

KKQY Q1 Issues and Programming List

Jan. 1 – March 31, 2024

| Issue | Program | Description | Guest | Date | Time | Length |
|------------------|-----------------|--|-------------|---------|------|--------|
| Policing | Sunday Sessions | Where is funding for law enforcement | Cameron | 1-7-24 | 6:00 | 4:51 |
| Money Management | Sunday Sessions | It's important to set solid financial goals | Kiss | 1-14-24 | 6:00 | 15:01 |
| Conservation | Sunday Sessions | There is a new program aimed at helping conserve grassland in western Kansas | Moore | 1-28-24 | 6:00 | 4:49 |
| Fire Prevention | Sunday Sessions | With the dry condition fire officials give tips on ways to prevent fires. | Ward | 2-18-24 | 6:00 | 3:31 |
| Health care | Sunday Sessions | The state of Kansas continues to deal with pharmacy deserts | Shackelford | 2-25-24 | 6:00 | 4:33 |
| Healthy Eating | Sunday Sessions | K-State Research talks about the importance of healthy eating | Brenes | 3-3-24 | 6:00 | 3:55 |
| Healthy Living | Sunday Sessions | It is important to keep up with regular health check-ups | Johannes | 3-10-24 | 6:00 | 3:51 |
| Education | Sunday Sessions | Teachers are still dealing with the aftermath of the pandemic | Perez | 3-17-24 | 6:00 | 4:46 |
| Walk Kansas | Sunday Sessions | The annual Walk Kansas event begins this coming week. | Jackson | 3-31-24 | 6:00 | 6:43 |

Local health insurance

After the error resulting in HaysMed being inaccurately listed as an in-network healthcare provider under United Healthcare on the federal marketplace, The Kansas CARES program, which offers free assistance to Kansas residents enrolling in healthcare coverage through the federal marketplace

Healthcare

First Care Pharmacy is now open for business inside the Express Care entrance, 13th and Main, of the First Care Clinic in downtown Hays.

Child Care Services

Governor Laura Kelly wants to remove what she calls "red tape" that can make it difficult to open new child care centers. As it stands, the governor says navigating the state's child care services is too complicated and creates a hurdle for people wanting to open child care centers

Big Brothers Big Sisters fundraiser

The third annual "Taste of Hays" fundraiser for the Ellis County chapter of Big Brothers Big Sisters is set for later this month.

Wildfires

The final report of the governor's wildfire task force was released in late November to the legislature.

Catholic Charities

Catholic Charities of Northern Kansas outlined its plans to expand and offer new services in Hays Friday.

Cybersecurity

Hays' state representative Barb Wasinger was appointed as chairman of the new Legislative Modernization committee last year.

Covid

New data suggests that COVID vaccines can reduce the risk of developing blood clots in people 65 and older and those with end-stage renal disease.

Foster Care

Abuse is the number one reason children are removed from their homes and every day 14 children enter St. Francis Ministries for help.

Protection from Scammers

Hundreds of Midwest Energy customers received unwelcome calls from scammers Wednesday morning encouraging customers to “speak to a supervisor” or face disconnection.

Health care

HaysMed announced recently that it has expanded service at the Pediatric Clinic – now offering same-day appointments.

Mental Health

Registration is now open for the annual Healing Kids’ Hearts Retreat for children who have lost a loved one.

Election

A proposal in the Statehouse would require Kansas voters to return mail-in ballots by the end of Election Day.