

**KLIZ-AM
Brainerd MN
Quarterly “Issues- Programming” Listing
July 1 – September 30, 2023**

This list for the third quarter of 2023 was compiled by
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KLIZ-AM Issue-Responsive Programming

Issues Programs List

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Section I. Issues.

The station has identified the following issues as significant issues facing our community in this quarter:

- A. Health:** Health issues and initiatives, in our area.
- B. Wellbeing:** Efforts by local agencies and individuals to enhance the wellbeing of our community including housing and hunger.
- C. Education.** The efforts of the community to educate.
- D. Enrichment.** The efforts of the community to enrich lives through education, events, and participation.
- E. Community Events.** Community and non-profit fundraising events in the area.
- F: Government/Safety.** Area government and its effects on our citizens.

Section II. Responsive Programs

The station has broadcast programming dealing with each of the above-referenced issues. Programming dealing with each issue is set out below.

A. Health:

“In Touch Program”- Air 7/9/23 5:35 AM. Program Duration 12:58.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From Relationship Safety Alliance- Jill Mckensie and Karen Wussow. The conversation included the overview of the program and services they offer. They also talked about lodging available for women and the ability to help men as well with their programming. The review of the Alex and Brandon Child Safety Center and its history, and how they are helping children that are in jeopardy was a topic, and they also touched on helping the center with donations.

“In Touch Program”- Air 7/16/23 5:20 AM. Program Duration 11:34.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From the YMCA and Kiwanis Club- Shane Riffle and Capt. Jeff Kern. The topic was the Kiwanis Club Triathlon and all the details of the event. Both the kids and adult triathlons were talked about including history and benefits. The public was invited to participate and volunteer. There was also an overview of the Kiwanis club and their contributions to the community.

“In Touch Program”- Air 8/20/23 5:35 AM. Program Duration 14:09.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From Crow Wing Energized and Crow Wing County – Kara Terry and Karen Johnson. The topics included Blade/Opioid Abuse including some statistics regarding this issue in our community and how the Blade group works to intercept this problem. The dollars that are coming into the system for the fight against this abuse problem was discussed and the goals they have set to help and place the dollars strategically.

B. Wellbeing:

“In Touch Program”- Air 7/23/23 5:20 AM. Program Duration 13:05.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From the Center- Deanne Berry. The topic was the Center and the programs and activities with which they are involved. The summer concert series they sponsor was covered and the public was invited to attend. The “great decisions” educational group that meets was covered as well. The Center also has a large plant growing team and the sale that’s part of it.

“In Touch Program”- Air 7/30/23 5:35 AM. Program Duration 12:39.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From Sexual Assault Services – Heidi Fairchild and Jordyn Christian. The topics included the “Walk a Mile in Her Shoes” event. The fundraiser was discovered. The details included a new location, the guys in high heels, or other decorated shoes, kids walk for free. And there was an overview of the sexual assault services and their support for those that need the assistance.

“In Touch Program”- Air 8/20/23 5:20 AM. Program Duration 13:13.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From Wave – Kendra Johnson and Paul Agustinak. The topic was the new Brainerd Lakes Chamber program called Wave. This new young professionals’ group (mainly 19-39) aims to help this age group grow in their development and growing relationships in the Brainerd Lakes. The Vision of the group is just forming. They also talked about the advantages of this group being affiliated with the chamber.

C. Education:

“In Touch Program”- Air 7/9/23 5:20 AM. Program Duration 13:47.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From Central Lakes College – Tandra Garza and Corey Detlof. The topics included the working farm in Staples that operates in connection to the college, The ag and energy program, Precision food production program, enrollment for the upcoming year, meat cutting and butchery, on line classes for those that are around the state at CLC and the advantages of the 2 year programs available.

“In Touch Program”- Air 8/6/23 5:20 AM. Program Duration 14:09.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From the Lakes Area United Way John Auga and Lakes Area Restorative Justice – Brian Andrews. The topics included the discussion of a grant that funded a learning trail at Kiwanis Park, the stuff bus program in connection with Hubbard Radio Brainerd, the annual Chili Cookoff. The highlight segment included an overview of the Lakes Area Restorative Justice Project. And an invitation to a training that will allow people to get involved with this important program.

“In Touch Program”- Air 8/6/23 5:35 AM. Program Duration 13:12.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From CLC – Dr Hara Charlier and Paul Primsburger. The topics included the new school year and preparations, a new advising model that will be implemented for the first time that builds relationships to assist in support throughout their college career, student life activities, and various degrees that are being offered that are new and different.

D. Enrichment:

“In Touch Program”- Air 8/13/23 5:35 AM. Program Duration 11:27.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From Camp Ripley – Tony Housey. The topics included the fall season and what is planned at camp. The events discussed were an open house at camp that is in depth for the public to visit, the remembrance of the March of Bataan with events including a race, the new military museum groundbreaking, and the various training events planned at camp this fall.

“In Touch Program”- Air 8/27/23 5:20 AM. Program Duration 10:04.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From the Brainerd Lakes Chamber – Nicole Heinen. The topic was the Pequot Lakes area and what events and activities that are approaching. They are looking for nominations for the excellence in service awards. The discussion also included various

sponsorships that are available for the awards, the upcoming Bobber Bocce on Ice, and Crosslake Days.

“In Touch Program”- Air 8/27/23 5:35 AM. Program Duration 14:01.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From CRMC and Cragun’s – Jack Warow and Jennifer Podsiadly. The topic was the upcoming CRMC Golf Championship at Cragun’s. The charitable aspect was discussed along with the fun for the public and the benefit to our overall community. The overview of the new course at Cragun’s was talked about and how the tournament is part of this league that feeds players to the PGA.

“In Touch Program”- Air 7/2/23 5:35 AM. Program Duration 9:45.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From GLAPA – Mark Oliphant and Zack McCalister. The subject was Shrek the Musical. The show discussed the plot line and what is new and different from the movie that is familiar to most families. Logistics were discussed and the public was invited to come and be entertained. And they talked about the roles played by Mark and Zack and some of their history in local theater.

“In Touch Program”- Air 9/3/23 5:35 AM. Program Duration 13:34.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From Brainerd Public Schools foundation – Jessica Gangle. The topics included an overview of the program and what they do in relationship to the ISD 181 schools. The discussion included contacting the foundation regarding various memorials or other scholarships or awards. There was also an update on what the BPS foundation has been doing, with distributions of various funds that have been donated. The Big Event fundraiser was also discussed.

E. Community Events:

“In Touch Program”- Air 7/2/23 5:20 AM. Program Duration 12:50.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From Brainerd Lakes Chamber -Cindy Myugeto. The discussion included the upcoming celebrations for the 4th of July. Events included the Grandpa’s Run for the Walleye, Fireworks, Golf, lodging and more. Tuesday kids’ activities and Wednesday Railroad trackers, the community center and more were discussed regarding the fun in Crosslake this summer.

“In Touch Program”- Air 7/23/23 5:35 AM. Program Duration 9:57.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From the Laker Lions club- Jan Petershick and Jim Frazier. The topics included an overview of the club and their service to the community, and a big annual fundraising event – the Big Corn

Feed. The event includes raffles and pork on a stick that supports the scholarship program. The public was invited to be part of this fun fundraiser. The scholarships benefit local students. The upcoming Golf Tournament was also covered which benefits their military family fund.

“In Touch Program”- Air 7/30/23 5:20 AM. Program Duration 13:51.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From the Brainerd Lakes Chamber – Sue Galligan. The topics included a review of the Bean Hole Days in Pequot, Business After Hours, various sponsorships for the Chamber Golf Tournament, a new milestone of membership, discussion of business chamber awards that will be awarded at the celebration of excellence event, and the Lakes Leadership program.

“In Touch Program”- Air 9/17/23 5:35 AM. Program Duration 12:18.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From the Sunrise Rotary – Brad Chapulis and Cory Jay. The topics included an overview of the club, an invitation to join the club, an upcoming fundraiser that sells roses that allows them to give to the community, how the funds are used and some of organizations that benefit from the club.

“In Touch Program”- Air 9/24/23 5:20 AM. Program Duration 12:17.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From the Brainerd Lakes Chamber – Cindy Myugeto and Kristin Peterson. The topic was Crosslake Days. The various events that are part of the fun in Crosslake were discussed, ways that various clubs are raising funds that benefit the community, new things happening in Crosslake, and other reasons to attend and enjoy this annual event in Crosslake.

F. Government/Safety:

“In Touch Program”- Air 7/16/23 5:35 AM. Program Duration 12:19.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From Camp Ripley- Tony Housey. The topics included the retirement of the top man at Camp Ripley- General Lowell Cruze and his replacement. Colonel Troy Fink is the new Garrison Commander. The training upcoming included a tank battalion, what it's like to drive a tank, helicopter training was also covered.

“In Touch Program”- Air 8/13/23 5:20 AM. Program Duration 13:50.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From MNDOT- Tom Krukshank and from Bolton and Menk- Robin Cauffman. The topics included an upcoming traffic study in the Lakes Area. The discussion included a review of our traffic situation, what the future holds for road work and what goals might be met by working together

on the traffic study. They also talked about the trail systems and impact on future projects with the intersection of trails and roads. The survey is underway in the lakes right now. Comments are welcome from anyone that uses the 371 corridor.

“In Touch Program”- Air 9/3/23 5:20 AM. Program Duration 13:53.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From TZD – Capt. Adam Fulton and Jim Guida. The topics were the end of summer and how the traffic will be affected and driving safely in heavy traffic, boat safety and what to be aware of with the Labor Day weekend, some of the responsibilities of the boat owner, statistics regarding deaths on the roadways, and the upcoming school year which will require us to drive with an eye out for students and buses on the streets. The discussion also included an enforcement emphasis on the move over law and some ATV rules and what we need to know about riding these on roadways or as trails intersect roadways.

“In Touch Program”- Air 9/17/23 5:20 AM. Program Duration 11:19.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From City of Brainerd – Jennifer Bergman and James Kranvick. The topics were road construction and how the projects are going, how to get information on state related road construction, how the city ordinance regarding cannabis is to be implemented, upgrading the water treatment facility, the trail system, the state tour that will review the needs that may be addressed in our region, the city plans for parking, and for kids...an upcoming touch a truck event.

“In Touch Program”- Air 9/24/23 5:35 AM. Program Duration 13:46.

Local public affairs program. Interview. From Minnesota State Patrol – Capt. Adam Fulton. The topics included how the safety stats were for Labor Day weekend (stats being down almost 60%), a reminder that school buses are on the streets and we need to make sure and stop for students, seatbelt safety, recent accidents that were not belted, approaching enforcements that law enforcement will be looking for and asking the public to be aware of regarding the hunting season, and speeding in our area.