



Issues/Programs Report-2nd Quarter 2016

Issue/Concern: Health & Fitness

Date	Program	Time	Duration	Description
4/27/16	First News @4	4pm	6:13	April has been Sexual Assault Awareness Month and last night, our local force, the Sexual Assault Resource Center honored locals who have been working in this community to help provide resources for survivors and prevent further assaults at the Shining for Survivors Banquet
5/5/16	First News @4	4pm	4:19	May is mental health awareness month and we're talking today about facts and myths that link violence and mental illness.
5/13/16	First News @4	4pm	3:16	A local dietitian discusses changes that are possibly coming to how the FDA categorizes food as "healthy."
5/17/16	First News @4	4pm	4:52	It's happened in Flint, Michigan and now we're getting reports of of toxic lead levels found in water at a Brenham living center
6/3/16	First News @4	4pm	1:49	Bill Roberts from the Brazos Valley Council on Alcohol and Substance Abuse joined us to talk more about the drug Fentanyl.
6/15/16	First News @4	4pm	5:13	Texas To cut funding for pediatric therapy services. We talk to Brazos Valley Rehabilitation Center employees to learn more

Issue/Concern: Pets & Animals

Date	Program	Time	Duration	Description
4/11/16	BVTM	6:30am	2:00	Pet Talk-Texas A&M University Vet Science Center discusses different issues concerning your pet.
4/25/16	BVTM	6:30am	2:00	Pet Talk-Texas A&M University Vet Science Center discusses different issues concerning your pet.
5/9/16	BVTM	6:30am	2:00	Pet Talk-Texas A&M University Vet Science Center discusses different issues concerning your pet.
5/23/16	BVTM	6:30am	2:00	Pet Talk-Texas A&M University Vet Science Center discusses different issues concerning your pet.
6/13/16	BVTM	6:30am	2:00	Pet Talk-Texas A&M University Vet Science Center discusses different issues concerning your pet.
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Issue/Concern: Social Issues & The Family

5/24/16	First News @4	4pm	9:42	The Brazos Valley Troupe has been spreading an anti-bullying message from the stage and beyond.
5/25/16	First News @4	4pm	5:11	May 25 is National Missing Children's Day, and College Station police are taking the opportunity to provide safety tips for traveling with kids.
6/14/16	First News @4	4pm	6:45	A Bryan psychologist offers expert advice on how and when to expose your child to the facts about events like the Orlando nightclub shooting.

Issue/Concern: Traffic Safety

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Issue/Concern: State & Local Government

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4/6/16	BVTM	6:30am	3:00	Congressman Bill Flores spoke with Noelle Bellow & Matthew Villanueva about the issues that matter most to the area he serves in the Brazos Valley. Congressman Flores has a regularly scheduled spot each month.
5/4/16	BVTM	6:30am	3:00	Congressman Bill Flores spoke with Noelle Bellow & Matthew Villanueva about the issues that matter most to the area he serves in the Brazos Valley. Congressman Flores has a regularly scheduled spot each month.
6/1/16	BVTM	6:30am	3:00	Congressman Bill Flores spoke with Noelle Bellow & Matthew Villanueva about the issues that matter most to the area he serves in the Brazos Valley. Congressman Flores has a regularly scheduled spot each month.
4/11/16	BVTM	6:30am	3:00	City of Bryan Mayor, Bienski, spoke with Noelle Bellow & Matthew Villanueva about the issues that matter most to City of Bryan Residents. Mayor Bienski has a regularly scheduled spot each month.
5/9/16	BVTM	6:30am	3:00	City of Bryan Mayor, Bienski, spoke with Noelle Bellow & Matthew Villanueva about the issues that matter most to City of Bryan Residents. Mayor Bienski has a regularly scheduled spot each month.
6/13/16	BVTM	6:30am	3:00	City of Bryan Mayor, Bienski, spoke with Noelle Bellow & Matthew Villanueva about the issues that matter most to City of Bryan Residents. Mayor Bienski has a regularly scheduled spot each month.
4/13/16	BVTM	6:30am	3:00	City of College Station Mayor, Nancy Berry, spoke with Noelle Bellow & Matthew Villanueva about the issues that matter most to City of College Station Residents. Mayor Berry has a regularly scheduled spot each month.
5/11/16	BVTM	6:30am	3:00	City of College Station Mayor, Nancy Berry, spoke with Noelle Bellow & Matthew Villanueva about the issues that matter most to City of College Station Residents. Mayor Berry has a regularly scheduled spot each month.
6/8/16	BVTM	6:30am	3:00	City of College Station Mayor, Nancy Berry, spoke with Noelle Bellow & Matthew Villanueva about the issues that matter most to City of College Station Residents. Mayor Berry has a regularly scheduled spot each month.

Issue/Concern: Agriculture

Date	Program	Time	Duration	Description
4/7/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	1:56	A lot of people with home vegetable gardens put a great emphasis on their calendars when they're deciding when to plant, but the calendar date for farmers is a trigger for them to begin looking at various other criteria.
4/14/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	1:46	In the past, many seed varieties have been a viable option for farmers over a period of ten years, but increased technology has cut that life span in half, making test plots for new varieties an even more important tool for ag producers to use in their decision making.

4/21/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	1:59	On March 31, the USDA released a planting intentions report for 2016. At that time almost five million more acres of corn were anticipated for 2016 than were planted in 2015. In our part of Texas, wheat crops and many summer crops have already been planted, so this report doesn't have as much bearing on planting decisions as it might further north.
4/28/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	1:58	When a rancher sells cattle, a dollar per head goes to the Texas Beef Council and fifty-cents of that is sent to the national beef check-off program, plus Texas has a new state check-off that collects another dollar per head that goes to The Texas Beef Council. That money is used to promote beef across the state and the country as well as internationally.
5/5/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	1:45	While environmental activism is a popular movement today most agricultural producers will tell you that they are the most active environmentalists on the planet.
5/12/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	2:00	An event that started fifteen years ago with ten schools and thirty projects as a recruiting tool at Blinn College in Brenham has grown into a huge competition for ag students from all over the state.
5/19/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	2:00	For the last few years, membership numbers for Future Farmers of America have been trending up nationally with the State of Texas leading the way. The organization has reached out to students by allowing them to participate in projects that are less traditional than in the past.
5/26/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	2:00	With over 15,000 members ranching in Texas, Oklahoma, and surrounding states Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association is recognized as a spokesman for the ranching industry on legislative and regulatory issues which might affect cattlemen. Many ranchers believe it's time to change from a defensive posture and go on the offensive
6/2/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	1:50	The Waters of the United States, or WOTUS Rule, issued by the EPA and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in June of last year has been challenged by 35 parties, including 28 states resulting in a nationwide stay of the rule by an appeals court. The rule dramatically expands the jurisdiction of federal agencies by changing the phrase "navigable waters of the U.S." to "waters of the U.S." A ruling from the appeals court is expected soon
6/9/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	2:00	Heavy rains across Texas last week produced flooding that closed roads, damaged homes and other buildings, and wreaked major havoc on agricultural crops across the state.
6/16/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	1:55	The flooding in May left hundreds of cattle stranded or requiring rescue for their survival, but saving the cattle from drowning was only part of the problem all of that the excessive rain created for ranchers
6/23/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	1:59	Ranchers produce animals today that are much different than those from years ago. Research that showed a healthier diet contains less fat led consumers to demand more lean meat products and the beef industry reacted
6/30/16	From the Ground Up	6:30am	1:52	A couple of weeks ago the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association had their summer meeting. One of the things that is emphasized today when cattle marketing is discussed is the necessity for producers to play a role in telling agriculture's story.

