

RADIO STATION KVNN-AM, VICTORIA, TEXAS
QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST
3rd QUARTER - 2013

Listed below are some of the significant issues responded to by Radio Station KVNN-AM, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period July 1, 2013 to September 30, 2013. The listing is by no means exhaustive or all-inclusive. These issues were in part ascertained through discussions with service-providers and general interaction of station staff with the community, and staff knowledge of the community and area occurrences. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any particular priority.

The following issues were principal topics or themes within the station's weekly public affairs program, "Issues Today" (IT), which is broadcast on Sunday Mornings at 7:00am. Each program has a normal running time (or length) in the range of 29 to 30 minutes. Each program is usually in two or three parts, each dealing with separate topics and issues.

Economy/Foreign Relations - 07/07/13 - IT - Interview with Teemu Ruskola, the author of "Legal Orientalism", about the relationship between China and the United States, and the ramifications of the increasing tension between the two.

National Healthcare/Youth - 07/07/13 - IT - Interview with Terence Grado, the Director of National and State Policy, about the diminished employment opportunity for youths aged 18 to 29, and the impact of national healthcare on everyone.

Health/Seniors - 07/07/13 - IT - Interview with Dr. John Salerno, Family Physician, about the growing suicide rate of middle-aged people, and the relationship between diet and good mental health.

Seniors/Health - 07/14/13 - IT - Interview with George Cappanelli, Author and Founder of agenation.com, about why he feels the sequester is hurting seniors the most, and about the need for seniors and boomers to become more politically active.

Unemployment/Communication - 07/14/13 - IT - Interview with Dana Manciangli, Author and former Hiring Manager, about how to interview better and get a job, and on how to put together the perfect resume and cover letter.

Food Safety/Economy – 07/14/13 – IT – Interview with Gordon G. Change, Author and Forbes Magazine Writer, analyzing the expansion plans that China has and how it affects the United States, and about food safety issues that affect American Imports.

Economy/Personal Debt – 07/21/13 – IT – Interview with Nick Barron, the founder of howtomodify.com, about a new loan modification program that is now available for borrowers, as well as his outlook for the real estate market.

Economy/Debt – 07/21/13 – IT – Interview with Dr. Christine Horner, Author and Oncologist, about the radical mastectomy procedures that some women have done to prevent breast cancer, and about alternative cancer treatment procedures.

Big Government/Economy – 07/21/13 – IT – Interview with John Horvat, Author and Researcher, about the historical growth of big government and how it affects individual citizens.

Outsourcing/Unemployment – 07/28/13 – IT – Interview with Ed Qualls, Business Consultant and the author of “Community Capitalism”, about the need for corporations to adopt local policies to serve the community better, and about the continued outsourcing of jobs.

Consumerism/Education – 07/28/13 – IT – Interview with Pam Oakes, the author of “Car Care for the Clueless”, about how people can better keep their cars in top shape, and about how to find the right mechanic.

Big Government/Economy – 07/28/13 – IT – Interview with Rabbi DB Ganz, the author of “Uncommon Sense”, about ethics in government and how big government programs take away freedoms of individuals; a discussion on the current economic picture was also featured.

Auto Bailout/Economy – 08/04/13 – IT – Interview with James Serafin, Author and Ex-Auto Industry Manager, about the auto industry bailout and how it has affected employees and stockholders.

Youth/Crime – 08/04/13 – IT – Interview with Cathy Steinberg, Child Safety Expert, about how parents can keep their kids safe from the internet, and about new types of crime.

Environment/Conservation – 08/04/13 – IT – Interview with Allison Murry, the Project Coordinator of Project Green Hands, about the project’s involvement with planting trees throughout the world, and about the need for better conservation of resources.

Drug Abuse/Health – 08/11/13 – IT – Interview with Richard Taite, the founder and CEO of Cliffside Malibu Treatment Center, about the death of Cory Monteith and how 30 day rehab programs are not effective, and about the growing problem of prescription drug abuse.

Pet Safety/Consumerism – 08/11/13 – IT – Interview with Dr. Angela Hughes, Geneticist at Mars Veterinary, about the process of DNA testing for dogs and why it is important, and about new testing procedures.

Poverty/Education – 08/11/13 – IT – Interview with Thomas Corley, the author of “Rich Habits: Habits of Wealthy Individuals”, about how some parents teach their kids to fail, as well as some tips on how to get out of poverty.

Gun Control/Crime – 08/18/13 – IT – Interview with Mark Walters, the author of “Lessons from Armed America”, about concealed gun laws and how they have affected crime over the years, and about the constitutionality of gun laws.

Drug Abuse/Youth – 08/18/13 – IT – Interview with Travis Waters, a Youth Drug Abuse Counselor, about his history as a drug dealer and how he has been rehabilitated, and tips for parents on how to keep kids off drugs.

Youth/Parenting – 08/18/13 – IT – Interview with Bob Kaehler, Sports Coach and Counselor, about the growing number of sports injuries, particularly to young athletes in the summer, and some guidelines for decreasing them.

Energy Conservation/Environment – 08/25/13 – IT – Interview with Richard Heinberg, Environmentalist and the author of “Snake Oil”, about fracking and why it is dangerous, and about alternative energy sources.

Seniors/Health – 08/25/13 – IT – Interview with Chris Orestis, a Life Insurance Expert, about why it is important for seniors with life insurance policies to explore using them for a Senior Cap Benefits Plan, and about the uses of the plan for some health costs.

Marriage Counseling/Communication – 08/25/13 – IT – Interview with Harville Hendrix, Author and Marriage Counselor, about the growing problem of divorce and about ways to make a marriage stronger.

Government Waste/Crime – 09/01/13 – IT – Interview with James Holzricher, Author and Former Whistleblower, about his own history of why he became a whistleblower and the problems that it caused for himself and his family.

Education/Labor Unions – 09/01/13 – IT – Interview with Yovel Badish, and Education Reform Advocate, about the growing problem of education theft, where parents misrepresent their addresses to get their kids into other school districts.

Crime/Consumerism – 09/01/13 – IT – Interview with Lolly Anderson, a Fundraiser for the National Gallery of Art, about art fraud and why so many fake art pieces are harming the industry, and about the need for better public education on art.

Health/Education – 09/08/13 – IT – Interview with Dr. Allan Somersall, Researcher and the Author of “Stem Cell Nutrition”, about the new research that shows that stem cells can be better generated in the body by taking certain nutrients, as well as dietary tips.

Homeless/Disaster Preparedness – 09/08/13 – IT – Interview with Sally Ooms, A Journalist and Author, about her experiences in interviewing people who are homeless for various reasons, and about the need to be prepared for disasters.

Economy/Identity Theft – 09/08/13 – IT – Interview with Hillel Presser, Financial Consultant and the Author of “Financial Self Defense”, about why people need to be better prepared for their financial future and identity theft, and about automatic payments that need to be cut off after death.

Youth/Parenting – 09/15/13 – IT – Interview with Dr. Kevin Leman, Author of “Parenting Your Powerful Child”, who gave some tips to parents on how to handle difficult children, and also about the generation of “entitlement”.

Economy/Communication – 09/15/13 – IT – Interview with Joe John Duran, Financial Advisor and Author, about how couples can stop fighting about financial issues, and about the need for better communication.

Sex Trafficking/Youth – 09/15/13 – IT – Interview with Elizabeth Olaggunju, Sex Trafficking Expert, about the growing problem of sex trafficking in the country, and about the need for better treatment of foster kids.

Youth/Health – 09/22/13 – IT – Interview with Dr. Maitland Deland, Spokesperson for Childhood Cancer Awareness Month, about the awareness effort as well as tips for how parents should talk to their kids about cancer, and she also stressed that kids need to be a big part of the communication process when they get a cancer diagnosis.

Education/Youth – 09/22/13 – IT – Interview with Dipak Basu, Author of “Mission to Teach”, about the achievements of his famous daughter who pioneered many advances in science education in the U.S.

Youth/Communications – 09/22/13 – IT – Interview with Judy Colella, Musician and Author, about how to talk to kids about difficult topics including those who have parents in prison.

Youth/Sex Trafficking – 09/29/13 – IT – Interview with Daphna Edwards Ziman, Activist and Author, about the plight of foster kids in the United States, and about how vulnerable foster children are to sex traffickers.

Economy/Taxes – 09/29/13- IT – Interview with Rao Garuda, Economist and Tax Expert, about how people can save money by reducing taxes, and about the state of the economy.

Crime/Education – 09/29/13 – IT – Interview with Salvatore Rastrelli, Crime Expert, about how people can be less vulnerable to crime, and about the need for better public education on identity theft.