



Radio Station KAUJ FM Grafton, ND

Issues & Programs Exhibit

3RD Quarter 2019

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Issues of concern to Langdon, Cavalier, Walhalla and Grafton ND areas include:

- Agriculture
- The Arts
- Business & Economy
- Charity/Community
- City/Town
- Crime, Safety & Security
- Culture & Religion
- Education
- Environment
- Family
- Health
- National Issues
- Public Service
- State Issues/Politics
- World Issues/National Politics

*Simmons Multimedia Stations produce a weekly program called Focus that addresses many of the above concerns. In the following pages is a description of the programming we provided during this quarter focusing on many of the above issues.

Issues & Programs Outline

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SECTION –A-

Short & Long Form Programs

Program: Focus

Focus is our Simmons Multimedia Stations weekly Public Affairs offering that shines the spotlight on a variety of topics of interest to our broad range of listeners. Typical programs include discussion of local/regional/national politics, agriculture issues, health and public safety and civic issues.

Air Time: Sundays 6:00-6:10 AM

Program Host: Shanda Christensen

Community Focus - September 22, 2019-Mayo Clinic Radio Dr. Tom Shives and Tracey McCray discuss Alzheimer's Disease.

00:00 / 20:28

Community Focus - September 15, 2019-Host Joel Heitkamp visits with Congressman Kelly Armstrong about a variety of recent topics that have been in the news.

00:00 / 12:59

Community Focus - September 8, 2019-Mayo Clinic Radio hosts Dr. Tom Shives and Tracey McCray discuss vaping.

00:00 / 19:43

Community Focus - September 1, 2019-Guest host Derek Hanson visits with U.S. Senator Tina Smith about the constant increase in price of insulin in the U.S.

00:00 / 11:11

Community Focus - August 25, 2019-Tyler Axness visited with ND House Majority Leader Chet Pollert about the legislature's request for public input with ND Legacy Fund.

00:00 / 09:01

Community Focus - August 18, 2019-Host Joel Heitkamp visits w/ND Department of Corrections Clinical Director Dr. Lisa Peterson about suicide watch protocol for inmates.

00:00 / 07:55

Community Focus - August 11, 2019-HOST JOEL HEITKAMP VISITS WITH REP. PAM ANDERSON ABOUT HER INTEGRAL WORK WITH LIFTING THE BLUE LAWS IN NORTH DAKOTA.

00:00 / 10:46

Community Focus - August 4, 2019-Guest host Al Carlson visits with Congressman Kelly Armstrong about his time so far in D.C. as a freshman Congressman.

00:00 / 17:33

Community Focus-July 28, 2019-Host Joel Heitkamp visits with Senator Erin Oban about the importance of legislation for paid family leave in North Dakota.

00:00 / 12:40

Community Focus-July 21, 2019-Host Joel Heitkamp visits with Tammy Sadek and attorney Tim O'Keefe about the filing of a new appeal in Andrew Sadek case.

00:00 / 14:53

Community Focus - July 14, 2019-Guest host Jim Shaw visits with David Owen with Legalize ND about the upcoming recreational marijuana measure on the 2020 ballot.

00:00 / 11:35

Community Focus-July 7, 2019-Guest host Dan Wogsland visits with ND Agriculture Commissioner Doug Goehring about ag policy, crop prices, and

other ag issues.

Program: Ag Day

Program Description: Simmons Multimedia's award winning NAFB Farm Director Shanda Christensen produces this daily farm feature that includes news, markets and topics of interest to local agriculture producers. In addition we produce special spring planting and fall harvest programs that are also hyper local to the immediate area.

Air Time: Monday through Friday: 7:30, 8:30 AM.

Program Host: Shanda Christensen

Program: Local High School Play by Play

Program Description: Throughout the year Simmons Multimedia Stations produce over 200 local high school and amateur sports play by play broadcasts. Such productions include high school hockey, basketball, football, volleyball, wrestling and track events. In addition to our terrestrial radio broadcasts live streaming of these games is provided via our station websites enabling distant family members, fans and school alumni the opportunity to hear the games.

Air Time: Various

SECTION –B-

Newscast Overview

Section B: Newscast Overview

KAUJ FM Radio produces 4 daily newscasts with late breaking news stories and bulletins at anytime these stories break. Two minute 'morning drive' reports air at 5:00, 6:00, 7:00 and 8:00 and 9:00 am.

News Treatments: The nominal length of each of our lead or feature stories is between thirty and sixty seconds.

Section C – Public Service Announcements

Each day Simmons Stations air any number of free Public Service Announcements (PSA's) promoting the works of various charitable and non-profit groups and civic organizations. The following pages indicate the month/group/event/dates of many of the PSA's broadcast and is representative of this commitment.

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July, August, September 2019 PSA

- Public Service Announcement-07/18/19-City of Grafton Aerial Mosquito Control Application
- Guess Who's Coming to Dinner-07/18/19-Visiting and dinner at Shenanigans in Grafton
- Citizens State Bank & Edinburg Fire Department-07/20/19-2019 Rib Cook-Off
- Cavalier Area Chamber of Commerce-07/25/19-Music & Art in The Park
- Heritage Village-07/25-27/19-3 Days of Music at Heritage Village in Grafton
- First Care Auxiliary of Park River-7/31/19-Blood Drive
- Grafton Area Chamber of Commerce-08/06/19-National Root Beer Float Day
- St. Stephens (Flom) Lutheran Church of Rural Milton-8/11/19-Annual Church Service
- Park River Farmers Market-08/15/19-Annual Kids Day
- Grafton Police Department-08/15/19-Kids and Kops
- Guess Who's Coming to Dinner-08/15/19-Visiting and dinner at the Frosty Fox in Grafton
- Skjeberg Picnic in the Park-08/25/19- 13th Annual Picnic in the Park at Schumacher Park IN Drayton
- Pembina County Historical Society-09/08/19-26th Annual Pioneer Machinery Show
- Grafton Senior Bowling League-09/11/19-Organizational meeting at 12th Street Bowl in Grafton
- Good Samaritain-09/24/19-Sart Committee Book and Donut Sale

