

KQDS-TV ISSUES AND PROGRAMS LIST (NEWS)

FOURTH QUARTER 2023 (October 1 – December 31)

10/1 Childcare Concerns 2:31

Barry Family Park Memorial 2:25

10/2 Domestic Violence Awareness 2:14

UW System President 1:30

10/3 Gatlin Charges/Vineyard Statement 1:37

Duluth School Referendum 1:09

10/4 DECC Layoffs 2:19

Lead Water Lines Project 1:02

10/5 DECC Hartman Reaction 3:59

DECC Seawall Update 1:42

10/6 Superior Fire Changes 2:15

St. Mary's Security :34

10/7 No Newscast

10/8 Klobuchar on Gaza 1:10

Twin Ports Socialist Statement 3:11

10/9 Indigenous Peoples Day 1:53

Hermantown Hires Fire Chief 1:20

10/10 World Homelessness Day 1:35

First Ever Citizens Academy :37

10/11 Fredenberg Gravel Pit :45

Synagogue Reaction 2:15

10/12 Agard Pot Push 1:14

Candidate Forum 1:06

10/13 Ruby Slippers Stealer 3:24

Mosque Graffiti :20

10/14 No Newscast

10/15 Vandalized Mosque 2:02

DTA Route Update :35

10/16 Seawall Construction 1:55

CHUM Week :59

10/17 Minority Leader Demuth 1:01

City's Sales Tax 1:24

10/18 Walz Visits Autoworkers :46

Whole Foods Solar :53

10/19 Fire Chiefs Conference :50

New Sixth District Judge :28

10/20 DTA Updates 2:36

Stauber Tiffany House Speaker :22

10/21 No Newscast

10/22 Wetterling Book 2:29

Sun Country to Florida :40

10/23 Shipping Strike 1:17

Ness Endorses Larson 2:26

10/24 Energy Awareness Expo :46

Free MNDOT Training 1:07

10/25 Gun Violence Protection 1:15

Health Merger Meeting 1:16

10/26 Auto Theft Arrest :34

Community Connect :58

10/27 Hope Haven House :54

Charitable Gambling 1:01

10/28 No Newscast

10/29 Adam Johnson 1:47

Reinert Larson Endorsement 2:37

10/30 Sandelin on Johnson 2:28

40 Years Community Foundation 1:26

10/31 Council Hate Speech 1:43
Neck Guards Sell :59
11/1 CHUM Warming Center :57
Interchange Update 1:18
11/2 Gender Equity Summit :42
UWS First Generation Students 2:05
11/3 Reinert Police Union :39
NAACP Milestone 1:01
11/4 No Newscast
11/5 Election Latest 2:12
Police Union Calls Out Candidates 2:00
11/6 Duluth Overdose Calls 1:11
Adam Johnson Funeral 2:26
11/7 Election Coverage.
Extended Election Newscast 1 hour, 20 minutes.
11/8 Sonia Kovalevsky Day 1:09
Election Results Reactions 10:08
11/9 Blood Drive For Veterans 1:18
Make A Difference Conference 1:06
11/10 Women in Black Vigil :34
Stella Maris Veterans :49
11/11 No Newscast
11/12 American Legion Veterans Day 2:10
Edmund Fitzgerald Remembrance 2:28
11/13 Animal Neglect Arrest 1:00
NTEC Backlash 6:34
11/14 Adam Johnson Arrest 1:43
Sipress on Election 3:42
11/15 MN Power Scams 1:00
Stop Arm Campaign 2:09

11/16 One Roof New Homes :47
Holiday Cooking Safety 1:35
11/17 Bag Hunger Campaign Check :47
Bell Ringers Needed :39
11/18 No Newscast
11/19 Native American Heritage :49
Duluth Jewish Anti-Zionists 1:21
11/20 CHUM Thanksgiving Boxes :58
Chauvin Denial :37
11/21 Turkey Frying Warning 1:03
Credit Card Fraud 2:21
11/22 Police and Firefighter of the Year :53
Lung Cancer Survivor 2:44
11/23 Duluth Fire Dept. Police Dept. Reinert :30
DECC Thanksgiving 2:30
11/24 No Newscast
11/25 No Newscast
11/26 Chauvin Stabbing Update 1:38
Spirit Mountain/Mont Du Lac Open 1:29
11/27 U.S. Naval Academy Student 1:42
Local Gas Prices 2:50
11/28 Ojibwe Flag Finalist 2:09
Toys for Tots 1:26
11/29 Viking Lounge Fire 2:50
Hermantown Fire Job Update 1:21
11/30 Dog Illness 3:13
YWCA Donation 1:31
12/1 New Superior Chief of Police 1:36
DPD Swearing-In :54

12/2 No Newscast

12/3 Hmong New Year :54

Reagan Defense Forum 2:06

12/4 LSC Fall Graduation 1:34

Falastin Pop-up 1:32

12/5 Reinert Transition 3:59

Red Kettle Season 1:15

12/6 School Threats :52

Immunization Numbers 1:15

12/7 Annual Day of Giving :46

Bridge Toll Increase 7:15

12/8 NLX Funding :35

Ice Rinks :35

12/9 No Newscast

12/10 Mayoral Appointments 2:07

DECC Finances Update 2:02

12/11 DECC Appointment Update 1:52

Dog Rescue and Training 2:22

12/12 St. Louis County Deputies 2:54

First Witness New Facility :54

12/13 Postal Delays 1:16

Reinert Appointments 2:17

12/14 Damiano's Kids' Kitchen 1:14

Gun Violence Vigil :52

12/15 Housing Money 1:26

Lutsen Denied :20

12/16 No Newscast

12/17 Veterans' Wreaths 2:42

Beltrami Ice Rescue :32

12/18 Parking Ramp Fencing :52

Sock Drive and Toys 1:17

12/19 Homeless Vigil :58

New Minnesota Flag :37

12/20 Ukraine Ambulance 3:25

Blue Christmas :59

12/21 Lester Golf Course 1:28

Waste Free Christmas 1:19

12/22 Shipping Season Update 1:59

Gifts For Veterans 1:38

12/23 No Newscast

12/24 20 Years of Bentleyville 3:01

Stuffed Animal Drive 2:47

12/25 Cohasset Ice :50

AAD Shriners Santa :46

12/26 Spirit Mountain Chester Bowl Rain :58

Salvation Army Reaches Goal 1:08

12/27 Memory Café Band 1:17

Stop Arm Violation 1:00

12/28 Mont du Lac and Other Hills Re-Open 1:18

Ice Safety :50

12/29 Masks and COVID Numbers 1:24

Wisconsin Chancellor 1:15

12/30 No Newscast

12/31 Blatnik Bridge Funding 2:01

Gravel Roads Deteriorating 1:18

Issues : Homelessness
Unemployment
Social Services

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: FOX 21 Morning News at 8:00

Date: Oct. 6, 2023 Time: 8-23 Length: 4:13

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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(circle one)

Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Bradley Zwagerman

Director of Marketing and Communications

CHUM

Brief Description

Discussion of Homelessness and upcoming
FUNDRAISING GALA, Celebrating CHUM's 50
years of helping people without a place
to sleep, and helping the homeless
get the support they need to find
Housing, employment and basic needs.

Issues :

Environment
Climate Change
Impact on Society
and Economy.

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: FOX 21 Morning News at 8:00

Date: Oct. 19, 2023 Time: 8:17 Length: 4:52

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Julie Etterson - UMD

Director of the Institute on the Environment.

Jonna Korpi - UMD

Director of the Office of SUSTAINABILITY.

Brief Description

Discussion of upcoming "Our Climate Futures"
Conference. Discussion of sessions on how climate
change affects communities differently. A look at
how people can adapt or reduce the impact. Also a
focus on how the changes will specifically affect
Duluth and Northern Minnesota.

Also information about how the public can
learn about and attend sessions.

Issues: Education
School Funding
Election Referendum

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: FOX 21 Morning News at 7:00

Date: Oct. 23, 2023 Time: 7:50 Length: 5:04

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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(circle one)

Guest and Title

Organization City, State

John Magas

Superintendent

Duluth Public Schools

Brief Description

Discussion of upcoming school levy referendums. Request is for \$17.9 million. Superintendent explained how the money would be used for mental and academic support for students, a more diverse range of classes, and access to more state-of-the-art learning technology. Also discussed future forums where public could get more information.

Issues: Public Policy
Economic Development
Civic Leadership

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: FOX 21 Morning News at 8-00

Date: Oct. 25, 2023 Time: 8-21 Length: 4:15

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Dan Fanning

Vice President of Strategy and Policy
Duluth Chamber of Commerce

Brief Description

Discussion of upcoming Annual Meeting.
153RD such annual meeting. Discussion
of Chamber goals and role in the community.
Celebrate successes and discuss what
issues have been addressed in the
past year, and what priorities will
be going forward.

Issues: Collegiate Athletics
Women's Sports
Education

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: FOX 21 Morning News at 7:00 + 8:00

Date: Nov. 15, 2023 Time: 7:47 Length: 3:43
8:23 6:01

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Liv Christner

Senior Diver, Denfeld High School

Claire Roufs

Sophomore Diver, Denfeld High School

Brief Description

Both students qualified for State Diving
Tournament. Discussed what it takes to
compete at that level, including practice,
Time Commitment, mental attitude and approach.
Also discuss opportunities and
decision-making in pursuing diving
and women's athletics at a collegiate
level.

Issues : Health Care
Diabetes
Medical Treatment

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: FOX 21 Morning News at 8:00 A.M.

Date: Nov. 20, 2023 Time: 7:49 AM Length: 5:33

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Maija Kaarto

Clinical Supervisor

ST-Luke's Advanced Wound CARE +

Hyperbaric Center

Brief Description

NOVEMBER IS National Diabetes Awareness
Month. Discussion of the importance of checking
feet regularly for diabetes patients. Foot wounds
are common, and without proper treatment
and healing, people can have serious
complications, up to and including
Amputation. One in four Americans have
diabetes.

Issues: Cultural Awareness
ART
Indigenous Economic Opportunity
and Outreach

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: FOX 21 MORNING NEWS at 8:00

Date: Nov. 22, 2023 Time: 8:24 Length: 4:30

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Khayman Goodsky
Coordinator

"Indigenous First"

Brief Description

Ms. Goodsky explained the upcoming
event for Indigenous and BIPOC artists,
authors and entrepreneurs. The AICHO
Biboon Bimaadizimin (Winter Good Life)
Market is a chance for the vendors to
reach a different public audience and
for the public to see items not always
found in traditional stores and settings.
Also opportunity for cultural education and understanding
of traditional Native games such
as lacrosse.

Issues : Education
Tuition FUNDING
Employment

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: FOX 21 Morning News at 8:00

Date: Nov. 29, 2023 Time: 8:21 AM Length: 3:58

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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Guest and Title

Organization City, State

AMBER BURNS

COMMUNITY Impact Specialist

Duluth Superior Area Community FOUNDATION

Brief Description

Discussion of FUNDS available for
Scholarships. \$800,000 is available.
Open to STUDENTS OR JOB SEEKERS who
are pursuing post-SECONDARY Education.
Description of the application Process
and where and how people can get
access to the applications.

Issues : Outdoor Recreation
Environment
Youth Education + Safety

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Name of Program: FOX 21 Morning News at 8:00

Date: Dec. 4, 2023 Time: 8:18 A.M. Length: 3:24

Regularly Scheduled Program? Yes or No (circle one)

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Guest and Title

Organization City, State

Chris Jacobson

Night Riders Snowmobile Club

Helmantown

Brief Description

The club and its volunteers maintain
Snowmobile Trails in communities in the area.
Part of the system the STATE relies on for
taking care of Recreational Trails. FUNDS
needed for equipment, fuel, repairs, etc.
Also have youth programs that include
Driving Training and Safety education.
FUNDRAISER IN DECEMBER TO RAISE AWARENESS
and FUNDS for club responsibilities.