

**Sandhill Media Group Issues and Programs List**  
**Stations KUPI, KUPY, KQPI, KSNA, KQEO, KSPZ-AM, KAOX**  
**3rd Quarter 2019**

| Issue, Needs, Problem   | Title                       | Description  | Guest   | Date & Time         | Duration  |
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| As the children head back to school we want to make sure that drivers are watching out for them | School Safety               | Lots of children both morning and afternoon will be heading to and from school via buses walking or on bikes. The priority will be around the school zones. Parents teachers and the rest of the community need to be aware and watch for kids in crosswalks . Also important for seatbelts to be worn when traveling. When you see a bus with the stop arm extended. Stop , do not pass the bus on either side of the rode...during this time of year, watch for bicycles, pedestrians and farm equipment & vehicles .  | Jessica Clements PIO from the Idaho Falls Police Dept.  | 8.25.19 6a-6:30a    | 5 minutes |
| School Security...an issue that is on everyones mind.   | School Safety from District | What is the district doing new this year? Implementing access control systems in most of the elementary schools and two middle schools as part of an ongoing effort to create safer schools. This has been a concern for parents, children and staff and something that always looking at and evaluating . Parents have already been asked to check in at the office and get a visitor badge, with these access control systems..that will limit access to the buildings. Most parents are supportive. Some schools use a vestibule that funnels visitors in to the office...then checked in and then buzzed in to gain access to the school.. At the schools that don't have a vestibule...a video doorbell will be used to allow access to the office to get the visitor badge. These access control systems involved installing some hardware and software and renovations to the buildings. It has taken about one year to get these installed and they will be effective after labor day. the investment to keep our kids safe cost about \$580,000 for these projects. The district is very focused on safety with these access control systems...be patient as we all learn how this new program will work. | Margaret Wimborn District 91 Director of Communications | 9.1.19 6am-6:30am   | 5 minutes |
| Rumors of a pending merger between Pocatello and Chubbuck                                       | Pocatello Chubbuck Merger   | Mayor England joined us to dispel the rumors of a possible merger...He first heard about this via text message Tuesday morning 9/10/19 while he was out of town. Followed by one of the city councilman calling him with questions. The mayor spent consideral time on the phone with the individual that has been pushing this idea, even though this person lives in Florida now. Some insight however, a couple years ago the Pocatello Mayor Blad & Mayor England proposed an idea to combine the two city fire departments, after research and 7 months of study it was determined that it was not a good plan. From his point of view, Chubbuck residents are telling him "absolutely not" for a merger. As it turns out, this was nothing more than a rumor.  | Chubbuck Mayor Kevin England                            | 9.15.19 6:00-6:30am | 5 minutes |

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| <p>TRPTA a public transportation company has closed down. This is a followup of an earlier issue in the Idaho Falls area</p> | <p>Public Transportation for vision impaired</p> | <p>Many individuals that are blind and others that don't drive count on the public transportation to get to jobs, schools and appointments. Three different business models were presented by the Idaho Transportation Department and these ideas are being explored that might provide some options. For now vision impaired people are left to arrange their own transportation, relying on UBER &amp; LYFT can be costly. An upcoming event at Barnes &amp; Noble 10th annual book fair...come meet members of the blind community. Bookmarks with names in Braille are made available. A percentage of sales during the event are donated to the Federation's local chapter...it helps spread awareness about blindness, training &amp; education. Information can be found at NFBIdaho.org. For anyone losing their sight can learn ways to keep their own independence by contacting them.</p> | <p>Kevin Pirnie<br/>Vice Pres of Snake River chapter of the National Federation of the Blind</p> | <p>9.29.19 6:00-6:30am</p> | <p>5 minutes</p> |
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