



QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT

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1st Quarter, 2018

(January 1 - March 31, 2018)

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**Issues of Concern to St. Louis
Addressed in Responsive Programming in the
1st Quarter, 2018
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<u><i>Subject</i></u>	<u><i>Description of Issue of Concern</i></u>
1. Our Children	Various issues including Go to Bat for Kids
2. Health	Various issues including the Karla Smith Foundation
3. Volunteering/Fundraising	Various issues including Youth Bridge
4. Cause & Awareness	Various issues including the Violence Prevention Center of SW Illinois
5. Business & Employment	Various issues including St. Louis Fashion Funds
6. Education	Various issues including the Miriam School
7. Community/Cultural Events	Various issues including St. Louis Public Library

**KEZK-FM Programs That Address Community Issues
(Regularly Scheduled Public Affairs Programs)
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<u><i>Public Affairs Program</i></u>	<u><i>Schedule and Description</i></u>
1. The Metro Show	(Sunday, 6:00 a.m. through 6:30 a.m.) – Interview program with rotating hosts, Greg Hewitt, Trish Gazall, Stel Pontikes and Tim Burt that discuss the issues and needs of the St. Louis community.
2. St. Louis Voices	(Sunday, 6:30 a.m. through 7:00 a.m.) – Rotating series hosted by Courtney Landrum, Paul Cook, Jill Devine and Jen Myers. This locally produced 30-minute program includes interviews on issues and interest to KEZK’s audience.

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ISSUE:	Our Children
	<p>The Metro Show January 14, 2018 6:00 a.m. – 6:15 a.m. 15 minutes of a 30-minute program 1 of 2</p>
<p>Host: Trish Gazall – Guest: Brian Thouvot and Tom Duff from Catholic Charities of St. Louis Host Trish Gazall interviewed Brian Thouvot and Tom Duff about Go to Bat for Kids. Another push for an event in the New Year called Go to Bat for Kids. They talked about Catholic Charities and how they help the poor and in need for the St. Louis area. Catholic Family Services is one of the eight agencies they serve. It helps people with mental health issues.</p>	
	<p>St. Louis Voices February 4, 2018 6:30 a.m. – 6:45 a.m. 15 minutes of a 30-minute program 1 of 2</p>
<p>Host: Jen Myers – Guest: Mabel Gan, Director of the International Children’s Film Festival at the St. Louis Zoo Host Jen Myers interviewed Mabel Gan about Big Eyes, Big Minds International Children’s Film Festival of St. Louis is returning to the Saint Louis Zoo for its second year on Saturdays, Feb. 3, 17 and 24. The festival features award-winning films made for kids, about kids and sometimes by kids. The live-action and animated short films range from 2 to 27 minutes long and are tailored to children 1 to 16 years old. Film screenings will be held at 10:30 a.m., 1 p.m. and 2:15 p.m. on Saturdays, Feb. 3, 17 and 24 (no films on Feb. 10) at the Anheuser-Busch Theater in The Living World at the North Entrance of the Zoo. More information can be found at stlzoo.org/filmfest</p>	
	<p>St. Louis Voices February 4, 2018 6:45a.m. – 7:00a.m. 15 minutes of a 30-minute program 2 of 2</p>
<p>Host: Jen Myers – Guest: Melissa Hill, Executive Director of the Jackson Hill Foundation Host Jen Myers interviewed Melissa Hill about The Jackson Hill Foundation honors the legacy of 12-year-old Jackson Hill, who died of osteosarcoma in 2005. The Foundation supports efforts to ease the suffering of families who have a child in the hospital, opening their first Jackson Hill Wellness Center in Portland, Oregon, and opening their second center at St. Louis Children’s Hospital in mid-January of 2018. The Wellness Center is open 24 hours a day for families of patients in the hospital, offering them a respite from the stress of a hospital visit or stay</p>	

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ISSUE:	Our Children (Cont'd)
	The Metro Show February 25, 2018 6:00 a.m. – 6:30 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30-minute program
<p>Host: Stel Pontikes– Guest: Michele South, Executive Director of the St. Louis of The First Tee. Host Stel Pontikes interviewed Michelle South about an international organization that introduces the game of golf and its inherent values to young people known as “The First Tee”. We discussed their mission to build character, instill life-enhancing values, and promote healthy choices through the game of golf. The First Tee is a youth development organization introducing the game of golf and its inherent values to young people. Through after-school and in-school programs, they help shape the lives of young people from all walks of life by reinforcing values like integrity, respect and perseverance through the game of golf.</p>	

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ISSUE:	Health
	<p>St. Louis Voices January 7, 2018 6:45 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. 15 minutes of a 30-minute program 2 of 2</p>
<p>Host: Courtney Landrum Guest: Emily Smith/Karla Smith Foundation Host Courtney Landrum interviewed Emily Smith about the Karla Smith Foundation. Emily is the sister-in-law of Karla. They discussed the foundation and how it started and what they do. It is a result of Karla’s mission and in her memory that her father Tom, Mother Fran, and twin brother Kevin created the Karla Smith Foundation two years after her death in 2005 to help other people who share similar experiences. It is through her openness about her mental illness and the Smith’s openness about sharing her story that KSF connects with so many others facing the challenges of mental illness. Karla’s spirit remains the soul of KSF. KSF help people dealing with mental illness with group sessions and medical support. One of Karla’s main passions in life was writing. At the time of her suicide, she was nearly complete with her memoir, which she titled Glue. The glue was a reference to the bipolar medication, which held her together during periods of mania and depression. Her mission through her memoir was to educate others about what it felt like to live with a mental illness.</p>	
	<p>St. Louis Voices January 14, 2018 6:35 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. 25 minutes of a 30-minute program 2 of 2</p>
<p>Host: Jen Myers– Guest: Lisa Iken-Sokolik, Executive Director of the Missouri Eating Disorders Association Host Jen Myers interviewed Lisa Iken-Sokolik about eating disorders. The Missouri Eating Disorders Association mission is to fight eating disorders, educate communities and save lives. They are committed to providing information, resources and advocacy that will change the conversation around eating disorders, and strive to bring understanding and support to those treating or affected by this devastating and serious disease.</p> <p>They have an eating disorder awareness curriculum, Feed the Facts, which educates students in middle school and high school about eating disorders.</p> <p>In recognition of National Eating Disorders Awareness Week (February 18th-24th), MOEDA is holding a bingo night fundraiser. Bingo Night is February 24, 7-10 pm at The Jewish Community Center (Performing Arts Building) in Creve Coeur.</p>	
	<p>The Metro Show March 18, 2018 6:00 a.m. – 6:30 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30-minute program</p>
<p>Host: Paul Cook – Guest: Teri Greige, Author of “Powered by Hope” Host Paul Cook interviewed Teri Greige about Powered By Hope a nonprofit foundation dedicated to providing hope, strength, peace and education to cancer patients. ” Supporting the fighters, Admiring the Survivors, Honoring the Taken & Never, Ever Giving Up HOPE.” Teri, a cancer survivor and athlete told her story about having colo rectal cancer. Paul is going through cancer treatments now for colo rectal cancer. They discussed the foundation and the services they provide. Teri also wrote a book with the same name as the foundation. Help Ordinary People Endure- H.O.P.E</p>	

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ISSUE:	Volunteering & Charities
	<p>St. Louis Voices January 28, 2018, March 25, 2018 (3 of 3) 6:51 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. 6:30 a.m. – 6:45 a.m. 15 minutes of a 30-minute program 1 of 2</p>
<p>Host: Courtney Landrum – Guest Carrie Warren-Open Door Animal Sanctuary and the Beggin’ Pet Parade Host Courtney Landrum interviewed Carrie Warren about Open Door Animal Sanctuary, founded in 1975, is the largest no-kill sanctuary in the greater St. Louis area and State of Missouri. Open Door’s Mission is to provide homeless cats and dogs with the highest quality of life and a second chance to find a forever family. They serve the community by taking in stray, abused, neglected and otherwise unwanted cats and dogs and placing them up for adoption. Each day we provide shelter, food, medical care and LOVE to over 400 animals. Open Door is also the benefactor to the Beggin Strips Pet Parade in Soulard. They talked about the parade, registration fee and activities surrounding the event.</p>	
	<p>St. Louis Voices February 25, 2018 6:52 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. 8 minutes of a 30 minute program 3 of 3</p>
<p>Host: Courtney Landrum – Guest: Mike Howard, CEO Youth Bridge Host Courtney Landrum interviewed Mike Howard about an event called “brackets for good”. Brackets For Good is an Indianapolis, IN based 501(c)3 charitable organization focused on activating new donors and increasing awareness for other nonprofit organizations through competitive, online fundraising. Brackets For Good is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization that helps build awareness, raise funds, and expand marketing capabilities for local nonprofits through competitive, online fundraising tournaments. It is all about non-profits charities in our area. 64 to be exact. Voting starts on March 2nd raising money for charities doing to a mirroring the NCAA basketball bracket and making a charity bracket to help raise money for local charities. A tournament for 64 non-profits just like the March madness tournament have their donors compete against each other to out fundraise one another. There is 5 rounds plus a championship. Each round the non-profit get to keep the money that they have raised and at the end, the one who raises the most gets an additional \$10,000 from the Youth Bridge Community Foundation. March 2nd with 64 organizations, then March 9th it drops down to 32 organizations, then March 16th drops down to 16 then 8 then the final 4. They keep points by dollars, if someone donates \$1.00 then that charity gets 1 point. Youth Bridge is a Community Foundation and they work to bridge and connect donors with the needs within the community. They work with family foundations to connect with non-profits that mean the most to them and help them support the community needs. Bfg.org</p>	

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	<p>The Metro Show March 4, 2018 6:15 a.m. – 6:30 a.m. 15 minutes of a 30-minute program 2 of 2</p>
	<p>Host: Trish Gazall– Guest: Natalie Hayden-patient advocate for Crohn’s & Colitis Foundation Host Trish Gazall interviewed Natalie Hayden about the foundations upcoming trivia night on March 24th, A Night at the Movies. They discussed the foundation as a whole, their patient support programs and research projects to find a cure.</p>
	<p>St. Louis Voices March 11, 2018 6:30 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30 minute program</p>
	<p>Host Jill Devine – Guest: Gwendolyn Packnett and Kim Eberlein Host Jill Devine interviewed Gwendolyn Packnett and Kim Eberlein about Sing for Siteman an annual concert where world-class vocalists come together to support the leading-edge research taking place at Siteman Cancer Center. For more information, or to purchase tickets, please visit singforsiteman.org, or call 314-935-5511.</p>

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	<p>The Metro Show January 7, 2018 6:00 a.m. – 6:30 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30-minute program</p>
<p>Host: Stel Pontikes – Guest: Nicole Lanahan, founder and Executive Director of Got Your Six PTSD Support Dogs. Host Stel Pontikes interviewed Nicole Lanahan about how she got involved with Got Your Six and what the services are those who need her services. Nicole was a dog trainer for 17 years. Veterans and first-responders risk their lives to serve our country. For some of them, the psychological stress can have lasting effects. Nicole explains how they train PTSD service dogs and place them with veterans and first-responders at no cost to the recipient. These service dogs help them heal from visible and invisible wounds caused by the psychological stress of war and duty, along with helping those who suffer from sexual trauma. Got Your Six Support Dogs also offers therapy dog training group classes. Their training facility is in Maryville, IL. She trains dogs for people with mobility issues, police K9s, military dogs and dogs to find narcotics. She had a background in service dog training. She was teaching obedience classes and kept receiving calls form veterans for PTSD service dogs. She would find out what organizations that could help them. One of the veterans asked why she could not help her. It dawned on her that she could help her and other veterans. Her organization is training rescue dogs and puppies. Got your six support dogs is committed to providing specialized service dogs to veterans suffering from post-traumatic stress disorder and/or sexual trauma. Our mission is to help these men and women regain their lives through the healing power of dogs. This year they are starting a Pets for Vets program for veterans that don't necessarily need a service dog but, want a emotional support animal or just a pet, they are going to start having adoption applications that they will get first crack at any dog that doesn't make it as a service dog.</p> <p>Website: GotYourSixSupportDogs.org Facebook: Got Your Six PTSD Support Dogs</p> <p>Address for tax-deductible contributions: Got Your Six Support Dogs 1099 F Beltline Road, #200, Collinsville, IL 62234</p>	
	<p>St. Louis Voices January 7, 2018 6:30 a.m. – 6:45 a.m. 25 minutes of a 30-minute program 1 of 2</p>
<p>Host: Courtney Landrum Guest: Ellen Cugier/Violence Prevention Center of SW Illinois Host Courtney Landrum interviewed Ellen Cugier about VPC of SW Illinois Program. The initial program called BRIDGE was founded in 1979, and consisted of a five-room shelter and one part-time staff member. The current shelter is located in a building that was generously donated by the Weidmann family in 1986. In December 1987, the Center became incorporated as the Women's Crisis Center of Metro East; the name was changed in June 2000 to the Violence Prevention Center of Southwestern Illinois. In the more than 35 years since its inception, the VPC has expanded to meet the needs of the three counties it serves. We also discussed their upcoming fundraiser, the 2nd Annual Designer Handbag Diva Bingo.</p>	

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	<p>The Metro Show January 21, 2018 6:00 a.m. – 6:30 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30-minute program</p>
<p>Host: Greg Hewitt – Guest: Erin Suelman, Executive Director of the Down Syndrome Association of Greater St. Louis. Host Greg Hewitt interviewed Erin Suelman about a series of fund-raisers for the organization, which they hope to raise the necessary funds and awareness about their mission. She also spoke about how important it is for people who may be inclined, to volunteer with the organization and explained what sorts of activities they would be participating in.</p>	
	<p>The Metro Show February 4, 2018 6:00 a.m. – 6:30 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30-minute program</p>
<p>Host: Stel Pontikes Guest: Larry Rice, founder and president of New Life Evangelistic Center in St. Louis Host Stel Pontikes interviewed Larry Rice about the founding if NLEC back in the early 1970s and how its mission continues today as they minister to the homeless in the metro area. NLEC Mission: The mission of New Life Evangelistic Center (NLEC) is to provide Christian hospitality and respect for life through the services of food, clothing, shelter, education, and job training programs, as well as physical, mental and spiritual health care, to the poor and homeless in Saint Louis and beyond.</p>	
	<p>The Metro Show February 11, 2018 6:00 a.m. – 6:30 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30-minute program</p>
<p>Host: Trish Gazall – Guest: CEO Cathy Daniels (Mama Cat) and COO Sharon Morrow of Potbangerz-Feed the Body Mission Host Trish Gazall interviewed Cathy Daniels about Potbangerz. A local based collective of activists who fight injustices through nutritional uplifting of the community. The mission statement reads, “meeting nutritional needs, helping our unhoused families navigate their way to permanent housing, and advocating for them when they need it the most. When we have rebuilt and transformed the lives of our unhoused families we can say mission accomplished.”</p>	

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	<p>St. Louis Voices February 18, 2018 6:30 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30-minute program</p> <p>Host: Paul Cook – Guest: Maddy, Justin and Maddy, Students of St. Louis University Host Paul Cook interviewed the guest about a Camp Kesem. A camp for kids 6–18 years of age that have parents that have cancer. Kesem is a nationwide community, driven by passionate college student leaders, that supports children through and beyond their parent's cancer. They have a mental health specialist there to help. There are 50 counselors.</p> <p>A program of Kesem, Camp Kesem operates free summer camps for children who have been impacted by a parent's cancer.</p> <p>Founded at Stanford University in 2000, Camp Kesem has since expanded to over 100 chapters in 40 states across the country.</p>
	<p>The Metro Show March 4, 2018 6:00 a.m. – 6:15a.m. 15minutes of a 30-minute program 1 of 2</p> <p>Host: Trish Gazell – Guest: Rachel Ebling-Executive Director Angel Band Project Host Trish Gazell interviewed Rachel Ebling about Angel Band Project. Sexual violence is a silent issue. They're working to break the silence and inspire people to engage with this issue through the transformative power of music. They provide healing for survivors and foster a society that's not only willing to listen, but ready to change. They help victims of sexual assault, sex trafficking, any sexual violence with music therapy. They worked with a local group of artist and designers from Divinemoira Studios called "Aria Rising" dynamic interactive installation sculpture symbolizing a sexual assault going from victim to survivor to ultimately thriving in their community. This rotating exhibit works to facilitate awareness to the issue of sexual assault by providing victim resources and promoting understanding through the interactive notes of compassion written by the public, which are then shared with survivors. Which is have an art exhibit in St. Louis called Aria Rising.</p> <p>The artists objectives of the sculpture is to provide opportunity for communities to be made aware of the issue of sexual assault and to provide educational and counseling resources, to invite the community to interact with "Aria Rising" who symbolizes the singular voice of an assault survivor empowered by the messages of hope provided by those interacting with her.</p>

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	<p>St. Louis Voices March 4, 2018 6:30 a.m. – 6:45 a.m. 15 minutes of a 30-minute program 1 of 2</p>
	<p>Host: Jen Myers – Guest: Jen Showalter, OT/L, CLT-LANA (certified lymphedema therapist Host Jen Myers interviewed Jen Showalter about lymphedema awareness, and the St. Louis group Ninjas Fighting Lymphedema Foundation. The group is holding a 5K Run/Walk on Saturday, April 28th in Carondelet Park. Jen spoke on behalf of Amy Rivera, who founded the group. As Amy says on NFLF’s Facebook’s page, What once was a blog to help heal my wounds and build my confidence is now my ministry to help others have a healthier life. Quality of life shouldn't depend on insurance coverage but the ability to receive the best treatment. Insured, underinsured, or uninsured, we will help.</p> <p>Ninjas Fighting Lymphedema is committed to improving your quality of life, primary lymphedema, secondary lymphedema and lipedema diagnosis. We will help close the financial gap.</p> <p>You can find out more about the group, as well as their 5K run/walk, by going to Ninjas Fighting Lymphedema Foundation on Facebook.</p>
	<p>St. Louis Voices March 4, 2018 6:45 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. 15 minutes of a 30-minute program 2 of 2</p>
	<p>Host: Jen Myers – Guest: Anjee Davis, President of Fight Colorectal Cancer Host Jen Myers interviewed Anjee Davis about Colorectal Cancer. From day one, the focus of Fight Colorectal Cancer has been to get the voices of advocates heard. It is our belief that when leaders see and hear those impacted by their decisions, change occurs. For over a decade, they have watched this happen. There is nothing like a personal story to change minds.</p> <p>Today, Fight Colorectal Cancer is the leading patient advocacy group in colorectal cancer. We are known for our extremely loud, involved (and sometimes even feisty) voices. They have no plans of slowing down or stopping until we reach our goal: a cure.</p> <p>March is Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month, and March 18-20 Fight CRC will Call on Congress. Call-on Congress is a three-day event where colon and rectal cancer survivors, caregivers and loved ones from all over the U.S. unite to make their voices heard in Washington, D.C.</p> <p>You can learn more about symptoms of CRC and screening options by going to Fight CRC’s website at FightColorectalCancer.org.</p>

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	<p>St. Louis Voices March 25, 2018 6:30 a.m. – 6:41 a.m. 11 minutes of a 30-minute program 1 of 3</p>
	<p>Host: Courtney Landrum – Guest: Jennifer Showalter, Ninjas Fighting Lymphedema Host Courtney Landrum interviewed Jennifer Wilson about the organization Ninjas Fighting Lymphedema. Jennifer is an occupational therapist and certified for Lymphedema therapy. Ninjas Fighting Lymphedema was founded by Amy Rivera and Amy is a young women who was born with lymphedema which is abnormal swelling of the lymphatic system. Amy has lymphedema throughout her whole right side of her body. There is no cure for lymphedema, but the condition, complications, and progression of the disease can be managed effectively with a combination of treatments. There is 700-800 lymph nodes in the human body. They discussed the treatments and symptoms of lymphedema. They talked about the fundraiser 5K walk/run for the foundation in April 28th to help those living with lymphedema to afford care and therapy as not many insurances do not or covers very little for treatments. They have a bill to go to congress to help with treatment.</p>

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	<p>St. Louis Voices January 21, 2018 6:30 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30-minute program</p>
	<p>Host: Jill Devine Guest: Reuben Reuel and Tania Beasley-Jolly Host Jill Devine interviewed Reuben Reuel and Tania Beasley-Jolly about the Saint Louis Fashion Fund’s (SLFF) mission is to support emerging fashion designers and to bring the business of fashion back to the downtown St. Louis Garment District. Less than a year ago, Saint Louis Fashion Fund’s Incubator, which is the SLFF’s signature project, opened in the heart of the historic Garment District at 1533 Washington Avenue. Six emerging designers from New York, Chicago, Dallas and Saint Louis moved into the Incubator and began designing, selling and building their businesses. Since then, SLFF has made tremendous strides toward recreating a fashion powerhouse in downtown Saint Louis and generating a palpable fashion “buzz.”</p>
	<p>The Metro Show January 28, 2018 6:00 a.m. – 6:30 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30-minute program</p>
	<p>Host: Jill Devine Guest: Ricky Nix, Pastry Manager at Piccione Pastry Susan Colangelo, President of Saint Louis Story Stitchers Host Jill Devine interviewed Ricky Nix and Susan Colangelo about the Story Stitchers that is a nonprofit that documents St. Louis through art and word to promote understanding, civic pride, intergenerational relationships and literacy. Story Stitchers was founded in 2013 by eight artists. Susan Colangelo, President of Story Stitchers, was reacting to gun violence and decided to tackle the problem through collaborative creative work. The Pastries with a Purpose program is designed to assist organizations that work tirelessly to make our community a better place. Piccione’s has been fortunate to contribute to a variety of non-profits since opening in 2013. They continued the tradition of giving with the Saint Louis Story Stitchers. Story Stitchers is Piccione’s neighbor and only three doors down from the Shop.</p>
	<p>St. Louis Voices January 28, 2018 6:45 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. 15 minutes of a 30-minute program 2 of 2</p>
	<p>Host: Courtney Landrum Katie Rowland HR Generalist at The St. Louis Zoo and Steve Bircher Curator of Mammals/Carnivores Fashion powerhouse in downtown Saint Louis and generating a palpable fashion “buzz.” Host Courtney Landrum interviewed Katie Rowland about the upcoming Job Fair at the Zoo and all the positions that were available for the Spring and Summer. Steve discussed the Baby Cheetah’s born recently at the Zoo and their commitment to Wildlife Sanctuaries across the globe.</p>

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ISSUE:	Education
	The Metro Show January 14, 2018 (repeat, original air date 12/24/17) 6:30 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. 15 minutes of a 30-minute program 2 of 2
	Host: Trish Gazall – Guest: Rachel Harris, Fitness Event Specialist for St. Jude Host Trish Gazall interviewed Rachel Harris about the walk/run events for St. Jude Missouri. They discussed the Heroes Program and how you can train to walk/run, raise funds for St. Jude. Also how St. Jude benefits kids/families in our area.
	St. Louis Voices February 11, 2018 6:30 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30-minute program
	Host: Jill Devine – Guest: Jessi McNamara, President of Even Chance Host Jill Devine interviewed Jessi McNamara about Even Chance. Even chance strives to counteract misinformation about pit bulls with factual education, communication, and resources for the general public as well as the pit bull community. We rescue temperamentally sound dogs from shelters, including dogs with medical needs and dogs rescued from organized fighting rings or other inhumane situations. We provide foster care for our rescued dogs until placed in forever homes.
	The Metro Show February 18, 2018 6:00a.m. – 6:20 a.m. 20 minutes of a 30-minute program 1 of 2
	Host: Greg Hewitt – Guest: Mark Ahrens, VP of Program Services-Mers Goodwill Host Greg Hewitt interviewed Mark Ahrens about Mers Goodwill mission-specifically relating to the new “adult high school” they are opening later this year. It will give low-income people who never finished their high school education a chance to do so in a meaningful way. We also spoke about Goodwill’s overall mission of assisting those who need help finding jobs.
	St. Louis Voices February 25, 2018, March 25, 2018 6:42 a.m. – 6:51 a.m. 10 minutes of a 30 minute program 2 of 3
	Host: Courtney Landrum – Guest: Andy Thorpe, Executive Director of the Miriam School Host Courtney Landrum interviewed Andy Thorpe about the learning center. The Learning Disability Experts is proud of a legacy of educational service to the St. Louis community that spans over 50 years. The only “A to Z” resource in the region for children with learning disabilities, Miriam helps students who are struggling in school unlock their potential. Through its three programs, Miriam School, Miriam Academy and Miriam Learning Center, Miriam reaches over 1000 students annually through its comprehensive services. Miriam helps identify a child’s needs and provide solutions. Miriam improves the quality of life for children with learning disabilities and their families through innovative and comprehensive programs.

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	<p>The Metro Show March 11, 2018, March 18, 2018-repeat due to scheduling hiccup. 6:00a.m. – 6:30 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30-minute program</p>
<p>Host: Greg Hewitt – Guest: Elaine Queathem, Founder of Savvy Coders Host Greg Hewitt interviewed Elaine Queathem about her work with the organization; Savvy Coders, an organization which works with SLATE-The St. Louis Agency on Training and Employment, on helping the underemployed and unemployed in the St. Louis area develop and learn software development skills. The goal is to help these young people, age 17-29, secure internships and jobs in today’s digital economy. Most receive funding for this training through a tech hire grant. Started in 2015, Savvy Coders now has some 100 graduates who have successfully completed the training. With an extremely high-demand in St. Louis for Javascript developers there is great need for those who have mastered these programming skills. Elaine spoke about the program, how it works, how to apply to participate, and how it is helping those usually under served in the technology field, learn new skills and get new jobs. They have a demo day coming up at the end of March where area companies can meet the new graduates and see their latest projects in a job fair type setting.</p>	
	<p>St. Louis Voices March 18, 2018- repeat of The Metro Show on 3.11.18 due to scheduling hiccup 6:30 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30 minute program</p>
<p>Host: Greg Hewitt – Guest: Elaine Queathem, Founder of Savvy Coders Host Greg Hewitt interviewed Elaine Queathem about her work with the organization; Savvy Coders, an organization which works with SLATE-The St. Louis Agency on Training and Employment, on helping the underemployed and unemployed in the St. Louis area develop and learn software development skills. The goal is to help these young people, age 17-29, secure internships and jobs in today’s digital economy. Most receive funding for this training through a tech hire grant. Started in 2015, Savvy Coders now has some 100 graduates who have successfully completed the training. With an extremely high-demand in St. Louis for Javascript developers there is great need for those who have mastered these programming skills. Elaine spoke about the program, how it works, how to apply to participate, and how it is helping those usually under served in the technology field, learn new skills and get new jobs. They have a demo day coming up at the end of March where area companies can meet the new graduates and see their latest projects in a job fair type setting.</p>	

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	<p>St. Louis Voices January 14, 2018 6:30 a.m. – 6:35 a.m. 5 minutes of a 30 minute program</p>
<p>Host: Jen Myers – Guest: Randy Girsch, Director of Community Relations for the St. Louis Blues Host Jen Myers interviewed Randy Girsch about the partnership the St. Louis Blues and The Spirit of Discovery Park’s announcement to form The St Louis Blues Blind Hockey Club (SLBBHC). The Blues will host a Learn-to-Play event for blind or visually impaired male and female athletes of all ages on Thursday, Jan. 18, at 7 p.m., at Scottrade Center. Athletes can bring their own equipment or borrow equipment provided by SLBBHC. Interested participants can register by visiting www.stlouisblues.com/blindhockey.</p>	
	<p>The Metro Show February 18, 2018 6:20a.m. – 6:30 a.m. 10 minutes of a 30-minute program 2 of 2</p>
<p>Host: Greg Hewitt – Guest: Cathy Heimberger, Director of Marketing and Programing at the St. Louis Public Library Host Greg Hewitt interviewed Cathy Heimberger about how much things have changed at the library. The library updated the material to be accessible electronically. Greg asked about the little cards you would use to find a book. Cathy said there is one card catalog left at the library that people can use, otherwise the information is on the computer. Residents of St. Louis County and St Charles county can return books to the City library and visa versa. The city library is 112 years old. There are 16 branches of the library. Slpl.org</p>	
	<p>St. Louis Voices February 25, 2018 6:30 a.m. – 6:42 a.m. 12 minutes of a 30 minute program 1 of 3</p>
<p>Host: Courtney Landrum – Guest: Christine Ellis/St. Louis Curling Club Host Courtney Landrum interviewed Christine Ellis about the St. Louis Curling Club. The St. Louis Curling Club has introduced over a thousand people to the sport of curling in its 6 short years. With an enthusiastic and active membership, the club has been in existence since 2010 at 2 different ice arenas in the greater St. Louis area. The St. Louis Curling Club (SLCC) is a local 501(c) (3) non-profit. Their mission is to promote the skills and enjoyment of curling. It has begun fundraising campaign to construct a dedicated ice curling facility in the St. Louis metropolitan area. SLCC was established in 2010 and currently utilizes the Creve Coeur Ice Rink for curling on arena ice.</p>	

**Most Significant Issue-Responsive Programming
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ISSUE:	Community/Cultural Events (Cont'd.)
	<p>The Metro Show March 25, 2018 6:00 a.m. – 6:15 a.m. 30 minutes of a 30-minute program</p>
<p>Host: Stel Pontikes – Guest: Larry Rice, founder and president of New Life Evangelistic Center in St. Louis</p> <p>Host Stel Pontikes interviewed Larry Rice about NLEC. Stel followed up on the previous airing (2-4-18) with info on petitions in downtown St. Louis regarding the reopening of their homeless shelter at 14th and Locust. The center closed down by the city of St. Louis in 2017. They also discussed the mission of NLEC and the founding of the organization in the early 1970s. The mission of New Life Evangelistic Center (NLEC) is to provide Christian hospitality and respect for life through the services of food, clothing, shelter, education, and job training programs, as well as physical, mental and spiritual health care, to the poor and homeless in Saint Louis and beyond.</p>	

(PSA's)
Public Service Announcements
1st Quarter, 2018
(January 1 through March 31)

A list of recorded PSA's aired during this quarter on both KYKY and KEZK:

- American Cancer Society (:30) - fundraising for cancer research
- American Heart Association (:30) – Go Red For Women & health awareness
- Animal Protective Association (APA) (:30) – info on pet adoption services
- Autism Speaks (:30) – raising awareness for programs and research
- Backstoppers (:30) – fundraising program to assist first responders & families
- Best Friends Animal Sanctuary (:30) – info campaign for pet adoption program
- Challenge Unlimited (:30) – disability job assistance program
- College Bound (:30) – financial assistance program for local families
- Colorectal Cancer Screenings (:30) – informational campaign/cancer testing
- Covering House (:30) – April 7 fundraiser to help stop human trafficking
- Dollar Help (:30) – energy assistance program for local families
- Fatherhood Involvement (:30) – family assistance program
- Friends of Kids with Cancer (:30) – family assistance programs
- Gateway MS Society (:30) – raising awareness for local MS programs
- Goodwill (:30) – car donation fundraising program
- Goodwill Stores (:30) – informational campaign for local stores
- Heat Up St. Louis (:30) – fundraising for winter utilities assistance for families
- Humane Society of Missouri (:30) – adoption programs
- Humane Society of USA (:30) – various animal issues
- Kwik Fix Pet Clinic (:30) – low-cost spay and neuter clinic on S. Jefferson
- Laclede Gas (:30) – Dollar Help family assistance program
- March of Dimes (:30) – women's health issues
- Marine Corps (:30) – enlistment informational campaign
- Mercy Hospital Job Fair (:30) – March 22 job fair for applicants with disabilities
- MERS Goodwill (:30) – assistance programs for local families
- Miriam Foundation (:30) – serving children with learning disabilities
- MO American Board for Teachers (:30) – career opportunities in education
- MO Baptist Medical Center (:30) – volunteer programs
- Operation Foodsearch (:30) – assistance for local families
- Project Hope (:30) – fundraising and volunteer programs
- Purina Stray Rescue (:30) – shelter pet adoption program
- Ronald McDonald House (:30) – lodging for families and volunteer program info
- Search Dog Foundation (:30) – fundraising info for disaster deployment
- Shelter Pet Project (:30) – pet adoption programs
- Shriners Hospitals for Children (:30) – informational campaign
- Siteman Cancer Research Center (:30) – March 17 Sing For Siteman benefit
- St. Jude Children's Research Hospital (:30) – informational campaign
- St. Louis County Library Foundation (:30) – Born To Read partnership for kids
- St. Louis County Parks Dept. (:30) – info program for regional awareness
- St. Patrick Center (:30) – March 9 annual trivia fundraiser/homeless services
- Stray Rescue (:60) – animal rescue services & info on new programs
- Urban League (:30) - March 24 Centennial Gala fundraiser
- U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services (:30) – family assistance programs

(PSA's)

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A list of recorded PSA's aired during this quarter on KEZK-HD2/The Spirit:

- Appalachia Service Project (:60) – humanitarian work in Appalachian region
- Hope For A Family (:30) – child sponsorship program.
- St. Patrick Center (:30) – various fundraisers/services for the homeless
- Stray Rescue (:60) – animal rescue services & info on new programs
- Youth For Understanding (:30) – student exchange program