

Quarterly Needs and Programs Report

3rd Quarter, 2013

Description of Programming

KSJQ Perspective

A three-minute program on a topic of interest, often one of the top news stories of the week, based on interviews with the people involved. Perspective is broadcast Saturday at 5:50 a.m.

Health

7.20.13 T-dap clinics are scheduled in Saint Joseph, Savannah, Tarkio, and Maryville to vaccinate residents for pertussis, diphtheria, and tetanus; with Ryan Hobart, Missouri Department of Health.

Government

7.27.13 Missouri House holds a hearing on whether state agencies are helping to implement the federal REAL ID law in violation of state law; with State Representative Steve Cox and Kristy Manning, deputy director of legislative affairs for the governor's office.

Education

8.31.13 Heat wave points up the need for air conditioning in classrooms; with Superintendent Fred Czerwonka, Saint Joseph School District.

Law Enforcement

7.6.13 Kansas City teenager given probation after causing a fatal traffic accident because she was texting while driving repeatedly violated the terms of her probation and finally was sentenced to prison; with Platte County Prosecutor Eric Zahnd.

8.10.13 New state law goes into effect August 28 that changes the issuing of CCW licenses in Missouri; with Buchanan County Undersheriff Bill Puett.

Service Organizations

8.3.13 Salvation Army and United Way hold the annual Stuff the Bus campaign to gather school supplies for needy children; with Captain Dana Cook of the Salvation Army and Linda Burns of the United Way.

8.24.13 Friends of the Animal Shelter offers tips on caring for so-called "exotic" pets, those that are not dogs or cats; with Dr. Joanne Branson, All Creatures Animal Hospital, and Kappy Hodges, Friends of the Animal Shelter.

9.14.13 Performing Arts Association outlines an overview of the six productions that will be offered this 2013/14 season; with Beth Sharp, director.

Political Issues

9.28.13 Gun control in Washington DC, and attempts to spread strict gun control laws to other cities and states; with Emily Miller, author of Emily Gets Her Gun, But Obama Wants To Take Yours.

Quality of Life

7.13.13 Details about the entertainment scheduled for the Tarkio Airshow this weekend; with Brooks Hurst, manager, Tarkio Airport.

8.17.13 21st annual Trails West Festival runs this weekend in Saint Joseph; with Shannon White, co-chair of the festival, and Ashley Jones, marketing coordinator, Allied Arts.

9.7.13 Rodeo clown banned from the Missouri State Fair for a routine in which a clown wore an Obama mask speaks out about what happened and why it was not racist; with Tuffy Gessling.

9.21.13 South Side Fall Festival is this weekend; with Gary Pettis, festival chairman.