

**FIRST QUARTER ISSUE REPORTS
2018
BEMIDJI
KKZY-FM
JANUARY 1 - MARCH 31**

The following presents a list of issues deemed important by the listeners of KKZY-FM. In a recent study, Community & Recreation, Environment & Outdoors, Arts & Culture, Health, Jobs & Economy, Government and Safety were ranked high on the list of issues for north-central Minnesota.

This is a synopsis of public service announcements, aired between 6 a.m. and 7 p.m. weekdays at announcer discretion, as well as occasional talk shows, "Chat About," which air Saturdays at about 12:20 p.m. This list also includes occasional morning show interviews, which air within the 8 a.m. hour.

News and Public Service Director Larissa Donovan compiled the report, per Federal Communications Commission requirements.

**MORNING SHOW INTERVIEWS
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These interviews occurred within the 8 a.m. hour, and hosted by KZY hosts Tom Lucas and Kev Jackson. They were approximately five minutes in length and highlighted events for nonprofits within the community.

Jan. 22: Brian Bissonette discussed Hockey Day in Bemidji for 2019.

Jan 24: Denae Alamano discussed United Way fundraisers.

Jan. 25: Dawn Loeffler discussed storytelling series in Bagley by Farm by the Lake.

Feb. 8: Derrick Houle discussed Bemidji Community Theatre book drive.

Feb. 16: Denae Alamano discussed United Way's "Spread the Love" fundraiser.

Mar. 13: Chris Fettig discussed Vocalmotive, local showchoir, events.

Mar. 23: Discussion on Homebrewers event at the Keg n' Cork.

**PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS
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The following are a list of public service announcements, aired by various announcers between the hours of 6 a.m. and 7 p.m. These are organized by issue category, and in chronological order.

ARTS & CULTURE

January 2 – January 5: First Friday Art Walk events and exhibits.

January 1 – January 14: Farm by the Lake Storytelling Series.

January 1 – January 15: Arts Access Grant information from the Region 2 Arts.

January 10 – January 16: Self-publishing workshop at Headwaters School.

January 16 – January 18: Beltrami County Historical Society reception.

January 10 – January 20: Master class for string players at BSU.

January 10 – January 21: Sons of Norway meeting in Bemidji.

January 18 – January 21: Female playwrights expo at BSU.

January 10 – January 21: Angus Quartet performance at BSU.

January 18 – January 23: Oil painting exhibit at BSU.

January 22- January 25: Fur trade exhibit at Beltrami County Historical Center.

January 24 – January 26: Acoustic performance in local pub.

January 22 – January 27: Bemidji book bash at Calvary Lutheran Church.

January 10 – January 27: First City Poetry Reads Event at Sanford Health.

January 8 – January 27: Storyteller at Itasca State Park.

January 8 – January 27: Music at Itasca State Park.

January 1 – January 28: Farm by the Lake Storytelling Series.

January 24 – January 31: Watercolor class at Headwaters School.

February 1 – February 2: Black history month at BSU and NTC.

January 31 – February 2: First Friday Art Walk events and exhibits.
January 16 – February 6: Portrait drawing workshop at Headwaters School.
February 1 – February 11: BSU Wind Ensemble performance.
January 1 – February 11: Farm by the Lake storytelling series.
January 22 – February 11: Caleigh, celtic band, performance at Calvary Lutheran.
February 1 – February 14: Diversity seminar at BSU.
January 18 – February 15: Community Arts Support grant information from R2Arts.
January 31 – February 18: Watermark- Ojibwe star knowledge events.
February 1 – February 20: Book discussion at BSU Beaux Arts Ballroom.
January 24 – February 24: Itasca State Park-Music under the Pines.
February 19 – February 24: Fiber festival at Watermark Art Center.
February 1 – February 25: Farm by the Lake Storytelling Series.
February 19 – February 25: Sons of Norway meeting at Calvary Lutheran.
February 1 – February 26: Percussion discussion at Bemidji Library.
February 1 – February 28: Region 2 Arts holds workshop in Park Rapids.
January 18 – March 1: Young Artist Grants from R2Arts.
February 7 – March 1: Anishinaabe Arts Initiative from R2Arts.
February 27 – March 1: Open Mic Coffeehouse at Headwaters School.
February 27- March 2: First Friday Art Walk Events & Exhibits.
February 20 – March 6: Animal drawing workshop at Headwaters School.
February 21 – March 10: First City Poetry Reads Event at Wollman Coffee.
January 1 – March 11: Farm by the Lake Storytelling series.
February 23 – March 15: Arts Project grants from R2Arts.
March 1 – March 22: Weaving workshop at Watermark Art Center.
March 1 – March 22: Indigenous artist discussion at Watermark Art Center.
March 1 – March 25: Farm by the Lake storytelling series.
March 12 – March 26: Women’s history month lecture series from Beltrami Historical Society.
March 1 – March 28: BSU Headwaters Film Festival.
February 27 – March 28: Ceramics art exhibits at BSU.
March 1 – March 29: Open mic at Brigid’s Pub.

COMMUNITY & RECREATION

- January 2 – January 2: Walker Community Food Shelf open house.
- January 1 – January 3: Northwest MN Foundation donation challenge.
- January 8 – January 12: Film screening at BSU’s American Indian Resource Center.
- January 2 – January 13: Penguin Plunge in Hackensack info.
- January 12 – January 13: Baby & Kids Garage Sale at Bemidji Armory.
- January 11 – January 13: Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser for Bemidji Senior Center.
- January 8 – January 15: Bemidji Christian Women’s Luncheon.
- January 12 – January 16: Sweet Roll Sale at Nielson Place.
- January 12 – January 17: Ruby’s Pantry food distribution day.
- January 18 – January 18: SKOL chant flash mob at Paul Bunyan Park.
- January 8 – January 20: Winter Rendezvous at Deep Portage in Hackensack.
- January 12 – January 21: Hackensack breakfast fundraiser.
- January 4 – January 23: BSU offers swimming lessons.
- January 10 – January 24: Community Meal at Hope Lutheran Church in Walker.
- January 10 – January 25: BHS Gymnastics chicken dinner fundraiser.
- January 22 – January 27: All-Pro Dads event at BSU Gillett Wellness Center.
- January 8 – February 1: Venture grant applications available from United Way.
- January 11 – February 1: Boys & Girls Club Gala event information.
- January 22 – February 3: Mystery Dinner at Calvary Lutheran Church.
- January 8 – February 4: Mike Mohler benefit event.
- January 11 – February 7: Best of Bemidji tour by the Senior Center.
- January 22 – February 10: Charlie Schmitt Memorial Bonspiel for Relay for Life.
- February 7 – February 10: Bemidji Community Food Shelf Annual meeting.
- February 7 – February 12: Cold Weather Expo at Beltrami Electric Cooperative.
- January 31 – February 12: Monthly book discussion at Bemidji Library.
- February 1 – February 15: General membership meeting for North Country Snowmobile Club.
- February 7 – February 16: BSU “Winter Olympics” fundraiser at Bemidji Bowl.
- February 1 – February 17: United Way and Bemidji Brewing event.

February 1 – February 18: Hackensack breakfast fundraiser.
January 31 – February 19: Bemidji Christian Women’s luncheon.
February 27 – February 28: School bus driver appreciation day.
January 31 – February 28: BSU Athletic Hall of Fame submission deadline.
January 31 – February 28: BSU Distinguished Alumni Award submission deadline.
January 4 – March 1: Youth tour writing essay contest from Beltrami Electric.
February 27 – March 3: Potato Klub supper at ULNALC of Berner/Gonvick.
February 21 – March 3: BSU Relay for Life event.
February 23 – March 5: NWMF workshop offered at Beltrami Electric.
March 1 – March 10: Chili Feed celebration at Gordy Buchanan Shooting Range.
January 4 – March 16: Youth tour writing essay contest from Paul Bunyan Communications.
March 1 – March 19: Bemidji Christian Women’s luncheon.
March 1 – March 20: Spring Equinox Feast at Northwest Indian Community Development Center.
January 31 – March 23: True North Hackfest deadline information.
March 1 – March 24: Upstream Homebrewers event at Keg n’ Cork.
March 1 – March 24: Boy River Hobo Club fish fry event.
March 1 – March 25: Billie Bullington benefit fundraiser.
January 22 – March 29: United Way grant application info and deadlines.
January 10 – March 31: Snow Time to Read event through Bemidji Library.
March 1 – March 31: Minnesota Food Share month information.

ENVIRONMENT & OUTDOORS

January 8 – January 9: Children’s event at Itasca State Park.
January 12 – January 13: Ice fishing event cancellation.
January 8 – January 13: Children’s event at Itasca State Park.
January 8 – January 13: Snowshoe class at Itasca State Park.
January 12 – January 20: Candlelight Ski event at Lake Bemidji State Park.
January 22 – January 27: Ice fishing event at BSU.
January 8 – January 27: Candlelight ski & snowshoe event at Itasca State Park.
January 26 – January 28: BSU day at Buena Vista Ski Area.

January 26 – January 28: Honor our Troops day at Buena Vista Ski Area.
February 1 – February 3: MN350 (environmental group) open house event.
February 7 – February 10: Candlelight Ski and Snowshoe event at Lake Bemidji State Park.
January 24 – February 10: Old Time Ice Harvest demonstration at Itasca State Park.
January 16 – February 13: Naturalist instructive class at Headwaters Science Center.
January 24 – February 14: Children’s event at Itasca State Park.
January 26 – February 24: Honor Our Troops day at Buena Vista Ski Area.
January 24 – February 24: Lantern Lit Snowshoe event at Itasca State Park.
February 19 – February 24: “Saving Snow” documentary screening at Calvary Lutheran.
January 26 – March 2: USDA accepting Conservation Stewardship Program application.
March 1 – March 3: Northland Fat Bike Rally at Lake Bemidji State Park.
March 1 – March 20: DNR discusses Lake Winnibigoshish fishing and other management plans with public.
February 19 – March 31: Gardening 101 classes at Bemidji Library.

EDUCATION:

January 8 – January 11: BSU unveils new Center for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion during an open house.
January 8 – January 15: Bemidji School District open enrollment information.
January 31 ONLY: BSU Alumni Relative scholarships available.
January 18 – February 2: BSU Alumni Foundation accepting nominations for distinguished alumni.
February 1 – February 3: BSU features film screening about U.S. Supreme Court member Thurgood Marshall.
February 1 – February 5: Community meeting on Bemidji Superintendent search.
January 24 – February 16: NTC offering Workforce Development Scholarships.
February 19 – March 1: Panel discussion on women in leadership at BSU.
February 26 – March 6: Adventures in Lifelong learning seminar at Beltrami Electric Cooperative.
January 2 – March 15: Sanford Health offering scholarships for health-related fields.
March 1 – March 19: History Day exhibits at BSU.
March 1 – March 20: Women’s History Month events at BSU.
March 1 – March 22: Women’s History Month events at BSU.
March 1 – March 22: Leech Lake Tribal College offers STEM event.
January 24 – March 22: Kindergarten registration for Bemidji Area Schools.

March 1 – March 23: Women’s History Month events at BSU.
March 1 – March 24: Women’s History Month events at BSU.
March 1 – March 26: Women’s History Month events at BSU.
March 1 – March 26: Women’s History Month lecture series with Beltrami County Historical Society.
March 1 – March 28: Women’s History Month events at BSU.
March 1 – March 29: Women’s History Month events at BSU.

JOBS & ECONOMY

January 16 – January 26: First-time home buyer class through Headwaters Regional Development Commission.
January 24 – February 6: Broadband access listening session at Northwest Minnesota Foundation.
February 1 – February 21: First-time homebuyer class through Headwaters Regional Development Commission.
January 10 – February 28: Grant applications for Bemidji employers looking to hire BSU interns.
January 8 – March 2: Northwest Minnesota Women’s Fund grant application information.
March 1 – March 15: Headwaters Regional Development Commission monthly meeting.
March 1 – March 21: Bemidji Parks & Rec hiring camp director.
March 1 – March 21: Bemidji Parks & Rec hiring camp counselors.
March 1 – March 21: Bemidji Parks & Rec hiring downtown landscape and maintenance workers.
March 1 – March 21: Bemidji Parks & Rec hiring Park maintenance workers.
March 1 – March 21: Bemidji Parks & Rec hiring Arena Workers.
March 1 – March 23: Headwaters Regional Development Commission offering first-time homebuyers classes.

HEALTH

January 1 – January 2: Parkinson’s patient exercise class.
January 2 – January 4: Spouse grief support group.
January 2 – January 9: Cancer support group.
January 1 – January 13: Mental Health first aid class.
January 12 – January 16: Parkinson’s support group.
January 16 ONLY: Diabetes informational meeting.
January 12 – January 18: Spouse grief support group.
January 8 – January 25: Special needs kids’ parents’ support group.
January 19 – February 2: Free dental screenings for kids from Northwest Technical College.

January 8 – February 6: Parkinson’s patient exercise class.
February 1 – February 6: Blood drives at BSU and NTC.
February 1 – February 7: Blood drives at BSU and NTC.
February 7 – February 14: Weight management class at Sanford Bemidji,
February 7 – February 20: Parkinson’s support group.
February 1 – February 20: REACH mental health support group.
February 21- February 25: Cardiovascular disease seminar through Sanford Health.
February 1 – February 27: Diabetes clinic open house at Sanford Bemidji.
February 1 – February 28: Cardiovascular screenings through Sanford Bemidji.

GOVERNMENT & POLITICS

January 2 – January 5: Leech Lake State of the Band address.
January 4 – January 15: DFL Governor Candidates’ forum at BSU.
January 16 – January 17: MN Senate Capital Investment Committee discusses Bemidji Veterans Home.
January 16 – January 20: Pro-Life March for Life event.
January 16 – January 20: Women’s March.
January 24 – February 15: Park Rapids League of Women Voters program on immigration.
February 23 – March 1: League of Women Voters Park Rapids hold engaged citizen classes.
March 1 – March 8: MNDOT open houses in Bagley.
February 23 – March 13: Election integrity discussion with the League of Women Voters in Park Rapids.

SAFETY

February 1 – February 14: Missing & Murdered Indigenous Women awareness march and event.
February 19 – March 12: Sanford health and local law enforcement discuss fraud and scams.
March 1 – March 19: Sexual violence discussion at BSU.
March 1 – March 28: Domestic Violence awareness event by the Northwoods Battered Women’s Shelter.

CHAT ABOUTS
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“Chat About,” a daily talk show, highlights various community issues and events in north-central Minnesota. The show is hosted by KBHP Program Director and KB101 Host Todd Haugen and News Director Larissa Donovan. The show airs weekends at about 12:20 p.m. and ranges between 12 and 15 minutes in length. They are listed in chronological order.