNTOWN BIZZ PKG 1:45

The Red River Market had to be moved to Sunday this week only to accommodate the Downtown Street Fair. We're looking to downtown business leaders to tell us how much these events boost their bottom line during summer.

JULY 17

GRIEVING COPS PKG 1:45

Speaking with police chaplains regarding the grieving and counseling process in the wake of the shooting death of Fargo Police Officer

RIDESHARE FOODIE PKG 1:45

Meet Kreskin Torres (aka The Rideshare Foodie.) Kreskin is a rideshare driver from Baltimore who is driving across the country to sample all kinds of local foods.

JULY 18

POLICE CHAPLAINS VOSOT :45

The Fargo Police Department's Chaplain group explains the importance of their mission. Chaplains have been speaking with the two officers who survived Friday's shootings.

COP FUNDRAISERS PKG 1:45

Thousands of dollars are pouring in to various fundraisers established for the Fargo police officers who were shot last week. GoFundMe, Bell Bank and the Leadership Care Fund are just three examples.

JULY 19

ATTORNEY GENERAL NEWSER PKG 1:45

Attorney General Drew Wrigley holds a news conference today (3pm) to discuss Officer Zach Robinson's use of deadly force against the gunman in Friday's mass shooting. Fargo City Hall.

WALK-IN MEDS PKG 1:45

Prairie-St. John's has launched a walk-in medication management program, with tours today to help raise awareness of the program.

JULY 20

EVENT SECURITY PKG 1:45

In light of what Attorney General Drew Wrigley disclosed about the incidents in Fargo last Friday, we're exploring whether to expect changes in security at some local events and examining the security plans that are already in place. Sheriff Jesse Jahner discusses.

SCHOOL BUS CHANGES PKG 1:45

West Fargo students will have to live farther away from school to qualify for school bus transportation. K-5 walk zones will be increased from 0.9 miles to 1.0 miles. In grades 6-12, walk zones will be increased from 0.9 miles to 1.5 miles. Parents are expressing their concerns on social media.

JULY 21

SHOOTING UPDATE PKG 1:45

Attorney General Drew Wrigley held a news conference to release more details in the investigation into last week's fatal shootings in Fargo.

SURVIVAL SKILLS VOSOT :45

Former Fargo Police Lt. Joel Vettel is an instructor in what to do if you find yourself in a potential mass shooting or similar situation.

JULY 22

OVER THE TOP FUNDRAISER VOSOT :45

A fundraiser for the Honor Flight. Day-long event begins at 11am. Dunk tank, car show, wine pull, auction and more. Moorhead American Legion.

JULY 23

JAKE WALLIN FUNERAL PKG 2:00

Complete coverage of the funeral for Fargo Police Officer Jake Wallin, who was shot while on duty in Fargo.

JULY 24

CROPS FEELING THE HEAT PKG 1:45

Area farmers are growing concerned about what's in store for the second half of the growing season. It's been relatively dry and the heat will crank up later in the week.

SOLAR PANEL RULES VOSOT :45

Because of a new city ordinance, several complicated steps must be taken before installing solar panels in the city of Moorhead.

JULY 25

MISSING FOR TWO WEEKS VOSOT :45

The West Fargo Police Department continues asking for the public's help in locating 50-year-old Jonett Wanner, who left work on July 11.

73-YEAR-OLD COLLEGE GRADUATE PKG 1:45

After a 50-year delay, Daryl Fellbaum decided to return to NDSU to complete his history degree. Daryl was just a few credits short of earning his degree when he left NDSU in 1971.

JULY 26

WALLIN MEMORIAL SERVICE PKG 1:45

Thousands of people lined the motorcade route and attended the public memorial service for Officer Jake Wallin.

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Temperatures approaching triple digits and high dewpoints will make it uncomfortable and possibly unhealthy for some people to be outdoors today.

JULY 27

BECKER COUNTY FAIR PKG 1:45

Speaking with vendors and fairgoers about this year's events and features at the Becker County Fair in Detroit Lakes.

SUITE SHOTS FUNDRAISER VOSOT :45

Suite Shots is donating 50% of game play all day today in support the Fargo Police Department. The money goes to the Leadership Care Fund, which helps members of the Fargo PD with medical emergencies & life-changing events.

JULY 28

LEMONADE BENEFIT PKG 1:45

Some local children helped organize a lemonade sale today in the parking lot at Y94/KFGO. The money raised will be donated to a benefit on behalf of Fargo police.

FARGO BLUES FESTIVAL VOSOT :45

The "premier outdoor summer blues music festival" held annually at Newman Outdoor Field. There are about 40 booths located throughout the concourse and on the field throughout the event.

JULY 29

RIDE TO FIGHT SUICIDE PKG 1:45

Money raised from the event goes to research, education programs, advocacy, and support for loss survivors. All motorcycles and cars are welcome.

JULY 30

FRAZEE TURKEY DAYS PKG 1:45

The 69th annual event wraps up today with events including tractor show (9am), turkey luncheon (11am), parade (2pm) and demolition derby at 3:30pm. Downtown Frazee.

JULY 31

NEW MINNESOTA LAWS PKG 1:45

A lengthy list of new laws goes into effect across Minnesota tomorrow. Several issues, ranging from marijuana, elections, guns, higher education and "deep fakes" are affected.

TEACHER SHORTAGE VOSOT :45

Gov. Doug Burgum has been asked to allow certain college students to be allowed to teach in order to alleviate a teacher shortage. The teachers' union is opposed.

AUGUST 1

SUMMER STORM TRENDS PKG 1:45

It's been a somewhat unusual summer. The number and frequency of severe summer storms in the region is lower than normal. Examining the causes & effects, plus an early outlook on winter.

NIL MONEY PKG 1:45

A closer look at the "name, image and likeness" issue, plus what it means to area colleges and college athletes.

AUGUST 2

BARAKAT NEW VOSOT :45

The gunman who killed a Fargo police officer admitted owning nearly a dozen guns and thousands of rounds of ammunition in a 2022 police interview. Firefighters found guns, ammunition and propane tanks in Mohamad Barakat's apartment.

POLICE RECRUITS PKG 1:45

Law enforcement recruits are training at Harwood Elementary School. We'll speak with them about their decision to go into law enforcement and the challenges/dangers facing officers today.

AUGUST 3

FELIX BATTLES MONUMENT PKG 1:45

A monument commemorating one of the first Black residents of Moorhead will be dedicated soon at MSUM. Felix Battles was a Union soldier who was born into slavery in Tennessee.

UND PROF TALKS UAP'S PKG 1:45

Unidentified Aerial Phenomena The issue has been the subject of recent congressional hearings. Visiting with Dr. Sherry Fieber-Beyer, Assistant Professor of Space Studies at the University of North Dakota.

AUGUST 4

FISHING RECORD PKG 1:45

The North Dakota Game & Fish Dept. says more fish have been caught during the summer of 2023 than any other summer state history.

ND SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL VOSOT :45

The North Dakota Shakespeare Festival concludes this weekend in Grand Forks, with the final performances.

AUGUST 5

ABER DAYS PKG 1:45

Aber Days celebration runs through Sunday, 9am-5pm at Fort Abercrombie State Historical Site. Featuring Civil War encampment, blacksmithing, medicine woman, photography workshop, sewing demonstrations and more.

AUGUST 6

RENAISSANCE FAIR PKG 1:45

It's the first weekend of the North Dakota Renaissance Fair at the Red River Valley Fairgrounds.

AUGUST 7

BLOOD DONATIONS PKG 1:45

This is the end of a longstanding prohibition on gay male blood donations that arose out of the AIDS crisis of the 1980s. We talk with Red Cross representatives and Essentia health experts about how this could be a game changer.

CITY BUDGET APPROVED VOSOT :45

The Fargo City Commission votes to approve the mayor's 2024 preliminary \$120 million budget.

AUGUST 8

JUSTICE FOR JUNIOR PKG 1:45

The mother of an autistic boy speaks to the Norman County Commission regarding an assault that allegedly happened in school. The boy's mother claims the county attorney won't file charges due to lack of evidence. A demonstration was also planned.

FIRE DEPARTMENT DASHBOARD VOSOT :45

The West Fargo Fire Dept. announces a new data dashboard, providing public information on incident responses at a new city website.

AUGUST 9

TEACHER WAIVER PKG 1:45

Gov. Doug Burgum has granted a request from the North Dakota Education Standards and Practices Board to address the state's teacher shortage. Seeking reaction from local school officials and others.

RECORD DONATION VOSOT :45

The Plains Art Museum has received a record \$3 million donation from a member of the museum's board.

AUGUST 10

BELL TOWER TOUR PKG 1:45

Bell Bank hosts a hard hat tour and gives a progress report on the extensive Bell Tower renovation on Main Avenue. The new headquarters is scheduled to be completed in May 2024 and will serve as a hub for over 500 Bell Bank employees.

RETURN TO ULEN VOSOT :45

PFC John Opgrand was stationed in the Philippines during WWII and was captured by the Japanese. His remains are finally being returned home to Ulen, Minn.

AUGUST 11

FOOD TRUCK FESTIVAL PKG 1:45

The 10th annual Fargo Food Truck Festival begins today at the Red River Valley Fairgrounds.

BURGUM IN IOWA VOSOT :45

North Dakota Gov. Doug Burgum campaigns in the GOP primary at the Iowa State Fair.

AUGUST 12

STEM EXPO VOSOT :45

The 2023 STEM Expo will be held at the Butler Machinery Arena at the Red River Valley Fairgrounds. The Expo includes exhibits from area organizations, colleges and businesses.

AUGUST 13

PRIDE PARADE PKG 1:45

The annual parade commemorates the Fargo-Moorhead Pride Week.

AUGUST 14

TEE TO BE CANCER FREE PKG 1:45

Ladies' Annual Golf tournament benefits the FM Breast Friends, a local non-profit support group for Breast Cancer Survivors.

RECALL PREVIEW VOSOT :45

A preview to this week's special city commission recall election in Horace, ND.

AUGUST 15

EDUCATION SUMMIT PKG 1:45

Gov. Doug Burgum welcomes teachers, students, administrators and community leaders to the seventh annual Governor's Summit on Innovative Education at Cheney Middle School in West Fargo.

HORACE RECALL ELECTION VOSOT :45

Residents in Horace will determine the outcome of a recall election. Council member Stephanie Landstrom is being challenged by Arlin Fisher. It's the second recall election of a Horace City Council member in the past two years.

AUGUST 16

DIVERSION TOUR PKG 1:45

Senator Tina Smith, Moorhead Mayor Shelly Carlson & others will tour the F-M Flood Diversion Project.

POLICE COOKOUT VOSOT :45

A local business is hosting a cookout fundraiser for members of the Fargo Police Department.

AUGUST 17

POLICE SHOOTING VIDEO PKG 2:30

ND Attorney General Drew Wrigley and Fargo Police Chief David Zibolski hold a news conference and release police body camera video from the fatal July 14 police shooting.

BACK TO SCHOOL SLEEP VOSOT :45

A physician speaks with us regarding issues faced by students transitioning from summer vacation to school hours.

AUGUST 18

GOLDEN DRIVE VOSOT :45

Making 350 birthday bags for homeless kids. Volunteers will pack bags with items like cupcake decorating items, napkins and plates, toothbrushes and toothpaste and more.

PIONEER DAYS VOSOT :45

A preview to the upcoming Pioneer Days celebration at Bonanzaville in West Fargo.

AUGUST 19

NDSU MOVE IN DAY PKG 1:45

Thousands of students move into residence halls for the start of fall semester at North Dakota State University.

AUGUST 20

BEAN DAYS PKG 1:45

It's the final day of Bean Days and the 150th birthday celebration in Horace, North Dakota. Events include Car Show, Parade, Fireworks, Dog Show, Community Picnic and more.

AUGUST 21

GARLAND VISITS FARGO VOSOT :45

U.S. Attorney General Merrick Garland is in Fargo today to meet with local, state and federal law enforcement officials.

BACK TO SCHOOL IMMUNIZATIONS VOSOT :45

Sanford Health is holding a Back-to-School Immunization Clinic this week.

AUGUST 22

FARGODOME PLAN UNVEILED PKG 1:45

The Fargo City Commission and Fargodome Authority host a Joint Informational Meeting to provide details for a planned multi-million-dollar overhaul & expansion.

BACK TO SCHOOL CONNECT VOSOT :45

Free backpacks, school supplies and haircuts, courtesy of Skill Cutz Barber College were given away. Event is hosted by Families United for Self-Empowerment.

AUGUST 23

CHLOE KIRKPATRICK VOSOT :45

Hope, Inc.'s Chloe Kirkpatrick, who is heading to the Women's World Sled Hockey Challenge, visits the Cullen Hockey Center in Moorhead. Chloe is on the USA National Sled Hockey Team.

BURGUM INJURED PKG 1:45

Gov. Doug Burgum was taken to the ER in Milwaukee last night after being injured during a pickup basketball game with staffers. The timing is significant because it's not known whether Burgum will be able to participate in tonight's first GOP primary debate.

AUGUST 24

NETTERVILLE DISPUTE PKG 2:30

The family of Shane Netterville is involved in a dispute over a homemade memorial that the family added to Netterville's gravesite. Netterville was shot by Fargo police last year after he refused commands to exit his vehicle

SRO's OUT VOSOT :45

Due to a recent changes in Minnesota law, the Moorhead Police Department has temporarily removed School Resource Officers from Moorhead Area Public Schools.

AUGUST 25

BATTLE BLITZ PAINTBALL OPENS PKG 1:45

The 25,000 sq. ft. indoor paintball activity center opens today in Dilworth. The facility has unique features and is the largest of its kind in the region.

FARGO CYCLING HAZARDS VOSOT :45

According to a study commissioned by a law firm, Fargo is the most feared city by cyclists in North Dakota and is among the feared cities to ride in the nation.

AUGUST 26

BARNESVILLE POTATO DAYS PKG 1:45

The city-wide festival takes place each year in Barnesville, Minn.

AUGUST 27

DAY OF DIGNITY PKG 1:45

Day of Dignity provides essential personal care items, support and resources to those experiencing homelessness. Events include free haircuts, shaves, personal care products, food, produce and more.

AUGUST 28

GRIFF'S GRAB-N-GIVE PKG 1:45

Ian Griffin, a Fargo homeowner with a front yard display that provides household items free of charge, says he's been ordered by the city of Fargo to remove the items.

FARGO SCHOOLS OPEN VOSOT :45

Fargo Public Schools begin the 2023-2024 academic year today, preliminary enrollment figures released.

AUGUST 29

HYPERSONIC MISSILES PKG 1:45

Sen. John Hoeven and others announce details surrounding the expansion of the Sky Range Hypersonic Missile Testing Program to Hector International Airport in Fargo.

BLOOD BROTHERS PKG 3:00

KVRR's Adam Ladwig tells the incredible story of how his father's life-long friend ended up donating a kidney and saving his father's life.

AUGUST 30

HOUSING DISCUSSION PKG 1:45

Concordia College hosts a discussion on the housing situation in our region. "Housing in Fargo-Moorhead: Exploring Challenges and Possibilities."

NDSU COUNSELING CENTER PKG 1:45

The NDSU Counseling Center unveils a newly renovated space. Visitors can meet the staff, interact with therapy dogs and NDSU's miniature horses.

AUGUST 31

TRIATHLON DEATH PKG 1:45

Cheryl Lucero, a Fargo native who had been living in Texas, died while competing in a triathlon in Finland. She was 66.

SANFORD EXPANSION VOSOT :45

Sanford Health recently expanded orthopedic services with the addition of outreach care by doctors who travel from Grand Forks and Bemidji to Thief River Falls. Sanford says it means less travel time for patients in TRF and surrounding communities.

SEPTEMBER 1

CANCER SHANIA FAN VOSOT :45

A cancer patient who's faced multiple setbacks, including once being placed in a coma, is hoping to meet Shania Twain in person when she comes to Fargo to perform later this year.

POLICE SHOOTING NEW VOSOT :45

Update from state AG Drew Wrigley on July 14th fatal shooting that foiled a potential mass shooting/bombing and left 1 officer dead and others wounded.

SEPTEMBER 2

STEAM THRESHERS PKG 1:45

Annual Rollag, Minn. event with lots of big machinery and steam engine enthusiasts.

SEPTEMBER 3

LAST LAKES DAY PKG 1:45

It's the last unofficial day for lakes recreation, businesses, restaurants, etc. of the 2023 summer season.

SEPTEMBER 4

MOORHEAD FIRE VOSOT :45

Fire destroyed a home in Moorhead early Monday morning. The Fire Department said more details would be released later.

HORSE SHOW VOSOT :45

North Dakota Quarterhorse Association Legendary Horse Show and Futurity in Valley City. All sorts of horse skills on display.

SEPTEMBER 5

WEIGHT LOSS DRUGS PKG 1:45

They were first developed as a life-saving miracle treatment for people facing diabetes to help get their weight under control. But now, people who are just looking to shed a few vanity pounds are creating a nationwide shortage of weight loss drugs.

UKRAINE HELP VOSOT :45

A local activist gives update on efforts to send relief to Ukrainian freedom fighters in their second year of struggle to defend against the Russian invasion.

SEPTEMBER 6

GREATER MOORHEAD DAYS PKG 1:45

Greater Moorhead Days begins tomorrow with activities and events for all ages, including the Greater Moorhead Days Parade, canoe and kayak rentals, Medallion Hunt and more.

DEER HUNTING PREVIEW VOSOT :45

A look ahead to the ND deer hunting season with outreach biologist Doug Leier.

SEPTEMBER 7

DOTAS TALKS VOSOT :45

Fargo Police Officer Andrew Dotas speaks publicly for the first time after being critically injured in a July shooting.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS DINNER VOSOT :45

Concordia College and the Fargo Moorhead International Potluck provide food and resources for international students and the community.

SEPTEMBER 8

BRANDT SENTENCING VOSOT :45

Shannon Brandt, who fatally hit 18-year-old Cayler Ellingson with his SUV following a street dance in McHenry, North Dakota last year, is sentenced to 5 years in prison.

IMPLOSION PREVIEW PKG 1:45

A preview to next Saturday's implosion of the Lashkowitz High Rise in downtown Fargo. Last-minute preps, things to know, etc.

SEPTEMBER 9

5K RECOVERY WALK PKG 1:45

Join Fargo RADD (Runners Against Destructive Decisions) and Soul Solutions Recovery Center for the First annual 5K Fun Run/Walk for Recovery. Begins at 6PM.

SEPTEMBER 10

APPLE HARVEST FESTIVAL PKG 1:45

It's the 5th annual Apple Harvest Festival. Petting zoo, games, crafts, cider pressing demonstrations, flower and produce market, live music and more. 12pm-4pm. Wild Terra Cider, 6 12th St. N., Fargo.

SEPTEMBER 11

9/11 CEREMONY PKG 1:45

The Fargo Memorial Honor Guard hosts this year's local 9/11 ceremony.

CRUNCH FITNESS 9/11 EVENT VOSOT :45

Crunch Fitness challenged staff and gym members to climb 110 flights of stairs in remembrance of the 110 floors of the World Trade Center Twin Towers.

SEPTEMBER 12

BIG IRON PKG 1:45

One of the largest farm & ranch-related trade shows in the nation begins today at the Red River Valley Fairgrounds in West Fargo.

REFOREST THE RED VOSOT :45

Riverkeepers is planting thousands of trees and shrubs along the Red River. Lindenwood Park, Fargo.

SEPTEMBER 13

TRAVEL SCAMS PKG 1:45

An Ohio family was apparently scammed by someone using Delta Airlines and the name of a local travel agency. Police say this type of problem has been escalating.

DRUG COURT ANNIVERSARY PKG 1:45

In recognition of the 20th anniversary of the East Central Judicial District's first Adult Drug Court. Ceremony begins at 3pm at the Cass County Courthouse.

SEPTEMBER 14

NDSU HEALTH JOBS PKG 1:45

Employers wanting to fill healthcare and human sciences job openings are connecting with North Dakota State University students at the Health and Human Sciences Career Fair at the Fargodome.

FINAL COUNTDOWN VOSOT :45

Checking the status of the Lashkowitz High Rise implosion. Final preps are under way. The 22-story, 204 ft. building is coming down Saturday at 7am.

SEPTEMBER 15

CITY PURCHASE PROBE VOSOT :45

A West Fargo citizen group says it has records that show former West Fargo City Administrator Tina Fiske oversaw city purchases of almost \$30,000 worth of promotional gifts from her husband's business.

BUSINESS CHANGES VOSOT :45

Longtime Moorhead business Johnson's Auto Repair recently closed its two locations and moved to the former A-1 Auto Repair in Moorhead.

SEPTEMBER 16

HIGH RISE IMPLOSION PKG 2:00

Fargo's 22-story Lashkowitz High Rise is imploded at 7am. Live coverage, plus a complete recap and local reaction.

SEPTEMBER 17

ANIME CONVENTION PKG 1:45

The annual Anime Fargo Convention wraps up Sunday at the Ramada by Wyndham, Fargo.

SEPTEMBER 18

CIVIC WEST PROJECT PKG 1:45

A new community project in West Fargo intended to "increase civic information and engagement" will give residents resources through a central "online hub" and a new means of communicating with each other.

CONSTITUTION DAY VOSOT :45

Minnesota State University Moorhead hosts a Constitution Day Celebration to commemorate the signing of the U.S. Constitution in 1787.

SEPTEMBER 19

ROBERTS ALLEY FACELIFT PKG 1:45

After years of planning, a major project to remove the unsightly overhead utility lines and utility poles from Roberts Alley in downtown Fargo is nearly completed. The project is a joint venture between the city, Xcel Energy and the Kilbourne Group.

DA VINCI EXHIBIT PKG 1:45

The Becker County Museum in Detroit Lakes hosts an exhibit featuring recreations of the work of Leonardo Da Vinci. The exhibit includes models, machines, sketches and replicas of the Mona Lisa and The Last Supper.

SEPTEMBER 20

FPD COUNSELOR PKG 1:45

A Fargo Police Dept. counselor takes us inside the workings of how a police peer group has been helping officers deal with death of Officer Jake Wallin.

COATS FOR KIDS VOSOT :45

The Salvation Army, Fargo/Moorhead is now accepting applications for Kids and Families that need gently used coats, hats, gloves, and other winter garb for the winter season.

SEPTEMBER 21

NDSCS ENROLLMENT PKG 1:45

North Dakota State College of Science announced a "remarkable increase" in the number of students this academic year. The official headcount shows that enrollment has risen to 3,140 for the fall semester.

E-PULL TAB MEETING PKG 1:45

"Protect our charities," a group opposed to new restrictions on electronic pull tabs in Minnesota will discuss the impacts on local charities in Moorhead.

SEPTEMBER 22

SUPERMARKET CLOSING PKG 1:45

The only supermarket in Enderlin, North Dakota is about to close its doors. City leaders are concerned and discussing future options for the Enderlin Super Valu.

FARM SAFETY WEEK VOSOT :45

A representative from Sanford SAFE Kids discusses ways to keep children safe on the farm during National Farm Safety and Health Week.

SEPTEMBER 23

WALK TO END ALZHEIMER'S VOSOT :45

Opening Ceremony 10am, Walk begins at 10:20am. Essentia Health Plaza at The Lights, 300 32nd Ave W. West Fargo.

SEPTEMBER 24

ROUGH RIDER INK & IRON EXPO PKG 1:45

The annual Roughrider Ink & Iron Expo. Over 90 artists will be tattooing on-site along with 100+ custom-built motorcycles on display throughout the venue.

SEPTEMBER 25

WEST FARGO BOND ISSUE PKG 1:45

An explainer for tomorrow's election, as West Fargo School District voters go to the polls to decide whether to approve a \$147 million bond referendum.

BIKE TRAIL COMPLETED VOSOT :45

A ceremony today for Moorhead's newly-completed 16 mile-long Midtown Bike & Pedestrian Trail. The project has been in the works for nearly 10 years.

SEPTEMBER 26

SERVE WITH THE HERD PKG 1:45

NDSU students will spend thousands of hours giving back to the Fargo-Moorhead community while developing skills that will serve them well in their life and career.

FARM IN THE DELL PKG 1:45

A profile of Farm in the Dell, a non-profit which has provided employment for people with disabilities in a farm setting near Moorhead since 2012.

SEPTEMBER 27

CCRI FUNDING SHORTAGE VOSOT :45

Creative Care for Reaching Independence recently received the first mental health funding increase in seven years. But because state funding shortages put CCRI's program at risk, they're holding a fundraiser in hopes of raising \$100,000.

FILL THE BOOT PKG 1:45

The Fargo Fire Dept. competes against The Fargo Police Dept. in the third annual Battle of the Badges Blood Drive. The competition is held at the American Red Cross office in Fargo.

SEPTEMBER 28

WFPS WHAT'S NEXT? PKG 1:45

West Fargo Public Schools Superintendent Beth Slette discusses the district's next steps following the defeat of a \$147 million bond referendum on Tuesday.

SUITE SHOTS FUNDRAISER VOSOT :45

Suite Shots and the "TeamConnor" Childhood Cancer Foundation hold a "Swing Fore Childhood Cancer" fundraiser from 4pm-6pm at Suite Shots in Fargo.

SEPTEMBER 29

STATE OF THE UNIVERSITY VOSOT :45

NDSU President David Cook's State of the University Address. Festival Concert Hall. The event will be livestreamed at ndsu.edu/president.

BIG BROTHERS, BIG SISTERS PKG 3:00

A profile of participants in the local Big Brothers, Big Sisters program.

SEPTEMBER 30

HANKINSON OKTOBERFEST PKG 1:45

The Hankinson Commercial Club is sponsoring its 21st Annual Oktoberfest Celebration on Saturday. A full day of German music, food and fun is planned. Schedule of events: www.hankinsonnd.com. Julie Falk 701-242-7414.

GLOBAL DAY VOSOT :45

It's Global Day at Red River Market. A variety of vendors will celebrate the diverse cultures, culinary delights, and local entertainment. 10am-2pm, Broadway Square, downtown Fargo.

Issues:

Health
Heart Disease
Non-profit

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: KVRR LOCAL NEWS AT (7A/8A)

Date: 7-11-2023 Time: 8AM Length: 4:31

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Jessica Lundgren, American Heart Association

Brief Description

Promoting the annual Heart Walk
to raise money and awareness about heart disease.

Issues:

Conservation
Non-profit

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: KVRR LOCAL NEWS AT (7A/8A)

Date: 7-21-23 Time: 8Am Length: 4:51

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Sally Jacobson - Red River Zoo

Brief Description

Discussing the annual Zoo Brew fundraiser to raise money for the Zoo's exhibits & programs.

Issues: Non-profit
Education

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

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Date: 8-18-23 Time: 8Am Length: 5:08

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Romayne Kilde Cass County Historical Society

Brief Description

Program Profiles Pioneer Days
An annual event at Bonanza ville to teach about
OUR region's history.

Issues:

fundraiser
non-profit

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: KVRr LOCAL NEWS AT (7A/8A)

Date: 8-30-23 Time: 8Am Length: 5:33

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Jordan Tepley, Organizer

Brief Description

A local band is holding a concert fundraiser to raise money for victims of a mass shooting during a music festival in Minneapolis.

Issues:

Education
child Development

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: KVRR LOCAL NEWS AT (7A/8A)

Date: 9-5-2023 Time: 8Am Length:

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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(circle one)

Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Lauren Johnson Librarian - Fargo Public Library
Amber Emery Librarian - Fargo Public Library

Brief Description

Guests appear to discuss the
14th annual Bookmark Competition.

Contest emphasizes getting kids to read more.

Issues:

Non-profit
music education

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: KVRr LOCAL NEWS AT (7A/8A)

Date: 9-21-2023 Time: 8Am Length: 3:00

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

Locally Produced Network Syndicated

(circle one)

Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Chris Zimmerman, Conductor, F-M Symphony

Brief Description

Kicking off the 92nd season
of the Fargo-Moorhead Symphony